

# AMERICAN STORES CO. AMERICAN



Our Stores Will be Closed Christmas Day  
Open Late the Night Before to Better Serve You

**Best Pure Lard** lb 15c

Open kettle rendered. The very best made.

**Sweet Juicy Oranges** doz 28c:39c

Florida Put a couple in the children's Christmas Stocking.

**Gold Seal Flour** 12 lb bag 53c

Ceresota or Gold Medal Flour 12 lb bag 59c

**Red Ripe Cranberries** lb 10c

**ASCO Calif. Peaches** Big can 21c

Large, luscious peaches in rich, sugar syrup.

### Last Minute Christmas Reminders!

- Richardson & Robbins' Plum Pudding ..... can 29c
- Heinz Fig Pudding ..... tin 42c
- Heinz Mince Meat ..... 2 lb tin 42c
- Fancy Walnuts or Almonds ..... lb 33c
- Large, Juicy Florida Grapefruit ..... 3 for 25c
- Cooking Herbs (Sweet Marjoram, Thyme, Sage) ..... pkg 5c
- Colburn's Poultry Seasoning ..... pkg 10c
- Home-de-Lite Mayonnaise ..... jar 23c
- ASCO Sandwich Spread ..... jar 23c
- Big Western Eating Apples ..... doz 29c
- ASCO Chili Sauce ..... bot 25c
- Fancy California Figs ..... pkg 10c
- Smyrna Layer Figs ..... lb 25c
- ASCO Sweet Sugar Corn ..... can 15c
- ASCO Fancy Sifted Peas ..... can 18c, 23c
- Fancy Cooked Sweet Potatoes ..... big can 17c
- ASCO Asparagus Tips ..... can 35c
- Dromedary Golden Dates ..... pkg 19c

**ASCO Cherries** Big can 30c

Royal Anne California's choicest fruit. A most delightful dessert.

ASCO SLICED

**Mince Meat** lb 19c

The old-fashioned kind. A real holiday treat.

**Peaches** 2 tall cans 27c

Its fullness of Flavor, Richness of Aroma and its delightful satisfying taste make it the deal cup for your Christmas Dinner.

**ASCO COFFEE** lb 42c

Good to the last cup!

### Delicious Christmas Candies!

- Very Fine Belmont Chocolates ..... lb box 50c
- Assorted Betsy Ross Chocolates ..... lb tin 65c
- CHOCOLATES Hershey's, Choc. Kisses ..... 2 1/2 lb box 95c
- 5-lb Box Tasty Hard Candies ..... 5 lb tin \$1.19
- Chocolate Santa Claus ..... 3 for 25c
- Assorted Chocolates ..... lb box 39c

Be sure to Buy an ample supply of the Victor family to carry you over until Monday morning.

**Bread Supreme, big wrapped loaf** 10c

**Victor Bread** pan loaf 7c

**Supreme Fruit Cake** 2 lb cake \$1.00

With that real, Fruity, Nutty, Spicy Flavor.

These Prices Effective in Our MOUNT JOY Store

## The Produce and Live Stock Market

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

### Weather Affects Market

The cold weather retarded trading on many lines of fruits and vegetables in Philadelphia today. Supplies of home-grown produce were light, according to the Pennsylvania and Federal Bureau of Markets. The potato market was steady but there was very little business transacted. Maine Green Mountains brought \$4.10 to \$4.35 per 150 pound sack with fancy Long Island's selling at \$5.00 to \$5.10.

Mushrooms were in moderate supply and the market weaker. Most sales ranged from 30c to \$1.10 per 3 pound basket. Celery was steady with wired bunches bringing 8c to 15c. Parsnips held steady at 50c to 90c per 5-8 basket, while carrots brought 60c to 90c. Cabbage was mostly of rather ordinary quality and Pennsylvania Savoy sold at 85c to \$1.00 per bushel.

The apple market was very dull and no sales of Pennsylvania barrelled apples were reported. Hones and Staymen brought 40c to 75c per 5-8 basket, Yorks 35c to 40c, and Paragon 40c to 50c.

**MARKET:** Fairly active on all killing classes. Beef steers steady, receipts light through week, good demand for good and choice handy weights, top \$9.50, some held considerably higher, bulk of sales \$8.50 to \$9.50. Bulls and heifers steady, bulk medium, bulls \$6.00-\$7.50. Cows and cutters sharply lower, common and medium kinds 50c off, better grades 25c lower. Stockers and feeders practically at standstill, no country demand. Calves steady, top vealers, \$15.50.

