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Washington Notes.

The report of the House Committee on Armor Plate charges the Carnegie Co. with fraud and directs that more tests be made.

There was no quorum in the Senate, Thursday, and the Sergent-at-arms went after the absentees. In the House congressman Brosius made a humerous speech and read some poetry on the political situation, the last verse of which is as follows:

"Now the South is in the saddle and the
Bourbons rule the roost,
With their outfit of free traders, cranks
Coxeytes to boost,
As they strive to topple over thrift's fair
temple in a day,
And sit down on Northern progress in the
true old Southern way,
But the voters will be heard from ere this
devil's work is done,
With an avalanche of ballots that will
startle Washington.
November's blasts will chill their souls,
from congressmen to bums.
And they'll hustle for their cellars
When
The
Big
Storm
Comes."

On Friday the Senate and House adopted a joint resolution to adjourn *sine die* on Tuesday.

Cleveland did not sign the new tariff bill nor yet veto it, and at midnight of Monday night it became a law—the tariff, internal revenue and income tax law of the country. Cleveland did not even write a message to Congress regarding the bill, but instead of that addressed a letter to Rep. Catchings of Mississippi, intended for the public, in which he expresses his disappointment at the result of Democratic efforts to make and pass a satisfactory tariff bill. He says:—

"The trusts and combinations—the communism of pelf—whose machinations have prevented us from reaching the success we deserved, should not be forgotten nor forgiven. We shall recover from our astonishment at their exhibition of power, and if then the question is forced upon us whether they shall submit to the free legislative will of the people's representatives, or shall dictate the laws which the people must obey, we will accept and settle that issue as one involving the integrity and safety of American institutions.

"The millions of our countrymen who have fought bravely and well for tariff reform should be exhorted to continue the struggle by challenging to open warfare and constantly guarding against treachery and half heartedness in their camp.

"Tariff reform will not be settled until it is honestly and fairly settled in the interest and to the benefit of a patient and long-suffering people."

THE dailies of Monday morning contained accounts of a cyclone in southern Russia, by which a thousand persons were killed; the breaking of a dam in India, the water from the lake destroying several villages; and of an earthquake in Greece which caused the people of several villages to flee to the fields. There is always some bad news.

A Barren Congress.

Before leaving for New York on his trip to Europe Congressman John Dalzell, of Pittsburg, said:

It would be impossible for me, without having made an examination of the record, to undertake to itemize the legislation of this present Congress. The most that I can say is that, considering the length of the session and the dominant interests at stake, very little has been accomplished in the direction of wise legislation in the interests of the people. Congress has been in session for over a year. With perhaps two exceptions, this has been the longest session of Congress known to our legislative history. It has been peculiarly barren of results. There are three conspicuous measures to be mentioned and I know of no others. In the first place the purchasing clause of the Sherman act has been repealed. This was the measure that seems to have induced the calling of a special session upon the part of the President. It was a wise measure, but could not have been successful without patriotic Republican votes. I know of no instance in the history of the country where patriotic, unpartisan action is more conspicuous than in the passage of that measure. Republicans forgot for the time, in their zeal for the popular interest, party ties and sustained Mr. Cleveland in his effort to give to the country a sale currency. The other two of the three conspicuous measures are, first, the repeal of the Federal election laws, a thoroughly partisan measure, whereby by Democratic votes, fraud at the polls has been made permissible.

This was in consonance with Democratic pledges, but altogether against the interests of law-abiding citizens. The passage of this measure does no credit to the Democratic party, but, on the other hand, rather emphasizes its desire to secure permanent control of the government through fraudulent measures. The second of these conspicuous measures was the recent passage of the Senate tariff bill. This was brought about by methods in the House in violation of all parliamentary rules and in such a way as to show that nothing would be allowed to stand in the way of the Democratic party in its arbitrary exercise of power to secure its own ends. In my judgment, no more dangerous precedent was ever established than has been established by the action of the House in its passage of this Senate bill. Nothing can be said by any Republican against the Senate bill that will at all compare in condemnation of it with what has been said by the Democrats themselves. The House, by the mouth of its leaders declared again and again that the Senate bill never could be passed, that its passage would be a surrender of the dignity of the House and a violation of Democratic pledges. The President declared in his letter to Mr. Wilson that its passage would mean party perfidy and party dishonor. And yet, notwithstanding all this, it was passed amidst Democratic applause. Take out of the record of the Fifty-third Congress up to this time the three measures that I have named and you will leave it substantially without a record.

