THE CITIZEN.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 17, 1890.

BUTLER has a population of about 10,000.

It is the County seat of Butler County, with 60,000.

Four railways, natdral gas, and unequalled facilities for manufactures.

Progress everywhere; new buildings, new manufactures, a growing and prosperous town.

TRAINS AND MAILS.

WEST PENN R. R.—Trains leave Butler for Freeport, Blairsville, Pittsburg at 6:30 and 8:35 a. m. and 2:35 and 5:00 p. m. Mails close for these points at 8:05 a. m. and 2:05 p. m; and arrive at 10:50 a. m. and 5:20 p. m.

P. S. & L. E. R. R.—Trains leaves for Greenville at 5:40 and 10:20 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. Mails close at 9:40 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Closed pouches for Boyers, Bovard and Hilliard at 4:50 p. m. Mails arrive at 2:25 and 6:40 p. m.

P. & W. R. R.—Trains leave Butler for Allegheny at 4:20, 8:15 and 10:20 a. m. and 1:50 and 3:50 p. m. For the north at 10:30 a. m. and 7:55 p. m. Mails close for the West and South at 7:50 a. m. For Pittsburg and the North at 9:40 a. m. For local points west of Callery at 1:30 p. m. For local points South and Pittsburg at 3:10 p. m. and for Pittsburg, Oil City, Barnhart's Mills, Clarion and Foxburg at 7:25 p. m. Mails arrive from Pittsburg and local points west of Callery at 8:00 a. m.; from Pittsburg, Oil City, Barnhart's Mills, Clarion, Foxburg and local points between Allegheny and Butler at 10:30 a. m.; from Pittsburg and the East at 12:20 p. m.; from Pittsburg and the North at 4:00 p. m. Mails for local points between Allegheny and Callery close at 5:30 and 7:30 p. m.

STAR ROUTES—Daily mail for Mt. Chestnut arrives at 11 a.m. and leaves Butler P. O. at 12 m. Daily mail to North Hope, Hooker and other points arrives at 11 a. m. and departs at 2:30 p. m.

Money orders can be secured at the postoffices at Butler, Prospect, Sunbury (Coulterville P. O.), Millerstown (Barnhart Mills), Centreville (Slipperyrock), Petrolia, Karns City and Renfrew. The fee is five cents for all sums under $5, 8 cents for $10, or less, etc. Postal notes which are no safer than enclosing money, as they are made payable to anybody, cost 2 cents for $5, or less.

SOCIETIES.

LOCAL ASSEMBLY 8598, Knights of Labor, meets every Friday night in the Carpenters and Joiners Hall, third floor, Huseiton building, WM. M. GLENN, Rec. Sec.

New Advertisements.

Salesmen Wanted—Ellwanger & Barry.
Public Sale of Thoroughbred Horses.
Blackmore & Grieb's Shoes.
Strassburger & Joseph's Overcoats.
Executors' Notice on Estate of A. Pennell, dec'd.
Notice of Application for Charter.
Auditor's Notice—Estate of Jacob Schelly.
John Bickel's Shoes.
Resolutions of Respect.
Livery Stable for Sale.

NOTE—All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads. should notify us of their intending to do so, not later than Monday morning.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

You murmer: "How came it?"
In sad cadenza.
Why, the door was left open,
And influenza!

—The Presbyterian Sunday School of Butler now meets at 9:45 a.m.

—Nothing so exasperates a patient with an ordinary cold, as to be told that he hasn't the grip."

—Who is the being, does anyone know, who wrote a poem called "Beautiful Snow?"

—The grippe is reported bad in Connecticut. A "reliable paper" says, "one man broke three ribs with one sneeze."

—The school-teachers of Cranberry twp. will hold an Institute at No. 6 schoolhouse on Saturday, the 25th inst.

—D. L. Cleeland will talk to the Y. M. C. A. class to-night regarding the care of the eyes.

—Butler Presbytery, U. P. meets in Freeport, next Monday, at 7 p.m., and a conference will be held next day.

—Ellwanger & Barry, of Rochester, N. Y., want salesmen. See notice in another column.

—Read all of Blackmore & Grieb's new ad. Don't stop with the "We's" and "Buts," there's meat between them.

