THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1898.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

Orphans' Court Sale, estate of James Criswell.
Executor's notices, estates of Richard G. Nelson, Robert Trimble and Sarah Jane Cranmer.
C. & T's Carpets.
The King Single Tube Tire.
The Central Hotel and Cafe.
Non-Burn Building Paper.

Administrators and Executors of estates can secure their receipt books at the CITIZEN office, and persons making public sales their note books.

LOCAL AND GENERAL,

—"I'll go to war!" They stood agape;
"What! you? pray, what's your reason?"
The meek man answered: "I'd escape
This blamed house-cleaning season."

—Butler Co. owns a new flag—9x18 feet and good bunting.

—Sunday last was the first of May—May Day—and a beautiful day it was.

—The P. & W. R. R. Co. intends removing its shops to Downeyville or Mars.

—The Pension Board examined six applicants yesterday; ten the Wednesday before.

—Part of the west wall of the jail is being torn down on account of a defect in it caused by the old windows.

—Friday and Saturday of this week have been set apart by the Board of Health as cleaning up days.

—Our Council has fixed the tax rate at 5 mills for general purposes, and 7 mills for bond purposes.

—About a hundred young men of the town got together last week and agreed to organize a new militia company.

—The war is setting hard on the wholesale men; the traveling men are not making their expenses at present.

—A new counterfeit two-dollar Treasury note, series of 1891, that is in circulation, may be detected by the mispelling of the words "bearer" and "bureau."

—A big crowd of boys were at the station this morning, all anxious to carry water for the elephant for a ticket to the greatest show on earth.

—By calling the hatchet a machete an Atchison woman has induced her war-like boys to take the greatest interest in keeping her wood-box filled with kindling.

—It has been definitely decided not to place a tax upon petroleum for war purposes. To have done so would have been very much like kicking a corpse. —[Blizzard.

—A prize of no dollars is offered for the first correct answer to the question—which show up the greatest number in Butler; the "May 5ths" or the "May 18ths."

—"Every girl who reads the newspaper accounts of the departure of the State troops," says the Manayunk Philosopher, "expects to see her sweetheart's name in bigger type than the others."

—The date of the departure of the first company from Butler for the present war was Wednesday, April 27, 1898. The first company for the Civil war left Butler on the 26th of April 1861—37 years and one day before.

—Sunday morning in Manila comes about ten hours before our Sunday morning, and therefore the news of Dewey's victory, or an item regarding it, appeared in one of the Pittsburg papers of that morning.

—An amusing incident happened on Jefferson st., during Co. E's day. A little girl, determined to hang out a flag, went to her father's trunk and got an old Rebel flag, (used in a play) and hung it out the window; and it was there for hours before it was noticed.

—The Butler Brick and Tile Co. is making a good article of building brick, and also a large, hollow, building brick or block, which they are selling as fast as they can be made. They can also make a paving brick and our council should test them on the next short street paved.

—The "Central Hotel" on the Diamond, formerly Hotel Goss, reopened Monday, and has been doing a large business this week.

The lower floor has been remodeled, and now the sole entrance to the dining room is through the hall. The meals are excellent and fully up to the standard that Mr. Goss maintained.

—The companies from the western part of the state, of the N. G. P. are the true blue, very few refused to volunteer in the U. S. Army, (not one out of Co. E) while in the First brigade, which includes Philadelphia, over 400 refused. A Pittsburg Dispatch special says that the Butler and Greensburg companies are the best in the second brigade.

—The annual report of the "Penna. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb" at Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, shows 509 pupils, two of whom Bert Hindman and Pearl Stuller are from this county. The institution is a very complete affair costs about $150,000 a year for maintenance, most of which comes from the state; and teaches the boys and girls a dozen different trades such as printing, tailoring, millinery and dressmaking.

—Any man who enlists in the regular army for the war is required to possess the following qualifications: He must be between 18 and 45 years of age, of proper character and good health; he must not be less than five feet four inches tall, and his weight, according to his height, must be between 128 and 190 pounds. A man more than five feet ten inches tall and weighing more than 165 pounds, cannot be a cavalryman but must join the infantry or artillery.

—Friday evening a young peddler was coming down the West Penn, and when a short distance above the Junction several men attacked him. One in a blue suit struck him on the back with a stone and knocked him down. They rifled his pack, broke open his box, and took everything of value he had. The boy came to town and reported the matter to Burgess Clark, but as he could not fully describe his assailants nothing could be done. He was a Syrian, and about 15 years of age.—Freeport Journal.

