THE CITIZEN.

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County Committee Meeting.

The members of the Butler County Republican Committee are hereby requested to meet in Butler, in Huselton Hall, on Monday, March 6, at 11 o'clock A. M., for purpose of fixing the time for holding the Republican Primary Election this year, and such other business as may come before the Committee.

J. N. MOORE, J. M. LIGHNER,
S. T. OKESON, Chairman.
Secy's.

Gov. PATTISON has re-appointed Judge Heydrick, of Franklin to the Supreme Bench of the State to succeed Justice Paxson.

Doings of the Legislature.

After a ten days rest the Legislature started in lively Monday. Mr. Lytle, from the committee on rules, reported a resolution in the house providing for two sessions daily, the first from 10 in the morning to 1 o'clock afternoon, and the second from 3 to 5 o'clock, afternoon. The resolution was adopted without a dissenting voice.

A resolution to adjourn over, was knocked out with an overwhelming adverse vote

Another move was made that will lead to more trouble. A special order was made for the bill providing for female attendants to female insane patients while in transit to an asylum, and for a negative bill, that of Wertheimer, permitting distilleries to incorpate as other manufacturers do. Whil the rule for the sessions is directly in the line of dispatching business, the creating special orders for bills other than revenue and appropriations meaures will only confuse and delay. The putting of negatived bills on the calander is in the line of making the hard work of committees come to naught.

There is a tremendous batch of useless, not to say vicious, bills enumerated on the journals of both houses and if the committees may not finally dispose of these there is tot much use in having committees. If the calander is to be encumbered by every bill introduced and the time of the house taken up with resolutions to place negatived bill on the calanders a third session of the house should be ordered at once, as the members do not need any time to attend committee meetings.

A resolution was passed giving the judiciary general committee the use of the house Wednesday evening to hear arguments in favor of the Sunday newspaper bill. It was understood that T. J. Keenan and A. J. Barr of Pittsburg, Charles Emory Smith, Col. Alex McClure and Col. Wm. Singerly of Philadelphia, and Representatives of Typographical Unions Nos. 2 and and 26 were expected to appear. Another resolution gave the hall of the house to the same committee Tuesday evening. Narch 7, to hear United States Commissioner Roosefelt and others chosen by the civil service association of Pennsylvania in favor of the bill now pending for the improvement of the civil service within this state.

Roads are getting a good bit of attention in the outer circle, and a resolution urging congress to establish a road department and to make a special road exhibit at the World's fair got votes enough to indicate the presence of old MacAdams spirit in extent sufficient to pass road laws. The resolution passed by a decided majority. In this connection it may be stated the subcommittee of the agricultural delegation on roads held a session at the State college last Wednesday and made great progress toward an agreement upon a bill.

The bill will be a composite of the bills of Senator Brown of West Moreland and Capt Nesbit of Allegheny, with the incorporation, at Senator Brown's request, of Treasurer Morrison's suggestion that state aid be made contingent upon the miles of complete roadbed constructed. The maximum allowance was fixed at ten, and that bill was followed in the matter of dividing the roads into two classes, giving the preference of improvement to roads most used.

Both bills agree in the main regarding the duties of county and township supervisors and the collection of road taxes in cash, but some opposition was made to this feature and a proviso was inserted giving the preference of emylopment under the act of taxpayers. The Brown bill was followed in making the county superintendent elective instead of appointive, as in the Nesbit bill, it being unconstitutional to appoint county officials.

Mr Brown's bill was also followed in the matter of giving each township one supervisor instead of three. This bill will also be taken in the feature of macadamizing one side of a road only at a time instead of clear across. The main feature yet to be discussed is the matter of state appropriation, it being agreed the Brown bill poll tax may be adopted, together witn the feature making employers of aliens responsible for this tax.

On Monday, two tax bills were introduced in the house. The first of these was presented by Fritz of Columbia, with a title similar to that of a bill introduced some time ago by Mr. Niles, being "an act to authorize the assessment and collection of taxes for local purposes upon the real estate of railroads, canals, telegraph, telephone and pipe line companies." For the purpose of taxation, the right of way and easements, together with the appurtenances, buildings and improvements belonging to such companies are classed as real estate.

