THE CITIZEN.

THURSDY, JUNE 15, 1899.

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.

Bickel's shoes.
House and lot for sale.
C. & T's furniture.
Excursions.
Horses Wanted.
Findley's Photos.
Kirkpatrick's bikes.

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.

—No Sunday train to the lake.

—The crop prospects in this county are good.

—Debate at W. Sunbury, next Tuesday evening.

—The Fourth of July will soon be on the firing line.

—The law requiring all loose stones to be removed from the roads is a wise one.

—Lawn fete on Geo. Shaffner's lawn in Springdale this evening. Benefit of Hose Co.

—The "Love Birds" lists in the city and country papers are unusually long at present.

—Steele's clocks are good, and are given as prizes. See adv. of The Surprise Store.

—The preachers all say that Butler is a beautiful town. Preachers, as a rule, are sensible men.

—Our new catalogue can be had for the asking. Butler Business College. A. F. Regal, Prin.

—The State Inspector ordered the the killing of eight diseased cows near Millerstown, lately.

—There is a penalty for taking plants or flowers that have been placed on graves in cemeteries.

—There were about 45 applications for the five vacancies in the list of teachers of Butler.

—The dates of the Pennsylvannia seashore excursions are July 6 and 20, and August 3 and 17—all Thursdays.

—Officials of the Standard Oil Co. are inspecting their vast properties in Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

—All the Sunday Schools of the 11th district will hold a picnic at Saxon Station on the 4th of July, beginning at 9:30 a m.

—Scientists tell us the way to sleep is to think of nothing. An easier way to get to sleep, and a good one, is to think it is time to get up.

—People who complain of the noise of hand-organs ought to think of the poor grinder, who has to listen to his own music all the time.

—The large, green pine apples on sale at Reiber's grocery this week are the best raised in Florida, and retail here at 75 cents each.

—The question today is, are there more Butler people at Conneaut Lake taking in the big Firemen's picnic than there are at home in Butler.

—Quite a number of our people went down to the picnic at Hannahstown, Sunday. Some drove, and they found the road in excellent condition.

—Dr. Zimmerman has moved his office and his old sign to the Heineman building. He and his sign celebrated their silver wedding some years ago.

—At the meeting of the Odontological society in Butler, Tuesday, Edith W. Sloan, a female dentist of East Liverpool, O., was admitted to membership.

—The little colored man, who drops from the Sparks Bros'. balloon, does it for a dollar a drop and that other fellow puts his head in the lion's mouth gets $2 a put.

—The 3-mile road race around the Fair Ground, Tuesday evening, was won by Elmer Hartzell—time 10½ minutes. A week or two ago a bicycle could not have gone over that road in much less than 10½ hours.

—Extremes meet in the columns of a newspaper. Twenty-five deaths from heat were reported in one column the other day, and the next one told of a hundred deaths from freezing, drowning and starvation in the Yukon gold fields.

—Fifty dentists attended the quarterly meeting of the Odontological Society of Western Pennsylvania in the Hotel Willard and Dr. Jackson's office Tuesday afternoon and evening. A large number of Pittsburg dentists rode out on their wheels.

—The Maccabees elected the following officers Saturday night:—Commander, Harry L. Graham; Lieut. Com., J. H. Powell; Sergeant, W. G. Young; Chaplain, E. L. Stewart; Master at Arms, J. M. Wick; 1st M. of Guard, R. T. Parkin; 2d, H. A. Dickey; Sentinel, B. M. Price; Picket, W. C. Findley.

—The "Sparks Bros." show, now owned by John Wiseman, formerly of Butler, and his younger brother, exhibited to large audiences in Butler, last Friday and Saturday, and gave unusual satisfaction. The excellence of their performances and their moderate admission fee crowded their big tent four times in Butler; and the whole town flocked to see the ball oon ascensions.

—New Richmond, Wis., the scene of the terrible storm of Tuesday, is located on a branch of the Mississippi river, about forty miles northeast of St. Paul, Minn; and Herman, Neb., the scene of the other tornado, is about thirty miles north of Omaha.

At New Richmond the wounded found temporary asylums in the uninjured dwellings on either side of the path of devastation, where doctors and nurses from nearby cities and towns did heroic work without sleep or rest. As many as possible of the injured whose chances for recovery are considered good were sent to the hospitals at St. Paul and Minneapolis, where they will have better care.

Over 100 corpses, twice as many mangled people, 40 acres of piles of bricks, shivered planks, scattered heaps of household goods, dead horses, through which the wind had driven sharp splinters of board, smoldering fires where houses stood, and in the midst of it all trees as bare of leaves as ever they were in the middle of winter and for the most part stripped bare of bark—this is what the storm wrought in three minutes upon the town of New Richmond. In the business portion of the town absolutely not one building was left standing above the cellar windows; everything above a foundation wall was shaved as clean as though it had been cut with a plane.