—"The Dons are striving to be gay,
But they'll learn to their sorrow
We're simply putting off to-day
What we can do to Morro."

—See the Clipper Chainless Bicycle at Marder, Bros. 148 N. Main st. Butler Pa. Full line of sundries and supplies always on hand.
Bicycles for sale from $10.00 up.
Bicycles for hire. Reparing a specialty.

LEGAL NEWS.

TRIAL LIST.

Oil Well Supply Co. vs A. M Lusk et al, assumpsit. April 29, jury returns a verdict for defendants.

Patton Bell vs Norman Hilliard et al, ejectment. April 30, jury by direction of Court returns a verdict for defendants.

W. B. Dodds vs H. B. Patterson, assumpsit. April 28, jury returns a verdict for plaintiff for $332.80.

The P. & W. R. R. Co. vs the P., B. & L. E. R. R. Co., ejectment. May 2, by direction of Court the jury returns a verdict for plaintiff for land described in the writ, with six cents damage.

Matilda Spohn vs Fred Schwaiger et al, assumpsit. Compulsory non suit as to Fred Schwaiger, and verdict for plaintiff against A. J. McNallen for $20.59.

Penn'a Torpedo Co. vs M. L. Zahniser et al, assumpsit. May 3, jury returns a verdict for plaintiff for $249.40.

Chas. McCandless for use vs S. M. Schmidt, assumpsit. May 3, jury returns a verdict for plaintiff for $150.

Sprout, Waldron & Co. vs E. D. Eagle, assumpsit. On trial.

The cases of Walter H. Graham vs Walter L. Graham, sur mortgage; Gellert Goehring vs W. H. Rossle et al, assumpsit; Robert Hogg vs Bailey & Hoffman, trespass; C. J. D. Strohecker vs Edwin Ramsey, trespass, and John Buehler vs Jos. Zeigler were continued.

The cases of A. J. Foltz vs Henry Shannon et al, transcript of appeal, and Chas Foltz vs same, were settled.

NOTES.

This week winds up the assessment appeals. The Commissioners had quite a siege of it this year.

The will of George L. Lutz of Zelienople was probated, no letters.

Wm. Lewis who plead guilty to a violation of the liquor laws was sentenced to four months in the Mercer jail.

Ida E. Dobson has applied for a divorce from Dory E. Dobson.

Thomas Robinson has brought suit in trespass vs the P. R. R. Co.

Nancy J. Douthett has issued summons in assumpsit vs H. S. Gibson, and claims $200.

First Nat. Bank of Greenville has issued summons in trespass vs John A. Turner.

The will of James Bailey of Marion twp. was probated and letters granted to Thomas N. Gilghrist; also will of Sarah J. Cranmer of Centre twp. and letters to J. D. McJunkin; also will of Ebenezer Dodds of Connoquenessing twp. and letters to Sarah J. Dodds; also will of Eliza J. Calvert of Penn twp. no letters; also will of Nannie Barnhart of Fairview twp. no letters; also will of Valentine Feigel of Butler and letters to C. D. Aldinger; also will of L. M. Grieb of Butler, no letters; also will of Bernard O'Brien of Donegal twp., no letters.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Commissionioners to D. J. Coyle 50 acres in Venango for $15.30.

Geo Renno to Jacob Dreher 20 acres in Jefferson for $1,550.

N. E. Martin to Robert Allen 15 acres in Brady for $400.

H. S. McClymonds to Eugene Meyer lot in Butler for $1600.

Alexander Pollock to C. W. Hoon lot in Butler twp. for $61.25.

J. N. Ilft to Nancy D. Ramsey lot in Evans City for $1,800.

Al. Ruff to F. Kohler lot in Butler for $5000.

R. D. Pettigrew to J. E. Young 15 acres in Washington for $225.

E. Long to J. Geisler 6 acres in Winfield for $100.

C. A. Morris to J. L. Hilliard 2 acres in Washington for $475.

R. S. Nichols to Agnes B. Cratty lot in Butler for $6,500.

Annie Cheers to B. A. Garvin lot in Evans City for $1,200.

E. C. Morrow to Lorenzo Morrow 140 acres in Donegal for $3,000.

P. Double, guardian to L. Morrow 140 acres in Donegal for $857.14.

Butler Savings Bank to W. P. Farren 15 acres in Marion for $510.

Marriage Licenses.

