THE AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Butler, Pa., Wednesday, May 4, 1864.

☞ Entrance to the AMERICAN CITIZEN Printing Office from the South, on Jefferson street.

☞ Answer to Miscellaneous Enigma, by Dr. S. R. Dieffenbacher and John M. Thompson, Esq., "The Union Forever."

Arithmetical Problem. Ans. $81,00.

Solution by L. M. Gilleland.

Answer to Algebraic Equation, x=6, y=4, z=2.

☞ The remarks of Hon. Charles M' Candless, delivered in the Senate of Pennsylvania, on the bill providing for the payment of interest in Legal Tender Notes, will appear in our next issue.

Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair.

The following additional township Committees have been sent in to the Central Committee. Other townships will please report soon, as but little time remains.

CONCORD TOWNSHIP.

Chairman, Mr. John H. Christy.

Committee, Mrs. Lena Campbell, Euphemia Conway, (Treas.,) Misses M. E. Christy, E. J. M'Clung, E. Campbell, Mr. J. G. Christy, and James Kelly, Secretaries. Report subscriptions, April 20, 1864, amounting to $70,21.

PENN TOWNSHIP.

Chairman, J. Q. A. Kennedy.

Committee, Mrs. Roselia Redout, Misses Elizabeth M'Elvain, Alice Wise, Sarah Andrew, Elizabeth J. Philips, Julia Welsh, Amarilla Wise, Emily J. Dodds, Elizabeth Stewart, Margaret Hamil, Analena Bartley, Rev. E. Ogden, (special,) Messrs. John Henry, Wm. Neithercoat, John H. Douthett.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Chairman, R. A. Mifflin, Esq.

Committee, Mrs. James Hall, H. Sutton, Watson Mays, Samuel A. Campbell, F. Shira, Miss Julia Henlen, Messrs. Samuel P. Campbell, Alfred Wick, E. E. Evans, Wm. M. Shira, Fergus M. Shira, Samuel Hilliard.

WM. CAMPBELL, Prest., of Central Committee.

John N. Purviance, Watson J. Young, Secretaries.

Summary of War News.

From our Exchanges and Telegrams, we are enabled to gather the following particulars: The Potomac army commenced to move on Tuesday night, the 3d inst. Previous to moving, General Meade made a stirring address to the army, which closes thus: "With clear conscience and strong arms, actuated by a high sense of duty, fighting to preserve the government and institutions handed down to us by our forefathers, and if true to ourselves, victory, under God's blessing, must and will attend our efforts."

Our army succeeded in crossing the Rappahannock and Rapidan rivers, with but slight opposition, compelling Lee to evacuate his strong positions and entrenchments where he had held us at bay so long. It was thought probable that he would give battle at Chancellorsville. After reaching the south bank of the Rapidan, our cavalry under Gens. Wilson and Gregg, were pushed forward, the former to Parker's store, and the latter some distance beyond Chancellorsville. They discovered nothing of the enemy but weak bodies of cavalry. This reconnoisance showed the fact that there was no strong rebel force immediately on the south; a few prisoners were taken, one of them bearing a dispatch from Gen. Rhodes to Gen. Ewell, that the Union or Yankee soldiers had crossed in force at Germania and Ely's ford. After the crossing and reconnoisance was completed, our men moved forward. Gen. Hancock encamped on the old battle ground of Chancellorsville, Gen. Warren at the wilderness tavern, and Gen. Sedgwick at the tavern at Germania ford, being the head quarters of Gens. Grant and Meade. This appears to have been the disposition of our forces on Wednesday night, the 4th. At an early hour on Thursday morning, the Union army was in motion. The different portions of the army had been on the move but a short time, when reports were brought in that the enemy were advancing with infantry and artillery in strong force, from near Old and New Verdeirsville. At this time Gens. Grant and Meade came up, our forces were concentrated and formed in line of battle, Sedgwick on the right, Warren in the centre, and Hancock on the left. The two former got into line about 11 o'clock, a. m., soon after which skirmishing was heard in the front. Warren advanced about three quarters of a mile when he found himself confronted by a well-formed, strong rebel position on a thickly wooded ridge. A severe fight ensued. The enemy made two desperate attacks upon our lines in hopes of breaking the same. The fight continued till dark, our forces remaining in possession of the ground; every corps in proper position, and Burnside fully up. The fighting was renewed on Friday, and is said to have been the most terrific ever fought by the army of the Potomac. Lee's entire army made repeated and furious assaults upon the right and left which were repulsed. About 4 o'clock, p. m., an attack was made along the whole line, which was gallantly repulsed. After which, near dark, Lee concentrated his whole force against our extreme right, and fell suddenly upon Sedgwick, crushing a part of his line. It was reformed and secured against further disaster, the enemy withdrawing under cover of darkness. The enemy's loss is said to be 3000 killed, and 10,000 wounded. Union loss, from 6,000 to 8,000. As we go to press, we are informed by our exchanges that Lee's army commenced falling back on Friday night; our army in full pursuit. The loss is heavy on both sides. Gen Hays, of Pittsburgh, and Gen. Wadsworth, of N. Y., killed.