New Teachers.

At the meeting of the School Board for the election of teachers Monday night, the following were re-elected to their old positions: John A. Gibson, Supt.; V. K. Irvin, principal of High School; Adelaide K. Robinson, Ella Purvis, Frances G. Wick and Louisa C. Campbell, High School instructors; Loyal F. Hall, principal of Springdale school; Anna B. Cummings, principal of McKean and Broad streets schools, and Emily Brittain, of Jefferson street school; Mrs. E. K. Colbert, musical director; and the following teachers: Rolla H. McQuistion, Edna S. Bailey, Minnie McCandless, Mabel C. Smith, Bertha Donaldson, Clara Cornelius, Florence Cornelius, Anna H. Brown, Ray Redic, Vina McCollough, Emma McElvain, Violet Bard, Libbie Smith, Marie I. Kelly, Rose E. McNeese, Sarah Black, Katheryn E. Giering, Etta Johnston, Margt. Graham, May Kreps, Grace Wick, Emma L. Cromm, Mary C. O'Brien, Harriet Bartley, Nettie Frasier, Gertrude Siebert, Clara Heck, Minnie Thompson, Ella Coulter, Maud Evans, Ada C. Gumpher, Alice M. Dieffenbacher and Elvia Coe.

The new teachers are Mary Butterfield, of Karns City, who has been teaching in Muddycreek township; Grace Crawford, daughter of Dr. Elder Crawford, of Cranberry township; Hattie Hartung, primary teacher of Harmony; Kathryn McKinley, of Butler, Anna Thompson and Rose McNany, both of whom were substitute teachers last term and Margt. Breed.

The following substitute teachers were elected: Martha Loveless, Grace Reynolds, Lillian M. Williamson, and Buelah Reynolds, all of Butler.

There are forty-nine teachers and four substituter

SCHOOL DIRECTORS.

The following committees were appointed by Pres. J. B. McJunkin.

BUILDING.

Lev McQuistion, C. F. L. McQuistion, Milt. Shanor.

HIGH SCHOOL.

C. M. Heineman, A. G. Williams, Louis R. Schmertz.

SUPPLIES.

W. T. Mechling, C. F. L. McQuistion, M. Shanor.

TEXT BOOKS.

Dr. Headland, L. McQuistion, A. C. Anderson.

REPAIRS.

T. M. Baker, D. E. Dale, J. M. Maxwell.

GROUNDS.

Dale, C. F. L. McQuistion, Maxwell.

EXONERATIONS.

Anderson, Heineman, Mechling.

GAS, WATER AND INSURANCE

Schmertz, Williams, Krug.

DISCIPLINE.

Williams, McCandless, Headland.

FINANCE.

McCandless, Baker and Krug.

The school tax was reduced from 13 to 10 mills for the coming year.

The Directors meet this evening again to fix the teachers' salaries and elect janitors. There are a large number of applicants for the janitorships.

—Lauly Walker, son of J. L., of the Model, will open a first class tobacco store on Centre avenue, between the P. & W. and Bessie railroads, Saturday.

—June 6th is the Annual Memorial Day of the Woodmen, but they put it off until Sunday the 11th, when they had a fine parade here, with a hundred and fifty men in line. They decorated their graves in both cemeteries, with beautiful wreaths. Rev. Oller spoke in the south cemetery, and Rev. Barlow in the North.

—Australia, in the person of "Lankey Bob" Fitzsimmons, the blacksmith, was "knocked-out" or "put to sleep" at Coney Island, last Friday night, by "Jim" Jeffries, the boiler-maker, of the United States in general and Los Angelos, Cal. in particular. Most of the betting done in Butler was 2 to 1 in Fitz's favor and some of our sporty men dropped nice wads. The fact that Jeffries had attached to him the Christian name of James make applicable to the affair the little couplet which one of the most shining stars of the American stage of latter days, used to sing before the meeting of Fitzsimmons and Corbett: "But then when they put on the mitts Will Fitz have Jim or Jim have Fitz?"

Borough Affairs.

The Re-capitulation of the Borough Auditors for the year ending March 13 last is as follows:

LIABILITIES.

Bonded Indebtedness	$88500 00
Outstanding Warrants	4081 01
John S. Jack, Collector, 1897	39 37
Total	$92620 38

RESOURCES.