James B. Miller	Allegheny Co
Martha P. Hazlett	Butler Co
N K. Grace	Mercer Co
A. C. Neely	Connoq. twp
August Latille	Butler
Mary M. Homney	"
George Kratel	Butler
Mary Randig	"
Andrew Kratel	Butler
Bertha Randig	"
Peter Glout	Rough Run
Annie Shelitz	"
Leonard Johnston	Butler
Mollie Love	"
Wm. L. Altman	Winfield twp
Mary K. Hill	"

At Pittsburg, Wm. Higby and Mary Kuhns of Harmony, also John T. Fennell of Kellys Sta. and Flora Bocker of Freeport.

Sarver Station.

Mrs. Frank Acre is almost well again after a prolonged and serious illness.

The Watson boys have just removed their sawmill from the Eurman farm to David Crookshank's to do an extensive job of sawing.

Mr. James Galbreath passed through this town Tuesday on his way to Pittsburg on business.

The stone quarries are being made to yield their treasures.

The election of officers in the Buffialo church Sabbath school resulted as follows: Supt. James McC. Crookshanks, Assistant Supt. James Dill Tood. Treasurer John Miller, Secretary Miss Viola Bricker.

Rev. Hazlett made a journey to Carbon Black Pa. Wednesday 6th inst. and united in marriage Mr. James B. Miller Freeport and Miss Martha Hazlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hazlett, Carbon Black Pa.

PARK THEATRE.

FAUST—FRIDAY, MAY 6.

The rendition of the thrilling drama, "Faust," by the Hubert Labadie company at the Spencer opera house last evening was a very interesting affair, and particularly so to those who admire this peculiar kind of play. The parts were all handled very carefully indeed and with the elaborate special scenery and stage fixtures which the company carries, the effect was particularly attractive and pleasing. Mr. Hubert Labadie assumed the part of His Satanic Majesty, Mephistopheles, in an admirable manner and fully sustained the high reputation he enjoys as an actor of great merit. He possesses peculiar and special qualifications for the part, in fact he seemed entirely a home or quite at east in the character. Mrs. Labadie, however, carried off the honors of the place in the part of Marguerite. Her queenly presence, smooth rich voice and accurate articulation, together with her correct interpretation or conception of the character did much in establishing her in popular favor.

She is a lady of much dramatic ability, culture and refinement. The Company entire is made up of educated and refined people and entitled to the confidence of theater-going people. They made many friends while here. Daily News, Kendallville, Ind.

A Common Mistake.

It is a common mistake people make in supposing that the only object of the Business College is to grind out bookkeepers and stenographers. Business College education is useful to everybody. The man of wealth cannot tell if his book keeper does his work properly unless he himself understands the science of accounts. Just as the best housekeeper need not do the work herself but she knows how, and hence knows when it is properly done. The poor man needs business education to be able to manage his resources to the best advantage. The moral is plain, attend the Butler Business College and School of Shorthand 319-327 South Main St., where the best methods of accounting and stenography are taught.

PERSONAL.

Phillip Sutton of Penn twp., was in town last week.

John Ayres has been appointed a submail carrier.

Charles Leisie of Cranberry twp. was a Butler visitor, Monday.

Dawson C. Wadsworth of Slipperyrock twp., was in town yesterday.

L. E. Shira and wife spent Sunday with friends in Washington Twp.

W. S. Brandon has secured the agency for the Greensburg Awning Co.

Miss Bales of New Castle is the guest of Mrs. Zimmerman of North Main St.

Jamee N. Moore Esq. has handsomely refurnished his offices in the Diamond block.

Perry Campbell, of West Sunbury, spent Saturday and Sunday with his son in Allegheny.

Janitor Johnston keeps the brass work of the Court house shining as bright as the Sun.

Wm. R Shryock of Parker twp., was in town yesterday. He was laid up all winter with a broken leg.

James Armstrong and W. A. Rogers, of Butler, are applicants for the vacant bank-examinership.

Phillip Christy, a son of Williamson Christy, dec'd, is visiting relatives and friends in Butler Co.

James B. Murphy carpenter of this place, has just completed two cottages at Conneaut Lake; one for D. B. Campbell and one for John N. Muntz.

Privates Mitchell, Allison and Barr of Co. E who did not pass the physical examination at Mt. Gretna, though willing to enlist, have returned home.

Mr. McLean rented his house on Brady St. near the Orphans Home property to Mr Young of Bradford, and moved to the McQuistion house on N. Main.

