

THE AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Butler, Pa., Wednesday, Nov. 8, 1865

We have just been handed a pamphlet containing a complete narrative of the trial of Mrs. Grider, convicted of the murder of Mrs. Carothers. It is for sale at the Stationary establishment of H. C. Heineman, opposite Lowry's Hotel. Call and purchase.

Dedication.

The new German Evangelical Reformed Church, in Butler, will be dedicated to the service of God, on Sunday, the 19th day of November, 1865. Services will commence at half-past 10 o'clock a. m. Rev. Dr. Lebermann, of Meadville, will preach the dedication sermon in German. There will be also a sermon preached in English. Several other clergymen will be present and participate in the exercises.

The public are respectfully invited to attend.

Burglary.

The house of Mr. Jacob Shaner of Center Tp. was broken into on Sunday the 22nd ult. and robbed of some sixty dollars. The particulars as far as we can learn are as follows: The family started for Church in the morning, when about half a mile on the road they met some friends who were coming to see them, when all returned home it was then found that the house had been entered through the kitchen window and the money taken from the drawer.

On the same evening the house of Mr. Wm. Allison (a neighbor of Mr. Shaner) was entered while the family was at church, and about forty-five dollars stolen. As yet no arrests have been made, but it is hoped that the thief or thieves may be caught and brought to justice.

The house of Mr. Hill of this place was entered on Monday night by a burglar, and one hundred dollars stolen.

A Shooting Affair.

About nine o'clock on Monday evening, a difficulty occurred between H. Poll Brinker and John Miller, both of this place. Miller has a wife and family—Brinker is a single man. For a long time, it seems that the latter has been in the habit of frequenting the house of the former, in his absence. A mutual acquaintance, it is said, existed between him and Miller's wife. This of course, resulted in jealousy on the part of Miller and a bad feeling towards Brinker. They met in Mr. Zimmerman's bar-room; Miller was talking with Mr. Z., when Brinker stepping forward, asked him if he had said certain things about him; Miller denied, some angry words ensued, when Brinker assaulted him passing his hand against his shoulder in a menacing manner, whereupon Miller discharged a revolver at him. Brinker, however, knocked him down and followed up his advantage. The assault was continued; they were both down. Brinker, uppermost, however, Miller used the pistol twice after he fell. They were finally parted, Brinker continued the assault until torn away, being evidently the strongest. After the difficulty had terminated it was ascertained that two of the shots had taken effect, one ball passing through the fleshy part of Brinker's thigh another entering his left breast and is supposed to be lodged in his lung; he is certainly seriously injured. We hope not fatally however.

Under the state of facts as received here, the sympathy of the community is naturally enough with the injured husband. Sad as this occurrence is, if it should in any way tend to restore peace and happiness to a long disturbed family, it will have accomplished its good.

The Carothers Murder.

Since the murder of Dr. Parkman by Professor Webster, many years ago, we cannot recollect of an instance of murder so astonishing as the present case. Mrs. Carothers—the victim in this case—was near neighbor to Mrs. Grider, they were intimate. Mrs. Carothers took sick, and the other waited upon her daily, and at the same time it seems, was administering poison to her. The poison seems to have been put in the victuals, which from time to time, she prepared, and was pertook of by many, upon all of whom was the effects of poison seen. We could imagine a case where a woman, full of malice, or under a great excitement, could administer a dose of poison which might prove fatal at once, but how any person possessing a spark of sense could continue, from day to day, and from week to week, to administer small portions of poison, and then, in the capacity of a friend; wait on them—nurse them, see their agonies protracted through so long a period and that without ever shedding a tear is past comprehension. Yet such is this case. For our part we confess to be unable to believe that such conduct is that of a sane being. It is said, however, that there were no signs of insanity about her, still we think there was a want of the reasoning powers however unperceived that want may have been. Certainly, there has been no motive that would have induced an intelligent being however depraved, to commit such a deed. Hard as it may seem, however, society must be protected.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

CONSEQUENCES OF LADY... Butler, Pa., Wednesday, Nov. 8, 1865

BY ORDER OF THE W. M.

Music.

The Mason & Hartman Cabinet Organs, forty five of the best quality...

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TO DRUNKARDS. OLD DOCTOR BUCHAN'S STRENGTHENING...

THE NEW YORK OBSERVER. A WEEKLY RELIGIOUS & SECULAR...

OLD AND YOUNG. All our subscribers pay in advance...

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. WHEREAS, letters of Administration to the estate...

SHERIFF'S SALES. BY virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias...

West Sunbury Academy. THE winter session of four months open on Monday...

WRIT OF PETITION. THE petition of Mary Schenck widow of Matthew...

REGISTERS NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the following accounts...

GERMANTOWN TELEGRAPH. A Family and an Agricultural Journal...

W. H. H. Riddle, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will attend to all business entrusted to him...

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

APPLES—\$2.50 per barrel. BUTTER—Fresh Roll, 24 lbs. per cwt...

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DEFY COMPETITION as far as Variety, Styles Quality of Goods and Prices are Concerned.

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HEAD-QUARTERS FOR FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS.

The Best Assorted and Largest Stock of Goods ever opened.



Prints, Coburgs, 45 & 50 DELAINE, 25 FR. MERIN, 1.25 Flannel, 60 & 75.

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NEW SKIRTS FOR 1865-6.

The Great Invention of the Age in HOOP SKIRTS. J. W. BRADLEY'S New Patent Duplex Elliptic, or double, Spring Skirt.

THE INVENTION consists in the use of two elliptical hoops, one inside the other, and the two being joined together by a double spring...

Watches and Clocks. THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public...

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PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES, FERRIOTYPES.

DAQUERREOTYPES, PHOTOGRAPHY. HAVING FULLY COMPLETED ALL THE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS...

STEEL TOOTH, HAY AND GRAIN RAKES, WALKER'S IMPROVEMENT. MANUFACTURED BY G. C. ROESSING.

CLAIM AGENT. THE undersigned would respectfully notify the public...

NEW HARNESS SHOP. HAVING opened a new Harness Shop, opposite...

ASH & GRAHAM, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW, OIL CITY, PA.

R. M. WILSON, Attorney at Law, AND PENSION AND CLAIM AGENT.

JAS. A. NEGLEY, NEW FIRM, Sedwick Neff & Co.

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