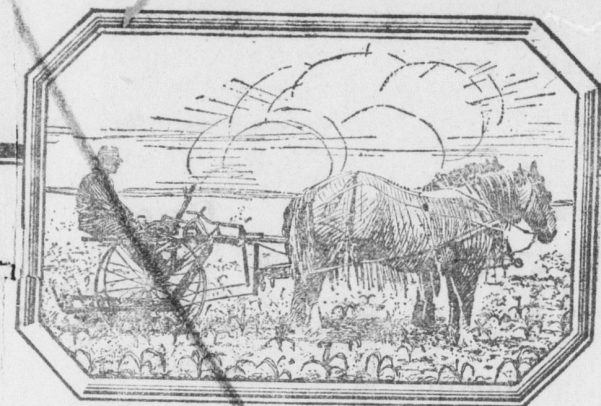


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THE PRODUCE AND LIVE STOCK MARKET

CORRECT INFORMATION FURNISHED WEEKLY BY THE PENNA. BUREAU OF MARKETS FOR THE BULLETIN

The market for new potatoes was generally steady, and offerings were moderate. Florida U. S. No. 1 Spaulding Rose in double head barrels ranged from 8.00 to 9.00 per barrel with Pittsburgh reporting the top price of 6.25 per barrel. Offerings of old potatoes were moderate and met a steady market. Western Maryland sacked McCormick's bro't 1.35 to 1.40 per cwt. in Baltimore. Philadelphia quoted New York and Pennsylvania round whites in 150 lb sacks at 2.50 to 2.75 per sack; similar stock in Pittsburgh ranged from 2.50 to 2.65 per sack. New York reported Maine bulk Green Mountains at 4.00 to 4.25 per 120 lbs.

The strawberry market was steady with a slightly stronger tendency in New York. Virginia, Norfolk Section Klendikes and Missionaries in 32 and 60 quart crates ranged from 14c to 22 1-2c per quart, some fancy stock bringing high as 25c per quart in Baltimore; similar stock sold for 4.50 to 5.00 per crate in Philadelphia. New York reported North Carolina 32 qt. crates of Missionaries at 14 to 16c per quart with few sales at 17 to 18c, while Baltimore quoted similar stock at 12 1-2 to 20c per quart.

Storage stocks of dairy products were large on May 1, 1924 as compared with a year ago. American cheese in storage was almost double the quantity on hand a year ago, and the same was true of both barrel and box apples. Quantities of pork, beef and lard were slightly larger than last year, the twenty per cent increase of lard being the most important change. The usual April storing of eggs resulted in the same volume in storage on May first as in 1923. Holdings of turkeys amounted to 95 per cent of a year ago, but other poultry in storage totaled only about 70 per cent. Recent market conditions resulted in a reduction of lamb and mutton in storage to about one-third of the stocks of May 1923.

Market dull. Beef steers showing slight weaker tendency. Compared with week ago 15-25c lower, better grades showing most decline, top \$10.65 average weight 1300 lbs., 3 loads. Bulk of sales \$8.00-10.00. Compared with last year, top \$9.50, bulk \$8.25-8.75. Bulls, she stock and canners closed steady. Calves closed steady with week's decline, top vealers \$12.50; bulk \$9.50-11.00. Hogs steady, top westerns \$8.75, bulk \$8.40-8.60.

Receipts for Saturday's market: 5 cars cattle from Penna. containing 113 head, 340 head driven in. Total 453 cattle, 7 calves.

Receipts for week ending May 17, 1924: 29 cars cattle from 23 Pa., 2 Chicago, 1 St. Paul, 1 Indiana, 1 Ohio, 1 Iowa containing 586 head, 808 head driven in. Total, 1394 cattle, 177 calves, 270 hogs, 9 sheep.

Compared with same week last year: 45 cars cattle containing 939 head, 847 head driven in from nearby farms. Total 1786 cattle, 575 hogs, 287 calves, 60 sheep.

STEEERS:

Good to choice	\$9.75-10.75
Fair to good	\$8.50-9.75
Medium to fair	\$7.50-8.50
Common to medium	\$6.50-7.50

BULLS:

Good to choice	\$7.00-7.75
Fair to good	\$6.00-7.00
Medium to fair	\$5.00-6.00
Common to medium	\$4.00-5.00

HEIFERS:

Choice to prime	\$8.25-8.75
Good to choice	\$7.50-8.25
Medium to good	\$6.50-7.50
Common to medium	\$5.00-6.50

COWS:

Good to choice	\$5.50-6.50
Medium to good	\$4.50-5.50
Common to medium	\$3.25-4.50
Canners and cutters	\$2.00-3.25

STOCK BULLS:

Good to choice	\$6.00-6.50
Fair to good	\$5.00-6.00
Common to fair	\$4.00-5.00

CALVES:

Good to choice	\$11.50-12.50
Medium	\$10.00-11.50
Common	\$5.50-10.00

HOGS:

Heavy weight, 200-250	\$8.50-8.75
Medium weight, 150-200	\$8.50-8.75
Lightweight, 100-150	\$8.25-8.60
Rough stock	\$6.50-8.25

Lancaster Grain and Feed Market

Wheat \$1.12 bu.
Corn88 bu.
Hay (baled)	
Timothy	\$25.00-27.00 ton
Straw	\$13.00-15.00 ton

Selling Price of Feeds

Bran	\$32.00-33.00 ton
Shorts	\$31.00-32.00 ton
Hominy	\$41.00-42.00 ton
Middlings	\$39.00-40.00 ton
Linsced	\$51.00-52.00 ton
Gluten	\$43.50-44.50 ton
Ground Oats	\$43.00-44.00 ton
Cottonseed 43 pc.	\$54.00-55.00 ton
Dairy Feed 16 pc.	\$33.50-34.50 ton
Dairy Feed 18 pc.	\$37.00-38.00 ton
Dairy Feed 20 pc.	\$39.50-40.50 ton
Dairy Feed 24 pc.	\$46.00-47.00 ton
Dairy Feed 25 pc.	\$47.00-48.00 ton
Horse Feed 85 pc.	\$45.00-46.00 ton

Read the Bulletin.

Human Body Composed 75 to 80 Per Cent Water

People think that bodies are, literally, among the solid possessions. But the human body is composed largely of water. The average proportion being from 75 to 80 per cent. We are three-fourths water, even including our brains.

I have heard people speak of a person as having "a fluid mind." They did not realize how close they came to the literal truth. From head to foot, all of us are so "fluid" that it seems almost a miracle when we continue intact, year after year, apparently as solid as ever.

You may think that we become more solid as the years go by; that old people really are, as we call them, withered and dried up. But they are not "drier." Human beings grow even less dry as age comes on. It is estimated that the water content of the body in old age is from 81.2 to 84.8 per cent, as compared with from 75 to 80 per cent in earlier life. So the common expression, "a dried-up old man," has no basis in fact.

If the amount of water content in the body is reduced by only 10 per cent, it results in very serious disorders. If it is reduced 20 per cent, death is almost certain to follow. There have been cases where a person has survived beyond this point; but a loss of 22 per cent is, I believe, a limit beyond which human beings cannot live.—American Magazine.

Says Coffee Fruit Is Similar to a Cherry

"It is doubtful if in all nature there is a more cunningly devised food package than the fruit of the coffee tree," says William H. Ukers in "All About Coffee" (the Tea and Coffee Journal company, New York). He describes it minutely as follows:

"The coffee fruit is very like a cherry, though somewhat elongated and having in its upper end a small umbilicus. But mark with what ingenuity the package has been constructed. The outer wrapping is a thin, gossamerlike skin which incloses a soft pulp, sweetish to the taste, but of magnificent consistency. This pulp in turn is wrapped about the inner seed, called the parchment because of its tough texture.

The parchment incloses the magic bean in its last wrapping, a delicate silver-colored skin, not unlike fine-spun silk or the sheers of tissue paper. And this last wrapping is so tenacious, so true to its guardianship function, that no amount of rough treatment can dislodge it altogether; for parts of it cling to the bean even in the roasting and grinding processes."

First Europeans in Panama

The first Europeans to visit the Isthmus of Panama were those who, under the leadership of Rodrigo de Bastides, sailed from Cadiz in October, 1500. Vasco Nunez de Balboa was among them. The records of this expedition are meager, but it is known that they picked up the mainland of South America near Trinidad and coasted westward past the Gulf of Darien and along the Isthmus as far as Nombre de Dios.

The letters of "Lettera Rarissima di Cristoforo Colombo," an Italian version of a dispatch from the great discoverer to Ferdinand and Isabella contains the earliest account of the Isthmus in existence. He wrote this letter while shipwrecked on the coast of Jamaica at the end of his fourth and last voyage to the Indies.—Detroit News.

Medicinal Vegetables

Curative qualities are possessed by most vegetables and fruits. Spinach has a direct effect upon the kidneys, while onions, garlic, leeks, and shallots contain medicinal qualities which have a marked effect upon the circulatory system. A raw onion eaten before going to bed is an excellent remedy for insomnia, while soup made from onions has a soothing and restorative effect upon weak digestive organs.

Lettuce and cucumbers cool the system; beets and turnips are excellent appetizers, and celery has such an admirable effect upon the nervous system that it has been known to cure neuralgia and is of great use in rheumatic cases. Tomatoes are good for the liver. Figs, currants, cherries, and strawberries are cooling and purifying. Eaten first thing in the morning, it is claimed an orange will cure dyspepsia sooner than anything else.

Forms of Government

"A republic is different from an autocracy."

