BUTLER CITIZEN.

New Advertisements.

Holiday Local Notices.
Notice in Divorce—Strain vs Strain.
Public sale of land in Cranberry township.
Notice of filing final account of committee of Adam Beighley.
Christmas Tree Decorations, etc.—George W. Backoffen, Pittsburg.
Assignee's sale of Notes, accounts, etc., of the estate of W. J. McKee.
Election Notices—Worth Mutual Fire Insurance Co.; Glade Mill Insurance Co.; Butler County Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

Local and General.

—Toys of all kind at J. F. T. Stehle's.

—Holiday goods, 5 cent department, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—The latest—the Ensemble Scarf—at Charles R. Grieb's.

—The people of the two cities are complaining of watered oysters.

—Prime Oak Kips, at 50 cents per pound, at Roessing's tannery.

—Dolls of all kidns at J. F. T. Stehle's.

—Holiday goods, 10 cent department, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—John K. Kelly, Esq., has been appointed Court Auditor for next year.

—Cotton, linen, wool, worsted and silk cuffs at Charles R. Grieb's.

—Finished calf skins, at 75 cents per pound, at Roessing's tannery.

—Best and cheapest line of millinery goods at Mrs. S. E. Sloan's.

—Visions of Santa Claus are beginning to flit through the juvenile mind.

—Cotton, linen, cambric and silk handkerchiefs at Charles R. Grieb's.

—Holiday goods, 15 cent department, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—Doll carriages, latest style, at J. F. T. Stehle's.

—Over seven hundred persons were burned to death in a Vienna theatre a few days ago.

—The latest styles in hats and caps at Charles R. Grieb's.

—A lot of second-handed Watches cheap for cash, at E. Grieb's

—Holiday goods, 20 cent department, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—The case of the commonwealth vs. Jacob Shields, was ignored at the cost of prosecutor.

—Gloves, mittens and underwear for men and boys at Charles R. Grieb's.

—Prime, heavy and plump beef hides above 60 pounds, are worth 7 to 8 cents at Roessing's tannery.

—Ladies, please compare Pittsburgh prices with New York prices, at Mrs. S. E. Sloan's.

—Fifty-two cases of small-pox were reported in Allegheny City in September, 75 in October and 131 in November

—A large variety of shirts, collars, cuffs and suspenders at Charles R. Grieb's.

—BEEF HIDES:—from 6 to 8½ cents per pound at Wm. Mardorf's, West Cunningham St., Butler, Pa. dec7 3t

—The Virginian Legislature is at work. Washington does not, therefore, absorb all the air sawing in the country.

—Have you seen the large stock of Neckwear, in all shapes and styles, at Charles R. Grieb's.

—Oak Tanned Uppers, at $2.50@$2.75, per side at Roessing's tannery.

—There will be three weeks of a special term of court, for trial of civil cases, during January and February. See court notes.

—When out buying holiday presents drop in at Charles R. Grieb's and examine his stock of Gents Half-hose.

—Philip Hilliard, Esq., of Hilliard's Mills, was foreman of the grand jury last week and this and made a very energetic officer.

—Ladies will do well by examining millinery goods at Mrs. S. E. Sloan's.

—Holiday goods, 25 cent department, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—Mr. Thomas Campbell, (elder) of Concord township, a venerable and much esteemed citizens, was in town on Monday last.

—Blankets, Flannels and Yarns, wholesale and retail, at Union Woolen Mills, Butler, Pa. oct12tf

—Toys, tinware, etc., for the holidays, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

—William and Addison Burns were convicted in the Clarion county court, last week, of uttering forged deeds, and retired for seven years.

If you have no Peruna pamphlet get one immediately. Address S. B. Hartman & Co., Osborn, O.

—Cotton, Scotch, Gingham, Alpaca and Silk Umbrellas, at Charles R. Grieb's.

—Mr. John B. Dickey has been appointed postmaster at Mars office, Adams township, this county, in place of Mr. W. H. Walker, resigned.

—If you want to be surprised call and see the fine assortment of toys for holiday gifts, best stock in the town, at J. F. T. Stehle's.

—Graff, Bennett & Co.'s iron works, at Bennett station, on the West Penn R. R., were destroyed by fire, Sunday morning. Loss estimated at $300,000.

—When you want anything in the line of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Spectacles, &c., do not fail to call in at E. Grieb's and examine the stock; no trouble to show goods.

