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PENROSE FIGHTS OLEO

Defends Farming and Dairy Interests Against Bogus Butter Men.

HE GIVES FACTS AND FIGURES

A Strong Argument in Favor of Protection For Those Who Have Suffered From the Operations of the Oleomargarine Trust.

Philadelphia, April 29.—Senator Penrose has been widely complimented upon his speech delivered in the United States senate in favor of the bill intended to protect the farmers of the United States from the oleomargarine trust.

Senator Penrose prefaced his speech by declaring that no state in the union was more interested in the proposed legislation than Pennsylvania.

PENNSYLVANIA'S INTERESTS.

"The returns of the census of June 1, 1900," he said, "show that the live stock industry of Pennsylvania has a value of \$109,590,426. Of this the dairy industry, counting simply cows kept for milk of the age of 2 years and over, represents a sum of \$29,141,561, and the value of neat cattle, outside of cows kept for milk, amounts to \$13,221,630, making a total for cows and neat cattle in Pennsylvania of \$43,063,191. The value of the production of these animals per year has not yet been computed by the census department, but by comparing the number of dairy cows as given by the census of 1890, with the present census there has been a gain of 16,519 head, an increase of 1.7 per cent. The amount of butter manufactured from these animals amounts to about 90,000,000 pounds per year, and the amount of milk produced to about 440,000,000 gallons. There are at present in Pennsylvania 856 creameries manufacturing butter. In the plant of each of these there is invested an average of \$3,000, which would represent \$2,568,000 capital.

"The income to the people of my state in a single year from butter alone amounts to between sixteen and eighteen million dollars, and the milk product, estimated at 8 cents per gallon, represents about \$35,000,000 additional. This immense sum of money is a new product each year, adding this much to the actual wealth of the state annually, and has the advantage of being distributed throughout all of the farm homes of the commonwealth, going to the support of more than 1,000,000 people who are engaged in agriculture, enabling them to maintain themselves in comparative comfort.

"Oleomargarine can be manufactured at from 7 to 9 cents per pound, depending upon the quality and fluctuations in the price of the materials that compose it. With the present government tax of 2 cents added, the total cost of the manufacture is from 10 to 11 cents per pound.

"This makes it possible for the oleomargarine manufacturer to place his product upon the market at a price below the cost price of butter. The inevitable consequence will be to drive out the butter-making industry."

FAVORED THE TAX.
Senator Penrose said the tax of 10

cents per pound would raise the cost price of oleomargarine to from 17 to 19 cents a pound, which is about the cost of manufacturing a good article of butter. The effect would be to protect the farmer. Manufacturers have been protected for many years and the farmer should now be protected.

There is another reason why oleomargarine should be taxed. Instead of oleo being marked and sold as such it is in many cases colored in imitation of butter and sold as butter. This is a fraud upon the public as well as a menace to a very important branch of the agricultural industry.

"The imposition of a 10 cent tax, to be collected before the article is permitted to be exposed for sale," said Senator Penrose, "will remove in a great degree the temptation to commit this fraud, and will be to that extent in the interest of public morals."

"We are not ready to substitute the oleomargarine factory for the butter industry in the state of Pennsylvania.

"We are not willing that the profits of our domestic animals shall be taken away from their legitimate sources and given to a select syndicate of capitalists, in order that they may become inordinately rich.

"The commissioner of internal revenue reports for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899, that there were, in round numbers, 91,000,000 pounds of oleo manufactured in the United States, of which eleven and one-half million pounds were sold in Pennsylvania. In the manufacture of this immense amount only 1.72 per cent. of the material used was butter.

"Against this imposition the honest farmer and dairyman should be protected.

"It may be well to remember that the farmers of the country are among our very best citizens, and there is no class that is more deserving of the considerate care of our lawmaking bodies.

"The farmers have always favored government protection where protection is needed, and now that they need protection themselves it is only just that it should be given them. In the state of Pennsylvania the local granges number about 500, with a membership of fully 55,000, principally heads of families. The farmers of Pennsylvania are among the most intelligent and conservative of all the many elements of our population, and in a general way they may be said to constitute the best bulwark of our institutions."

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re-estate of George Ester, late of Beaver township, Snyder Co., Pa., deceased.
In the Orphans' Court of Snyder County, Penna.
The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Snyder County, Penna., to distribute the fund in the hands of A. S. Wetzel and James H. Bingham, executors of the last will and testament of said decedent, will sit for the purpose of his appointment at the office of Jay G. Weiser, in the borough of Middleburg, Pa., on Friday, May 28, 1904, at 9 o'clock, A. M., at which time and place all claims must be presented or be forever thereafter barred from coming in or claiming a part of said fund.
A. W. POTTER, Auditor.
Middleburg, Pa., April 28, 1904.



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Deeds Entered for Record.

Mary E. O'Neil to A. W. Ancker and A. H. Troutman, lot in Union twp., for \$300.

B. F. Kantz, adm'r of John Fry, to Mrs. Susannah McFall, tract on Isle of Que, Selinsgrove, for \$360.

Jonathan B. Arbogast and wife to Ellsworth Stimeling, two lots and house in Freeburg, for \$700.

