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Republican Announcements.

Election Saturday, May 16-17 to 19 p. m.

Delegate to State Convention.

THOMAS J. GRAHAM, of Penn twp.

JAMES M. MAXWELL, of Butler.

A. M. McCOLLAGH, of Fairview twp.

For Jury Commissioner.

W. P. DODD, of Butler.

S. T. DODD, of Fairview borough.

A. O. EBERHART, of Butler twp.

T. W. D. KENNEDY, of Butler.

S. M. McCLURE, of Butler, formerly of

Worth twp.

DALE THOMAS, of Connoquessing twp.

formerly of Fairview twp.

HENRY A. WAHNER, of Jefferson twp.

Third run.

CURRENT EVENTS.

Up to the time of its attack upon

the liberty of the press, the late Legislature

did not do so badly. The legislature

it adopted is generally considered

good; and it is to be hoped that the new

road law, which creates a State Road

Department, and appropriates money

for its support, will not be without re-

sult.

If the Governor vetoes the libel bill

there will be little cause for com-

plaint, and whether he does or not its

passage, and the storm of indignation

that followed, did some good in the

squelching of several franchises, dan-

gerous to the public health, and in

checking the spread of the "ganj"

When the new Roads Department

is at its working order, we suggest that

it consider the matter of new surveys

entirely new roads. For instance one

cannot get out of Butler, at present, on

a public road without climbing a hill,

whereas a road up a valley, and around

the hill would do far better.

The expenditures of the Postoffice

Department of the National Govern-

ment will be about a hundred and forty

millions for the coming year, and Post-

master General Payne has begun a re-

organization of his department, and also

an investigation of alleged abuses,

which will be watched with interest by

the public.

Several of the trains between But-

ler and Allegheny now make the run in

one hour and twenty minutes, the run

considering the crookedness of the route,

is remarkable. All the railroads all

over the country are straightening their

road beds, and going in for faster time,

and the rage has also spread to travel

on the ocean. A new German passenger

steamer, lately launched, made 29

knife an hour on her trial trip. A knif-

er or sea mile is 200 feet longer than a land

mile, and 24 knots means about 28 miles,

which is pushing a large boat through

the water at a tremendous gait.

A prominent physician stated, lately,

that the onset was largely responsible

for appendicitis; but he forgot that

more than women suffer from dis-

eases of the vermiform appendix.

The subject is interesting from the

notable increase in the number of cases,

and some physicians now place it among

the "germ diseases." The terrible in-

crease seems to be everywhere.

The New Castle Tribune, which led

off in the fight against Wallace, says it

will not support a Wallace candidate,

a Brown candidate, or a Matt Quay can-

didate for Judge, next year.

The Salus-Grady Bill Hearing.

Some five hundred newspaper men

of the state appeared before the Govern-

or in Harrisburg, Tuesday, for the purpose

of protesting against the Salus-Grady

negligence bill. The hall of the House,

filled with the hearing, was crowded,

and the arguments for the newspaper

publishers were made by Chas. Emory

ACCIDENTS.

Harry Brenneman of W. Canning-

ham street, was caught in the shaft of a

drill machine, which ran around twice,

his clothes torn completely off, arm

broken, thigh torn, head, neck and

breast cut. He is in the Hospital and is

getting along nicely.

In Allegheny last Sunday afternoon a

crowded street car dashed down Federal

street, and wrecked a freight car. The

brake refused to work. A dozen people

were hurt.

Harry Campbell, Jr. of Venango

township, had his neck broken, last Fri-

day, by some logs falling upon him, and

he died almost instantly. He was haul-

ing logs to the saw mill on his father's

farm, at the time, and the wagon and

logs were on the incline.

Joe Barry of the Car Works had a

shoulder dislocated, Friday.

Wm. Campbell, Jr., aged 4 years, fell

and broke an arm, Thursday.

Forward township had a couple of

accidents, last week. While some boys

were serenading, somebody touched

the trigger of a revolver too hard, and

the bullet hit Walter, a twelve year

boy, and penetrated his foot. Miss

Willie Fehl swept the floor and put

the debris in the stove, and the

stove exploded and flew out, and

William's arm open from elbow to

shoulder.

A big negro—six feet four, and weigh-

ing about 300—had a remarkable ex-

perience at the new Flick building on E.

Wayne yesterday.

He is a hod-carrier, there, and had just

reached the top with a load of mortar

when he fell. He was about 30 feet

from the ladder hole through the 34 and

35 floors, through the joists of the 1st

floor, and fell into a hole in the floor,

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DEATHS.

HOPKINS—At her home in Butler,

April 18, 1903, Miss Charlotte Hop-

kins, aged 15 years.

BUTLER—At his home in Mariette

April 16, 1903, James H. Butler, aged

43 years. He is in the Hospital and is

getting along nicely.

KELLY—At her home in Butler, April

16, 1903, Mrs. Julia Ann, widow of

Wm. D. Kelly, aged 80 years.

COYLE—At his home in Clearfield

township, April 20, 1903, infant son of

J. C. Coyle.

YATES—At the Hospital, April 21,

1903, Thomas Yates, aged 4 years.

Mr. Yates was injured, Monday, at

the Car Works. His body was taken to

Allegheny, his former home.

DAUER—At the home of her mother,

Mrs. M. J. Drake in Worth twp.,

April 19, 1903, Mrs. Mary B. wife of

Wm. C. Badger, her 72nd year.

Her death was a shock to her many

friends, as her sickness (pneumonia) de-

veloped rapidly and she lingered but a

few days.

Mrs. Badger was an active church

worker and was a great help to her

husband in his business. In her

last hours on earth she was greatly con-

soled by the words of the first part of

the chapter of St. John, which were

read to her a few hours before her

death.

Besides her husband, she leaves two

children—Earl, seven years old, and

Lona, two years old—also three sisters

and two brothers, all of whom she

loves dearly. Her death is a great

loss to her family and to the church.

The funeral will be held at the

funeral home of Rev. J. C. Drake, on

Monday, April 20, at 10 o'clock.

Interment will be in the West Liberty

cemetery.

HELLER—At his home in Jefferson

township, April 19, 1903, Henry Heller,

aged 79 years.

He had been ill for some time.

He was a member of the First

Methodist church, and was a

devoted member of the same.

He was a member of the

First Baptist church, and was a

devoted member of the same.

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First Presbyterian church, and was a

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The First Clear Night.

Astronomers have recently discovered

that several of the brightest stars have

companions revolving about them. This

had long been believed to be the case.

These stars, then, Sirius for example,

are suns. This week we must begin to

look upon our sun as a star, for so it

would appear to be viewed from

several of the planets, on account of

their small size would be invisible at

that great distance.</