**HOGS:** Steady, demand light, top westerns \$13.75.

**TURKEYS:** Active, receipts one car, 3 cars enroute, most sales 46c-48c liveweight, choice birds 50c per lb.

**RECEIPTS:** For today's market, cattle 20 cars, 6 Va.; 8 Pa.; 3 Chicago; 2 W. Va.; 2 Kansas City; 1 St. Paul; 1 Iowa; containing 470 head, 139 head trucked in, total cattle 669 head, 436 hogs, 11 calves 40 sheep. Receipts for week ending December 18, 1926: cattle 115 cars, 32 Chicago; 18 Pa.; 18 St. Paul; 16 Va.; 8 Canada; 8 Tenn.; 3 W. Va.; 3 Ken.; 2 Pittsburgh; 2 Kansas City; 2 St. Louis; 1 Iowa; 1 Indiana; 1 Ohio; containing 3995 head, 234 head trucked in, total cattle, 3239 head, 1674 hogs, 108 calves, 62 sheep. Comparisons with previous week, cattle, 156 cars, containing 4351 head, 219 head trucked in, total cattle, 4570 head, 1307 hogs, 37 calves, 90 sheep.

### Range Of Prices

Choice	\$9.00-10.00
Good	8.25-9.00
Medium	7.50-8.25
Common	6.50-7.50

### BULLS

Choice	7.00-8.00
Good	6.00-7.00
Medium to fair	5.50-6.00
Common	4.75-5.50

### HEIFERS

Choice	8.50-9.00
Good	8.00-8.50
Medium	6.25-8.00
Common	5.00-6.25

### COWS

Choice	6.00-7.00
Good	4.75-6.00
Medium	4.00-4.75
Common	3.50-4.00
Canners & Cutters	2.75-3.50

### STOCKER FEEDERS

Choice	\$8.00-8.75
Good	\$7.00-8.00
Medium	6.00-7.00
Common	4.75-6.00

### CALVES

Choice	\$13.00-15.50
Medium	10.50-13.00
Common	\$4.50-10.50

### HOGS

Heavyweights	\$13.25-13.75
Mediumweights	13.25-13.75
Lightweights	\$12.75-13.50
Rough Stock	\$10.00-12.75

### Lancaster Grain and Feed Market

Wheat	\$1.30 bu.
Corn	77c bu.
HAY (baled)	
Timothy	\$18.00-20.00 ton
Straw	10.00-12.00 ton

### Selling Price of Feeds

Bran	\$39.00-40.00 ton
Shorts	41.00-42.00 ton
Hominy	41.00-42.00 ton
Middlings	45.00-46.00 ton
Linseed	54.50-55.50 ton
Gluten	\$39.00-40.00 ton
Ground Oath	43.00-44.00 ton
Alfalfa (regular)	40.00-41.00 ton

### (Cash at Warehouse)

Cottonseed	41% \$39.00-40.00 ton
Dairy Feed	16% 34.00-35.00 ton
Dairy Feed	18% 38.00-39.00 ton
Dairy Feed	20% 41.00-42.00 ton
Dairy Feed	24% 44.00-45.00 ton
Dairy Feed	25% 47.00-48.00 ton
Horse Feed	85% 44.00-45.00 ton
Alfalfa (Reground)	44.00-45.00 ton

### New Extension Course

In keeping with a growing demand by business and industrial employees for a home study course in business letter writing, provision has been made for such a course to be studied by mail with the engineering extension department of the Pennsylvania State College. The college offers this course, as it does scores of others at mere cost of production and correction of lesson papers. It will be ready for distribution early in January. It will appeal especially to young men desiring to prepare themselves for managerial positions in commerce and industry.

### "BEAU GESTE" SHOULD PROVE RALLING CALL TO THEATRE LOVERS.

The announcement that Adolph Zukor and Jesse Lasky are shortly to present Major Percival C. Wren's great mystery melodrama of the French Foreign Legion "Beau Geste" coming to the Majestic Theatre for one week beginning Monday Matinee December 27th, should prove a magic call for the rallying lovers of real drama in the Theatre. No photo-play has attracted more attention or proved more popular in past history than "Beau Geste".

"Beau Geste" is now rounding out its 7th month at the Criterion Theatre on Broadway in New York City with no sign of abatement in the interest. However, due to the influx of a great many motion pictures of the larger and better type, and the public ever increasing demand for this kind of entertainment, it was decided to place this special company on a tour of the principal cities.

Director Brenon achieved a life long ambition in being given carte blanche permission to go ahead and cast "Beau Geste" as suited his needs and fancy. To say that he did it well is to put it mildly as only the playgoer can better judge after seeing the picture. Ronald Colman was borrowed, thru the courtesy of Samuel Goldwyn and appears as Michael "Beau" Geste, while Neil Hamilton and Ralph Forbes are cast as the other two brothers Digby and John. Alice Joyce as Lady Brandon and Mary Brian as Isobel plays the important female leads. While others in importance in the supporting company are as follows: Noah Berry as "Sergeant LeJaune," Norman Trevor well known stage actor as "Major de Beaujolais," William Powell as "Baldini" and Victor McLaglen and Donald Stuart as "Hank and Buddy" two Americans who join the French Foreign Legion together with the Geste brothers.