Due from John S. Jack, Collector, 1898	$ 5930 30
Due on paving accounts	8126 32
Due on sewer accounts	2465 65
Balance in treasury	1125 65
Liabilities over Resources	74972 46
Total	$92620 38

County Institutes.

There were six applications for Farmers' Institutes this year, and the Board selected three as follows—Evans City, Portersville and North Washington, and will ask the State Board or District Deputy for the dates Dec. 11 and 12, 13 and 14 and 15 and 16.

The numerous applications show the interest now taken in this work.

Railroad Notes.

On Wednesday evening, June 7, 1899, the last rail on the Allegheny & Western railroad, from Punxsutawney to the Allegheny river, was laid. The track on this side of the river is fully completed from Punxsutawney to Dayton, and now that all the rails are laid the work of ballasting, etc., the road from Dayton to the river will be speedily finished. The construction train runs right up to the great bridge over the Allegheny river.

On the west side the track has been laid through the tunnel east of Buffalo creek, and in all probability the track will be finished to the river by July 1. Then, just as soon as the last span of the bridge is swung into place, trains can run over it, as the work of finishing the bridge can be completed after trains are passing over it. In six weeks or two months Dayton people will be enjoying the novelty of railroad excursions—Kittanning Times.

Commencement at Grove City.

The faculty have issued the following interesting program:

Sunday, June 18, 8 p. m.—Baccalaureate sermon by the President in Presbyterian church.

Monday, June 19, 8 p. m.—Graduation of the Seniors of the Music Department in College chapel.

Tuesday, June 20, from 9 a. m., to 10 a. m. and from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m.—Art Reception in Studio.

Tuesday, June 20, 10 a. m.—Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees.

Tuesday, June 20, 8 p. m. Reception by President and Mrs. Ketler in honor of Class of '99.

Tuesday, June 20, 8 p. m.—Reunion and Banquet of the Philokalian club.

Wednesday, June 21, 10:30 a. m. and 2 p. m.—Graduation of the Class of '99 in the College Park

Wednesday evening, June 21, 8. p. m. The celebrated opera, "Martha" under the auspices of the Schubert club.

Two great games of base ball will be played on Tuesday and Wednesday, between the college team and the famous D. C. & A. C. team of Pittsburg.

The Class of '99 numbers fifty. Forty-two are literary, six musical and two art students.

The year just closing has been one of the most prosperous in the history of the college. Four hundred students have been in attendance the present session. Six hundred and forty-eight different students have been enrolled during the year, which is twenty-eight more than last year.

PERSONAL.

R. N. Emery, of Chicora, was in town, Tuesday.

M. Sullivan, Esq. of Bradford is home on a visit.

Forest Huff sang at Highland Park, last Sunday.

J. S. Campbell, Esq. of Cherry twp. was in town, Tuesday.

H. D. Negley has permanently located in E. E. Pittsburg.

Miss Mamie Howe is visiting her grandfather, L. Z. Mitchell.

Wm. Fielding, of Wick, had his pension increased from $6 to $8.

Supd't Wright of the Water Co. has returned from a western trip.

John W. McNaughton, of Washington twp., was in town Monday.

Miss Adelie Crane is visiting her sister, Miss Georgie, at Meadville.

A. B. Gibson of Allegheny twp. was in town last Friday on business.

Miss Keil, of Allegheny, is the guest of Miss Haffner, of N. McKean street.

Carl Leighner will play with George's Orchestra, at Bedford Springs, this summer

C. N. Boyd, the druggist, attended a convention of druggists, in Phila., this week.

A. T. Black and Ira McJunkin have formed a partnership in the legal business.

J. N. Muntz and family, have already gone to their summer home at Conneaut Lake.

Wesley Monks and wife of Middlesex twp. spent Wednesday with Butler friends.

Captain McJunkin attended the funeral of Harry Boston, at New Castle, Monday.

Ira McJunkin Esq. attended a reunion of his classmates at the Naval Academy last week.

Linn Caldwell has secured the principalship of the ten schools at Riverside, Allegheny Co.

James A. Thompson of Butler twp., visited friends in the northern part of the county last week.

Miss Jennie McElvain leaves town today for a visit to friends in Petoskey, in northern Michigan.

Chas. J. Burckhalter, of Butler, has been one of the Slipperyrock Signal's typographical force since Monday.

Miss Jennie Noble of Armstrong Co. is visiting at the homes of J. M. Crookshank and J. M. Painter, in Winfield twp.

Roy Christley was up at Emlenton, over Sunday. The people of that town will never get done talking about that hailstorm.

A. G. Campbell of Washington twp. was in Butler, Tuesday, arranging for a period of rest at Cambridge Springs to recuperate his health.