The bill also provides that the auditor-general shall make duplicates of the assessment of such corporations, and file one copy with the county commissioners of each of the several counties and one in his own office. The commissioners are required to make out from the list of properties and valuations returned by the auditor-general a list of taxes for each district, city, borough or township at the same rate as other real estate for local purposes, and transmit the same to city, county or borough treasurers, who are authorized to receive the taxes thus provided for as they do other taxes upon other real estate.

The other bill exempts all cattle from taxation for any purpose whatever. If it pass es it will prevent such cases of under valuation of fancy stock as Congressman Sibley of the Erie-Crawford district was charged with during the campaign last fall, as the fancy stock will be exempt.

$100 EACH, was asked for the use of windows along Penn'a. Ave., Washington, for Saturday.

WANAMAMAKER is reported to have lost $900,000 by the collapse of the Reading railroad combine.

Two Gruesome Ladies.

Two interesting items from the Sunny South were reported in yesterday's papers Mrs. Stewart, of Texas, offended because "Jeff Easten" intimated she was "not a perfect lady," whipped said Masten within an inch of his life, blood flowing when she had finished from sixty different places on Masten's back, he being kept in subor dination while the whipping was going on by a cocked pistol held to his head by the husband of the lady Masten had thought "not perfect." No doubt Masten was convinced by his severe discipline that he was entirely mistaken, and that Mrs. Stewart is model for her sex.

The other story comes from Tennessee, where a maiden by the name of Miss Cecil, who is a handsome young lady of good family, assisted at a lynching. This young lady had been feloniously assaulted by a negro, so it is alleged, and the negro was hanged. Miss Cecil expressed a desire to cut down the dead body with her own hands, and the mob accomodated her, threatening death to any one who anticipated her. At 10 o'clock of the day this dainty young woman cut the rope by which the dead negro was suspended to the tree, and his body fell to the ground. The faithful historian of this scene says "she smiled as she cut the rope, and her act was greeted with cheers by the vast crowd."

There are exceptional women in the North, who are coarse and cruel enough to do both these deeds. The peculiarity of the Southern situation is the tendency to treat such unwomanly acts as heroic and praiseworthy instead of scoring them as the unwomanly acts of unsexed viragoes. Perhaps, however, in a section where law is subordinated to passion and impulse, it is not quite safe to speak of such women with entire candor.—Philadelphia *Press*.

THE report of the grand jury of Huntington county instructed by the Court to inquire into the management of the Huntington Reformatory confirms what there was reason to suspect before, that the attacks on that institution were either the results of misinformation or the inspiration of enmity. The report of the grand jury shows that the management is doing its best under the circumstance, and with the facilities at hand.

Doings of Congress.

The passage of the pension appropriation bill in the Senate, the Indian appropriation bill and the car-coupler bill in the house, and the non-concurrence of the House in the Senate amendments to the sundry civil bill, and the submission of the bill to a conference committee, aggregated a big day's work for Congress last Monday.

In the Senate but a feeble objection was made to the enormous appropriation for pensions. The amount of this appropriation is $167,000,000. Senator Gorman admitted that it was not worth while to attempt any revision of the pension system at this late day, and especially after all the propositions for reform had been defeated in the Democratic House by an immense majority, the parties vieing with each other as to which one could go the farther in extravagent pensions.

It is quite apparent, from the tone of the Senate, that even if there had been ample time for revision the vote would have shown a disposition in that body similar to that which impelled the House to defeat all of the excellent, as well as the objectionable, amendments to the bill proposed by Mr. Mutchler.

In the House the great struggle was over the car-coupler bill. The sundry civil bill, with little objection or delay, was sent to a conference committee. The news received of the attitude of Messrs. Cleveland and Carlisle, in a formal letter from the latter, had the effect to deter the opponents of the Sherman 3 per cent bonds amendment from further delay in sending the bill to a conference, though the reason for the sudden change of attitude was not published on the floor of the House. It is understood that the conferees on the part of the House—Messrs. Holman, of Indiana, Sayers, of Texas, and Eggswell, of Mass., three members of the Committee on Appropriations— will refuse to concur in the Senate Amendment, and that the Senate, through its conferees, will recede from its position on the Sherman amendment.