VERY LATEST.—Dispatches from Grant and Meade, stating that they were "on for Richmond. Gen. Longstreet, shot in the neck by a ball, said to be mortally wounded.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CONNOQUENESSING LODGE, No. 278, I. O. of O. F. holds its stated meetings at the Hall, on Main Street, Butler Penna. every Monday evening, commencing at six o'clock. Brethren from sister Lodges are respectfully invited to attend. By order of the N. G.

A. Y. M.—Butler Lodge, No. 272, A. Y. M. holds its stated meetings in the Odd Fellows Hall, on Main Street, Butler Pa. on the first Wednesday of each month. Brethren from sister Lodges are respectfully invited to attend.

By order of the W. M.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

ASSEMBLY.

EDITORS AMERICAN CITIZEN:—You will please announce the name of Major WM. SMYTH, of Lancaster township, as a candidate for the Assembly, subject to the decision of the Union voters. MANY CITIZENS.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

THE undersigned, now a citizen of the borough of Butler, but formerly of Clay township, respectfully submits his name to the Union voters of Butler county, as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

ANDREW COULTER CHRISTY.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

THE undersigned respectfully submits his name to the Union voters of Butler county, for the office of County Auditor. LEANDER WISE, Penn tp.

MARRIED.

On the 17th of April, 1864, by Rev. F. W. Dechant, at the bride's residence, in Harmony, Butler county, Pa., Mr. JOHN BACKER, from the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., to Miss MARGARET SHAFFER.

DIED:

In Cranberry towhship, on Friday the 6th inst., at the residence of his son, Capt. Alexander Gillespie, Mr. JOHN GILLESPIE, in the 74th year of his age.

IN MEMORIUM.

In memory of WM. J. DONNS, a member of Co. H, 102d Regiment, Pa. Vol. He left his cheerful home, his parents and friends, to endure the hardships and privations of the tented field. But he was only a short time in his country's service, for sooner a Higher Power demanded him, and he has gone to join his fellow soldiers, who have preceded him to the land of rest. His body was brought home and interred in the burial ground attached to the U. P. Church, near Brownsdale. He leaves a large circle of friends and relatives to mourn his early death.

He from his cheerful home did go,
He bade iden to parents, friends,
To fight against his country's foe,
To gain the prize which victory sends,
To keep afloat the starry flag,
For which our fathers nobly fought,
To destroy that base rebel rag,
Which to our peaceful land was brought.

But soon disease did bear him down,
And took him to the promised rest,
And now he wears the victor's crown,
In the army of the blest.
His friends are sadly mourning now,
O'er the loss they did sustain,
But then we humbly trust, our loss
May be his eternal gain.

His form no longer meets our gaze,
His pleasant voice no more we hear,
'Tis hard to view his vacant place,
'Tis hard to stop the falling tear.
The void no other one can fill,
Our thoughts will wander back to find
A trace of our beloved Will,
Who was so noble, true and kind.

Alas! this war when will it end?
Will its horrors never cease?
Our once free and prosperous land,
Will it ne'er again see peace?
Already many noble men,
In its defence have bravely died;
They have achieved a glorious name,
In giving themselves for the right.

Penn tp. M.

—On Monday, April 25th, ult., of Consumption, WILLIAM STUART, son of William and Rebecca Byers, of Summit township, aged 18 years and 5 months

The deceased was a young man of more than ordinary genius, as all can testify who have seen the trinkets manufactured by him during his season of illness, at which all have wondered, for such things were only expected to proceed from master workmen, but his ingenuity is not all that recommend him to our notice and esteem: he was beloved by all his relatives, and respected by all who knew him. But above all, he was a member of the Presbyterian Church, a communicant of good and regular standing, and as far as human judgment can go, believed to be a child of God. Among the many things said by him on his death bed, but a few examples need here be presented said he, "I am going home to heaven, but it is not for any good that I have done, for I have done nothing worthy of heaven, my Savior has done all for me," his injunction to all was "try to meet me in heaven." As death began to cast its sable mantle around him, his mind began to wander, said he: "I am flighty, will some one talk to me to keep my mind from wandering." When asked what he would have them talk about, oh! said he, "talk to me of heaven and Jesus." He then fell into a long sleep from which he awoke, as all believe, in that heavenly home, he so ardently longed to go to. 'Twas thus this youth just ripening into manhood, faded away as fades the autumn leaf.

While sickness and trouble, affliction and woe,
Comes crowding our hearts full of grief,
We are ever receiving the great admonition,
We all do fade as a leaf.

All nature around us, the clouds and the wind,
The blossom, the blade and the sheaf,
The sweet scented roses all tell the same story,
We all do fade as a leaf.

The Iris of heaven that beautiful bow,
Though lasting a season so brief,
While fading and dying repeals to our senses,
We all do fade as a leaf.

The boundless blue ocean, the white crested wave,
The whirlpool, the breaker, the reaf,
And the stream from the mountain reflects as a mirror,
We all do fade as a leaf.

Our bodies while braving the storm-wind below,
The blind and the halt and the deaf,
The ills we fall heir to remind us forever,
We all do fade as a leaf.

When friends fondly cherished are laid in the tomb,
And we feel our hearts bursting with grief,
Then truly comes to us the prophets great warning,
We all do fade as a leaf. L. W.

Feb. 16, 1864. JULIA A., youngest daughter of Cline and Jane A. Force, aged 1 year, 1 month, and 12 days.

Sleep dear Julia, take thy rest,
God called thee home, he thought it best,
'Twas hard indeed to part with thee,
But Christs' strong arm supported me.

Also, on the 20th of same month, LYDIA A., daughter of same parents, aged 3 years, and 9 months.

The disease of which these little children died, was Measles and Scarlet Fever. They were charming children, beloved by all who knew them, and favorites of their parents. It was a severe stroke—their mother had been taken ill of the same disease, and their father, who had gone out to fight for his country, was not permitted to see their sweet faces while the hand of death was upon them. May God support them under their severe affliction, and prepare them to meet their children in that better world above, where pain and sorrow cannot enter.

"Dear children, you have left us,
And the loss we deeply feel,
But 'tis God who has bereaved us,
He can all our sorrows heal." J. E.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BUTLER, PA.

Capital, $50,000.

With Privilege to Increase to 200,000.

DIRECTORS.

JAMES CAMPBELL,	E. M'JUNKIN,
JOHN BERG,	JAMES BREDIN,
LEWIS STINE,	H. JULIUS KLINGLER,
JOHN N. PERVIANCE,	JOHN M. THOMPSON,

R. C. M'ABOY.

This Bank, organized under the Act of Congress, known as the NATIONAL CURRENCY ACT, commenced its regular business, May 2d, 1864, and is prepared to do a GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

Money received on deposit. Collections made on all accessable points. Exchange bought and sold on all the principal cities.

JAMES CAMPBELL, President.

I. J. CUMMINGS, Cashier.

May. 11, 1864. 3t.

U. S. 10-40 Bonds.

These Bonds are issued under the Act of Congress of March 8th, 1864, which provides that all Bonds issued under this Act shall be EXEMPT FROM TAXATION by or under any state or municipal authority. Subscriptions to these Bonds are received in United States notes or notes of National Banks. They are TO BE REDEEMED IN COIN, at the pleasure of the Government, at any period *not less than ten nor more than forty years* from their date, and until their redemption FIVE PER CENT. INTERREST WILL BE PAID IN COIN, on Bonds of not over one hundred dollars annually and on other Bonds semi-annually. The interest is payable on the first days of March and September in each year.

Subscribers will receive either Registered or Coupon Bonds, as they may prefer. Registered Bonds are recorded on the books of the U. S. Treasurer, and can be transferred only on the owner's order. Coupon Bonds are payable to bearer, and are more convenient for commercial uses.

Subscribers to this loan will have the option of having their Bonds draw interest from March 1st, by paying the accrued interest in coin—(or in United States notes, or the notes of National Banks, adding fifty per cent. for premium,) or receive them drawing interest from the date of subscription and deposit. As these Bonds are

Exempt from Municipal or State Taxation,

their value is increased from one to three per cent. per annum, according to the rate of tax levies in various parts of the country.

At the present rate of premium on gold they pay

Over Eight Per Cent Interest

in currency, and are of equal convenience as a permanent or temporary investment.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as the various descriptions of U. S. Bonds. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties or stock companies or separate communities only is pledged for payment, while for the debts of the United States the whole property of the country is holden to secure the payment of both principal and interest in coin:

These Bonds may be subscribed for in sums from $50 up to any magnitude, on the same terms, and are thus made equally available to the smallest lender and the largest capitalist. They can be converted into money at any moment, and the holder will have the benefit of the interest.

It may be useful to state in this connection that the total Funded Debt of the United States on which interest is payable in gold, on the 3d day of March, 1864, was $768,965,000. The interest on this debt for the coming fical year will be $45,037,126, while the customs revenue in gold for the current fiscal year, ending June 30th, 1864, has been so far at a rate of over $100,000,000 per annum.

It will be seen that even the present gold revenues of the Government are largely in excess of the wants of the Treasurer for the payment of gold interest, while the recent increase of the tariff will doubtless raise the annual receipts from customs on the same amount of importations, to $150,000,000 per annum.

Instructions to the National Banks acting as loan agents were not issued from the United State Treasury until March 20, but in the first three weeks of April the subscriptions averaged more than TEN MILLIONS A WEEK.

Subscriptions will be received by the

First National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa.

Second National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa.

Third National Bank of Philadelphia, Pa.

And by all National Banks

which are depositaries of Public money, and all

RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS

throughout the country, (acting as agents of the National Depositary Banks,) will furnish further information on application and

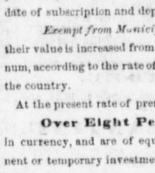
AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS.

THE WORLD

Brought right in the Very

Midst of BUTLER,

SITUATE ON MAIN STREET.



WHERE the "Wanderer," in search of fine Tobacco, Snuff and Cigars, may "readily" perceive a quiet Indian, snugly standing on a box, with 'outstretched' arm, to welcome customers.

Geo. Vogeley, jr.

Manufacturer and Dealer in all kinds of

Tobacco, Snuff, and Segars.

Having been duly appointed a "Committee of Six," to proceed to parts beyond these diggins, to procure for the citizens of Butler, and all others who may favor him with a call, the choicest articles in his line, would respectfully represent: that in pursuance of his appointment, he has been successful in collecting "tall specimens" of the best articles ever found in Butler! He would also further represent: that he feels grateful to the public for the favors conferred upon him, in "days gone by," and hopes he will merit a continuation of their patronage in "days that are to come."

In conclusion, he begs leave to make the following remark: that he has a little the best articles in his line, that are to be found from the "centre to the circumference" of Pennsylvania, and indeed, he might safely add, the United States of North America, the British Possessions, or the Californias, including the mouth of the Columbia river, all along the coast of Oregon, up as high as the parallel of "Philty Phour Phorty." He HUMBLY solicits the custom of all the "*Dear People*" of Butler, or any way faring man who may chance to make his transit across the disc of Butler, or sojourn within her borders for "a season," feeling confident he will give satisfaction, both as regards price and quality. Come and examine for yourselves! Don't put it off!! Procrastination is the thief of time!!! GEORGE VOGELEY, Jr.

Butler, Pa., May 11, 1864:2mo.

Executor's Notice.

ESTATE OF WM. M'DONALD, DEC'D.

WHEREAS Letters Testamentary have this day been granted to the undersigned, on the estate of Wm. M'Donald, late of Lancaster Tp., Butler county Pa., dec'd., therefore all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, will make immediate payment without delay, and those having claims against the same, will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JAMES MORRISON, Executor.

May 11, 1864::6t.

List of Causes

SET down for trial at June Term, 1864, commencing on the 2d Monday, being the 13th day of said month.

FIRST WEEK.

Charles Rennick,	vs Frederick Shultz,
Cornelius M'Bride,	vs Miles Gallaher, Jno. Green
Mary M'Bride, for use of Daniel M'Ginley,	vs John Gallaher, vs James Downey,
Isaac Sponsler,	vs James Harvey,

SECOND WEEK.

Henry B. Chew, William W. Chew, James M. Mason, Exr's. of Benj. Chew,	vs John Gillespie,
Jacob Mechling,	vs Albert G. Boyd,
Wm. S. Ziegler and Susan his wife,	vs Isaac Robb & Wm. Robb,
George Boyd,	vs John Barron,
Elizabeth Daub,	vs David Douthett,
Amos Young,	vs Robert Shira, with notice to Bredin Porter, as terre tenant,
Jacob Hepler,	vs H. P. Shakely & J. Shakeley,
N. & L. Miller, for use,	vs John Morshead & Son,
James M'Elwee,	vs Jonathan Beatty,
County of Butler,	vs Joseph Graham,
Samuel M'Connel	vs Richard Doncaster,
Matthew Story & wife,	vs Alex. Clark & wife,
Mary Jane Ramsey, by her mother next friend, Nancy Ramsey,	vs George W. Stillwagon,
James Higgens,	vs William Conn, et. al,
George Reiber,	vs Rebecca Mehan,
Samuel R. Renfrew, by his father and next friend David A. Renfrew,	vs David Dixon,
C. Echolts,	vs H. J. Klingier,
William Stewart,	vs Robert Allen,
George Patterson,	vs John Irvin, John Gault & Benjamin Patterson,

WILLIAM STOOPS, Pro.

May, 11, 1864.

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale, his farm situate in Penn tp., seven miles south of Butler, containing 41 acres and 27 perches: 30 acres of which are cleared, under good improvement and in a high state of cultivation, 8 acres of good meadow. A good two story, hewed log-house, 18 by 26 ft., a good log barn, 32 by 68 ft., and a frame springhouse thereon erected. A young and excellent fruit bearing orchard, 12 acres of excellent timber, and 3 never failing springs. Excellent land to the amount of 26 acres adjoining the above is for sale.

April 27th. WM. MARSHALL.

JACK'S HOTEL.

F. S. MAGEE, Proprietor.

Corner of Main and Jefferson treets, Butler, Pa.

March 16, 1864.

1864. NEW GOODS, 1864.

AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.

AND AS GOOD AS THE BEST.

R. C. & J. L. M'ABOY.

Have just received at their establishment,

ON MAIN STREET, BUTLER, PA.,

A large and well selected stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

READ THE FOLLOWING CATALOGUE AND PROFIT THEREBY.

FOR THE LADIES.

Always on hand a large stock of Ladies goods, such as

COBERG CLOTH, ALPACAS, DE LANES, GINGHAMS, PRINTS, KERCHIEFS, NUBIES, GLOVES, &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN.

Always on hand Black Cloths, Fancy and Black Cassimeres, Satinetts, Cassinets, Tweeds, Plain and fancy Vestings, Shirting, etc., etc., etc.,

READY MADE CLOTHING.

Such as COATS, PANTS, VESTS and other garments.

Boots and Shoes,

HATS, CAPS & NECKTIES,

and a variety of other articles

HOUSEHOLD GOODS,

Such as Unbleached and Bleached Muslins, Linen and Cotton, Table Cloths, Oil Cloths, Linen and Hemp Towels, Carpets, Curtains, Fringe, etc.

HARDWARE, &C.

If you want Nails or Spikes, Manure or other forks, Saw-Mill or other saws, Smoothing Irons, Locks, Hinges, etc., go to M'Aboy's, where you can buy them cheap.

IF YOU WANT Good Extra Family Flour, White or Brown Sugar, Rio Coffee, Imperial, Young Hyson or Black Tea, go to M'Aboy's.

IF You WANT GROCERIES

of a superior quality, at as low rates as they can be had elsewhere in the county, go to the store of

R. C. & J. L M'ABOY.

May 11, 1864.

Auditor's Notice.

George Loslie, for use of John Shoup, now for use of S. P. M'Calmont, vs Daniel Norigon.

E. D. No. 26, Sept. Term, 1863.

And now to wit: Dec. 12th, 1863, Petition of John Scott presented for the appointment of an Auditor to distribute the proceeds of Sheriff sale in this case. Same day Court appoint Hugh C. Graham, Esq., an Auditor to make distribution of the proceeds of sale according to law. By the Court, WM. STOOPS, Pro.

Butler County, ss.

Certified from the record, this 12th day of Jan., 1864.

WM. STOOPS, Pro.

In pursuance of the above appointment, I will attend to the duties thereof, at my office in Butler, on *Thursday the 19th day of May next*, at 1 o'clock, p. m., of said day, at which time and place, those interested, can attend if they see proper.

HUGH C. GRAHAM, Auditor.

April 20, 1864.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

IN pursuance of an order and decree of the Orphans' Court of Butler county, I will expose to public sale, on the premises, in Brady township, on SATURDAY, May 7, at 4 o'clock p. m., all the right, title, and interest of Keziah H. Thompson, and Julia E. Thompton minor children of John H. Thompson, of Brady township, dec'd., of and in to *TWO HUNDRED ACRES*, more or less, adjoining lands of R. W. Thompson's heirs, other lands of John H. Thompson, dec'd., Stoughton and others, being the undivided *two sevenths* thereof.

TERMS:—One third in hand, balance in two equal annual payments, with interest from confirmation o sale.

JOHN M. THOMPSON,

Guardian of Keziah H. Thompson & Julia E. Thompson.

April 20, 1864:3t.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendments be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

"SECTION 4. Whenever any of the qualified voters of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service, under a requisition from the President of the United States, or by the authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are, or shall be, prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual place of election."

SECTION 2. There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight, and nine, as follows:

"SECTION 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature, containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills."

"SECTION 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, or privileges, in any case, where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of this Commonwealth."

HENRY C. JOHNSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JOHN P. PENNEY,
Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH,
Harrisburg, April 25, 1864.

PENNSYLVANIA, SS:

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "A Joint Resolution proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

(L. S.)

IN TESTIMONY whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Secretary's office to be affixed the day and year above written.

ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

The above Resolution having been agreed to by a majority of the members of each House, at two successive sessions of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, the proposed amendments will be submitted to the people, for their adoption or rejection, on the FIRST TUESDAY OF AUGUST, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article of the Constitution, and the act, entitled "An Act prescribing the time and manner of submitting to the people, for their approval and ratification or rejection, the proposed amendments to the Constitution," approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four.

ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

May 4, 1864.

Auditor's Notice.

IN the matter of the petition of Henry Boyer, Adm'r. of John Boyer, dec'd., for an Auditor to distribute the balance in his hands as per account filed in the Register's office, No. 38, Sept. Term, 1863, O. C.

In the Orphans' Court of Butler county, No. 73, March Term, 1864.

And now to wit, April 5th, 1864, Court appoint Hugh C. Graham, Esq., an Auditor to distribute the balance of the account to those entitled to it.

Butler County, ss.

Certified from the record, this 19th day of April, A. D., 1864. WATSON J. YOUNG, Ck'k.

In pursuance of the above appointment, I will attend to the duties thereof, at my Office, in Butler, on Thursday the 26th day of May next, at 1 o'clock, of said day, at which time and place those interested can attend if they see proper. HUGH C. GRAHAM,

April 27, 1864. Auditor.

Allegheny & Butler Plank Road Co.

THE annual election of the Allegheny and Butler Plank Road Company, will be held at the house of Mrs. Mackey, in Bakerstown, on Monday, the 9th day of May, at 1 o'clock, p. m., of said day.

The stockholders are urged to be present at this election and their annual meeting on same day. The increased price of labor and materials require that they should be consulted as to the best means of avoiding the difficulties under which the company labors.

WM. CAMPBELL, President.

April 27, 1864.

WANTED.

A JOURNEYMAN SHOEMAKER will find constant employment, by immediate application to the undersigned, residing in Penn township, 7 miles South of Butler, on the Pittsburgh & Butler Plank Road.

WILLIAM NEITHERCOAT.

April 20, 1864::3t.

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order and decree of the Orphan's court of Butler co., the undersigned Administrator of the estate of James McMahen, late of Allegheny tp., said county, dec'd, will offer for sale at public vendue on the premises on Friday, the 3d day of June next, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, fifty acres of land to be laid off the east end of a larger tract of land situate in Allegheny tp., said county, bounded by lands of Dr. Crawford, by lands of Alex and Wm. Grant, Alex Coulter, Thomas Grant and others.

TERMS:—One third of the purchase money to be paid at confirmation of sale by the said Court, and the remainder in two equal annual payments thereafter with interest from said confirmation. JAS. H. McMAHAN.

April 21st, 3t.

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order and decree of the Orphan's Court of Butler county, the undersigned Administrator of Cyrus Rosenberry dec'd, will offer for sale at public Vendue, on the premises on Thursday the 21 day of June, A. D. 1864, at one o'clock p. m., of said day—one hundred acres of land, more or less, situated in Allegheny township, Butler county Pa., bounded by lands of John and David Rosenberry, M. S. Adams, and others.

TERMS.—One third in hand, and the balance in two equal annual payments with interest from confirmation of sale

JOHN M. TURNER, Ad'm.

April 27, 1864::3t.

Orphan's Court Sale.

BY virtue of an order and decree of the Orphan's Court and for the county of Butler, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Thomas M'Cormick, late of Muddycreek Tp. said county, dec'd, will offer for sale at public vendue, on the premises, on Thursday the 2d day of June, A. D. 1864, at 1 o'clock, p. m., of said day, sixty acres of land be the same more or less, situate in the township of resaid, bounded on the north by lands of Jacob Snyder, on the east by D. McCullough: on the south by Mathew and Thomas McCullough; on the west by Wm. McCullough. Terms of sale, one third of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of sale by the Court, and the residue in two equal annual payments, with interest from said confirmation.

DAVID MARSHALL, Adm'r.

April 27, 1864.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Isaac Stillwagon, dec'd.

WHEREAS, Letters of Administration have this day been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Isaac Stillwagon, late of Slipperyrock tp., Butler co, dec'd, therefore all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will make immediate payment without delay, and those having claims against the same will present them properly authenticated for settlement.

JOHN J. KELLY, Administrator.

Butler, April 27,

Treasurer's Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that agreeably to an Act of Assembly, passed the 9th day of March, 1860, entitled an Act to Amend the Act entitled Directing the mode of selling Unseated Lands, and Unseated Town lots, in Butler county, Pa., will be exposed for arrears of taxes, at the Commissioner's Office, in the borough of Butler, on the second Monday of June next, to wit:

	Acrs.	Tax.
Brady Township.		
Jane Allen	50	1 39
Centre Township.		
Alfred Gilmore	34	4 86
Same	118	21 78
Samuel P. Thompson, house and lot		2 83
Cherry Thompson.		
Conrad Snider	43	9 89
Clearfield Township.		
Edward Duffy	61	8 13
Nicholas Inglehart	81	14 63
John Smith, lot No. 26		23
Venango Township.		
Richard McArty	40	5 71
Forward Township.		
Joseph Ashton	100	11 05
Jefferson Township.		
Jacob Walters, lot 64, in Hannahstown		34
James Brefflr, lots 1 & 42, Hannahstown		55
Nancy Duncan, lot No. 29, Hannahstown		34
George Miller, lots Nos. 6 & 17, Hannahstown		55
Lancaster Township.		
Thomas Howard	½	28
Oakland Township.		
Thomas Jamison & Harry	200	29 32
J. Jemison, Jr., wid w, Satt Wrantee	275	56 05
Penn Township.		
Dorsics Heirs	150	22 58
Washington Township.		
George Beam, (Donation)	180	9 88
S. A. Purviance, lots Nos. 8, 11, 13, in Annisville		62

NATHANIEL WALKER, Treasurer.

Butler, April 11, 1864.

Treasurer's Sale.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that agreeably to an Act of Assembly, passed the 25th day of April, A. D., 1844, entitled An Act to reduce the State debt, and for other purposes, directing the mode of selling seated lands for taxes, the following seated land and seated lots, in Butler county, Pa., will be exposed to sale for arrears of taxes, at the Commissioner's Office, in the borough of Butler, on the Second Monday of June next, to wit:

	Acrs.	Tax.
Allegheny Township.		
Henry Hoover	75	17 40
John Anchors	22	1 17
Samuel Jack	100	8 15
John Moore	30	1 27
Summit Township.		
Wm. Bigger	25	2 26
Daniel Johnston	56	2 95
Sarah & Mary Maxwell	130	12 37
Parker Township.		
Arnold & Crawford, Furnace, house & Lot and	75	18 73
Fisher Solomon, house, lot an shop		11 77
Gr gg & Co., 3 houses and lots		14 44
Robt. Harshow, house and lot		1 95
Ta lor J. W., house and lot		5 01
James Kisknddon	90	12 25
J. D. Truby, house and lot		9 19
Joshua Sedwick, one lot		3 06
Beatty Sedwick house and lot		3 06
Henry Rush	25	2 38
Clearfield Township		
Lawrence Coney	50	3 81
Wm. McMannes	77	4 63
Mathias Platt	50	3 77
Daniel Strain	88	6 61
Patrick Shields	88	8 22
Abraham Smith	50	3 00
Peter Shearer	65	5 85
Miles M'Bride, 3 lots		90
Penn Township.		
Vanny Emman	20	4 56
Marion Township.		
David Allen	95	7 97
Robert Allen	100	5 22
Andrew Burtner	100	3 44
Thos. Hindman	115	6 24
Thos. M'Laughlin's heirs	150	8 23
Hugh M'Laughlin's heirs	75	7 81
Samuel Seaton	50	4 15
Geo. Ward's heirs	100	5 40
Franklin Township.		
Humes Thompson	183	6 96
Franklin Township.		
Kennedy & M'Colly, 2 lots tannery		5 62
Oakland Township.		
John Campbell, lot in Boydstown		06
Geo. Gilchrist, lot in Boydstown		06
Hugh M'Kee, lot in Boydstown		06
Wm. Stewart, lot in Boydstown		06
Forward Township.		
Henry Conrad, lot No. 67, in Evansburg		10
Wm. O'Conner, 3 lots in Evansburg		54
Daniel Walters	30	2 17
Borough Prospect.		
Wm. S. Dodd's heirs, one lot		33
Robert Hays, house and lot		1 45
Kelly & Armstrong, house and lot		87
Venango Township.		
John Hughes, 130 & 150 acres	280	9 22
Patrick O'Conner	90	14 55
Joseph Sav	46	1 75
Dennis O'Conner	50	8 21
Wm. Conn	100	3 63
Thos. M'Millan	50	3 72
Jefferson Township.		
Bernard Step, lots 81, 82 & 83 in Hannahstown		58
Jacob Wetzel, lot No. 43, in Hannahstown		25
Daniel Walters, lot No. 48, in Hannahstown		40
Brady Township.		
Hazelton's heirs	100	11 24
John Negley	170	11 54
Butler Township.		
Thos. Bartley	100	9 06
Clay Township.		
Ifi	25	2 22
Washington Township.		
Patton Pollock, lot No. 7		40
Robert Y. Roberts, 2 lots Nos. 13 & 14		80
James G. Smith, house, lot and shop		87
Thos. Hindman	248	20 28
Thos. Donnelly	100	8 02
Wm. Crawford	10	74
Concord Township.		
Wm. C. Jamison	60	4 98
Wm. Harper	41	3 55
Alex. M'Call	40	4 29

NATHANIEL WALKER, Treasurer.

Butler, April 20, 1864.

W. H. H. RIDDLE,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law,

WILL, with the least possible delay, attend to all business entrusted to his care. COLLECTIONS promptly made. Also, General *Agent* for the Butler County Mutual Fire Insurance Company. Office with John M. Thompson, Esq., nearly opposite the Post Office, Main St., BUTLER, PA, [April 13, 1864:tf.

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