Dr. C. R. Moore of St. Petersburg and his son, Dr. Ed Moore of Wilkinsburg were guests of John W. Coulter during the Odontological Society's meeting.

Orie Dumbaugh, S. O. McElree, Wm. Doutt, John Nolshiem, and Mr. Dufford have erected new dwelling houses in Connoquenessing during the past twelve months.

Mrs. Thomas Vandyke of near Clintonville was 90 years of age last Saturday and was given a birthday party by her relatives. She has lately been living with her daughter, Mrs. Coast.

O. W. Hays, one of the most recent graduates of the Butler Business College, and the most rapid calculator the institution has ever turned out, has just accepted a splendid position, as bookkeeper for a large firm in Allegheny.

Prof. Fred W. Breed of this place was notified, last week, that he had been elected principal of the Kane, Pa. High School, at a very nice salary. There were about fifty applicants for the position. During the last term Mr. Breed held a similar position at Reynoldsville, Pa.

James Jefferies, the new champion of the prize-ring, (like all other great men) is a native of Ohio, but removed to California in his early youth and learned to make boilers. During his boyhood he showed an aptitude for punching, went into the business, and now, at the early age of 25, has reached the topmost rung of fame in that line.

Harry Allen, a traveling liquor salesman of Pittsburg, while driving from Evans City to Connoquenessing, Friday, lost a pocketbook containing $60 and several checks. William Jenkins of Evans City found it next morning, saw to whom it belonged, and a telephone message to Pittsburg soon informed Mr. Kelley the lost was found.

CHURCH NOTES.

The Ninth Annual Convention of the Allegheny district of the Epworth League was held in the First M. E. Church, Thursday and Friday. About seventy-five delegates from neighboring towns and cities attended the convention which was conducted by Pres. John A. Rosenthal. The farewell services at noon Friday were conducted by Rev. J. W. G. Fast of Emsworth, a young minister of unusual ability. Sharpsburg delegates asked that next year's convention meet in that town.

At the meeting of the English Lutheran congregation last Sunday evening the resignation of Rev. D. Luther Roth was accepted, and he will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday.

The new chapel of St. Fidele's College at Herman was dedicated last Tuesday, Bishop Phelan delivering the sermon. On Monday a class of a hundred boys were confirmed.

A thousand people attended the dedication of the new Chapel at Herman, Tuesday.

Butler U. P. Presbytery, met at Brownsdale, Tuesday. D. D. Dodds gave trial sermons, and was ordained.

Annual Excursions to Atlantic City and other Atlantic Coast Resorts via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Thursdays, July 6 and 20, and August 3 and 17, are the dates of the Pennsylvania Railroad annual low-rate excursions for 1899 to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., or Ocean City, Md.

Tickets good to return within fifteen days, including date of excursion.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on above-mentioned dates at 8.55 A. M., arriving at Altoona 12.15 P.M., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia 6.25 P.M. and arriving ATLANTIC CITY, via the Delaware River Bridge route, the only all-rail line, at 8.40 P.M. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by any regular train from Market Street Wharf or Broad Street Station on the following day.

A stop-over of ten days will also be allowed at Philadelphia on the going trip, if passengers will deposit their tickets with the Ticket Agent at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, immediately on arrival.

Tickets will be sold from the stations at the rates named below:—

	Rate.	Train leaves
Pittsburg	$10.00	8.55 A M.
Tarentum	10.00	7.34 "
Natrona	10.00	7.39 "
Butler	10.00	6.25 "
Freeport	10.00	7.49 "
Altoona (dinner)	8.00	12.35 P.M.
Philadelphia...Arrive		6.25 "
Atlantic City..Arrive		8.40 "

Tickets will also be good on regular trains leaving Pittsburg at 4.50 and 8.30 P.M., carrying sleeping cars to Philadelphia, and 7.05 P.M., carrying Pullman sleeping cars through to Atlantic City.

For detailed information in regard to rates and time of trains apply to ticket agents or Mr. Thomas E. Watt, District Passenger Agent, Pittsburg.

For Rent.

Office room in CITIZEN building. Cheap. Inquire here.

LEGAL NEWS.

NEW SUITS

The P. & W. R. R. Co. has filed indemnity bond in $3000, to guarantee payment to Lewis Gantz and Robt. Ash of damages for entering on their lands in Evans City.

J. C. Elliot vs A. C. and E. E. Price, Renfrew machinists, trespass for $1000 damages for keeping and selling 1350 feet of oil well casing claimed by the plaintiff.