Few are yet aware that the communication from Mr. Carlisle is the reason for the sudden subsidence of the tempest excited over the bill, and much wonder expressed to day that the great silver warrior from Missouri should have so strangely "let-up" on the Wall street sharks and their subservieable tools in the Senate and House, though anyone might have guessed that Mr. Bland would not have succumbed unless he felt that he had been given the assurance that the wicked amendment would be stricken from the bill.

As in the Senate, so in the House—the car coupler bill excited a tremendous antagonism, and bitter and insulting personalities we frequent in the many brief speeches which followed the success of the supporters of the bill in defeating the filibustering and taking up the bill under a suspension of the rules. The opposition to the bill was led in the House, as in the Senate, by Representatives of the South, whose railroads claim to be poor, and by those who are deeply interested as attorneys for, or stockholders in, railroads which would be heavily taxed if compelled to attach improved couplers and brakes to all their cars and engines. Such an attitude by such Congressmen is, of course, as clearly suggestive of a money consideration as though they were paid for their votes, but that indirect sort of bribery "goes" in all legislatures, and especially in the National Legislature.

In Tennessee there are railroads which would be affected to a considerable degree by this legislation, and Representatives Richardson and Washington, of that State, lashed themselves into a terrific fury in their fight against the bill. Richardson claimed, with a great flourish, that the Switchmen's Aid Society was opposed to the bill, and that Frank Sweeney, of Switchmen's Union notoriety, was also against it.

Done up for $3,000.

Some of the Pittsburg papers of Tuesday contained the following, wired from New Castle, and which somewhat mixes up localities: "Two nicely dressed sharpers found an easy victim to John Newburn, a farmer of Donegal township, just on the edge of Lawrence and Butler counties. Natural gas has been found in paying quantities in the neighborhood of Newburn's farm. Five weeks ago a well-dressed man called on Newburn at his home, and after some preliminary talk asked if he wanted to sell his farm. Newburn said he would sell for what he thought the place was worth. The sale was agreed on and the stranger paid Newburn $200 down as a guarantee. The deed was to be delivered in a month.

A few days later Newburn heard there was a man in the neighborhood pricing several farms. He called on Newburg, said he wanted that particular property, and was much disappointed when he learned that it was practically sold. "Why," said the stranger, "I'd have given you $10,000 more than you will get, you're right in a big gas belt." The upshot of a long conference was that the second visitor bound himself to pay $10,000 more than the first purchaser had offered, making a deposit of $200 to show that he, too, meant business

Three days later the first purchaser appeared with the money to pay for the farm. Of course Newburn made overtures to back out, but the buyer was inflexible, telling Newburn he had bought the farm to drill for for gas, and he knew he'd get it. Newburn then became desperate and finally persuaded the first buyer to take $3,000 and let him (Newburn) out of the deal. The stranger took the $3,000, which was raised for him in cash, and Newburn is still looking for the other fellow who was to pay the advance of $10,000.

Flick Items.

Mr. Sample Duncan, of Glade Mills, was the guest of Robert Anderson, and Mr. S. C. Trimble, that of Samuel Leslie Esq., of Bakerstown, on last Friday.

Mr. J. N. Fulton is as happy as a big sunflower. It is a girl.

Middlesex township went solid Republican for township officers.

Mr. W. P. Criner is able to be around again. He has been confined to the house for six weeks with kidney trouble.

Mr. Jas. Anderson is confined to the house with kidney trouble.

Mr. W. J. Gillespie took a flying trip to Whitestown, last Saturday, on business.

It is said that Miss Eliza Gillespie spoke the best delamation that was on the program at No. 4 school house, last Friday night.

Mr. Ed Knoch purchased a fine horse a few days ago from Wendel Hickey, of Clinton twp.

Mr. Elmer Thompson, of Tarentum, was the guest of J. N. Fulton, last Sabbath.

Martin Monks and Wm. Anderson have taken a contract for cutting a piece of timber, but owing to the inclemency of the weather they have made slow progress.

Mr. Hiram Gillespie is taking lessons on the violin. We hope that Hi. will have good success. XX.

