

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTE—All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads should notify us of their intention to do so no later than Monday morning.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Circus day.

The elephant is in town today.

Nature has arranged things so wisely that a man can neither put his own back or kick himself.

Seven openings have been lately made in the paving of W. Cunningham street to get at gas leaks. A great pity.

Forty tons of Armstrong's Diptheria and Quinsy Drops now grace the show-window of C. N. Boyd's drug store.

"Spraye Von Hott" is the florists name for the white-flowered bushes now in bloom in some gardens. They are very pretty.

School boys intending to be vaccinated should wash their left arms, and not the right one, as did a little boy a few days ago.

A new board walk is being built on the steep hillside road leading from Main street to the cemetery, a much needed improvement.

The blowing oil well in Clearfield township, near Coyleville, has caused a great many leases to be taken up in that vicinity during the past few days.

The A. & W. R. Co. has four hundred men at work between the Allegheny river and Eldenan, and expect to have the new road completed in July.

W. H. Wilson of Slippery Rock will build a fine brick block in that town, to include a hotel, banking room and drug store, and a Butler man has secured the contract.

White, Walter & Co. have a lot of '99 Model bicycles, that they want to close out at once, and name some prices in another column that should make them go.

The borough officials should see that the parties making the south end of the plank road bridge a dumping ground for all sorts of rubbish stop it and abate the nuisance.

Centre Ave. at the junction of Fairview was crowded, Monday evening, to hear the enjoyable concert given by the Maccahee's Band. Butler people appreciate good music.

The house of Alfred Gibson, in Buffalo township, near Freeport, was burned last Sunday morning. It caught from the kitchen. Some of the household goods were saved. Mr. Gibson carried a small insurance in the Hannahstown Mutual.

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W. J. Roxberry has gone to work at Poland, Pa.

Elias Schreth of Jefferson twp. was in town Tuesday.

Alexander Stewart, Agent of Prospect was in town Monday.

Leola P. Pollard has secured a pension of \$10 per month.

Charles Parks of Connoquenessing was in town Tuesday.

A boy wants a place on a farm this summer. Inquire at this office.

Harvey L. Gibson, of Brady twp. is on a business visit to the Seib oil field.

A Brown Critchlow of Evans City was a juror this week, but asked to be excused from those duties.

D. C. Sanderson is building an addition to Mrs. Elizabeth Wolford's house in Prospect.

J. H. Flor and J. H. Morrow, of Coledale twp. were in Butler on business, Saturday.

Kenneth C. Ails, bridge inspector of the P. & W. Railroad, is about to locate at Butler.

Prof. Fred Breed, principal of the Reynoldsville Pa. schools, is home for the summer vacation.

R. R. Hindman of W. Sunbury and Henry Landenslager of Carbon Black were in town Tuesday.

S. F. McVay and wife, and Mrs. J. D. Bell, all of Wilkingsburg, are visiting W. S. McVay, the newsmen.

Dr. Peters and wife have returned from a visit to the Soldiers' Home, where he was attending medical college.

Harvey Turner and family, of Butler, Pa., are enjoying a two weeks visit with relatives in Butler county.

Rev. Streeter of Oklahoma is visiting relatives in Butler with his new location. He is well pleased with his new location.

Dan McCrea won first prize at the chess tournament at Butler on Tuesday afternoon, and is wearing the \$100 medal.

W. H. Witte of Sarver Station has lately acquired a new dog, and has now and then furnish his neighbors with fresh meat.

Misses Myrtle White, Nellie Scott and Elizabeth Veitch, of Hilliards, visited in Butler on Tuesday.

James A. McDowell is building two large cisterns on the J. S. Campbell farm, near the school, for securing water for family and stock uses.

The following persons have just enrolled as students of the Butler Business College: Mr. A. J. Shivers, Mr. E. J. Adams, Mr. Chas. M. Smith, Mr. E. J. Frederick, Herman, Mr. C. V. Shepard, Petrolin.

Hon. W. B. Brahm, of Harrisville, attended to his business in Butler last Friday. Mr. Brahm is pretty well up in years now, and takes things easy, and is not early in bed, but he is a big, fat fellow, of light complexion, and he is a Republican; while Wolf is smaller and darker in complexion, and he is a Democrat, and both are well runned the big hotel in Millersville.

Gus. Hoch in Lack area. He has another big oil well, this time in Clearfield twp., and is worth \$100,000. The two Hoch brothers are named A. and A. A. A. stands for Augustus and Andy August, all the rest of the island school children's scrap.

John T. Martin to Huldah Spahr, 39 acres in Buffalo for \$1000.

W. C. Stoops to W. F. Greene 3 acres in Franklin for \$100.

E. H. Osterling to Sarah Greene 3 acres in Franklin for \$200.

Robt. D. Kelly to Peter N. Block 50 acres in Fairview twp. for \$300.

Martin Schweitzer, gdn., to Samuel Petersing 50 acres in Buffalo for \$200.

Vogley Heir to the land Plat Glass Co. lot at Delano for \$75.

W. S. Hindman to P. B. & L. E. R. lot in Branchburg for \$100.

W. J. & W. McKee of Butler to E. J. Evans & Co. 100 acres in Penn for \$700.

Marriage Licenses.

Noble Montgomery, ... Dongald twp. Elizabeth Greer, ...

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Clark W. Hoon, ... Oakland twp. Emily A. Patton, ...

Albert Heath, ... Chestnut at Pittsburg, C. A. Butler of Natrona and Colin B. Duerr of Sarverville.

At Kittinging May 9, Robert I. Fleck of Coyleville and Nora Bell Yockey of Worthington.

At Pittsburg—Thos. M. Smith of Baldwin and Julia A. Seaton of Pittsburg.

Stop-Overs at Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington on Penn. Road Through Tickets.

In addition to its excellent train service, the Pennsylvania Railroad offers the traveler leaving New York and Chicago, and New York and St. Louis the privilege of a stop-over of ten days in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. This stop-over is granted on all through first-class tickets reading via those cities. Persons desiring to stop-over must deposit their ticket with the station agent immediately on arrival.

To those who have business to transact in these cities, or to persons who have never visited the National Capital, this privilege is a valuable one, and should appeal to all through travelers from New York and the West, and Chicago and the East, who use the stations of the Pennsylvania Railroad are centrally located in Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, and are either the regular street car lines or the Pennsylvania Railroad cars, and are found at the Philadelphia and Washington stations.

Decorations Day.

Excursion tickets between all stations on line of the P. & W. E. R. R. will be on sale May 29 and 30, at one fare for the round trip, on account of Decoration Day. Returns limit May 31.

National Peace Jubilee—Washington.

On account of the National Peace Jubilee, to be held at Washington, D. C. May 31, 32, and 33, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations to Washington at rate of single fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold May 22 and 23, good to return within ten days from date of sale when properly validated by the agent at Washington.

A. Ruff & Son with their characteristic enterprise have