Sirisah Adams by Attorney Bowser has filed a bill in equity against G. G. Stage which promises to be unusual and interesting. Stage has Mrs. Adams farm of 17 acres in Middlesex twp. leased for oil and gas. There is one producing well an the east corner of the farm. There are a number of wells on the surrounding Gilloway, Bartley and Nancy Adams farms, near the plaintiff's line and which she claims are draining the oil out from under her farm. The suit is brought to force Stage to drill another well and to pay for oil drained away from the plf's. farm.

NOTES.

A charter has been granted to the Penna. Flush Tank Co. organized with a capital stock of $8000 to manufacture and sell flush tank sewer traps and automatic syphons. C. F. L. McQustion, Joseph W. Graham, Andrew McCollough, W. J. McDowell, J. G. Stamm, Delmer Reed, J. S. Young, Fred Glass, and Lev McQuistion are the stockholders.

The will of Thomas Cratty dec'd of Franklin twp. has been probated no letters.

The will of Geo. W. Painter, dec'd, of Buffalo twp., has been probated, no letters.

Last Friday was the day fixed by the law for the Assessors to return the number of school-children; and also the births and deaths of the preceeding six months.

The will of Fredrick S. Dambaugh of Forward twp. has been probated, and letters granted to Adelia Peffer.

A motion for a new trial has been made in the trespass suit of Thos. Robinson vs the Penna R. R. Co.

The Penn'a. R. R. has appealed the McCafferty damage suit to the Supreme Court.

The Court ordered the Shull and Diamond families, who plead guilty to keeping a disorderly house, to enter recog. in $300 in each case for appearance at the September term.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Peter Morrison to Hugh Morrison, quit claim to 42 acres in Clearfield for $1.

Abner Campbell to Eli Campbell 60 acres in Concord for $1.

Eli Campbell to Abner Campbell, 85 acres in Concord for $1.

H. J. Klingler to John Hilderbrand lot in Butler for $750.

O. I. Riddle to John Berg, lot in Butler for $1000.

H. N. Anderson to Mary C. Gibson 85 acres in Allegheny for $5.

Chas Workley to Frank E. Miller, quit claim to 108 acres in Lancaster for $1000.

North Side Cemetery Assn. to W. C. Daubenspeck lot for $45.

H. D. Thompson to Wm. Myers, quit claim to 140 acres in Lancaster for $1250.

O. W. Stoughton to H. C. Boggs, 36 acres in Prospect for $3500.

Adelia J. Howard to Cath Mickley, lot in Evans City for $1050.

Marriage Licenses.

Alonzo D. Smith	Donegal twp.
Myrtle C. Fennel	"
Abraham Hillard	Cherry twp.
Mary S. Dickey	Washington twp.
Peter Hutzler	Winfield twp.
Gertrude Rivers	"
John L. McCartney	Allegheny City
H. Jessie Harper	Butler
Alphonsus Snyder	Summit twp
Inez Maxwell	Butler twp

At Kittanning—Lewis A. Fair of Allegheny Co. and Ella McCainey of Butler Co.; also Ford Jameson of Petrolia and Pearl Miller of Armstrong Co.

At Clarion—W. F. Foster of Catfish and Lidia C. Campbell of Ferris.

At Mercer—Joseph Heim of Hillards and Isabelle Fiester of New Lebanon.

At Pittsburg, Clarence O. Anderson of Butler and Hannah B. McCleary of Buena Vista.

The Bible School.

Grove City, Pa., June 10th, 1899.

Dear Brother:—I wish to call your attention to the excellent program we have arranged for the Grove City Bible School. This year the school opens Thursday evening, July 27, and closes Sunday evening, August 6. We are satisfied that in many particulars we will be able to offer more practical Bible instruction and a better course in Philosophy than ever before. May we call your attention especially to the fact that Dr. Borden P. Bowne will conduct the lectureship in Philosophy this year as he has done the last two years? His lectures will be on Epistemology, Metaphysics and some historic phases of modern speculation. You doubtless are aware that the modified Kantian view is rapidly taking the place of the other systems in all the Eastern institutions and that the whole subject is one vitally related to theology and our Christian faith. Can you not come yourself and take this course?