Clinton Twp. Items.

Mrs. Stephen Brewer who has been sick for some time is convalescent.

Mrs. Rebecca Norris of Tarentum, is visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. J. C. Norris and family.

The independent candidates of our twp. were not in it this year.

Mr. James Staley of Middlesex twp., who bought the Daniel Larden farm some time ago moved to it recently.

Mr. Charles Walters, our enterprising machine agent is happy at the arrival of a little girl at his house.

Miss Annie McKibbin, who has been living in West Belview for some time, has returned home.

The scholars of Cherry Valley school No. 4, gave a grand musicale and literary entertainment on last Wednesday night, for which the teacher and scholars deserve praise.

A literary society has been organized at Anderson Banner school No. 3, which meets every Tuesday night.

Mr. Brown Cunningham, who got badly hurt some time ago by being thrown off a wagon-load of boards, was able to take in the parade at Pittsburgh, the 22d.

Mr. Arthur McKibbin, our accommodating blacksmith, has rented the shop at Clinton Church, formerly occupied by John Davis, and will move there in the near future. It is also reported that he intends moving into the state of matrimony We all wish you success and happiness, Arthur. U KNOW.

AUDITOR GENERAL GREGG's first report just issued, shows the receipts for the year ended November 30, 1892, to have been $2,256,301.85 less than the preceding year. The large difference is due to the fact that in the revenues for the year ended November 30 1891, was the payment to the state of $,1654,711.13 and $1,345,000 of taxes which had been in litigation. In the past year there were no revenues of an unusual character paid to the state.

A Tale of Woe.

In 1864 John Byers returned to his home in Clearfield county, having served for three years in the Union army. In the school district where his home was at that time the teacher was Sarah E. Stechell, a handsome and cultivated girl not yet in her twenties. She was sprightly and lively and much sought after by the gallants of the neighborhood, but it was not until John Byers, tanned by southern suns and scarred by rebel bullets, laid siege to her heart that she surrendered. In 1865 they were married, and lived for some time in Clearfield county, but upon the death of her father she fell heir to a cosy little farm in East Mahoning township, Indiana county, and thither they removed, with two little children. They prospered, as frugal farmers do, and happiness shone in the cottage for many days. One June morning the husband went merrily to work in the fields, giving to his wife as he turned away his usual cheerful greeting, and she set about her domestic duties happily. Her work for the morning included the family wash, and in this work she had occasion to go back and forth to the spring, some little distance from the house. Her youngest child, scarce a year old, sat on the floor wrapped about with rugs and quilts The little one at that time had to be supported in a sitting position, and the mother never dreamed it capable of moving from the nest she had built about it in the morning hours with many tender caresses and soft baby whisperings In her last journey to the spring the mother left sitting by the wash tub a pail filled with boiling water, and during her few moments absense the baby crept from its nest to the steaming bucket, grasped the side of it i its tiny hands, upset it and in an instant was scalded with the steaming contents The terrible cries of the child reached the ears of the mother and she ran with frantic steps to the room and in a moment realized the awful nature of the accident. Almost paralyzed for a moment and not knowing what to do, she clasped the babe in her arms and ran to the nearest neighboring house nearly a quarter of a mile distant There everything that was possible to be done for the relief of the little anguished one was attempted, but in a brief hour it died, suffering untold agony. The husband, summoned hastily from his labor, was confronted by his almost demented wife and saw his babe, that he had kissed a few hours before dead, and its face telling the tortures it endured before death's happy relief came.

This was the first sorrow that came into the little household.

Two years later a child 3 years of age fell into an open grate, its clothing took fire and it was burned to death.

The double affliction made an alteration in the father. He grew moody and morose, but at times fell back into his old cheerful self. Other children came, until the number of the family reached seven. But evil spirits brooded in the father's brain

thought at times his wife was to blame for the terrible misfortune that had occurred and sent to untimely graves two of his cherished brood. From reproving the suffering mother he gradually began to abuse her, and sometimes in a most inhuman manner. The poor woman, whose heart was broken by the loss of her two children, but whose love and devotion for her husband never faltered, suffered without a reproachful word his bitter denunciations for many years. But there came a time when the oldest boy had reached the age of 16, and, with a boy's love for his mother, resented the unkindness she suffered from his father, and took her part when the husband assailed her. One day, when the father had expressed his intention to assault his wife, and the son, two, if he interfered, the boy picked up a gun and shot him dead.

