

Henry A. Weymann & Son

Philadelphia

- 1852 Henry Arnold Weymann emigrates to Philadelphia
- 1864 Henry A. Weymann (1829-1892) took over the business of C.F. Zimmerman & Son at #156 N. 2nd St., Philadelphia
- 1866 Henry A. Weymann, cutlery, #156 N. 2nd
- 1867 retail hardware, same address (directory)
- 1870 Henry A. Weymann, cutlery (census)
- 1880 musical instrument dealer, #156 N. 2nd (census)
- 1885 H. A. Weymann & Son, #156 N. 2nd, with son Henry (Harry) W. Weymann (1866-1939) (NLI)
- 1892 Henry A. dies on March 21st, jeweler; start of the "Keystone State" line of stringed instruments; showroom at #1314 Chestnut St., wholesale at #43-45 N. 9th, factory at #156 N. 2nd, makers of banjos, guitars, & mandolins (dir)
- 1899 recently moved wholesale & retail to #1022 Market St.
- 1900 H.A. Weymann & Son, #156 N 2nd & #1022 Market St (dir); Albert C., Harry W., Rebecca (Harry's wife) & William A. Weymann (1874-1918) owners
- 1903 moving to #935 Market St. on May 1st (advert.)
- 1905 #923 Market St., importer & manuf. of musical inst. (dir)
- 1910 son Henry (Harry) Power Weymann (1889-?) is a clerk; factory at #100 Sansom St., store at #1010 Chestnut St.
- 1920 Henry W. Weymann, musical instrument importer, son Herbert W. Weymann (1891-1969) is salesman (census)
- 1921 H.A. Weymann & Son, Inc., #1108 Chestnut St. (dir)
- 1922 dealers for Buescher band instruments (advert.)
- 1928 registers "Varsity" name used since 1923 (trademark)
- 1930 factory at #817-823 W. Cumberland St. (photo 3)
- 1939 Harry W. Weymann, president, dies September 4th
- 1942 Weymann Co., #1613 Chestnut St., Herbert is treasurer, brother Albert C. Weymann (1874-?) is pres.
- 1969 the Weymann Music Co. has recently closed following the death of Herbert W. Weymann (78); they were operating as a wholesale music dealer in recent years; established in 1864 (*Billboard*, Sept. 6)

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