

WHAT IS HAPPENING ALL OVER THE STATE

Ability Denied Because a Man's Fate Teeth Caused His Death.

PROVISIONS FOR PENNSYLVANIANS.

Gov. Stone Fixes the Date for Four Murders to Hang—Herd of Infected Cattle Killed—Friends Advise Shaffer to End the Conspiracy With Mitchell—Telephone Company Completes Deal.

These provisions were granted Pennsylvania: M. B. Kistler, Johnstown, \$6; George M. Ziesler, Pittsburgh, \$6; John M. Holly Spangle, \$8; Aaron Stitzel, Montgomery, \$10; Samuel L. Northrup, West Pittsburg, \$10; Ida J. Greensburg, \$8; Eld. \$12; Jane Aungst, nongabela, \$8; Sary E. Wheeler, Montgomery, \$8; Charles E. Kingensmith, Hites, \$6; Charles E. Gladding, Altus, \$17; Daniel Moon, Wildwood, \$8; Jos. Rumberger, Punxsutawney, \$8; Robert H. Long, Pittsburgh, \$1; Andrew J. Bissell, Sayre, \$8; Abraham Howard, Bakersfield, \$17; Anna Kelly, Redman Mills, \$8; Vinnie A. Schuz, Smethport, \$8; Maria Grimm, Marysville, \$8.

In Doubt.

"I judge from your conversation," said the carping person, "that you assume to be an optimist."

"Oh, yes, it's just as well to look on the bright side."

"You undertake to demonstrate that whatever is right, and all that sort of thing."

"That would be the tendency of my arguments."

"And you believe that everything is all for the best?"

"Yes."

"Well, I'm glad to meet you. I want to talk with some one who has studied the subject, and who can possibly tell me why it is that the man who rocks the boat always manages to swim ashore and let the other people drown. It may be all for the best, but I'd like to have it explained."

Reflections of a Bachelor.

Love is cheap, but being a lover is expensive.

About the time a boy begins to think about his sweetheart his mother begins to forget hers.

You must never kiss and tell, but if you see anybody else doing it you must tell it to everybody.

After a woman comes home from church she has the same sort of guaranteed credit feeling that a man has just after he makes a fat bank deposit.

There is nothing that makes a man so thankful he is married as to have his wife wake him up in the middle of the night to ask his opinion of a new idea she has for a shirtwaist.

An Alibi.

"Has my Willie been in swimming here to-day?" asked Willie's angry father.

"No, sir," replied the biggest boy in the water.

"Are you sure?"

"Sure. Why, it was as much as he could do to keep from drownin', but we got him out all right. He's restin' over there in the bushes now."

Mean Thing.

Rosalie—Have you chosen any of your bridesmaids yet?

May—Yes, Fanny Lyon.

Rosalie—Why, I thought you hated her.

May—No, not exactly; but the bridesmaids are to wear yellow, and you can't imagine how that will go with Fanny's complexion.

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The careless actor and the careless fisherman are not much in common, but they resemble each other when they forget their lines.

Too Effective.

"John," said Mrs. Billus, after the caller had gone away, "I wish you wouldn't bunch your blunders so."

"What do you mean, Maria?" asked Mr. Billus.

"I didn't mind your telling her that you were ten years older than I, but you followed it up a minute later by letting it slip out that you were fifty-two."

A Cough

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COMMERCIAL REVIEW.

General Trade Conditions.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s "Weekly Review of Trade" says: "Normal conditions have been fully restored in the distribution of merchandise, the placing of delayed orders stimulating the few lines that appeared to halt. One of the most gratifying features of the business situation is the pronounced preference for the better grades of goods, clearly indicating the improved financial condition of consumers."

"Steadiness in quotations of corn at the present high level is all that producers could desire. Shipments from the Atlantic Coast for the week were 728,020 bushels, against 1,560,018 last year and 2,954,477 two years ago.

"Wheat is well sustained and still better prices are promised by the heavy export movement, which from all United States ports for the week reached 5,268,413 bushels, flour included, against 3,557,482 last year and 4,603,362 in 1909. Western receipts of 8,292,456 bushels exceed even the liberal shipments in 1900 of 6,954,777 bushels.

"Failures for the week numbered 227 in the United States against 204 last year, and 31 in Canada against 18 last year."

LA EST QUOTATIONS.

Flour—Best Patent, \$4.60; High Grade Extra, \$4.10; Minnesota bakers \$2.953.10.