For this crime the boy was tried in the Indiana courts in 1886, and all the facts indicated above having been proved, the jury acquitted him. But life at the old home proved unbearable to him, and shortly after his release he removed to Colorado, where he now lives.

Last Friday, in the mid-day of life, less than 47 years of age, the mother died and the death scenes as reported by those about her dying couch were terrible. One convulsion succeeded another. She passed wildly to and fro on her bed, and at times it took the supreme efforts of the four or five attendants to restrain her. One neighbor says she developed symptons of hydrophobia—barking, snarling and growling in deep gutterals—and the closing moments of the unhappy woman's life were of an appalling and ghastly character.

But this is not the end of the chapter. The funeral took place on Saturday. Returning from the funeral the next oldest son, Perry, went into the stable to look after the horses, and while there he was kicked by a colt in the side, and at this writing is probably dying from the injuries received.

To-day the eldest daughter, Mabel, aged about 12, is lying sick in bed with an illness that may prove fatal.

Perro is still living and Mabel is in a fair way to recover.

PRESIDENT HARRISON has appointed Benton Hanchett of Michigan, to be Judge of the U. S. Sixth Judicial Circuit, made vacant by the promotion of Judge Jackson.

MRS. WILLIAM ROWAN, of Fort Dodge, Ia., has been adjudged insane and sent to the insane asylum. The immediate cause of her losing her mind was a graphic pen picture of ladies drawn in the pulpit by her pastor. The preacher's description of the torments of the damned made such a vivid impression upon Mrs. Rowan's mind that her reason was overthrown, and it is feared that she is hopelessly insane.

The Leechburg Affair

On Thursday, Dr. Wycoff was arrested in Allegheny, charged with complicity in the attempted bank robbery; and one of the men under arrest made a confession, in jail implicating the doctor and the other man under arrest.

On Friday Dr Wycoff was taken from Allegheny to Kittanning and lodged in jail. He was expected at Leechburg; and a large crowd had gathered around his house there, with the intention of lynching him. A rope with a slip-noose having been prepared for him.

THE old postoffice in Pittsburg was put up at auction again last Friday and knocked down to Park Bros., the steelmen, for $433,500.

Petrolia Items.

Mrs. Rogers of McKean Co., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. M. Rice.

M. Cusack was home on a visit to his family.

Esquire Fleming was at St. Joe, Monday on legal business.

Fire in Petrolia.

About midnight of Tuesday night, fire broke out in Christie's livery stable in Petrolia, and spread to Starr's grocery, Kilroy's billiard hall, Fortz's harness shop, a barber shop and a bakery, all of which were destroyed.

DEATHS.

KLEY—February 24, 1893, infant child of Robert Kley of the 1st Ward, Butler.

DODDS—At her home in Prospect, Feb. 19, 1893, Bessie, daughter of J. O. Dodds, aged about 10 years.

BUCHANAN—At her home in Centreville, Feb. 24, 1893, Mrs. Buchanan widow of Alexander Buchanan, aged about 81years. Her maiden name was Stephenson, and she was a sister of Judge Thomas Stephenson, dec'd.

MARKS—At his home in Brooklyn, Md., Feb. 23, 1893, William Marks, formerly of Freeport, aged 42 years.

SHAFFER—At his home in Butler, Feb. 28, 1893, George W. Shaffer, in his 62d year.

Mr Shaffer attended to his duties, on Tuesday of last week, as Judge of the election of the 1st ward, Butler, and was taken seriously ill next day. The immediate cause of his death was congestion of the brain, though he had not been in good health for some months. He leaves a wife and three children.

HAWK—At his home in Fairview, Feb. —, 1893, Jacob Hawk.

LIMBERG—At his home in Butler, Feb 27, 1893, Howard, son of Otto Limberg, aged 9 months.

MCCASKEY—At his home in Winfield twp., Feb. 25, 1893, Andrew P. McCaskey, aged about 30 years.