In the department of Bible instruction we have such men as Drs. Erdman, Torrey Stifler of the Crozer Theological Seminary, Mealy, Hunter, McConkey, besides a large number of lecturers and returned missionaries to take part in the various afternoon conferences and evening meetings in connection with the Bible school. Among those who will participate in these meetings are Drs R. S. Holmes, Henry T. McClelland and David McAllister of Pittsburg, and Dr. Thomas Marshall, of Chicago, Dr. Gaebelein of New York City will give a course of lectures on Old Testament Prophesy as related to the Jewish problem. Dr. W. F. Oldham will repeat the course of lectures recently given at the Boston University on the Ethnic Faiths and the outlook is for an exceedingly interesting and profitable school. Can you not also help us by securing a delegation from your congregation of Sunday School teachers and lay workers? Let me know if you feel kindly disposed toward this enterprise. We can secure boarding and lodging at from fifty cents a day upwards. I am glad to say that it is the expectation of those interested to keep this school up from year to year with the hope that it may have a commanding influence in quickening interest in Bible study and it is the intention to maintain every year a lectureship in Philosophy. The music will be in charge of Prof. Hugh McGranahan of Philadelphia. The tuition for Bible instruction will be $3 for the session and the lectures on Philosophy $6, or $8 for the lectures on Philosophy and Bible instruction. Hoping to hear from you some encouraging words, I am,

Respectfully yours,
ISAAC C. KETLER.

Reduced Rates to Richmond, Va via Pennsylvania R. R.

On account of the International Convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America, to be held at Richmond, Va., July 13 to 16, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to sell excursion tickets from points on its line, to Richmond, at rate of single fare for the round trip (tickets via Baltimore and steamboat fifty cents more than single fare).

Tickets will be sold July 11 to 13, and will be good to return until July 31, inclusive, except that on deposit of ticket with the joint agent at Richmond before July 28, and the payment of fifty cents, the return limit may be extended to leave Richmond not later than Aug. 15, 1899.

Stop over at Washington on return trip for ten days, not to exceed final limit of ticket.

For specific rates and conditions apply to Ticket Agents.

CASH FOR WOOL.

I pay the highest market price in cash for wool, have no merchandise of any kind to exchange, am located at same place as last year, Graham Bros'. Grocery, just across the street from Troutman's dry goods store.

W. P. RUMBERGER.

The Glorious Fourth.

The 4th of July Committees are as follows:

Finance—George N. Burkhalter, T. A. Morrison, Chas. Douglass and Chas. Ruff.

Advertising—A. J. Weigand, Theo. Keck and Chas. C. Burkhalter.

Music—C. E. Miller, W. A. Fisher and C. M Eisler.

Fantastic—Andy Kember, Ed McCoy, George Beihl, George Kummer, William Sherman, Ollie Vinroe, Don Hindman, Lawrence Snyder, Ernest Cronenwett, Wayne Walker, Theodore Keck, John G. Dunn, Stewart McMarlin and Joseph Richey.

Amusement—J. A. Walter, A. R. Bell, J. A. Heineman, T. A. Morrison, J. A. Zielkrick and L. G. Smith.

Invitation—Charles Douglass, Ernest Faber, Charles Koch and John Reiber.

ACCIDENTS.

Wm. Kamerer had his face badly cut and his nose broken by a fall from his bicycle, resulting from a collision on W. Pearl St. last Thursday night.

Little Herman Wirth, of Glenshaw station, was killed, Tuesday, by being dragged by an infuriated cow. He had foolishly tied one end of the rope around his body.

Harry Ray of North Washington, on horseback; and some boys on bikes ran a race, Tuesday. A cow crossed the road, the horse ran into her and stumbled, throwing Harry to the ground and rolling over him. Harry was picked up, unconscious, and did not recover for an hour. All the doctors of the vicinity were at Grove City at the time.

OIL NOTES.

The market still remains at $1.13.

OAKLAND—Bowers & Co. are drilling on the Peter Whitmire. Their well on the John M. Thompson was drilled in Friday.

MARS—The Forest Oil Co. drilled in a well on the Basnecker farm last week which started to flow about 30 barrels per day. They are drilling on the Streeter also.

CLINTON—The Boice well on the Tom Montgomery was cleaned out a few days ago, and starting pumping 30 bbls. Two rigs are going up in the neighborhood.

CLEARFIELD—The McCrea well is holding up at over 100 bbls. Two more wells are due in that field this week.

SHILOH—The Forest's No. 1 on the Bartley made 90 bbls. the first day; Yunkins & Co's well on the same farm has not been shot, but is doing 15 bbls; Dale & Kelly's well on the Shrader is doing 10 bbls; the Forest's well on same will be shot in the 100-foot.

Phillips' well on the Patterson is doing about 25 bbls.

The Forest's No. 2 Bartley is in the sand and looks all right; several new rigs are up.

Johnston & Carner have the sand in the Hinchberger, a mile ahead of the good wells, and if this well is good it opens new territory.

Fine Potatoes.

Mrs. John Keefer, living on the Harmony road, three miles west of Butler brought to the "CITIZENS" office on Saturday last some of this year's new potatoes that surprised us for their size. They had been planted just 8 weeks and were now large enough for table use. They are certainly a very large growth for two months in the ground and it would be well enough for all to get that kind for seed.