—The "Grippe" or influenza affects different people in different parts. It is liable to inflame any part of the alimentary canal.

—Alf. Wick has been so lucky in the oil producing business lately, that he proposes selling his livery business. See notice in another column.

—The P. & W. R. R. will increase its yard-room next Spring and has purchased some of the frame buildings on Centre Ave.

—A man named Keenan of Philadelphia secured the contract for building the railroad up the Buffalo to Winfield Furnace.

—Strassburger & Joseph of Allegheny are now giving a twenty-per-cent cash discount on all overcoats. See their new ad.

—Applicants for liquor licenses at Pittsburg are applying for both wholesale and retail licenses, with the hope that they will get one or the other.

—Jan. 15, 1890. Caterpillars crawling about, pansies in bloom, buds bursting, tulips up, and one little boy catches a spanking for running out bare foot.

—Henry Wagner is tearing down the old tannery at north end of Washington St.—the last tannery in Butler—and intends building a residence on that lot, next summer.

—It would be well for those just recovering from "la grippe" to stay in doors until they are entirely out of danger. Two-thirds of the cases which have proved fatal resulted from a relapse.

—John Bickel announces a Grand Sample and Mid-winter Sale of his entire stock of warm and heavy goods, and quotes prices that should be read by everybody. John is a hustler.

—It is customary to write that "winter lingers in the lap of spring," for a May item. We can change the expression by saying: November has been having a steady sit in the laps of December and January.

—The Indiana, Pa., *Messenger*, slanders our town as follows: "Butler is said to be the muddiest town in the State. It is said to be a fact that a few days ago a team of horses fell in the main street and were drowned in the mud before they could be rescued.

—Boys who spend their evenings at home with plenty of newspapers and wholesome books are the ones most likely to be wanted in the future by the business men in shops of all trades. No danger of having too much knowledge, if a good use is made of it.

—Some time ago, a Philadelphia paper sent out circulars asking the recipients to name the most popular military man in the State, and now comes a Pittsburg paper asking the children to name the most popular school-teacher in Western Pennsylvania, at one cent a vote, the teacher getting the most votes to have his or her choice of a trip ticket to Europe, a set of books or a gold watch. It's a great and glorious scheme for notoriety and the children should do everything in their power, short of blighting their young lives, to win the prize for their favorite teacher.

The . is now at ☞
When ¶ ¶ like these
In every § of the land
— — d between the c c,
Come from the —ing scribe whose name
No ‖ has found,
But he's an * his fame
On 0 more renowned.

Now the lambkin woos the katydid,
And the young calf learns to blat;
And the dudelet sheds his checkered pants
And gets a new spring hat;
And the poet thaws his frozen muse
And writes of rhyme and reason;
And—hush! you crazy idiot,
You're six months out of season.

—Don't become disheartened. We'll get some old-fashioned weather yet.

—Twenty-four heavy draught horses that were shipped from Berks county, Pennsylvania, to Neware, New Jersey, last week, died of suffocation on the railroad. The animals were shipped in close box cars, with no other ventilation than a single inch of opening at a door gave. The criminal stupidity of the case calls for comment and punishment.

—While some boys were "skylarking" in the Plate Glass Works, last Saturday morning, one of them, a son of Michael Gallagher, was pushed against a revolving fly-wheel. The side of his head came in contact with the wheel and in an instant almost the entire scalp was torn off. He was made unconscious and at first was thought to be dead, but came to and is recovering.

—Tobacco dealers in the large cities declare the law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to minors has no apparent influence on the amount of cigarettes sold. The sales are greatly on the increase and the inference is that in some way all who want cigarettes, whether they are minors or not, get them. There seems to be no dispute about the evil results of cigarette smoking by immature boys.

—It is stated that a Columbus (Ohio) girl, suffering from "La Grippe," sneezed 5,000 times an hour. Come off, come off. It can't be done. It is a physical impossibility. If she sneezed once every second she would only sneeze 3,600 times, and even that number would kill an ordinary man. We don't know about it affecting an Ohio girl, though. An Ohio girl is pretty tough.