RIVERS—At her home in Winfield twp., Feb 27, 1893, Mrs. John Rivers.

RODGERS—At the home of her son in Etna, Feb. 27, 1893, Mrs. Rodgers, formerly of Centre twp. She was a sister of Nathan McCandless, dec'd, of Centre twp., and was buried in that township, Wednesday.

MCGARVEY—At his home in Concord twp., Feb. 28, 1893, Cal. McGarvey, aged about 35 years. He leaves a wife and three children. He was a son of John McGarvey.

MCNANY—In Clearfield twp., on Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1893, Frances H. McNany, aged 15 years 4 months and 19 days

SIMMS—At his residence in Venango twp., on Wednesday, February 15, 1893, John Simms, aged 80 years

MECHLING—At Dayton, Pa., February 8th, Mr William S Mechling, aged 55 years, 3 months and 5 days.

Deceased was a member of 103rd Regiment P. V., served 3 years and spent nearly a year in Andersonville as a prisoner of war He was a loyal soldier and citizen, kind hearted and affectionate to his family. His wife and four daughters and two sons feel there bereavement keenly also his other friends. He was born and raised near and in West Sunbury. He united with the Presbyterian Church at Butler while learning his trade in Butler, and died a beloved member of Presbyterian Church of Glade Run, Dayton, Pa. G. W. M.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Edward Twaddle, of Leechburg, a son-in law of H. C. Snyder Esq., of Kittanning, died a few days ago.

George Beilstein Sr., the well known butcher of Allegheny, died at his home Tuesday afternoon. He was known by many of the citizens of this county.

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REGISTER'S NOTICES.

The Register hereby gives notice that the following accounts of executors administrators and guardians have been filed in his office according to law, and will be presented to Court for confirmation and allowance on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1893, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day:

1. Final account of Caroline Blinn, administrator of John A. Blinn, dec'd, late of Evans City.
2. First and final account of John H. McElroy, ex'r of Emily A. Allen, dec'd, late of Karns City.
3. Final account of John Webar and Benj. F. Stucki, ex'rs of Jacob Stucki, dec'd, late of Penn twp.
4. Final account of Frederick Wagner, adm'r of George Wagner, dec'd, late of Jefferson twp.
5. Final account of A. L. Stull, guardian of Aggie M. Kistler, minor child of A. J. Kistler, dec'd, late of Karns City.
6. Final account of August Nagler, adm'r of Jacob Nagler, dec'd, late of Saxonburg.
7. Final account of John G. Duerr, adm'r of John Petsinger, dec'd, late of Buffalo twp
8. Final account of Lewis Young, adm'r of J. N. Snoke dec'd, late of Penn twp.
9. Final account of Mary Burkhart, ex'rx of John Burkhart, dec'd, late of Butler twp.
10. Final account of Robert Elliott, ex'r Eliz. Elliott, dec'd, late of Buffalo twp.
11. First and final and distribution account of Christian Meisel, one of the executors of G. Franz, Meisel, dec'd, late of Summit twp.
12. Final account of Rebecca Walters, ex'rx of Mary Wright, dec'd, late of Jefferson twp.
13. First and final account of John Emrick, ex'r of Catharine Emerick, dec'd, late of Summit twp.
14. Final account of James Baker, ex'r of Jacob J. Baker, dec'd, late of Franklin twp
15. Final account of Norman Patterson, guardian of Nathaniel F. Cooper, minor child of Milton Cooper, dec'd, late of Slippery Rock twp.
16. First and final account of W. A. Sloan, adm'r C. T. A., of Jos. Hays, dec'd, late of Middlesex twp.
17. Final account of D. B. Douthett, adm'r of Sarah Snow, dec'd, late of Penn twp.
18. Final account of Andrew Eiller and Frederick Eiller, ex'rs of Andrew Eiller, dec'd, late of Lancaster twp.
19. Partial account of Sarah J. Blymiller, adm'rx of Gustave Blymiller, dec'd, late of Allegheny twp.
20. Final account of Samuel Mock, adm'r C. T. A., of David Barnhart, dec'd, late of Fairview twp.
21. Final account of D. B. Douthett, adm'r of Jas. McCandless, dec'd, late of Penn twp
22. Final account of Ferd Reiber, guardian of Myra Spang, minor child of J. R. Spang, dec'd, late of Butler borough.
23. First and final account of B. J. Forquer, guardian of H. J. Smith, dec'd, late of Mars town borough.
24. Final account of Margaret Martin and Ada Martin, adm'rxs of Thos. Martin, dec'd, late of Butler borough.
25. Final account of Owen Brady, guardian of Manassas J. Gillespie, minor child of Manassas J. Gillespie, dec'd, late of Donegal township.
26. Final account of John F. Sutton, ex'r of John Sutton, dec'd, late of Concord twp.
27. First and final account of Hugh Gilmore, one of the ex'rs of John Gilmore, dec'd, late of Marion twp.
28. Final account of William Snyder, adm'r of Wm. S. Snyder, dec'd, late of Middlesex twp.
29. Final account of W. W. Hill, adm'r of Chas. Miller, dec'd late of Adams twp.
30. Final account of James Barr, guardian of James A. Dobson, minor child of Mary A. Dobson, dec'd, late of Adams twp.
31. Final account of Adam Rettig, ex'r of Eva Catharine Kell, dec'd, late of Butler borough.
32. First and final account of R. A. Hartley, adm'r d. b. n. of Robert Vandyke, dec'd, late of Marion twp.
33. First and final account of George K. Graham, guardian of Carlotta Ogden, minor child of Rev. E. Ogden, dec'd, late of Middlesex twp.
34. Partial account of Robert Allen and John Allen, ex'rs of Robert Allen, Sr., dec'd, late of Franklin twp.
35. Final account of Francis Riott, ex'r of John Miller, dec'd, late of Summit twp.
36. First, final and distribution account of J. W. Watterling, ex'r of Samuel Richards, dec'd, late of Buffalo twp.
37. Final account of Frank Kohler ex'r of Peter Weigand, dec'd, late of Butler Boro.
38. Final account of Joseph Barron, adm'r of John C. Heckathorn, dec'd, late of Worth township.
39. First and final account of John K. Gilchrist, adm'r of Mary J. Buchanan, dec'd, late of Mercer twp.
40. Final account of Christy Robb, guardian of Frank J. Davrainville, minor child of Elizabeth Davrainville, dec'd, late of Cincinnati, Ohio.
41. First and final account of Joseph McMichael, adm'r of David McKissick, Jr., dec'd, late of Centre twp.
42. Final account of Henry Conway, guardian of Chas. Conway, minor child of Michael Conway, dec'd, late of Butler Boro.
43. Partial account of Mary E. Helmhold, adm'rx of Theo. Helmhold, dec'd, late of Saxonburg borough.
44. Final account of J. K. McKee, adm'r of Lydia J. Summers, dec'd, late of Washington twp.
45. Final account of James B. Mitchell, ex'r of Samuel S. Mitchell, dec'd, late of Summit twp.
46. Final account of Emily Phillips, adm'rx of John Phillips, dec'd, late of Buffalo twp.
47. Final account of Elijah T. Phillips, guardian of Nancy Phillips (formerly Frisoy) minor child of Wm. Frisby, deceased, late of Penn twp.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Ven. Ex., Fi. Fa., Lev. Fa., &c., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa., and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in the borough of Butler, on

Monday, the 6th day of March,

A. D. 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m. the following described property:

E D No 53, March Term, 1893. Thompson & Son, Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Mary Borland, dec'd, which she had at and immediately before her death, and of Jas. Borland, executor of the last will of Mary Borland, deceased, and also of James Borland, devisee, etc., of, in and to a certain lot of land, situated in 5th wd, Butler Boro, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Clay street, east by Robert Forster, south by an alley, and west by Wright; fronting 100 feet, more or less, on Clay street and extending same width south to an alley.

ALSO—Of, in and to a certain lot of land, situated in Butler Boro, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Jefferson street, south by Mifflin street, and west by George Reck; fronting 60 feet on Mifflin street, and extending back same width to lot of Adam May, together with a one and one-half story brick house and outbuildings thereon.