Mrs. Peter Biehl arrived home from an eight months visit with friends in San Jose, Cal., last night. She is looking well and greatly enjoyed her visit. She is now in her 78th year, and yet came through from San Francisco to Pittsburg without stopping.

John Kirkpatrick rented his house at the corner of E. Pearl and Oak Sts. to Mr. Pitney of Bradford and John has taken possession of the Nixon House on N. McKean St. Mr. Pitney is building the new stove factory on E. Cunningham near the West Penn depot.

J. D. Wilson Esq. of Saxonburg was in Butler Friday, as bright and jolly as a man could be, though he was 55 years of age that day.

He was born in Canada near Toronto came South as far as Oil Creek during the excitement of the sixties, and located in Saxonburg, (near where he had some oil interests) about seven years ago. He bought the old Roebling or Reidel place, and has been occupying it since, and thinks he will end his days in the good old town of Saxonburg.

Trail.

The social at Mrs. Robinson's was a grand success.

Rev. Howe was able to preach for the people of Dutihl last Sunday.

Rev. Howe has been sick for some time, every one was glad to see him back again. A very large crowd was present on Sunday.

Prof. Wolford, principal of the Evans City schools the past year and who is now teaching a summer term at the same place, was present at the social on Friday evening.

Mrs. Dr. Crawford made a trip to Pittsburg on Friday 22 inst.

The well on the John Headland farm has been completed. It is thought to be a good one.

Miss Hope Crawford gathered her young friends to the game of croquet which she appears to take great interest in. She is hard to beat on croquet so the young folks say.

Irwin Robinson made a flying trip to Butler on Monday of this week.

Dr. Beal of Mars feels bad that he did not get to the social on Friday evening.

Miss Carrie Kichler of Ogle is visiting friends in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bartley, Mrs. Seybert Geo. Bartley, John Kelley and Milton McGeary attended church at Mars on Sabbath evening. Dr. Knox the Presiding Elder preached.

HAVE A VERITABLE ZOO.

Ringling Bros.' Wonderful Display of Birds and Animals.

The superiority of Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows over similar organizations in the United States and Europe is demonstrated in many ways but in none more effectively than in its zoological department. Many shows carry menageries, but it has remained for Ringling Brothers to organize a complete zoological garden, in which every beast of the jungle and every fowl of the air is displayed with proper classification and in a manner to permit of careful study and comparison. The arrangement of the mammoth menagerie pavilion itself carries out the idea of a huge traveling Zoo. In the centre area are the led animals, including the most superb display of big and little elephants ever seen in this or any other country. This great triple herd pachyderms embraces twenty-five magnificent specimens of the African and Asiatic elephant, all of which have been carefully trained to preform many marvelous feats in which the accuracy and memory of these animal performers are put to a successful test. On one side of the great ellipse is the aviary. This is a notable departure in zoological displays. It is not merely a conventional display of the most familiar tropical birds, but a complete exposition of ornithology, in which almost every bird, from the humming-bird and macaw to the huge stork and ostrich, is shown in its proper family group. The bright plumage of the tropical birds elicits endless expressions of admiration, while the entire pavillion is filled with the melody of these feathered songsters probably no exhibition ever given in America has ever proved a greater attraction to the ladies and children among the patrons of this great show. The aquarium, which is also a new and novel feature, is notable for its remarkable collection of hippopotami, sea lions seals, Polar bears and other water-frequenting animals, and the huge tanks in which they are displayed are arranged in such a way, and with such characteristic environments, that it is easy to realize the conditions under which these strange animals exist in their native state. The children's menagerie has been augmented this year by a huge monkey den, fitted up as a play ground with a carroussel in the center, upon which the simians ride and gambol with delight to themselves and unlimited amusement to those who witness the almost human antics. Interest in the coming of this famous show to Butler May 18 is universal, and no small part of this interest has been aroused by the encomiums that have been fairly showered upon its unique zoological display.

German Baptists' (Dunkards') Annual Meeting, Naperville, Ill.

For the benefit of persons desiring to attend the Annual Meeting of the German Baptists (Dunkards) at Naperville, Ill., May 29 to June 7, 1898, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line west of Baltimore, Lancaster, Reading, and south of Sunbury, all inclusive, at rate of single fare for the round trip to Chicago plus $1.85 to Naperville; these tickets to be sold May 23, 24, 27, and 28 and good to return until June 24, except that on deposit of tickets with agent at Naperville on or before June 24, return limit may be extended to une 30.

BARN BUILDING.

If you intend building a house, barn or anything else, this summer, send to C. O. Campbell, Butler, Pa., contractor and builder, for estimates on material and labor.