—A Millerstown man lately signed the following and authorized its publication: "This is to certify that I made false and slanderous statements about Miss Alice Swarthout at a public dance some time ago at Millerstown, Butler county, Pa.; that I had no reason for making the statements, or any of them, and that said statements were false. I, therefore, take this opportunity of correcting each of said statements as I feel that I am bound to do in truth and in justice."

—The brewers of Pennsylvania are up in arms against the tax law which was passed by the Legislature in 1885 and which was so modified at the last session of the Legislature as to exempt all manufacturing corporations except brewing companies. When the act was first passed in 1885 it imposed a tax of three mills on every manufacturing corporation in Pennsylvania. In 1889, through the pressure brought to bear by manufacturing corporations, the law was amended as described above.

—"I wish," said an old citizen, "that everybody knew what a grand thing varnish is for a burn. It would save a mighty sight of needless suffering. If any one who is burned will immediately apply a coating of common varnish to the injured parts, in will not only allay the pain almost instantly, but will cause it to heal up without a scar." The important thing in treating a burn is to keep it from the air, and the varnish furnishes a new and impervious coating for the skin which has been injured.

New Corporation Officers.

On Tuesday of this week, the stockholders of the Butler Savings Bank elected Joseph L. Purvis, A. Troutman, W. D. Brandon, W. A. Stein and J. S. Campbell to be directors for the ensuing year.

The Butler Co. Mutual Fire Insurance Co. elected G. C. Roessing, J. L. Purvis, A. Troutman, Alt. Wick, H. C. Heineman, John Burkhart, James Stephenson, H. Oliver, N. Weitzel, Dr. Irwin, Dr. Rickenbach and D. T. Norris to be directors.

At the meeting of the Worth Mutual at West Liberty, Tuesday, the only change made in the board was that of W. S. Moore, who takes the place of Mr. Bander as director, Mr. B. having moved out of the county.

A Serious Accident.

On Saturday, the 4th inst., Mr. Robert Ray, of Centre Twp., had one of his legs broken at the ankle by being thrown from a threshing machine on which he was riding. He was on his way home that evening, after doing a threshing at John McDeavitt's, and in making a sharp turn in the road the wagon was upset and he was thrown off. He lit on one foot, and the bones broke just above the ankle and pierced his stocking and rubber boot. The fracture was set by a physician, but the wound did not heal. It began to mortify, and on Tuesday of this week the leg was amputated at the knee.

Fatal Accident in Parker Twp.

Mr. George W. Black, of Parker Twp., met his death in an unusual manner last Monday. That morning he walked over to some oil wells near his place, and while returning—walking along the road with his head down—a large tree suddenly fell upon him, crushing his head and shoulders. He was about 45 years of age, was married to a daughter of Wm. Thompson, dec'd and leaves his wife and eight children. He was a brother-in-law of Col. Redic, his wife and the Col.'s first wife having been sisters.

Narrow Escape from Fire.

On last Tuesday night between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock the dwelling of Dawson Wadsworth, Esq. of Slipperyrock twp. caught fire from sparks from the chimney of the living room.

No one being present but the aged couple and the youngest daughter Etta, she ran to her nearest neighbor, her brother, Mr. Wm. Wadsworth who, being quite an expert on such an occasion came to her assistance and their united efforts extinguished the flames, after one hour and a quarter hard work.

Property Notes.

On Tuesday of this week D. L. Cleeland sold his lot on S. Main St. on which is the frame building he is occupying, to Mr. Kummer for $4000, and then he purchased the George Vogeley brick building on Main St. from the Savings Bank for $10-000.

L. S. McJunkin has purchased the Chas. See house on E. Pearl St.

Dan Waller intends building a fine house on his lot at north end of Main St. next summer.

Personal.

Rev. V. B. Christy of Zelienople has resigned his charge there and will go to Elderton, O.

W. S. Daubenspeck has resigned his position as policeman of Butler, and the town is now without a guardian.

Hon. O. L. Jackson of New Castle is seriously ill.

Dr. Linn is very ill.

Mrs. Hardman and Bert Phillips give a masquerade ball at the Hardman house tonight.

Little Charley Lee was siezed with spasms on Tuesday night of last week and continuing ill, died Saturday night.

—Zuver's Pictures leave nothing wanting in finish, tone or a correct likeness.

Oil Field Notes.