One of the measures is a wise one, so far as we are now able to judge; the other two are simply disgraceful. All the rest of the record of this Congress of more than a year's duration may be put aside as waste paper.

WHAT has become of Cleveland's backbone.

The Income Tax.

The income tax is to be paid on the "gains, profits and income" for the year ending on the 31st of December next.—The section imposing the tax reads as follows:

That from and after the first day of January, 1895, and until the first day of January, 1900, there shall be assessed, levied, collected and paid annually upon the gains, profits and income received in the preceding calendar year, by every citizen of the United States, whether residing at home or abroad, and every person residing therein, whether said gain, profit or income be derived from any kind of property, rents, interest, dividends, or salaries, or from any profession or vocation carried on in the United States, or elsewhere, or from any other source whatever, a tax of 2 per centum on the amount so derived over and above $4,000, and a like tax shall be levied, collected and paid annually upon the gains, profits and income from all property owned and of every business, trade or profession carried on in the United States by persons residing without the United States.

The other sections relate to the enforcement and collection of the tax, penalties, etc. As has been often explained, there is no tax on an income below $4,000. If the taxable has an income, say, of $5,000, he will pay 2 per cent. on $1,000, and so on.

Cleveland and the Tariff Bill.

MR. EDITOR:—When President Cleveland as Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy, called out the troops to suppress anarchy, all good citizens, irrespective of party, approved his action, and cheerfully gave him due credit for the faithful discharge of his official duty.

When he, as President and in his civil capacity, attempted to intimidate Congress—to stigmatize the legislation of an independent branch of the government as perfideous—he earned thereby not only the ill will of his own party but the contempt of every independent citizen. It was the first attempt in the history of this nation of the executive to control or override by an appeal to party fealty the free and constitutional action of the legislative branch. Such action was humiliating to his own party and disgustingly offensive to his political adversaries.

His tariff bill was finally presented to him for his signature, and, after the industries of the country had been unsettled for a year and more, he held it the full ten days fixed by the constitution, and then suffered it to become a law without his approval—too timid to approve, too cowardly to veto.

Instead of sending a message to the country giving his reasons for his conduct he wrote a partisan letter to Mr. Catchings in which he instinctively seeks the gutters of political filth and drags the robes of office in the slime of partisan nucleanness. In his letter—the well considered product of the President of the United States—he says among other things:

"I do not claim to be better than the masses of *my party*, nor do I wish to avoid any responsibility which I ought to bear as a member of the *Democratic organization*, neither will I allow myself to be separated from *my party*."

"I take my place with the rank and file of the Democratic party."

"The livery of the Democratic tariff reform has been stolen and worn in the service of Republican protection, and who have marked the places where the deadly blight of treason has blasted the counsels of the brave in their hour of might."

"I love the principles of Democracy. I am proud of my party organization." Shades of Jefferson and Jackson! Call this letter a state paper, and its author a statesman. A ward heeler would blush to be its author, while the nation must fell and bear the humiliation of the gibbering of a political clown, the vaporings of a disapointed dotard. LEX.

DURING the two weeks preceeding last Tuesday over a million barrels of whisky were taken out of bond.

THE sugar steamers raced into our ports last Monday to save duties. One arrived at Philadelphia before midnight with 3,000,000 pounds raw sugar, and thereby saved $7,500.

Prospect Chunks.

You are longing to hear that:

Mrs. Savier and son have been visiting her sisters, Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Henshaw, for some time, and were accompanied to their home, at Beaver Falls, by Mrs. Kelly.

John Hays, of Pittsburg, has been visiting his brother, J. Park Hays, for several weeks. We are glad to hear of John's recovery from a dangerous head trouble.

Rev. J. C. Kelly has returned from an extended trip to Florida, where he had gone for his health.

John Reiber, of CITIZEN office, family, and friends, of Butler, made a drive to our town not long ago.

The Misses Cavanna, of Cleveland, O., have returned home from a visit to their cousins, the Misses Barkley.