Wheat—New York, No. 2 red, 73 3/4¢; Philadelphia, No. 2 red, 73 3/4¢; Baltimore, 73¢.

Corn—New York, No. 2, 64 1/2¢; Philadelphia, No. 2, 62 1/2¢; Baltimore, No. 2, 58 5/8¢.

Oats—New York, No. 2, 41¢; Philadelphia, No. 2 white, 42 1/2¢; Baltimore, No. 2 white, 39 1/2¢.

Hay—No. 1 timothy, \$16.50; No. 2 timothy, \$15.50; No. 3 timothy, \$14.00.

Green Fruits and Vegetables—Apples—Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, per brl, fancy, \$1.00; 1.75. Beets—Native, per 100 bunches \$1.00; do, New York State, per ton \$11.00; do, Carrots—Native, per bunch 1 1/2¢. Cauliflower—Long Island, per crate or brl \$2.50; do, Celery—New York State, per dozen stalks 30¢. Corn—Sugar, per dozen native 57¢. Cranberries—Cape Cod, per brl \$6.00; do, Eggplants—Native, per 1/2-basket 15¢; do, per 100 —\$31.00. Grapes—New York, per 5-lb basket, Concord, 88 1/2¢; do, per 5-lb basket, Niagara, 10 1/2¢. Lima beans—Native, per bushel 6 1/2¢. Potatoes—Maryland and Pennsylvania, yellow, per bu 80 1/2¢; do, Ohio, yellow, per bu 80 1/2¢. Oyster plants—Native, per bunch 33 1/2¢. String beans—Native, per bu, green 30¢. Peaches—Eastern Shore, per box, yellow, 75¢. Pears—Eastern Shore, Duchess, per basket 15 1/2¢; do, New York Bartlett, per brl, \$3.00; do, Pumpkins—Native, each —3¢. Tomatoes—Eastern Shore, Maryland, per basket 25 1/2¢. Turnips—Native, per bushel box 35¢.

Potatoes—White—Native, per bushel box 70 1/2¢; do, Maryland and Pennsylvania, per bushel, No. 1, 70 1/2¢; do, second, 45¢; do, New York, per bu, prime —38¢. Sweets—Eastern Shore, Virginia, per brl, yellow, \$1.50; do, Anne Arundel, per brl, No. 1 \$1.50; do, Yams—Virginia, per brl, No. 1 —\$1.00.

Provisions and Hog Products—Bulk rib sides 10 1/2¢; clear do 10 1/2¢; shoulders, 9 1/2¢; do, fat backs, 14 lbs and under 10 1/2¢; 12 lbs and under 9 1/2¢; do, bellies, 10 1/2¢; do, mess strip 8 1/2¢; do, ham butt, 9¢; bacon clear rib sides 11¢; clear 11 1/2¢; do, shoulders 10¢; sugar-cured breasts, small 13 1/2¢; do, 12 lbs and over, 13 1/2¢; do, shoulders, bladecuts, 9 1/2¢; do, do, narrow, 9 1/2¢; do, do, extra broad 10 1/2¢; do, do, California hams 9 1/2¢; hams, 10 lbs 13 1/2¢; do, 12 lbs and over 12 1/2¢; do, 15 lbs and over 12 1/2¢; do, skinned 13 1/2¢; do, beef, Western, dressed and uncanvassed sets, 14 1/2¢; do, 10 tenders 16 1/2¢; mess pork \$17.50; ham pork \$17.50; lard, refined, 50-lb cans 11 1/2¢; do, half-barrels and key tubs 11 1/2¢. Lard, in tierces 11¢.

Dairy Products—Butter—Elgin 23 1/2¢; Superior, extras 22 1/2¢; do, firsts, 22 1/2¢; do, gathered cream 20 1/2¢; do, imitation 17 1/2¢; lard, extra 15 1/2¢; lard, first 14 1/2¢; choice Western rolls 15 1/2¢; fair to good 13 1/2¢; half-pound creamery, Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania 21 1/2¢; do, rolls, 2-lb, do 30¢.

Eggs—Western Maryland and Pennsylvania, per dozen 18 1/2¢; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, per dozen 18 1/2¢; Virginia, per dozen 18 1/2¢; 10; Western Virginia —18; Western 18 1/2¢; Southern 17 1/2¢; guinea —1; icehouse, closely candled 17 1/2¢. Jobbing prices 1/2 to 1¢ higher.