"There's this much to encourage those
Who are forever trying:
They go on the hypothesis:
"We'll hit sometimes just as we miss:
For woe must alternate with bliss,
And jubilee with sighing."

Operators whose stocks of experience at present exceed those of their oil should find considerable consolation in the above lines.

The pipe line report for last month shows but eleven million barrels of Penn'a. oil above ground, the excess of present consumption over present production is put at 640,000 per month, and if the conditions do not change the stocks above ground will be exhausted in less than seventeen months.

The incessant rains and terrible condition of the roads have made the delivery of materials almost impossible of late, and there is but little new in the oil field.

In the Glade Run districts Phillip's well on the W. C. Douthett reached the sand Wednesday and began flowing at the rate of 600 bbls a day, and was doing one-half that next day.

In the Hundred-foot field the wells on the Hays farms north and east of the Cable, had good sands and will be shot, but whether or no they will make paying producers, remains to be seen. Hoffman & Co. on the Schilling is put at 35 bbls; Campbell & Co. on the Marshall at 40 bbls; and the Robt Hays at 6 to 10. McClung & Co. on the Nesbit is in the sand.

The Taylor well on the Cable farm was shot Tuesday and began flowing at the rate of 300 bbls a day.

The Christie, Wick and Sutton wells Nos. 3 and 4, on the Shannon were tubed, and began pumping, Wednesday, No. 3 started off at 90 barrels and 4 at 60.

Campbell & Co's. No. 1 on the Marshall is put at 40 bbls, and the well on the F. Egin farm at 20 bbls. The McJunkin & Co. well on the Heid is said to be a duster.

At Mars station the well on the John Belford is doing sixty bbls strong and getting better, and the well on the Sam Belford is doing 30 bbls. The first well on the Wm. Davis is doing 40 bbls, and the second about 20 bbls. The old well on the John Belford is doing about 60 bbls a day, and is a better well than it was four years ago. New wells are starting on the Davis and Sam'l Belford.

At Myoma the South Penn's No. 1, on the Cashdollar is rated at 100 bbls. Hartman's well on the John Staple's farm is rated at 100 bbls a day.

The well on the Wilson farm below Zelienople was shot last week and showed some oil, and the West farm well was spoiled by being drilled deeper.

At Great Belt, Smith & Co's. on the Seibert is reported a duster; Phillips 3 on the Negley good for 25 bbls, and No. 2 in the sand.

In the Bakerstown field No. 1 on the Patton was reported at 6 bbls an hour

In the Gold field the well on the Jack farm was full of oil.

The well on the McCall farm in Clinton twp is said to be a duster.

Ward & Co. on the Fletcher farm, Brain district is good for 20 bbls.

In the Fairview field Carlin & Golden are drilling on the Swartzlander, and Shorts & Co. on the W. H. Ellenberger.

The Fisher Oil Co. has an important well in the sand on the O'Neil farm in Clearfield twp.

The different oil fields of Pennsylvania have their own peculiarities. Sugar Creek township, Venango county, comes to the front with a claim of having the most varied assortment of the greasy stuff. It is not generally known or credited, but it is a fact that six different grades of oil are found within the borders of that township. There is quite a production of what is known as Franklin heavy oil, which sells at $3.65 per barrel. There is a slightly inferior grade, known as "front" oil, which commands $2.85 per barrel; also still a more inferior quality which sells for only $1.25 per barrel. These three grades of heavy oil are all produced from the first sand. Then in different parts of the township there is a number of second and third sand wells, and a few which pump oil from the gray sand.

Public Sales.

Mr. John Lawall of Winfield twp., who for years has made a business of importing and breeding thoroughbred Clydesdales will have a public sale of stallions, mares and colts, at the stable of John Lawall & Bro. in Butler on Thursday, Feb. 20th at 1 o'clock p. m. For records and pedigrees of part of the stock to be sold, see advertisement in another column.

Mr. Oliver C. Crowe, of Adams twp. will have a sale of personal property next Thursday morning. He is in poor health and intends going to Colorado, for which State his wife and children have already started. For particulars of sale, see bills posted.

The Markets.

BUTLER MARKETS.