Philip Milleman, Jessie Bowers, and Warrie Cooper are the happiest "dads" in town, over the arrival of new boys and girls at their respective homes. Buns and tobies, boys.

Blinn, Heyl, Berry & Co. have purchased a "Low Down Massilon Separator," which is one of the finest and best thrashers made. They recently made four sets and threshed nine hundred bushels of grain.

Os Shanor and John Miller went out hunting woodchucks, and saw fifteen at one time, and Os claims it wasn't a good day for ground hogs, either.

Squire Weigle's court has been grinding some legal grists of late. John seems to be "catching on" fast.

Homer Martin, wife, son Garth, and Miss Shufflberger and lady friend, of Marion, Ind., have been the guests of Mrs. E. Martin and daughter Mollie, for several weeks.

Miss Eva Barr and Miss Pearl Boehm were the guests of Miss Frankie English, of Mile Run, not long ago.

John Kelly, the enterprising farmer south of town, raised over 1,000 bushels of grain this year.

Widdie Wilson, while cutting wood recently, struck his foot with the ax, making a painful gash. Widdie, don't use your foot for a hack block.

As John Shaffer was going home from town, lately, he saw a fire in an isolated spot. His curiosity drew him closer and he saw numerous wierd, ghastly fantastic pantomime shapes between him and the fire. A closer observation revealed the fact that a goodly number of our young girls were having an old fashioned Indian green corn dance. John was so tickled that it threw him into hysterics yet to mention the matter, and he didn't wait to see how they put the fire out. Girls, you naughty girls.

Misses Lottie and Weltha Blair, who visited relatives in Beaver Co. all summer, have come home to go to the Academy.

Misses Etta and Clara Heck, and Miss Millie Ruff, of Butler, came to our town a few Sundays ago, and were the guests of Squire Heyl and wife.

Henry Henshaw and family have returned from a visit to Samuel Crawford and family, of Shannopin, Pa.

A lot of our young ladies, who believe our boys are a little too backward, recently hired New Roxberry to take them (the girls) to an ice cream supper at Mt Chestnut. The girls report a good time, but will give the boys one more chance to redeem themselves.

Misses Millie Forrester, Maggie Garvey and Frankie Dodds had a picnic for their Sunday school classes, in Boehm's grove, one day last week. A good idea, teachers.

Geo. Warren made a flying trip to the Armstrong Gas field, last Thursday.

Miss Clara Lepley has returned from a visit to her friend, Miss Ida McFann, of Brownsdale.

Al Barkley's new fine barn, containing 40 tons of hay, 400 bushels of wheat and rye, straw, 3 horses, calf, pigs, farming implements, vehicles, &c., was burned last Sunday morning between 3 and 4 o'clock, with above named contents. Loss about $3,000. Origin of fire not known. This is a severe blow to any one and everyone feels sorry for Al.

Our Band accompanied Ziegler Lodge to the recent I. O. O. F. reunion at Chicora. The boys say they had a splendid time, and were treated No. 1. Philip, what did you say about the electric light going out?

JO COSITY.

BEFORE leaving Washington, Wednesday, President Cleveland made some important appointments, and the Hill, Gorman crowd got nothing.

At the Custom House.

There was a terrible crush of importers on the initial day of the new tariff at the Custom House at New York on Tuesday, Aug. 28. They carried bundles of invoices of goods that had been stored in bonded ware houses in anticipation of lower tariff duties.

Collector Kilbreth gave permission for business to begin half an hour earlier than usual, and at 8:30 o'clock the doors swung open. Up the narrow stone stairs the line of brokers dashed like racers at the fall of the flag. Along the corridors they ran at full speed, heading straight for the withdrawal room. In a minute every inch of space before the wire screen was crowded. Papers were shoved through the little windows by half a dozen arms at once. When that became too slow they were thrown over the railing and fell on the clerks in showers.

As a result of the overwhelming rush and confusion, the receipts of cash were not extraordinary. Cashier Bostwick took in $512,344. Could all the withdrawals have been passed, the payment of duties would have broken the record. Each day will show a steady increase as the employes become familiar with the law.

Many of the withdrawals to-day were of surprisingly small amounts. The largest item of duty paid was $40,000 on a lot of mixed drygoods. A bale of wool holds the place of honor at the head of the list. It was the first to pass through under the new tariff law, and leads the free list as well.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Squirrels are appearing in large numbers in parts of Forest county.