"Undoubtedly," answered Senator Sorghum. "In a republic as far as you can go is to order a man to resign at sunset or take the consequences. In an autocracy you can have him shot at sunrise."—Washington Star.

The Tragic End

Theater Manager—"You do not seem to have enjoyed the show this evening."

Movie Fan—"I did not. Let me ask you, is there any reason why the play should not end happily, instead of the hero and heroine always marrying at the last moment?"

No Danger

Coal Merchant—"Quick! Quick! My coal-yard's afire!"

Fireman—"Oh, is it? Well, if the stuff he the same as you sold me 'r other day, there ain't no 'urry!"—London Humorist.

Will Hold Exams

An open competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service Commission for the position of postoffice clerk, village delivery service at Mount Joy will be held on Saturday, May 24, commencing at 9 A. M. Applications for this examination can be obtained from Mr. Calvin R. Kramer at the local office.

Perils in the Home Told by Risk Company

Mark Twain once called attention to the peril which surrounds a bed since so many people die there. According to an insurance company, home is not an entirely safe place either. This concern learns from an examination of its records that out of every 63 accidental deaths nine take place in the home.

Thus nearly one-sixth of the fatal accidents occur in an environment in which one might reasonably expect to be protected from danger of injury. Age, however, has a bearing on the situation. Children are in greater peril than when they develop into youth, and the danger increases as one passes from middle age. Burns, falls and inhaling poisonous gases are the chief causes of fatal accidents in the home.

We are accustomed to consider the peril which attends traffic in the street and employment in many lines of industry. The fact that it is impressed on us may make us more cautious. Thus many accidents may be avoided which would otherwise happen were we regardless of the danger. Because we feel safe when within the walls we call home, may in some measure be responsible for the accidents which occur there. Our surroundings being so familiar the sense of lurking danger in an open fire, or a loose board on a step, does not suggest itself. After the damage is done we may regret where in we erred, but it is too late to remedy the harm done. We are never entirely free from peril whether at home or abroad, but we are likely to have less keen appreciation of it when away from home and the opposite may be one's undoing at home.—Pittsburgh Telegraph.

World's Smallest Book in Library of Congress

Some of the interesting curiosities at the Library of Congress in Washington are: the smallest book in the world, the longest printed work in the world and the largest book in America. The smallest book is a copy of the Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam. The longest work is the Tu Shu Chinese encyclopedia, while the largest book in America is James Audubon's "Birds of America."

The midsize Rubaiyat is only three-eighths of an inch wide and one-eighth of an inch thick. Letters in the book, even on the title page, are so small that they can be read only with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass. Its 48 pages of Japan paper are daintily stitched and bound in green paper. The printing of the mammoth Tu Shu Chinese encyclopedia has been called the "greatest typographical feat in the world." Three years were required to print its 5,280 volumes with their 500,000 pages. The table of contents alone is forty volumes. A copy of this voluminous work printed at Shanghai was given to the United States by the emperor of China in 1908. Audubon's "Birds of America," the giant American book, is forty inches long, twenty-six and one-half inches wide and two and one-fourth inches thick. So large are its pages that on one of them a turkey is produced in life-size. The set comprises four volumes. They are bound in red horsehide and were presented to the library by Audubon himself in 1827.—Detroit News.

A Javanese Invention

Japan and China embroider their colors on their materials. Sumatra dyes the threads and weaves them in India stamps, and the South Sea Islands paint them on, but Java paints the pattern on in wax, and dyes the colors in. Batik, the process used in Java, is a science, an art, an industry, a religion, a mystery, an inheritance and a treasure peculiar to this tropical island. Batik makers draw their designs in hot wax on white cotton cloth, and then color the uncovered portions of the pattern by dipping the waxed cloth again and again into vats of vegetable dye. That the Javanese have been able to make the plain cotton so rich and magnificent a fabric entitled Java to a high place in the world of art. As the batik draws, the hot wax flows from the miniature spout of a very small copper cup, or tunting, which is fastened securely in one end of a short bamboo handle. This instrument was invented by the Javanese.

Navajo Story of Creation

George Rogers, who has recently returned from the Navajo country in New Mexico has obtained some interesting information concerning these tribes. Most interesting is the Navajo tradition of the creation of the world which is practically identical with that described in the Bible.

First, there was a great god Ya. There was nothing but water and space. Then Ya put forth his hand and the land came up out of the water. Again Ya put forth his hand and the sun, stars and moon appeared. Then Ya created a man and a woman. These two were the first Navajos.

The legend goes on, says Mr. Rogers in the Mentor, paralleling Genesis even to the rainbow, which appeared in the sky as a sign between Ya and his people.

Everybody Happy

Maid—"No, ma'am, Mrs. Hughes is out."

Visitor—"How fortunate! When I saw her peeping through the curtains as I came up the path I was so afraid she would be in.—Cassell's Saturday Journal (London)."

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