Our grocers are paying 25 for butter, 23 for eggs, 50 for potatoes, 30 for turnips, 50 for onions, 60 for parsnips, 40 for beets, 30 to 40 for apples, 1 75 for hand-picked beans, 12½ for dressed poultry.

PITTSBURG PRODUCE.

Hay $10 to $13, mill feed, white $16, brown $13, bran $12, rye flour 3 50, wheat flour 3 75 to 5 50, buckwheat flour 2 to 2½, rye 54 to 56, oats 25 to 28, old ear corn 43 to 45, old shelled 35 to 36, new ear 35 to 39, shelled 33 to 34, wheat 82 to 86, cloverseed 3 25 to 3 40, timothy seed 1 45 to 1 50.

Apples 1 25 to 2 75 per bbl, potatoes on track 35 to 50, jobbing 40 to 60, dressed chicken 12 to 14, dressed turkey 15 to 16, dressed duck 14 to 15, butter 15 to 20, as to quality, beans 1 90 to 2 00, eggs, fresh 16 to 17, ice house eggs 10 to 12, cabbage 7 to 8, yellow onions $1 to 1 25 a bu., red top turnips 1 25 to 1 50 a bbl, dressed hogs 4½ to 5, hominy 2 80 for 200 lbs, white clover honey 16 to 19, buckwheat honey 14 to 15.

LIVE STOCK.

At Herr's Island, Monday, beeves sold at 3½ to 5¼ as to quality, bulls and dry cows 2 to 3½, veal calves 6 to 7, fresh cows $25 to $50.

Sheep sold at 3½ to 5 60 as to quality, lambs at 5 to 7, and supply scarce.

Sales of hogs were made in a retail way at 3½ to 4.

THE OIL MARKET.

Closed Monday 1 04⅞, Tuesday 1 04⅞. Wednesday 1 04⅞.

—WANTED—Intelligent men, unemployed or having spare time. $3 to $12 per day selling a work which is a necessity to intelligent people everywhere. Inclose stamp and references. General Agent, Box 481, Meadville, Pa.

—Prof. Loisette's Memory System is creating greater interest than ever in all parts of the country, and persons wishing to improve their memory should send for his prospectus free as advertised in another column.

10, 10, 10, 10,

Children's woolen school mittens at 10 cents at
RITTER & RALSTON'S.

Wraps

Manufactured to order and received by express every day at
RITTER & RALSTON'S.

—Don't buy a wrap until you have examined our immense stock and learned our astonishingly low prices. We are overstocked on certain styles and are selling them below cost.
L. STEIN & SON.

—Try to induce your neighbor to take THE CITIZEN.

LEGAL NEWS.

The only case tried last week and not finished at the time of our going to press was that of Milton Tebay vs. Margaret Mershimer, for slander. Milton thought that Margaret had said that he stole some money, but the jury thought otherwise, and Milton will have a small bill of costs to settle.

All the other cases on the list were settled or continued.

The argument list was then taken up and continued till Saturday noon, when the Court adjourned till next Saturday at 1 P. M.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Just before Court adjourned for dinner Friday noon, Judge Hazen astonished and agreeably surprised everybody by announcing that the Court had agreed upon John Humphrey, Esq., of Worth Twp., as the successor of Comm'r Kelly, resigned.

Mr. Humphrey was not an applicant for the office, and was in Butler during part of the week in the interest of Col. Kerr, of Harrisville.

Mr. Humphrey came to town Wednesday, and took the oath of office, that afternoon.

NOTES.

Jennie Patterson by her next friend H. B. Fair has applied for a divorce from Alfred Patterson.

The bond of the newly appointed County Commissioner was put at $2000, to be taken in the name of the Commonwealth for use of Butler county.

The will of Abraham Fennell of Clearfield twp. was probated and letters to Jacob and James Fennell.

Letters of administration were granted to Mary C. Marshall on estate of Chas B.J. Marshall of Evans City; also to R. L. Kirkpatrick on estate of Laura K. Kirkpatrick of Penn twp.; also to W. J. Jones on estate of Mary A. Jones of Franklin twp.; also to James M. Little on the estate of Eleanor Martin of Forward twp.