Elizabeth Hassinger to John Shenkel, lot of ground in Centreville, for \$450.

Emma J. Houser, et al to S. A. L. Strawser, 73 acres and 131 perches in Union twp., for \$1235.

A. B. Keck and wife to I. F. Laudenslager, 1-6 interest in 7 acres in Middlecreek twp., for \$150.

Harvey E. Miller to Zack T. Hettrick, house and lot in Selinsgrove, for \$1800.

Flora E. Boyer to J. C. Kessler, lot in Selinsgrove, for \$90.

Israel Shemorry, et al, to H. W. Hartman, 100 acres in Franklin twp., for \$600.

Jacob Bickel and J. C. Bickel, 11 acres and 138 perches in Spring twp., for \$1.

W. A. Fisher and wife to Clara E. Fisher, 80 acres and 80 perches in Penn twp., for \$5500.

C. H. Ulsh and wife to John A. Fetterolf, 58 acres and 88 perches in Adams twp., for \$10.

C. H. Ulsh and wife to John A. and Henry R. Fetterolf, 20 acres in Adams twp., for \$7.

J. A. Lombard, exec. of Mary A. Duck, to J. Howard Ulsh, two lots in Selinsgrove, for \$745.

Heirs of Mrs. Sarah Benfer, dec'd, to Sarah E. Fessler, 1/4 acre in Centreville, for \$1000.

W. W. Longacre, exec. etc., to John E. Witmer, 9 acres and 159 perches in Union twp., for \$100.

Heirs of George Romig, dec'd, to J. Howard Ulsh, two tracts in Penn twp., containing 101 acres, for \$5250.

J. Y. H. Moyer and wife to John A. Fetterolf, 13 acres and 127 perches of woodland in Adams twp., for \$40.

Augustus Stroub and wife to Ira Clement and W. C. Aurand, 10 acres in Chapman twp., for \$120. The above is then transferred to B. F. Arnold.

Letters Granted.

In the estate of Henry Fisher, late of Freeburg, dec'd, were granted to Wm. Moyer.

Letters of administration in the estate of Ada Erb, late of Adams twp., were granted to Isaac C. Swartz.

Wills Probated.

Last will and testament of Harriet Frantz, late of Franklin twp., dec'd, W. D. Gift gets \$10 and the residue is given share and share alike to her children. H. J. Duck is named as executor.

Last will and testament of Solma Kuhns, late of Franklin twp., dec'd, Mrs. Susan Hackenberg, Grier Bingham and Ven. Bingham each receives \$1 and some personal property, the balance goes to her husband, Enoch Kuhns, during his life, and then to her daughter, Annie J. Kuhns. Enoch Kuhns is named executor.

Last will and testament of Chas. Keck, late of Middlecreek twp., dec'd, Diana Bolig gets \$100, John Bickhart gets 1/4 acre of ground, C. A. Meiser \$100 and the residue is given share and share alike to his heirs. C. A. Meiser and Philip Roush are named executors.

Last will and testament of Catherine Bailey, late of Monroe twp., dec'd, the children and J. P. Bolig, a grandson, are the heirs. Letters C. T. A. were granted to her son, Amos Bailey.

Constipation

Does your head ache? Pain back of your eyes? Bad taste in your mouth? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, headache, dyspepsia. 25c. All druggists.

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KREAMER.

Chas. Keck, a respected citizen of this place passed away Friday, a. m., aged 87 years.

Elias Haas and family of Duncannon, attended Chas. Keck's funeral Sunday.

Chas. Meiser of Thompsontown spent Sunday in this place.

os. Sauer is among the sick.

The supervisor of this place is kept busy putting in new bridges.

The post office at this place has been made a money order office.

Willard Roush's house is going up rapidly.

What Thin Folks Need

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Dress Gingham from 6 to 10
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Light Calicoes,
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Men's and Boys' SUMMER SUITS.

Boys' Suits, good quality, \$2.50
Youths' Suits, good quality, \$3.50
Men's Suits from \$4.50 to \$10.00
A nice lot of Umbrellas, silk finish at 76c and \$1.00



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will be convinced that I have told the truth. We have sold many ready-to-wear hats and expect to sell many more. We will have a special line of these hats on Opening Days. Plain hats for children at 25 cents, millinery trimmings, piece goods, ribbons, Flowers, Laces and Ornaments. Our fruit trimmings are most beautiful. Goods at the lowest prices consistent with mostly good quality materials.



We will also display a line of other goods—ready-made petticoats, American Lady corsets for Summer, white lawn shirt waists with five rows of insertion and tucks at \$1.25, all sizes, other fancy white lawn waists, prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$2.25, beautiful silks for waists at 25 cents to \$1.25 per yard. Our line of notions will be reduced on Opening Days. Our goods throughout are worthy of notice. Our well known reputation has been greatly increased in the past years of our exhibits, and this showing will be no exception. The very low prices we quote, make it an economy to purchase here. We solicit your attendance at our opening.

L. Dunkelberger.

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