The grasshoppers are damaging the growing buckwheat in portions of Erie county.

The Coroner's Jury in the case of William Miller, of Mercer, the U. S. Bank Examiner; returned that Miller took his life with his own hand, and whether by intent or accident, they were unable to say. Gardner, the cashier of the Altoona bank, is said to have stolen about $200,000 from the bank, the books of which are a bewildering work of fiction.

Twila, a 4-year-old daughter of J. Altman, of Clarion, while playing on the pavement laid down, face foremost, and was playing with a small toad. While in the act of laughing the toad hopped into her mouth and down into her stomach. She suffered such extreme agony for some time that it took several persons to hold her. While waiting of the physician one of the neighbors gave the child whisky, which had the effect of either stupefying the toad or causing its death. Dr. Myers gave an emetic, and the little one expelled the toad from her stomach in pieces.

G. C. Kennedy, a Pittsburg book-keeper, killed himself with a pistol at his home in Emsworth, one night last week. He had been in a protracted spree, and his wife and child had gone to her home.

The unusual sight of a man and woman handcuffed together was witnessed in Allegheny last Friday night. They were John Aston and Mrs. Lida A. Sloop, who about a month ago absconded from Bagdad, a small mining town four miles east of Freeport on the Conemaugh river. They were arrested at McDonald, Pa.

Practical joking ought to be discouraged it all times. It does no good, and often does much harm. A few days ago, according to the Brockwayville *Record*, three men went into a field to rake hay. Concluding it was not dry enough to rake they sat down to rest. One lay flat on the ground, and the two others covered him with hay. Soon a fourth man, who was examining the hay in another part of the field, came along with a fork in his hand. "Try that pile," said one of the men pointing to the hay under which the fellow lay. And promptly the man with the fork thrust it into the pile, only to be startled by a yell from the man under it. A prong of the fork had penetrated between two ribs, the point entering his lung. Fortunately the wound was not very severe, and the man was around again in a few days. Practical joking don't pay.

Al Herron, a well known man of Fallston, Beaver county, was murdered at a picnic at Aliquippa Grove, on Thursday. His body was found at 9 o'clock. He was dancing with a young lady at the pavilion, not more than 20 feet from where he was killed. Herron had been terribly beaten up. His neck was broken. There was a great lump on tis right temple, evidently produced by a handibilly or a stone. His front teeth were all knocked out, and his lips were badly cut. There were several deep cuts on his head which looked as if inflicted by an edge-1 instrument. Where the body lay the ground was saturated with blood. So far as could be learned, nothing had been taken from the pockets, and the clothing was not disarranged. Although some claim his death was an accident, the murder theory is generally believed by those attending the picnic.

A NEW YORK physician has been sent to Berlin to study Dr. Koch's new remedy for diphtheria.

The Greatest Move Yet.

The Pittsburg dailies this week contained the important and interesting news that the charter asked for by the Brady's Bend Coal & Iron Co. had been granted them, and for a capital stock of $1,000,000. The incorporators as previously announced in the *Review* are C. O. Billings, of Boston; Jerome D. Gillette, Isaac Freeze, William D. Judson, Amos Tenny, Wayne Griswold, of New York, and Wm. J. Hammond, Jr., who have been here for the past month having the property developed, were present. At the time of our going to press they have not returned, and nothing save the accounts as given by the city dailies can be given as to the latest developements or what was done at the New York meetings.

The members of the Brady's Bend & Butler R. R. Co. and the Brady's Bend Coal & Iron Co. are, as is well known, the same persons. The former was organized and chartered to build a railroad from Brady's Bend to Butler, with a capital stock of $120,000, and the latter to develop the vast resources of 6,000 acres of land they own by the erection of manufacturing plants, and the mining and shipping of coal, ore, limestone, and silica, and capitalized at $1,000,000.

The latest reports state that the railroad from Brady's Bend to or near Butler will be commenced at once to connect with the P. S. & L. E. R. R. and will be 16 miles long, which has been surveyed since spring. As soon as about six miles have been completed the company will commence mining operations. It is not yet decided whether the company will engage in the manufactnre of iron.

This meagre information is all that can be learned at present, but when Messrs. Freeze and Hammond return it is expected and believed that something definite will be known as to the intentions of the two corporations, and that work on the new railroad will be commenced without delay and pushed to rapid completion.—East Brady *Review*.

THE Dutch army operating on the island of Lombok, near Java, was ambushed and almost annihilated, a few days ago.

Oil Notes.

The Forest Oil Co's No. 1 Heid, Glade Mill, district, is reported to be a duster.

Leidecker, McCandless and Marks struck a good well of the Wm. Miller farm in Middlesex twp., last week. She started off at 150 barrels.

The Goodman Oil Co. got a good well on the Wm. Staley farm in Jefferson twp., a few days ago. They have 27 feet of sand, with two six-foot pay streaks, and expect a 20 barrel well.

The Forest Oil Company has completed its No. 1 Heid at Glade Run, and it is a duster. The same company's well at Bridgeville has been drilled through the fifth sand and found the formation barren of oil or gas. It will be tested from the hundred foot.

Alex Wilson, who lives a short distance east of Hazel Dell, leased a 96-acre tract of land up the Slipperyrock, about four miles above Wurtemburg, some four weeks ago, and since then has been quietly drilling for oil. On last Monday, at a depth of 150 feet, he struck what seemed to be a crevice in the rock, and a good flow of oil soon filled the well and flowed out at the top, doubtless forced up by a small quantity of gas. It is now flowing from 12 to 15 barrels per day, and gives every indication of a steady and paying production. Since the result of the test well has become known, the people owning land in the community have become greatly excited, and hundreds of oil speculators are visiting the place every day.—New Castle *News*.

Resolutions.

Inasmuch as God by his providence has taken our pastor, Rev. James A. Clark, from us by death we feel it a duty incumbent upon us and esteem it a pleasure to testify to all who read these lines that he was a man of sterling qualities. His piety gave tone to his whole life. He manifested in a high degree that even, unruffled temper which is so characteristic of our Savior. A close student all his life, his pulpit ministrations were edifying and pleasing. Associated with him as members of the session of Prospect U. P. Congregation, through prosperity and adversity, when God's work prospered and when it seemed to retrograde, in times of joy and sadness, we come to know how his life was bound up with his people.

His pastoral work especially in times of sickness and death were peculiarly helpful. Ever ready to visit a sick bed whether of his own congregation or not his earnest sympathy and kind words always brought hope and joy.

He was our pastor for 36 years and it is with deep sorrow for our loss that we humbly say "Thy will be done."

We do, however, wish to record our thankfulness to Almighty God that he so blessed us and the congregation by granting to us the ministrations of such a worthy servant for so many years, and we devoutly pray that God may foster by his grace the good resolves and the good impulses and aspirations begotten in the souls brought to Christ through the truth as presented by him.

BY ORDER OF THE SESSION.

Buttercup.

John G. Hoffman is having his house painted. Mr. Sikes of Butler is doing the work.

Isaac Dike, of this place, was offered $125 an acre for his farm and refused it.

The Buttercup Saw Mill Co. is going to move their mill to the R. S. Henry farm in the near future.

O. W. Eagal, our enterprising miller, is remodeling his mill.

R. S. Henry is thinking of building a new house soon.

Benton Stoughton will move to West Virginia this fall, provided he can sell his farm.

The sulky plow man is trying to help the farmer out these hard times. B.

DEATHS

LAWHEAD—At his home in Middlesex twp., Aug. 14, 1894, James Lawhead, aged about 55 years.

KELLY—At her home in Parker twp., Aug., 24, 1894, Rosanna, wife of Thomas Kelly, aged about 60 years.

CUBBISON—At her home in Harrisville, Aug. 25, 1894, Maud Cubbison.

OBITUARY NOTES.

Mrs. Steven Wiltrout, of Wartemburg, died Saturday at Butler, where she had gone to visit relatives. She had been an invalid for some time. The funeral was held Monday from the M. E. church, of which she was a member.—New Castle *News*.