—Music scholars wanted, at 128 W. Wayne St.

ACCIDENTS.

Mrs. W. J. Mates ran a rusty nail through her foot, while clearing off her garden a few days ago. The wound was very painful for a day or two, and blood poisoning was feared.

W. J. Campbell of Fairview twp. was thrown by a horse, Tuesday, but not seriously injured.

At Sarver Station, Monday morning, Wm. Ehrman's horse ran away, and spilled his milk.

CHURCH NOTES

Preaching services in the Summit Presbyterian church, next Sabbath evening.

On Tuesday evening, May 10th, Cuban war views will be exhibited in Buffalo Presbyterian church, Sarvers station.

Jefferson Township.

Chas. Parker and Milton Logan made a flying visit to Chicora this week.

Mrs Vide Amy and her daughter are visiting friends here this week.

Prof. L. M. Caldwell is home on a vacation. He has been Principal at the Homestead school for the past year.

Wm. Montag is recovering slowly.

J. O. Harbison went to Bennett last week

Miss Blanche Bartner accompanied by Miss Horton of Butler is home on a short visit.

Chas. Bachman and Miss Emma Montag were married Thursday April 28.

Miss Mattie Hazlett of Carbon Black and James Miller of Freeport were married Wednesday eve April, 27. She is a sister of Mrs. Cal Logan.

Mrs. Carrie Stroup is visiting friends at McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster entertained a number of friends at a Euchre Party one evening last week.

Miss Clara Johnston entertained a number of her friends Friday evening.

Ad Byerly visited friends in this section last week.

N. Sloup fell and had one of his limbs badly injured.

Mrs. Levi Logan is visiting friends in Allegheny.

Chas. A. Allshouse one of our boys left with Co. E last week.

Mrs. List is recovering slowly, A. List of Clinton twp., visited her this week.

Henry Bachman met with a serious loss on Monday morning, one of his horses fell through a floor and was killed.

Maharg.

Mrs. Ren. Douthett is getting along nicely but will not be home for 10 days yet.

David Dodd, mother is quite sick at present.

Homer Negley was home from Pittsburg on a visit, one day last week.

Will Martin's wife is a ble to be about again.

Mrs. Hutchison was able to call on her friends Saturday.

Our worthy blacksmith W. Phillips is fixing up his lot, and doing a fine lot of work in the shop.

If we had another weather prophet in the signal corps we might look for a snow storm.

So far the prospects for fruit are good.

Charley Graham's oldest child is improving.

O yes war is awful but it can't always be helped. There is honor in maintaining our flag.

The 10th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Philips was celebrated at their home on the 2nd inst. there were many nice and valuable presents given. May they live to enjoy many of those gatherings.

I wonder what Spain thinks of the toy ships of the Yankees now.

West Liberty.

The U. P. people of this place are remodeling their church. They have taken out the vestibule and filled the vacancy with seats, have built a platform for the choir, and expect to put on a new roof. Owing to this work the church was not ready for services on last Sabbath, but through the kindness of the M. E. people they were allowed to hold services in their church both morning and evening.

Rev. McCleaster announced preaching in this place on next Sabbath week at three o'clock in the afternoon because he intends to hold communion at "Old Slippery Rock" church in the forenoon of that day.

Mr. J. G. Thompson, who has been on the sick list for some time, is able to be about again.

Mr. Williams of Elliott Mills passed through town on Monday. He is hunting a good driving horse.

Miss Hockenbury is the guest of Mrs. Thompson this week.

Mr. McClymonds was home with hi family over Sabbath.

Mr. Newman is working for Mr. Thos. McNees.

Mrs. Plummer Badger of Prospect was the guest of Mrs. George Staff this week.

Messers Lynas Lilly, Frank Castor and Warren McDeavitt went fishing on Monday and came home, Oh! so tired with a big load of disappointment.

The farmers of this section have about all their oats sowed, and a good bit of their corn ground plowed.

Wm. Weigle is putting in a piece of corn for Miss Perry.

COPIA.

Tells All.

Dr. Humphrey's Manual, 100 pages, to be found at all Drug Stores, tells all about the treatment of diseases with Dr. Humphreys' Specifics.

A cloth bound copy in white and gold mailed free.

"77" checks the Grip and breaks up Colds that hang on; 25c; all druggists. Humphreys' Medicine Co., Cor. William & John Sts., New York.