Markets.

Wheat,	wholesale price	$ 65@70
Rye,	"	48
Oats,	"	30
Corn,	"	38
Hay,	"	10.00
Eggs,	"	12
Butter,	"	10
Potatoes,	"	50
Green onions per doz		15
Rhubarb per doz		25
Lettuce per lb		5
Spinnach, per bu		50
Radishes, per doz bunches		30
Goosberries per qt		05
Strawberries per qt		05
Flour retails at		$1.00@$1.25

HORSES WANTED.

Will be at the WICK HOUSE STABLE, BUTLER, Pa., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 20, 21 and 22, to buy horses suitable for the Philadelphia market. General purpose, draught or drivers of good flesh wanted. Bring in the Good Ones and get a fair price.

D. W. SCHRECONGOST.
Philadelphia Horse Buyer.

Lost.

On Monday of last week, the 5th inst., a small grip was lost near the Berg farm on the road north of Butler. The finder will be suitably rewarded for leaving it at Campbell's hardware store, or at the Clearview stock farm.

House and Lot For Sale.

A good four-roomed house in Unionville, and a lot of nearly an acre, with a blacksmith's shop upon it, good well of water, and some fruit trees, is offered for sale on easy payments. Inquire of

JOHN C. MOORE,
Executor of Daniel Heck, dec'd.,
McCandless, Pa.

Reduced Rates to Gettysburg via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account Dedication of the General Reynolds Monument.

On account of the dedication of the monument to General Reynolds at Gettysburg, July 1, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged to sell excursion tickets from points on its line in Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, and the District of Columbia, to Gettysburg, at rate of single fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on June 30 and July 1, good to return until July 5, inclusive.

Agents Wanted.

At $1.50 a day. A few energetic ladies and gentlemen are wanted to canvass. Above salary guaranteed. Call on or address,

MRS. SAVILLA MILLER
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Butler Co., Pa

AMY BROS, are Selling out to QUIT BUSINESS. Their entire stock of furniture is for sale, including all goods en route, nothing reserved, wonderful bargains, TERMS STRICTLY CASH, Store open every evening.

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

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 sold in Butler, last year.

WANTED—At Exposition Hotel, Conneaut Lake. Dining-room Girls, Chambermaids and Laundry. Commencing June 3d. Good Prices.

F. M LOCKWOOD,
Exposition Pa.

Sunday Excursion to Allegheny.

Beginning May 21st 1899 and until further notice the P. & W. Sunday excursion train will leave Butler at 8.05 a. m. Butler time arrive Allegheny at 9.35 returning train will leave Allegheny at 5.30 p. m. arrive Butler at 7.03, rate 75 cts.

For Sale.

I wish to sell my farm in Clay twp., located about one mile west of Sunbury, on the Unionville road.

It contains forty-one acres with house and stable, good apple and peach orchard, good spring and well, about ten acres of rail timber. Inquire on premises or of Newton Black, Esq., Butler.

JOHN E. PATTERSON,
Slippery Rock P. O.,
Pa.

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

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Ambrose Mattingly, of Cumberland, Md., ate cherries, which brought on acute inflammation, and he died a raving maniac, the intense pain having driven him insane.

A Jefferson county farmer, says an exchange, recently hired a very inexperienced boy out of the Reformatory to help about the place. One morning he told the boy to go out and salt the calf in the pasture. The boy took about a quart of salt and rubbed it all over the calf, working it into the hair. A gang of colts in the pasture scented the salt and got after the calf. They licked the hair all off the calf's back and tried to lick the hide off, too. The farmer tried to catch the calf and wash it off, but the creature, thinking he wanted to lick, too, kept out of his way. The boy, calf and farmer are all unhappy. The colts are the only ones that got any fun out of it.

The Peter Graff Company has decided to rebuild their woolen mills at Worthington, for which the people of that section should be extremely grateful, for great inducements were offered the company to locate elsewhere. This was especially the case at Ford City, as that hustling town certainly offered great inducements. But the company has decided, unless something unforeseen or unexpected should transpire, to put their works up in their own town. The new mills will be much larger than the ones destroyed, and will be modern in every respect. In fact, when completed, they will be one of the largest and best woolen mills in the country.

Two trains, each consisting of 50 steel cars, left Pittsburg a few days ago over the Pennsylvania railroad. The cars were manufactured by the Pressed Steel Company, of Pittsburg, and are to be used by the Egyptian Railroad Company, of Egypt. They were run to Jersey City on their own wheels, and there placed aboard ship for Alexandria, Egypt. This is the first shipment of any consequence of American cars to a foreign country and is regarded as the beginning of a new class of trade abroad. No more efficient missionaries could be sent to Egypt or any other country. Civilization makes the work of the missionary easy.