The remains of the Rev. Levi H. Geshwind, formerly of this place, and who died at the home of his parents at Upper Bern, Berks Co., on the 18th inst, were laid to rest there on last Friday. Ten ministers of the English Lutheran Church from Philadelphia, Reading, and other places in the eastern part of the state were present at his funeral and participated in the burial services. A large number of the neighboring people were also present, with many friends and relatives. Rev. Geshwind was the pastor of the English Lutheran Church here from 1870 to 1875. Then he preached at Lima, O.; East Liberty, Pa.; Buffalo, N. Y.; Stewartsville, N. J.; Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Manayunk, Pa.; and other places, in all for a period of about 26 years. His work was largely of a missionary character in the church.

His disease commenced in what is known as the grip, affecting first his sight and ending in heart disease. He died at the age of 48 years, 6 months and 23 days.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Rev. Jas. A. Clark, dec'd, late of Franklin twp., Butler Co., Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement, and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

REV. DAVID S. CLARK, Ex'r.
Prospect Pa.

W. D. BRANDON, Atty.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Levi M. Wise, assignee of Owen Brady, has filed his second and final account in the Office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Pa., at Ms. D. No. 29, Dec. T. 1891, and that the same will be presented to said Court for confirmation and allowance on Wednesday the 5th day of September 1894.

SAMUEL M. SNATON, Pro.
Prothonotary's Office, Aug. 7, 1894.

NOTICE.

Whereas my wife, Ollie Rankin, has left my house and bed in Fairview twp. Butler County without just cause or provocation. I therefore warn all persons not to harbor her or give her credit on my account, as I will not be responsible for the same.

C. C. RANKIN.
Fairview Pa.

Aug. 24th 1894.

Application for Charter.

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county on the 5th day of September, A. D 1894, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, under Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, by Peter Bastion, J. P. Kerner, Victor Munier, Alphonse Lambert, Emile Chenot, and others, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The French Club," the character and object of which is, "the maintenance of a club for social enjoyments," and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the Act of Assembly aforesaid, and supplements.

S. F. BOWSER,
Solicitor.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of a writ of Fi. Fa. 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 Pa., on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, A. D., 1894, at one o'clock P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

E. D No 115, Sept T, 1894. Williams & Mitchell, attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of J F Timmony, of, in and to the 1-16 of all the oil found or produced from all that certain piece or parcel of real estate situate in Summit twp, Butler Co. pa. bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by purpart No 2. east by old State road, south by purpart No 4. west by land of Jacob Reott. said tract of land containing 26 acres and 77 perches, and known as purpart No 3, chosen by Margaret E Henry in the amicable partition among the heirs of Wm Henry, dec'd, now leased to Daniel Burns for oil purposes, with a producing oil well thereon Seized and taken in execution as the property of J F Timmony at the suit of E G Frederick for use of Daniel Burns.

E D No 137, June T, 1894. W D Brandon, att'y

All the right, title, interest and claim of J P Plummer, of, in and to a certain lot of land, more or less, situate in Millerstown borough, Butler county Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Commencing on the northwest corner running 165 feet east to an alley, thence south 60 feet to east corner of lot No. 20, thence west 165 feet to Central Avenue extension, thence north 60 feet to place of beginning, and bounded on the north by an alley, on the east by an alley, on the south by lot No 29, now owned by Mrs Gillespie, and on the west by Central Avenue extension, and having a two-story frame dwelling house, small frame barn and other outbuildings erected thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of J P Plummer at the suit of Margaret E Bole.

E D No. ——— R P Scott, att'y

All the right, title, interest and claim of Walter L Graham, trustee for Sarah E Weller and Sarah E Weller, of, in and to a certain lot of land, more or less, situate in Butler borough Butler, Co. Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lot of Samuel Purvis, east by a 12-foot alley, south by Graham street, west by lot of formerly Jno C Graham now Hyle, being 45 feet in front on Graham street and extending back north from Graham street 65 feet, more or less, to lot of Samuel Purvis, and having thereon one frame dwelling house and outbuildings. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Walter L Graham, trustee of Sarah E Weller and Sarah E Weller at the suit of The Eureka Building and Loan Association.

ANDREW CAMPBELL, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office. Butler, Pa., Aug. 22, 1894.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE.

The following pieces of land will be sold at the Court House on Monday, Sept. 3rd, 1894, at 1 o'clock, P. M., by the County Commissioners, being land purchased at Treasurer's sale for taxes.

ALLEGHENY TWP.

15 acres sold as the property of W. B. Sedwick for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Frank Jamison, east by Thos. Davidson, south by Franklin Fisher and west by Frank Jamison.

106 acres sold as the property of Thos. McCamey for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by Matthew Sloan, east by Samuel McCamey, south by John McCamey's heirs and west by John Gadsby.

BUTLER TWP.

13 acres sold as the property of Walter Wick for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by Freeport road, &c.

40 acres sold as the property of Daniel Niggle for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by C. Nigle, east by Dutchtown road, south by Penn twp. line and west by T. Holey.

CHERRY TWP.

17 acres sold as the property of James Herron for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Jas. Smith, east by John Stevenson, south by Jacob Wolford and west by Jas. Smith.

CONCORD TWP.

14 acres sold as the lands of S. A. Fithean for taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Starr & Brittain, south by John Dunlap and west by Wm. Emery.

50 acres sold as the property of A. H. Maxwell, dec'd, for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Rev. Marshall, east by John Campbell, south by David Patton and west by Mrs. M. A. Maxwell.

CLEARFIELD TWP.

4 acres sold as the property of Michael Kerr for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Wm. Stewart, east by Wm. McGee and south and west by Wm. Stewart.

DONEGAL TWP.

26 acres sold as the property of Mrs. Mary Boyl for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of Ellen Boyl, east by Susan Shirkey, south by M. Gillespie and west by Frank Hildebrand.

FAIRVIEW TWP.

1 lot sold as the property of T. J. Dinsmore for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of John Andre, east by F. B. Lupher, south by Nancy Brown and west by Fairview road.

50 acres sold as the property of Thos. B. Reyrie heirs for taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by Jas. Bartley, east by Eli Reep south by Jas. Collins, and west by Eli Reep.

MARION TWP.

40 acres sold as the property of John Purviance for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by the lands of J. F. Black, east by Mary Seaton, south by J. J. Maxwell and west by Louisa Wason.

PENN TWP.

43 acres sold as the property of R. A. Henderson for taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of John and W. Coovert, east by Jas. Marshall, south by Coovert and Arnold and west by Jas. Hammil.

PARKER TWP.

10 acres sold as the property of J. C. Fuller for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of W. E. Allen, south and west by same and east by road.

15 acres sold as the property of McKinney Bros. for taxes of 1888 and 1889.

SLIPPERYROCK TWP.

15¾ acres sold as the property of W. H. H. Riddle for the taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of Mike McGraff, east by Franklin Road, south by Ed. Dumbaugh and west by McCandless heirs.

15¾ acres sold as the property of Ed. Dumbaugh for the taxes of 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of W. H. H. Riddle, east by Franklin Road, south by Centreville Road and west by McCandless heirs.

VENANGO TWP.

65 acres sold as the property of Alex. Brioeland for taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of J. McNamee and S. Harper, east by Chas. Duffy, south by John McCane and west by John Peoples.

41 acres sold as the property of A. L. Kelly for the taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of D. Kelly heirs, east by M. V. Kelly, south by Elias Taylor and west by M. J. Kelly.

39 acres sold as the property of Theodore Kelly for the taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of M. Conway's heirs, east by D. Kelly's heirs, south by C. J. Kelly and west by J. J. Kelly.

5 acres sold as the property of Mary McClanahan heirs for the taxes of 1889 and 1890. Bounded on the north by lands of John Byers, east by C. J. Amison, south by Harkeiser and west by R. Campbell.

House sold as the property of C. [illegible] son for the taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by the P. & Fairport Coal Co., east by the P., S. & L. E. R. R., south by P. & Fairport Coal Co. and west by P. & Fairport Coal Co.

House and lot sold as the property of Margaret Sloan for taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of Richard Sloan, east and south by D. Sloan and west by Jas. Sloan.

2 lots sold as the property of John Pollock for the taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of L. T. Kerr, east by John Gadsby, south by Morris Gibson and west by John McCallister.

House and lot sold as the property of Samuel Bovard for the taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of L. D. Bovard, east by Public road, south by John Scott and west by Reynolds.

WINFIELD TWP.

House and lot sold as the property of Geo. Miller for the taxes of 1889. Bounded on the north by lands of ———, east by R. R. St., and west by Little Buffalo Creek.

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Road and Bridge Reports.

Notice is hereby given that the following roads and bridges have been confirmed nisi by the Court and will be presented on the 1st Wednesday of Sept. 1894, being the 5th day of said mouth, and if no [illegible] are filed they will be confirme absolutely:

R. D. No. 1, March Sessions, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Adams township, for county bridge over Breakneck Creek at the place where the public road from Pittsburg to Butler crosses said creek. Dec. 6th, 1893, viewers appointed by the Court and March 1st, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the proposed bridge is necessary and the erection of the same will require more expense than is reasonable the township of Adams should bear, and did locate the site thereof at the place mentioned in the petition. June 6th, 1894, notice to be given according to rules of Court and to be laid before the Grand Jury at next term.

BY THE COURT.

R D. No. 1, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Worth and Muddycreek townships for county bridge over Muddycreek where the public road from Elliott's Mills to Portersville crosses said creek. March 5th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and May 29th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the proposed bridge is necessary and the erection of the same will require more expense than is reasonable the townships of Worth and Muddycreek should bear, and did locate the site thereof at the place mentioned in the petition June 6th, 1894, approved; notice to be given according to rules of Court, and to be laid before the Grand Jury at next term.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No, 2, June Session, 1894. In re petition of Henry Cooper, et al., citizens of Clinton township, for public road in said township from a point on a road known as the State road near the house of James Watson in Clinton township, and running to a point on a road that leads from Saxonburg to Allegheny City at or near the house of John C. Norris in Clinton township. March 20th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and June 4th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating the road prayed for is necessary and have laid out the same for public use. Damages assessed, forty dollars to James Watson and fifty dollars to Mary Lefever, to be paid by the county. Probable cost of making, one hundred dollars, to be borne by the township of Clinton. June 6th, 1894, approved and fix width of road at 33 feet. Notice to be given according to law and rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 3, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Centre township, for vacating public road in said township, from a point on the public road leading from Butler borough to Greece City, near the house of George Reiber, to a point on the public road leading from Oneida station on the Walter Evans farm in said township. March 26th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and May 11th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the vacation of the road prayed for is necessary and have vacated the same. No damages assessed. June 6th, 1894, approved notice to be given according to rules of Court.

BY THE COURT,

R. D. No. 4, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Jefferson township, Butler county, Pa., for county bridge over Thorn Creek where the road leading from Saxonburg to Glade Mills crosses the said creek in said township. April 9th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and June 4th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the proposed bridge is necessary, and the erection of the same will require more expense than is reasonable the township of Jefferson should bear, and did locate the site thereof at the place mentioned in the petition. June 6th, 1894, approved, notice to be given according to rules of Court and to be laid before the Grand Jury at next term.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 5, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Franklin township for county bridge over Muddycreek at the place where the public road from the Franklin road to the Butler and Mercer road crosses said creek on the farm of Robert Hilliard. April 11th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and May the 16th, 1894, report of viewers filed, stating that the bridge prayed for is necessary and the erection of the same will require more expense than is reasonable the township of Franklin should bear, and did locate the site thereof at the place mentioned in the petition. June 6th, 1894, approved, notice to be given according to rules of Court and to be laid before the Grand Jury at next term.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 6, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Connoquenessing town ship for vacation of that part of a publicroad known as the Powder Mill road as lies between the house of Fred. Michael, on the Butler and Evans City road, and a finger-board on the same on the line between lands of Geo. Stevenson and A. Miller. April 18th, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and May 11th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the vacation prayed for is necessary and have vacated the same. No damages assessed. June 6th, 1894, approved, notice to be given according to rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 7. June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Donegal township for county bridge over the south branch of Buffalo Creek on the farm of Timothy Sweeny at the place where the public road to Millerstown crosses said creek in said township. May 21st, 1894, viewers appointed by the Court, and June 4th, 1894, report of viewers filed stating that the bridge prayed to is necessary and the erection of the same will require more expense than is reasonable the township of Donegal should bear, and did locate the site thereof at the place mentioned in the petition. June 6th, 1894, approved, notice to be given according to rules of Court and to be laid before the Grand Jury at next term.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 8, June Session, 1894. In re petition of citizens of Marion township for county bridge over the south branch of Slippery Rock Creek at the point where the Annandale station road crosses the present channel of said creek in line of the old bridge over the former channel of said cre