K. G. E. Parade Day, Scranton.

For the benefit of persons desiring to witness the K. G. E. parade at Scranton, Pa., on May 10, 1898, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from stations on its line (except Pittsburg and Erie and stations east of Trenton, Bordentown, and Mt. Holly), to Scranton and return at rate of single fare for the round trip. These tickets will be sold May 9, and 10, good to return until May 11.

—Are you overworked and in need of rest and quiet? Hotel Rider, Cambridge Springs, is the place for you. All the comforts of home together with the best medicinal waters known. A week's sojourn will make you ten years younger. Write for circulars.

Four per cent Interest Paid

Your surplus earnings are safest if deposited with The Pittsburg Bank for Savings, No. 210 Fourth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

You can deposit by mail, as safely as in person. Write to the Bank for blanks and you will receive reply by mail.

The Pittsburg Bank of Savings pays 4 per cent. intereerest on time deposits. Do not keep your money where you draw no interest.

The Pittsburg Bank for Savings was founded in 1862 and has assets of over $3,100,000. Its depositors are thus amply protected.

It you want a Bicycle or your old one repaired go to White Walter & Co, largest stock in County. Bicycles for hire.

—For bargains in valuable and desirable residences inquire of Walker & McElvain.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Last week Judge Criswell, of Venango Co., decided that the bridge across the Allegheny river at Emlenton should be free. There were only three witnesses examined, when it was decided to leave the matter to a vote of the jurymen. The vote showed that all but two of them were in favor of making the bridge free, and the court so decided. The grand jury of Venango Co. has condemned the present jail, and recommended the erection of a new structure.

The Clinton country commissioners have appointed two men to serve as fire detectives. Their duties will be to ferret out all persons who wilfully or maliciously set fire to the woods in that county.

Mercer county has established a custom in regard to its jail prisoners which should be adopted by every county in the State. The commissioners have erected a large building in the court yard and each prisoner is compelled to break so much limestone each day and those who refuse to work receive no food.

A day or two ago some gentlemen from the country called at the confectionery and bakery of William C. Robinson, in New Castle, and displayed a mammoth egg which the man said had been laid by one of his common barn yard hens. The egg was a very large one, in fact, it weighed exactly as much as three ordinary chicken eggs. Mr. Robinson at once bought the egg and displayed it with a card giving the weight, size, etc., of the alleged curiosity. A great many people stopped to look at it, and now the general verdict is that the egg was laid by the wife of a well known gander that resides and does business in Shenango township. At any rate a jury composed of 12 reputable poultry fanciers have "set" upon that chicken egg and have brought forth a goose egg.—"Guardian."

Joshua Caldwell, a farmer of near Clarks Mills, Mercer Co., was found dead Thursday morning. He lived with his son, and the latter in opposition to his father's wishes enlisted in the National Guard and departed for Mt. Gretna. The father, who is 80 years of age, was heart broken, and when found lay with a photograph of the boy pressed against his breast.

Butler County Pomona Grange.

Butler County Pomona Grange, No. 17 P. of H., will meet at Concord Grange Hall, in Middletown, Thursday, June 2, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. All fourth degree members are invited to attend. There will be an evening session when the fifth degree will be conferred in full form.

By order of Committee.

H. BOOK, Master.
W. H. CAMPBELL, Sec'y.

Jacksville.

Corn planting is next in order.

There are great promises for a peach crop in this vicinity.

A. Stickle is making repairs on his new property on South Main st.

Miss Fanny McBride of New Castle is visiting friends in this vicinity.

W. H. Pizor and Frank Wimer will each erect a barn this summer.

Our patrotic citizens were glad to hear of the defeat of the Spanish vessels, we think this is a righteous war and right will certainly prevail in the end.

I. L. Dight our new blacksmith is having a good trade, give him a call.

Isaac Studebaker and wife and Mr. and Mrs Hindman of New Castle visited friends near here over Sabbath.

M.

—Ask your physician if he does not think a sojourn at Cambridge Springs would do you good. If you need rest and nature's tonic, good mineral water, he will answer, "Yes." Hotel Rider offers accomodations equal to the best. Send for circulars.

—Job work of all kinds done at the CITIZEN OFFICE.

—It costs over $7,400 a day to operate Ringling Bros.' enormous exhibition. This is, in itself, a proof of the immensity of the institution.

Fix Up Your Garden

Give me a chance at your seeds in g and gardening.
JOHN GILGHRIST. North of West Pearl st.

—New Spring and Summer goods arriving every day (prices much BELOW LAST YEARS PRICES,) at The Peoples Store.