Cheese—New cheese, large, 60 lbs 10 1/2¢ to 10 1/4¢; do, flats, 37 lbs, 10 1/4 to 10 1/2¢; picnics, 23 lbs, 10 1/4 to 11.

Hides—Heavy steers, association and salters, late kill, 60 lbs and up, close selection, 10 1/2¢; cows and light steers, 9 1/2¢.

Live Stock.

Chicago—Cattle—Good to prime steers \$6.00; do, stockers and feeders \$4.25; do, cows \$1.50; do, heifers \$2.00; do, canners \$1.50; do, bulls \$1.75; do, calves \$1.00; do, hogs—Mixed and butchers \$6.70; do, good to choice, heavy \$6.80; do, rough, heavy \$6.40; do, 6.75; light \$6.45; do, sheep—Good to choice wethers \$3.60; do, fair to choice mixed \$3.30; do, Western sheep \$3.25; do, 3.85; native lambs \$3.00; do, Western lambs \$3.75; do, 4.75.

East Liberty—Cattle steady; choice \$5.75; do, prime \$5.00; do, good \$5.20; do, 5.50; do, Hogs—Slow and lower; prime heavies \$7.25; do, 7.30; do, medium \$7.00; do, 25 heavy Yorkers \$7.15; do, 20 light Yorkers \$7.00; do, grassers \$6.80; do, 7.00; pigs \$6.50; do, skips \$4.75; do, roughs \$5.00; do, sheep steady; best wethers \$3.80; do, culls and common \$1.25; do, yearlings \$2.50; do, veal calves \$7.00; do, 7.75.

LABOR AND INDUSTRY

Alaska has but twelve farms.

Springfield, Mass., coal handlers won advance in wages.

Denmark is said to be the best organized country in the world.

Labor is so scarce at Hartford City, Ind., that common labor exacted \$1.50 a day.

St. Paul mason tenders have withdrawn from the Building Trades Council.

An ounce of gold was worth fifteen ounces of silver in the year 1890. It would buy twenty-one ounces in 1900.

Probably a Tartar.

A well-known Pacific coast attorney, who prides himself upon his handling of Chinese witnesses, was defending a railway damage case. The lawyer is a bit nearsighted, so failed to note when a Chinaman came upon the stand that the witness' clothing was of finer texture than the ordinary coolie's.

Instead of following the usual questions as to name, residence, if the nature of an oath was understood, etc., the following dialogue ensued:

"What is your name?"

"Kee Lung."

"You live in San Francisco?"

"Yes."

"You sabe God?"

"Mr. Attorney, if you mean 'Do I understand the entity of our Creator?' I will simply say that Thursday evening next I shall address the State Ministerial Association on the subject of 'The Divinity of Christ,' and shall be pleased to have you attend."

When order was restored the examination proceeded on ordinary lines, but to the day of his death the lawyer will never cease to be asked if he "sabe God."

She Got the Position.

"Excuse me," he said to the applicant for the typewriter's position, "but I would like to know your age?"

The young woman looked astonished.

"May I ask what that has to do with my fitness for the place?" she inquired.

"Nothing," he promptly answered.

"You see it's my wife that wants to know."

"In that case," said the applicant, who was pretty as well as young, "tell her I am 47."

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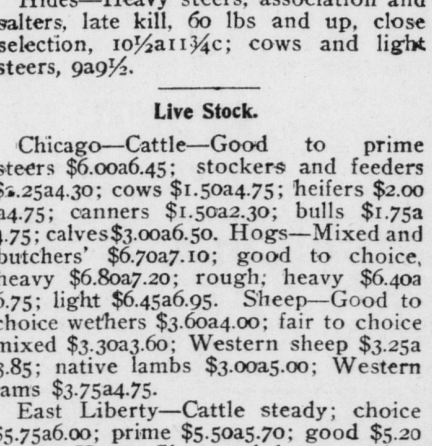
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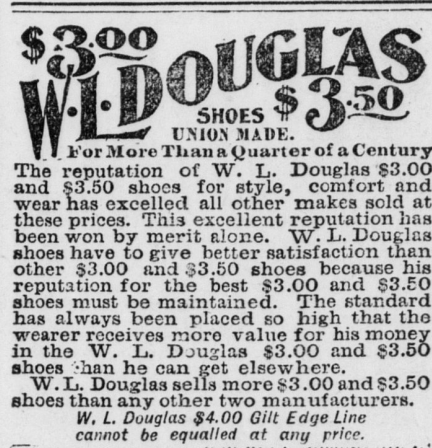
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