W. H. Wise petioned for a commission in lunacy as to Daniel Wise, and Winfield Dixon was appointed.

Leander Weed was committed to jail by Esq. Leslie Hazlett on a charge of jumping a board bill, and Volney Wilson by Esq. C. M. Brown for begging from door to door.

LATE PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

John Ferguson to Chas A Truver 20 acres in Middlesex for $1000.

C Otto to Hy Bickel lot in Butler for $1300.

Sarah Mackey to Sarah Kamerer lot in Butler for $700.

H Green to H P Carners lot in Butler tp for $300.

R G Ferguson to L D Perrine lot in Butler for $2600.

S D Purvis to Matilda Crow lot in Butler for $275.

Wmn Bartley to W E Bartley 125 acres in Penn for $5500.

R S Scott to Lizzie Taggart 25 acres in Brady for $500.

W H Davis to Emma Weisenstein lot in Butler for $650.

S W McCollough to John W Titley lot in Millerstown for $2520.

J C. Graham to A Bortmas lot in Butler for $275.

G D Kamerer to John Feigel lots in Butler for $2250.

F Stobecker to W H Stokey lot in Zelienople for $700.

L R Meehling to D L Aiken lot in Butler for $155.

Same to same lot in Butler for $1100.

W B Hines Ex'r to Mary McQuistion lot in Brady for $820.

J M Roberts to G M Campbell lot in Centreville for $180.

Marriage Licenses.

William W. Slater	Summit tp
Mary Donnely	Oakland tp
Elmer E. Osenbaugh	Renfrew
Nellie Maxwell	Saxonburg
Levi S. Cooper	Jefferson twp
Clara Emrick	Buffalo twp

Cloaks

Plush Coats and Jackets, Fine cloth Jackets and Newmarkets, Stockinette Jackets, Misses' and Childrens' Wraps, Latest styles and best made goods. We guarantee to save you money on these goods
L. STEIN & SON.

Buffalo

Flannels, Blankets and Yarns are the best goods in the market for service and durability. We have them.
L. STEIN & SON.

—J. J. Reiber, the drover, wants all farmers and stockraisers to know that he still deals in stock of all kinds. Any persons having any to sell should address him LOCK BOX 926, Butler, Pa., or leave with Jacob Reiber, Jefferson St.

—Our sales of Broadcloths, Flannel Suitings and Dress Goods have been larger this season than ever. Large stocks and low prices do the business.
L. STEIN & SON.

50, 50, 50, 50,

120 muffs at 50 cents; the best you ever saw at the price; also a full line of all styles of furs and fur trimmings at
RITTER & RALSTON'S

Any Person

Who has seen our immense stock, knows that we carry the largest, finest and lowest priced stock in the county. Anyone who has not, can be convinced at once by calling at
RITTER & RALSTON'S

—Use Double All O. K. Horse and Cattle Powders, best in the world. A sure and speedy cure for heaves, coughs, colds, inflamed lungs, roughness of skin, and all kidney diseases.
For sale by J. C. REDICK,
2-18-3m No. 5, N. Main St.
Butler, Pa.

—Take your children to Zuver's Gallery for Pictures that will suit you. Anderson building.

—Use Double All O. K. Horse Liniment, best in the world. For swellings, bruises, stiffness of joints, rheumatism, lameness, sore shoulders, ring-bone, sweeny and spavin; it has no equal. For sale by J. C. REDICK,
2-18-3m. No. 5, N. Main St.
Butler, Pa.

—Take watches and clocks that need repairing to F. Weigand in Williams' Jewelry and Music store, and have them repaired in good style by a skilled workman.

—Consult your own interests and examine our stock of furniture, upholstered suits, chairs, mattresses, etc., before purchasing. MILLER BRO'S., No. 19, Jefferson St.

—Large stock of Umbrellas in Mohair, Gloria and Silk with gold, silver and natural handles for holiday trade at
L. STEIN & SON'S.

—New Black and Colored Silks, Satin Rhadames, Satin DeLuxons, Surahs, Moires, Gros Grains and Failles, best makes and warranted to wear, prices lower than elsewhere at
L. STEIN & SON'S.

—Diaries for 1890 at
J. H. DOUGLASS'.