An oak tree, measuring 57 inces across the stump, was cut lately on the Dodson farm in Indiana county, whose rings numbered over 1200, making the tree according to the theory of one ring for every year, over 1200 years old. This makes the period of the tree's start about 700 years after the beginning of the Christian Era.

During a late storm at Frankford, near Phila., a number of people crowded into Frank A. Reeve's fruit store, at Bridge street and Frankford avenue. Suddenly there was a crash of thunder and a ball of fire seemed to strike the side of the store, broke in a big bulk window and entered the room. There it circled once or twice to the accompaniment of feminine shrieks, dashed down the hallway into Mr. Reeve's dining room, flashed out a side door and seemed to disappear in the ground. Women fainted and several were cut by glass. Mr. Reeve's stock and fixtures were almost completely ruined.

At the meeting of Wilkinsburg council last Monday night the finance committee stated that the shortage of the missing ex-borough clerk, Marshall B. Douthett, amounted to $5,240.17, for which receipts are held and $735 for which receipts have not been produced. The sureties on the $5,000 bond, D. B. Douthett and Dr. H. S. McClymonds, are ready to pay over the amount and will do so as soon as the accounts are verified. The verification will be done by J. Frank Miller, representing the sureties.

Cleveland has an exciting street-car strike in hands, with an occasional riot.

Reduced Rates to St. Louis via Pennsylvania R. R.

On account of the meeting of the Grand Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, at St. Louis, Mo., June 20 to 23, 1899, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets from points on its line, to St. Louis and return, at greatly reduced rates. Tickets will be sold June 18 and 19, good to return until June 25.

For specific rates and conditions apply to Ticket Agents.

Reduced Rates to Detroit via Pennsylvania R. R.

On account of the Convention of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, to be held at Detroit, July 5 to 10, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line, to Detroit, at rate of single fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on July 3, 4 and 5, and will be good to return until July 15, inclusive; except that by depositing ticket with the Joint Agent at Detroit before July 12, and the payment of fifty cents, the return limit may be extended to leave Detroit not later than August 15.

For specific rates and conditions apply to Ticket Agents.

ICE PURE SPRING WATER ICE delivered to all parts of the town, every day. Leave orders at

RICHEY'S BAKERY,
142 Main St.

New, four-room house for sale Inquire at this office

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the assignment of C. D. Slater for the benefit of his creditors.

All persons interested will take notice that the Auditor appointed by the Court to report distribution of the funds in the hands of F. J. Forquer, Assignee, as shown by his final account will attend to the duties of his said appointment at his office in the Armory Building, Butler, Pa., on Tuesday, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m.

A. T. BLACK, Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the account of J. M. Black, Assignee of A. A. Kohlmeyer, filed April 15, 1899, at No. 25, of June Term, 1898, Ms. Docket, Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa.

May 20, 1899, the assignee, by his Attorney, John W. Coulter, moves the Court to appoint an auditor to distribute the funds in his hands to and among the creditors, as shown by his report, and thereupon, same date, the said Court appointed John H. Negley, an auditor to make said distribution, as prayed for.

I will attend to the duties of the above appointment, at my office, in Butler, Pa., on Monday, June 19, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, of which time and place all persons interested in above distribution will please take notice.

JOHN H. NEGLEY, Auditor.

May 31, 1899.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re final account of Samuel A. Leslie, Administrator of Elizabeth Baker, dec'd.	In the Orphans' Court of Butler county, No. ——, Sept. Term, 1899.

And now, May 20, 1899, on motion of Williams & Mitchell, Att'ys., for accountant, the Court appoints J. D. McJunkin, Auditor, to distribute funds, in the hands of the administrator, among those entitled thereto.

Certified from the Record, May 22nd, 1899.

ISAAC MEALS, Clerk O. C.

Those interested will please take notice, that I will discharge the duties of said appointment on the 26th day of June, 1899, at my office in Butler, Pa., at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day at which time and place they may attend if they see proper.

J. D. MCJUNKIN,
Auditor.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. A. & W. F. Anderson, in Valencia, Pa., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 6th day of May, 1899. The books are left in the hands of J. A Anderson, with whom a settlement should be made promptly.

J. A. ANDERSON.
W. F. ANDERSON.

The business will be conducted by J. A. Anderson, and a liberal share of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

J. A. ANDERSON.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration in the estate of Henry Dutter, dec'd., late of Franklin twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves