

THE BUTLER CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1905.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice in Bankruptcy. R. L. Hindman. Acme Washers, J. G. & W. Campbell. Grohman's Planos.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

We are chloroforming grandpa in our laboratory. For we've been to Dr. Osler. Who has furnished us the drug. Grandpa bids goodnight to the doctor. And is kicking up a roar. Though he ought to be content. Since his weekdays are over.—Ex.—Decorating Day next.—It was an ideal Easter.—Valencia is to have a new church.—Republican primaries four weeks from Saturday.—Tax collector Slater must have the taxes for '08 and '04, quick.—Grading for the new railroad began at Queen's Junction, last week.—Mrs. Zimmerman's Dry Goods Delivery wagon is something new for Butler.—Chicora will enjoy an Old Maid's Convention this and tomorrow evenings.—We will begin, next week, the publication of a new story, that the boys say is a dandy.—Three white horses were within a few rods of each other on Main St. the other day, and not a red-headed angel in sight.—A Centre twp. man found a litter of young foxes in the Pine tract last week and was trying to sell them in Butler at \$5 per fox.—Don't forget the supper by the ladies of the Grace Lutheran church in Y. M. C. A. hall this, Thursday, evening, from 5 to 9.—Last Saturday was a two weeks pay-day at the Works, and yet Mayor Kennedy had but ten cases for his Sunday morning court.—Arthur Love and family had a good audience at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday evening, and gave an entertainment that was greatly enjoyed.—The advance guard of an immense swarm of "seventeen-year locusts" is predicted for May and June. The main body will arrive next year.—The postoffice at Penelton was broken into and robbed last Friday night. The thieves secured a gold watch, some money and some groceries.—Hereafter the County Commissioners are to regulate the width of wagon and buggy tires, but they have promised not to make them more than a foot wide.—The Lowry House will be opened next Monday, and will be run on the European plan—that is pay for your room and meals separately, and only for what you get.—The Hotel Monarch, near the West Penn depot, is adding a mansard-roof story at a cost of about \$6000. This will furnish about a dozen more greatly needed bed rooms.—Some smart and selfish fellows in Chicago ran wheat up to \$1.20, last week; then last year's crop came booming in, the "corner" flattened and Mr. Gates went broke.—At the west end of Millin street and on the old Fairground lot several new frame houses are nearing completion. The new houses and the repairs are keeping our builders busy at present.—Some boys in Summit twp. lately killed a lot of blacksnakes, a thing they should not have done. Blacksnakes live on field mice, and they kill any rattlers that come into their neighborhood.—At the meeting of Council last Friday evening the contract for paving Franklin street from E. Clay north to E. Penn was awarded to John Shaffner. He is to use Butler brick and make the street thirty feet wide.—While a good old mother hen was sitting, hatching a nest full of eggs at Latrobe, last Saturday, a bolt of lightning followed the cloud above to the hen house, broke and scattered all her eggs, and stripped her of all her feathers.—If the scheme to divide Pennsylvania into two states—Eastern and Western—ever materializes Butler will be the most available location for the State Capital of Western, and there are several excellent United States Senators in the county.—The Frohlie will put a "fall ticket in the field," at their convention in Butler, on Thursday, May 4th. They will meet in Y. M. C. A. hall at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., and have a mass meeting that evening. Delegates from all over the county are expected.—The Western Pennsylvania Motor Power Company has been organized by Pittsburgh men to construct a huge system of interurban trolley lines throughout Lawrence, Butler, Mercer and Beaver counties. The incorporators are Alexander J. Barson, William G. Doolittle, Charles E. Martin, Edward L. Allen and Ralph L. Smith.—At the meeting of Council, Monday evening, the contract for the garbage furnace was awarded to the Morgans-Boulter Co. of N. Y. Some changes were made in the original specifications which will make the whole cost about \$50,000. The City Engineer was authorized to make some changes in the Franklin St. sewer between Clay and Walnut that will cost several hundred dollars.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Liebold has built an addition to his hotel. Geo. E. Thomas is about again after a long sick spell. D. L. Cleeland has built an addition to his jewelry store. Prof. Painter will make the Memorial Day address at Prospect. Charles Stokely is again running the Stokely House in Zelienople. W. B. Allison has located with his son, Dr. Lynn, at Eau Claire. Jos. Studabaker of Worth township shot an eagle, last Saturday. Thomas Blain of Montana is visiting relatives in Centre township. W. H. Fithian and family have moved to No. 323 Franklin street. Darlington of Chicora has gone to Indian Territory and expects to be there for some time. Jas. K. Snyder of Tarentum visited his father, Philip Snyder, in Clinton twp. last week. Moses Sullivan of Bradford spent Easter with his mother, Mrs. C. C. Sullivan of the Diamond. Mrs. W. W. Christy and Mrs. J. C. Roy of Hilliards did some shopping in Butler last Thursday. Frank Pierce and Baxter Enrick are building two houses on the Thompson place near Queens Junction. Al Lee, a former Butler landowner, who has returned to California. He slipped in by the Canadian route. Miss Bird King of Karns City spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Pierce and Miss Verda Pierce of Centre Hill. Mrs. Joseph Fleming and family of Buffalo twp. left for Colorado, yesterday, for the benefit of Mrs. Fleming's health. Jimmy Breen of Warren, O., has been signed as manager of the Butler Baseball Club—next week, say Jimmy's a peach. Earl Reed of the Steel Car Works has returned to work after a month's illness. He was threatened with spinal meningitis. King Edward had his teeth pulled and a new set made, last week, and it took a "Special Cable" to get a column long to tell the American public of it. Robert J. Barron of Clay, Charles Thompson of Buffalo, Henry Rumbach of Washington and Calvin Wiza of Penn were among our callers, Monday. Esq. Walker has seen five generations of several Butler families, and as soon as he sees Will Mechlins' grandchild he will have seen six generations of that family. Rev. J. C. Nicholas of the Grace Lutheran church was called to Bloomfield, Pa., Sunday evening, by the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Rev. Charles Nicholas. William Shakespeare was born, last Sunday three hundred and forty-one years ago, and he died on Monday, April 23, 1616. He was one of the most wonderful literary geniuses that ever lived. Samuel Johnson of Clinton twp. was returned from Galion, Ohio, where he attended the county convention, Monday evening, and gave an entertainment that was greatly enjoyed. The advance guard of an immense swarm of "seventeen-year locusts" is predicted for May and June. The main body will arrive next year. The postoffice at Penelton was broken into and robbed last Friday night. The thieves secured a gold watch, some money and some groceries. 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