### "THE EDITOR"

By FOSTER TEA FRYE

In Print-ing a Paper to-Day, An Editor has Naught to Do; Except, to get ready to Say, What goes in a Column or TWO.

Of Course, he is Ask to re-port, On Weddings, Divorces, an' Crime And Write about Taxes and Sport, Together with News of the Time.

He like-wise is ask to at-tend, A Meeting, or Party or Ball; But never at-tempt to Of-fend, In Writing of Scandal at All.

At times he must visit the Poor, And al-so Solicit some Ads; While often he goes on a Tour, To write for the Mothers an' Dads.

And dur-ing his Leisure that Day, Perhaps if the Fire doesn't Blaze; He'll Take all the ASHES a-Way, And never re-ceive any Raise.

If some of the Printers are Sick, Why do they he must not only Write, But help all the Type then to Pick, And Sweep up the Office at Nite.

But now let us Stop to re-Cord, The Tributes, which to him are Paid; It's (HE), who re-ceive the "RE-WARD," When-ever MISTAKES may be Made.

### CATTLE OWNERS URGED TO BUY HEALTHY ANIMALS

Cattle owners in Pennsylvania are urged by the Bureau of Animal Industry, State Department of Agriculture, to buy healthy cattle when adding to their herds or replacing animals condemned because of tuberculosis.

The Bureau recommends that cattle owners endeavor to breed and raise more good cattle and where it is necessary to buy animals it is urged that purchases be made from accredited herds or herds that have passed at least one tuberculin test.

Failure on the part of owners to give consideration to the health of the animals they buy may result in introducing tuberculosis infection into clean herds.

It is entirely possible for owner to purchase safe cattle, the Bureau points out, for the reason that throughout the United States there are more than fifteen million cattle under official supervision for tuberculosis which is more than 23 per cent of the total cattle population.

In Pennsylvania there are more than 40 per cent of the dairy and breeding cattle that have been tested at least once.

**Classes For All Poultry Keepers** The State Egg show to be held at the time of the State Farm Products show at Harrisburg provides classes for boys and girls between the ages of 16 and 20 years; for backyard poultrymen living in villages, towns and cities; for farmers who keep less than 500 birds, and for farmers hatcheries, and commercial poultrymen with 500 or more birds. Premium lists and entry blanks are obtainable from the local county agent, located at the county seat; the poultry Extension Department, State College, Pa., or the Department of Agriculture, Harrisburg, Pa.

### Water the House Plants

Apply water to the house plants when the soil about them requires it. you buy is adaptable to your condition the amount of water used and the frequency of application depend largely upon the temperature. High temperatures bring loss of water by evaporation. Pot-bound plants require more water than newly potted ones. Plants with fibrous roots usually need more than those with fleshy roots.



## BEGIN YOUR NEXT MERRY XMAS, NOW

If you had started saving a few cents a week a year ago today, how much easier it would have been to buy gifts this year.

And how much merrier would the Christmas be with more and better gifts to hand to father or mother, sister or sweetheart, wife or daughter, or to the little kiddies that want them most?

### Join Our Xmas. Savings Club--Now Open

And be ready with a nice snug bank account when Christmas comes again. The plan is simple, easy and satisfactory in every detail. Here it is:

- In Class 1, you pay 1 cent the first week, 2 cents the second week, 3 cents the third week and so on for 50 weeks. Total \$12.75.
- In Class 2, you pay 2 cents the first week, 4 cents the second week, 6 cents the third week, and so on for 50 weeks. Total \$25.50.
- In Class 5, you pay 5 cents the first week, 10 cents the second week, 15 cents the third week and so on for 50 weeks. Total \$63.75.

### You May Reverse The Payments If You Wish To Do So

For instance, in Class 2, the payments start with 2 cents and end with \$1.00. If you wish you may pay \$1.00 the first week and 2 cents less each week until the last payment is 2 cents, and so on with all the classes.

We also have five classes in which the payments are always the same, as follows:

- Class 10-5-10 Cents Each Week, Total \$ 5.00
- Class 25-25 Cents Each Week, Total \$12.50
- Class 50-50 Cents Each Week, Total \$25.00
- Class 100-\$1.00 Each Week, Total \$ 50.00
- Class 200-\$2.00 Each Week, Total \$100.00
- Class 500-\$5.00 Each Week, Total \$250.00

You may join as many classes as you wish.

### Interest Is Allowed On All Classes At The Rate of 4 Per Cent

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