Bicycles.

—See Findley the Photographer before buying a wheel. He will save you some money on it.
Post Office Building.

Laughing Babies

Are those who take Hoxsie's C. C. C. for coughs, colds and croup. No opium to stupefy, no ipecac to nauseate. 5 cents.

For Sale.

House and lot on Lincoln ave., near Plate Works, at a sacrifice as owner in tends moving away. Lot 40x125 three-roomed house, title good Inquire at this office

Any of our readers needing gas stoves or gas ranges, gas fronts or any gas saving appliance will find it a financial saving to call at the store of W. H. O'Brien & Son, on East Jefferson St. and get prices on the extensive line they have on exhibition. They are also agents for the celebrated Welsbach Light, of which more than 1200 were old in Butler, last year.

Of Interest to You.

Parties wishing to engage in the livery business, call on Walker & McElvain for location and outfit.

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Tippecanoe Rye	60	2 25
Old Cabinet half Malt	75	2 50
Bridgeport Pure Rye	1 00	3 50
Thompson's 6 year old	1 00	3 50
Andriesson's Best	1 50	5 50

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OIL NOTES.

Both agencies are paying 71 cents for oil this morning.

BUFFALO—The Butler Gas Co., Pittsburg Plate Glass Co. and I. W. Philips are all drilling for gas in Buffalo twp. near Ekastown.

WASHINGTON TWP—Jack Walker & Co's well on the T. H. Heenan was completed, Tuesday.

MAGIC—Vance & Frantz finished a hole for McGill & Nichols on the Brown heirs last week that will make a fair well, also one on the Byers. Two more wells are going down on the Brown heirs, and Paul Troutman has a new rig up on his farm.

LEGAL ADVERTISMENTS.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the will of Richard G. Nelson, late of Middlesex township, Butler county, Pennsylvania, dec'd., having been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Executors thereof. Therefore all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of said deceased are requested to make speedy payment, and those having claims against said estate can present them properly authenticated for settlement to

H. M. PARKS,
T. A. PARKS, Executors.
E. McJunkin Att'y. Glade Mills, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Jane Cranmer, dec'd, (widow of Israel Cranmer, dec'd.,) late of Centre twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

J. D. MCJUNKIN, Ex'r.,
Butler, Pa.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Robert Trimble, Esq., dec'd., late of Middlesex twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

S. C. TRIMBLE,
Flick P. O.,
W. A. DENNY, Butler Co., Pa
Executors,
McJunkin & Galbreath, Att'ys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration C. T. A., having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of John P. Roll, dec'd., late of Cranberry twp., Butler Co., Pa; all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

ROBERT M. ROLL, Adm'r.
Thorn Hill, Pa.
WILLIAMS & MITCHELL, Att'ys.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order and decree of the Orphans' Court in and for the County of Butler and State of Pennsylvania to us the undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of Richard G. Nelson, deceased, directed, we will offer for sale at public auction on the premises at one o'clock P. M., of

THURSDAY, JUNE 2nd, 1898,

All that certain farm and tract of land situate in Middlesex township, County and State aforesaid, and bounded on the north by lands of McCastlin's heirs, on the east bounded by lands of T. A. and H. M. Parks, on the south bounded by lands of Mrs. Minnie Lee and on the west bounded by lands of Alford R. Nelson, John Riffley and Parks' heirs, containing eighty-two acres of land, more or less, as per draft and survey of F. E. McQuistion Esq., dated Feb., 1898; about sixty acres thereof cleared, fenced and cultivated, balance woodland, three small producing oil wells, small board dwelling house and several good springs of water thereon. This farm is located in a good neighborhood and is in all respects a valuable and desirable property. Title good.

TERMS—Cash on confirmation of sale and delivery of deed to purchaser.

H. M. PARKS, and
T. A. PARKS, Executors,
Glade Mills, Butler Co., Pa.
E. McJunkin, Att'y.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

In pursuance of an order and decree of the Orphans Court in and for the County of Butler, and State of Pennsylvania, to me the undersigned directed, I will offer for sale at public vendue, on the premises at one o'clock p. m., on

SATURDAY, MAY 28th, 1898,

All that certain lot of ground situate in the borough of Valencia, in the township of Adams, County and State aforesaid, bounded on the northwest by Almira street 162 and 2-10 feet, on the northeast bounded by land of Dr. S. O. Sterrett 150 feet, on the southeast bounded by lot of Miss Snow 142 and 5-10 feet, and on the southwest bounded by a street 151 feet, being three lots lying together in said borough, located and marked by said Dr. S. O. Sterrett out of his larger tract of land, having a frame dwelling house, outbuildings and water well thereon.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash on confirmation of sale and delivering deed to purchaser. Title good.