ALSO—Of, in and to certain lot of land, situated in outlot boro, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Butler Fair, east by lot of George Reck, south by Mifflin street, and west by Mrs. Lydia Christy; fronting 100 feet on Mifflin street, and extending back same width to lot of Adam May, together with a one and one-half story brick house and outbuildings thereon.

ALSO—Of, in and to certain lot of land, situated in outlot boro, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Butler Fair, east by lot of George Reck, south by Mifflin street, and west by Mrs. Lydia Christy; fronting 100 feet on Mifflin street, and extending back same width, to lot of Adam May, together with a one story frame house, frame barn and other outbuildings erected thereon.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of James Adams, at the suit of H. S. Wick.

E D Nos 64 and 65, March Term, 1893. A. T. Black, Att'y.

All the right, title, interest and claim of James Kimes, of, in and to 84 acres of land, situated in Buffalo township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Robert Ivell and Eli Vandyke, east by lands of A. R. Cunningham and John Atwell, south by lands of Neal Gormly and John Kimes, west by lands of John Kimes, mostly cleared, about a half acre of cultivation with a frame house, frame barn and other outbuildings erected thereon.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of James Kimes, at the suit of Thomas W. Phillips, et al.

E. D. No. 116, March Term, 1893. Jas. B. Mates, Attorney.

All the right, title interest and claim of S. L. Markwell, of, in and to all that certain lot of land, situated in Butler Boro, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to wit: On the north by lot No. 46 in Mrs. Mackey's plan of lots in said town, east by Fairview street, south by lot No 48 in said plan of lots, and on the west by Cherryway; and being 40 feet front and running back of and parallel lines for a width 125 feet to Cherryway, and being lot No 47 in Mrs Sarah Mackey's plan of lots as aforesaid, and having a two story frame house and outbuildings erected thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of S L Markwell at the suit of Anna E Rowland.

E. D. No. 149, March Term, 1893. Coulter and Baker, Att'ys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of W S Dobson, of, in and to certain lot of land, situated in village of Branchton, Slippery Rock twp., Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of R O Shira, east by lands of Elisha Hilliard's heirs, south by lands of A L Shira, west by public road leading from North Washington to Harrisville; said land being mostly cleared, small orchard, and having a small board house, log stable and outbuildings thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jacob Salbach at the suit of W J Adams for use, etc.

E. D. No. 78, March Term, 1893. E. McJunkin and McJunkin & Galbreath, Att'ys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jacob H Albert, of, in and to 25 acres of land, more or less, situated in Centre twp, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of A Fleeger, south by lands of A Fleeger, south by lands of Coulter heirs, west by lands of Davis heirs and Heck; being mostly cleared land. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jacob H Albert at the suit of Harsh & Futhit.

TERMS OF SALE:—The following must be strictly complied with when property is stricken down.

1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditor becomes the purchaser the cost on the writ must be paid and a list of the liens including mortgage searches on the property sold together with such lien creditor's receipt for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim must be furnished the Sheriff.

2. All bids must be paid in full.

3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until 1 o'clock P. M. of next day, at which time all property not settled for will be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold.

"See Purdon's Digest, 9th edition, page 446, and Smith's Forms, page 384.

WILLIAM M. BROWN, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Butler, Pa., Feb. 15th, 1893.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that David Osborne assignee of Wm. A. Osborne, has filed his account in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Pa., at M's D No. 28 March T, 1891; and that the same will be presented to said Court for confirmation and allowance on Wednesday the 8th day of March, 1893.

JOHN W. BROWN, Pro.
Prothonotary's Office, Feb. 6, 1893.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that Joseph Black, committee of Benjamin McCullen, a lunatic, has filed his account in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Pa., at C. P. No. 4, Sept T, 1861; and that the same will be presented to said court for confirmation and allowance on Wednesday, the 8th day of March, 1893.

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Financial Statement of Butler County for the Year Ending Jan. 2, 1893.

Levy and Assessment for 18 2.

TOWNSHIPS.	Valuation.	County Tax.	State Tax.
Adams	$ 427 668	$2130 19	$ 467 07
Allegheny	254 744	1273 72	38 2
Buffalo	580 272	1901 36	109 36
Brady	211 540	1057 70	102 29
Butler	328