JOHN T. KELLY,

Next door to the Postoffice, has a splendid line of Clothing, Overcoats, Pants, Hats and Gents Furnishing Goods in stock, which he invites everybody to examine before purchasing. He feels certain that he can save his customers money on all Fall and Winter Goods.

—See the new Vandyke Point Lace in White, Black and Cream at
L. STEIN & SON'S.

What McGinty Escaped by Going "Down."

The late Mr. Daniel McGinty, whose unfortunate end we chronicled a few weeks ago, still lives in the hearts of his countrymen, and nowhere has the public mind so occupied itself with thoughts of him as in Butler. We quote a few incidents:

Little Lord Fauntleroy: — "Mamma, dearest, don't you wish it would rain tomorrow?"

Mamma:—"Why, dear?"

Little Lord Fauntleroy:—"To make the grass and flowers grow on McGinty's grave."

"Say, Bill, how's the new kid gitten along?"

"What you givin' us? What new kid?"

"McGinty's goat's."

It seems that McGinty has been rather playing it on one of our German liquor sellers. A few days ago Constable Korn rushed into the place of this man, whom we will call "Imbiber," and said:

"Mr. Imbiber, I warn you to sell McGinty no more liquor."

"For why I sell him no more? Who ees dis McGinty?"

"That's your business to watch that," said Korn, as he left.

The next day a crowd of the boys came around and started on Imbiber. "Old man," said one, "you had better go over and take care of that man who got drunk here." "He's tearing up awful," said another. "Breaking windows and insulting women," broke in a third.

"By tam, who ees it?"

(Chorus) "McGinty."

"Vere ees he?"

"Down by the Lowry House. Hurry, and you'll be all right."

Forth issues the unlucky Imbiber, and eagerly asks for traces of McGinty. The answer is always the same; "Just gone down." He searches up and down, but no McGinty can he find. A sudden fear strikes him. Have the police got McGinty, and are they even now getting out the papers for him? Korn warned him. "I will go pach," resolves Imbiber. But who is this, with blood in his eye? A business man, and a neighbor of Imbiber's.

"Say," he greets Imbiber with. "Say, do you know that cursed drukkard got whisky down at your place, and come up town crazy drunk and smashed two hundred dollars worth of plate glass at my store! I'm going to sue you for it!"

Poor Imbiber was shaking. "Ees dot ——," he began, "Ees dot ——who ees lot?"

"McGinty," said the merchant.

"McGinty," repeated Imbiber, "Ach, he kills me dead already. He gets me arrested and looses me mine life. "Who," piteously, "who ees dot McGinty?"

And Imbiber doesn't know yet who McGinty is.

They say he's reformed and spells it now
"McGynte,"
In order to rhyme with the year 1890.

Specialists of the medical fraternity are much interested in the report of the case of a man in Cincinnati who was crazed by the McGinty joke, "but," said one of them, "what must it have been for poor McGinty himself."

The handsomest bachelor in Butler is said to have a first lien on the widow.

—Excelsior Diaries for 1890 at
DOUGLASS'.

The Best Blankets in America.

Samuel Bradley & Sons, $4.50 per pair at
RITTER & RALSTON'S.

8, 8, 8, 8,

Not the kind of ginghams you buy elsewhere at 8 cents; but the very best makes at
RITTER & RALSTON'S

La Porte

Country flannels, are dandy goods, You will find a full line at
RITTER & RALSTON'S.

—Highest cash price paid for buckwheat at Geo. Walter's Mill, Butler, Pa.

—Diaries for 1890 at
J. H. DOUGLASS'.

—Williams has as choice a line of Jewelry and Silverware as can be found anywhere, and defies competition in price.

—Our stock of Hosiery, Gloves, Coracts, Ribbons, Laces, &c. is always kept up to its well known standard of excellence.
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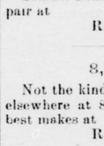

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Calvin Reybarn, the new judge of Armstrong county, was sworn in on Monday of last week, took his seat on the bench and read his appointments, as follows:

Court Crier, H. D. Sheriden, South Buffalo township; Tipstaff, McConnell Nulton, Valley township; Tipstaff for witnesses in Grand Jury Room, Wm. B. Kerr, Kittanning borough; Jury Constable, Cyrus Everhart, Kittanning township; Law Examining Board for the ensuing year, J. H. McCain, Ross Reynolds Jr., Austin Clark, R. A. McCollough and Alex. Reynolds. The office of Court Stenographer and County Detective were vacated and will not be appointed until necessity requires.