EDGAR COWAN, Adm'r of
Mrs. Almira Cowan, dec'd, Valencia, Pa.
E. McJUNKIN, Att'y.

Notice in Divorce.

Margaret Ellen Garlach vs. Jacob Henry Garlach	In the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa. A. D. No. 25, Dec. term 1897.

To Jacob Henry Garlach:—

Two subpoenas having been returned N. E. I. You, the said Jacob Henry Garlach, above named defendant are hereby required to appear in said Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa., to be held at Butler, Pa., on Monday the 6th day of June 1898, being the first day of next term of Court to answer the said complaint and show cause, if any you have, why a Divorce Absolute from the bonds of Matrimony should not be granted to the said Margaret Ellen Garlach.

You are also hereby notified that testimony in above case will be taken before the said Court on Tuesday, the 7th day of June, at which time and place you are notified to attend.

WILLIAM B. DODDS, Sheriff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary, C. T. A., on the estate of Newton Lurting, dec'd., late of Adams twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

ELIZA E. LURTING Adm'x.,
Mars, Butler Co., Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John M. McBride, dec'd, late of Middlesex twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

JOHN FERGUSON, Ex'r.,
Bakerstown, Pa,
E. McJunkin & J. M. Galbreath, Att'ys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Harper Campbell, dec'd., late of Washington twp., Butler county, Pa. having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

ELLA CAMPBELL,
C. A. MORRIS,
Administrators.
North Hope Pa.
W. A. and F. Forquer, attorneys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Moses Thompson Esq. dec'd, late of Centre twp Butler Co. Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

WILLIAM ALLISON, Ex'r.
Butler, Pa.
Painter & Murrin att'ys.

GOOD FARM FOR SALE.

The Ford farm in Donegal twp., near Millerstown is for sale. It contains about 150 acres, is well watered and in good condition. For terms inquire of a his office.

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We hope will merit your patronage. Ours is not the only store in Butler, but we do try to make it such a place to buy your drugs and medicine as to win your confidence and secure your patronage. Do not come to our store for cheap drugs. We don't keep them. Nothing but the best finds a place in our store and every article bearing our name is guaranteed to be just as represented or you can get your money back. We buy the best, sell the best, keep the best and recommend the best. It is this method that has brought to our store a large and desirable patronage. If you have never dealt at our store we would be pleased to have you call. We try to keep everything that is likely to be called for in our line, but if we should not have what you want we will frankly tell you so and will be pleased to get it for you at the earliest possible moment. We give you what you want. No substitutions permitted. Let us fill your prescriptions. Respectfully,

C. N. Boyd, DRUGGIST.
Diamond Block, Butler, Pa.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

By virtue of an alias order and decree of Orphans' Court of Butler Co., Pa., made at No. 20, March term, 1898, of said Court, the undersigned administrator of the estate of James Criswell, late of Adams twp., county and state aforesaid, dec'd., will offer for sale at public vendue on the premises on

SATURDAY, MAY 28, 1898,

at 1 o'clock p. m., of said day, all that certain tract of land situated in Adams twp., Butler Co., state of Pennsylvania, bounded north by lands of Coovert heirs and Samuel Park, east by land of Samuel Park and Dr. S. O. Sterrett, south by land of John Barr and Wm. Purvis, and west by lands of T. W. Kennedy's heirs; Newton Lerting and Coovert heirs, containing 154 acres, more or less; with 2 frame dwelling houses, one nearly new; good bank barn and outbuildings, 2 orchards. Land situated ¼ mile from Mars and ¼ mile from Downeyville on P. & W. Ry. Convenient to churches and schools. Land in good condition and well watered, well adapted to either stock-raising or general farming purposes, supposed to be oil and gas territory if developed.

TERMS OF SALE—One half of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale by the Court and the other half in one year thereafter, with interest, to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, with usual waivers and attorney's commission.

ROBERT KIDD, Adm'r.
Myoma, Pa.
McJunkin & Galbreath, Atty's., Butler, Pa.

Notice of Inquest in Partition.

In the matter of the petition of Rebecca Barr for partition. In the Orphans' Court of Butler County, Pa., No. 71, March Term, 1898.

February 10, 1898, petition of Rebecca Barr, a daughter