The result of the thorough inquest held in Tarentum as to the murder of Mrs. Mary Anne Rudert was that the jury found that she came to her death at the hands of Peter Griffin, "Eggy" Conroy and Alexander Killain. The last named is the only one in custody.

There was to have been a family gathering at the home of Pickney Lowe, who is boss of the Philadelphia and Reading round-house, in Allentown, on Thursday. His wife, who was 62 years of age, had about completed roasting a turkey and removed it from the oven. In order to see whether it was properly cooked she cut off a piece of meat and ate it. In swallowing it it became lodged in her throat, and when two of her daughters a few moments later were attracted to the kitchen by a peculiar noise they found their mother choking to death. They pounded her violently on the back and dislodged the meat, but then followed profuse hemorrhages and death resulted in half an hour.

Abner Mitchell, one of the leading farmers of Erie county, while walking on the railroad track with his head enveloped in a muffler, did not hear an approaching train, which struck and killed him.

At Pittston there is a man who says he was never ill a minute. He explains his good health by the fact that his mother sewed a rabbit's paw in his clothing when he was a baby, and he has never been without it on his person since.

A will was probated in the Orphans' Court of Mercer county a few days ago in which the testator, after making the ordinary bequests, entered into a lengthy theological discussion concerning certain biblical matters, professing his entire disbelief in the story of the whale and Jonah, of Joshua "commanding the sun to stand still until he butchered a few more of his fellow citizens," of the birth of Christ according to the new testament, and of many other matters in biblical history. The testator was evidently extremely radical in his theological views, and the will is certainly one of the greatest curiosities in that line on the Court records.

Mrs. B of Tarentum, recently visited her relatives in the East and left her little eight-year old daughter at home in charge of Mr. B and Mary, the servant. When the mother returned the father was out of town for the day, but the little daughter detailed all the events of importance that had transpired during her mother's absence, and among other things acquainted her mother with the fact that she knew something that she had promised papa not to tell. The mother did hor best to persuade the child to divulge the secret, but without avail. When the father returned and entered the room, and after he had fondly kissed and embraced his effectionate wife, the youngster exclaimed, "Papa, I have told mamma all the news, but I didn't tell her anything about you kissing Mary." The little rogue was just about as discreet as her papa was, when he told her to keep mum. No amount of explanation on the part of Mr. B could satisfy his wife, and Mary had to go.

George Belstein, died lately in Pittsburgh, leaving some property to his heirs. He deserted his wife years ago in Baltimore. Without having been divorced, he subsequently was married to two other women, and had destroyed all documentary evidence of his first and only legal marriage. The true widow came forword and claimed her right of dower. Belstein's sons and executors opposed her claim on the ground that she was never married to Belstein, and alleging improper conduct. The improper conduct only was proved, and Judge Hawking held that a man who deserts his wife places her in a defenseless position, and that misconduct on her part is a logical consequence of such desertion. The dower was awarded to the deserted and legitimate wife. In this case law and justice went hand in hand.

Some weeks since the coal miners of Walston and Adrian, near Punxsutawney went out on a strike. The company refused to accede to their demands and notified all miners occupying houses of the company to vacate them within ten days. This the miners refused to do and 150 Pinkerton police were brought to enforce the demand and considerable trouble was anticipated. The matter, however, was taken to court and both parties are standing off awaiting the decision of Judge Wilson. If he decides that the houses must be vacated the Sheriff will proceed with the aid of the police, to evict the miners and as most of them are ignorant and dangerous Huns, bloodshed may be expected. Of course if the miners do not want to work for the wages profered by by the mine-owners they don't need to; but they must vacate the property owned by the company.

The Farmer's Institute of Venango county that was to have been held in Franklin on Jan. 14th and 15th, and which was postponed on account of inability to secure the expected speakers at that date, will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 4th and 5th. The Institute will be held in the Court House.

Sam J. Taggart, of Newcastle, died a few days since of pneumonia. He was attacked with la grippe over a week before, which developed into the fatal disease later. He was prominent in business and political circles.

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