—Mr. Casper Sherman received back pay and pension money amounting to about $800, last Friday, Mr. H. A. Ritner, of Martinsburg, received about $900.

—Highest cash price paid for corn, oats and all kinds of produce at the store of Jacob Boos, nearly opposite the Willard Hotel, Main street, Butler, Pa. n16tf

—Mr. William R. Thompson, of Middlesex township, has been to Washington county, this State, purchasing Merino sheep, in order to improve his stock.

—The season of fairs is again at hand. Church fairs, charitable fairs, children's fairs, fairs for discharging mortgages and paying debts, all find their best opportunity in the month of December, since they can fill their booths with gifts for the holidays, and buyers can combine benevolence with business.

—At the lowest calculation possible there are ninety-nine pairs of slippers being made in Butler, by young and elderly ladies for their gentlemen friends.

—By the explosion of a boiler in the works of the Keystone Rolling Mill Co., in the fourteenth ward, Pittsburg, last Friday, one man was killed and twelve injured.

—The new foot-rest for the coming Christmas is adjustable. You may lower it for the baby to sit on, or raise it to mantelpiece height for manly hoofs to recline upon.

—A fine lot of fancy brackets, wall pockets, towel racks, tables, carpet rockers; also, slipper pockets and paper holder, backs for embroidered fronts, suitable for Christmas presents, at Wm F. Miller's. 14d2w

—The case of the commonwealth vs. Robert Davidson, for assault and battery with intent to kill, Jonas Hartzell, prosecutor, was the first taken up Monday and is still on trial.

—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done thousands of women more good than the medicines of many doctors. It is a positive cure for all female complaints Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham.

—Phila *News:* A Philadelphia man who owns a parrot informs us that when his minister calls on him it is very embarrassing to have the bird eternally exclaiming 'I'll take sugar in mine.'

—If you wish to behold a miscellaneous assortment of flattened noses, you have only to enter any of the Butler stores in whose windows holiday goods are exposed to view, and watch the countenances of the children after school hours.

—Up to yesterday evening the grand jury of last week had not yet adjourned. They sent off a hundred miles or so for witnesses in the case of the young lady of Cherry township, who is accused of concealing the death of her child, and after putting the county to that cost, thought it their duty to remain in session till the witnesses arrived.

—An editor in this state says: 'We need $1,000 before the first of January' It is a queer announcement for an editor to make; but if he intends to make his wife a Christmas present he should have the money. We suppose he might give her a twenty-five dollar patent medicine order, but editors' wives don't appreciate such presents.—*Norristown Herald.*

—A terrible accident, resulting in the death of eleven men, occurred at Gibson station, on the Ohio river, a few miles below Pittsburg, early last Saturday morning. A two-story shanty, in which forty-six persons were sleeping, was set on fire by the explosion of a swinging lamp in the hall, and the fire made such a dense smoke that many of the men were immediately overcome, and ten of them perished in the flames.

—The Ohio dentists do not tolerate murder. For years the Goodyear Rubber Company has been waging war against the dentists of the country, under the patent laws, and one of the incidents of the struggle was the killing of a rubber company agent by a California dentist. A Columbus dentist asked the State Association last week to sympathize with the homicide by resolutions but instead of doing that they ruled him out, and then voted him a censure. He took it like a man.

—The man Haley, alias Phelan, who swindled the Emlenton Bank, some two years ago by means of a forged check, was tried at Franklin, lately, convicted and sent to the penitentiary. Haley is an adroit scoundrel with a fascinating history. He made overtures offering to make the bank good and double their loss. The usual way with metropolitan moneyed concerns is to treat with such sharpers, make terms that will save them, and let the criminal loose once more upon the world.

—The goods which are now in display in the shops may not include many striking novelties, but every year the articles offered for sale at the holiday season grow more tasteful on the average. The improvement in this respect has been wonderful within ten years, within five years, indeed. Never before, too, was the variety of tasteful articles for holiday gifts attainable at a small cost, so great as it is now. A tour of inspection through the shops where all these things, costly and cheap, are now displayed, is therefore well worth while.

NEWSPAPER sharks—that is that class who take a paper for a number of years, and then skip without paying for it—are reminded by a contemporary that 'the new postal law now makes the taking of a newspaper and the refusal to pay for the same, theft, and any person guilty of such an action is liable to criminal proceedings, the same as if he had stolen goods to the amount of subscription.' A New York paper has already commenced suit against several subscribers for such an offence.—*Parker Phœnix.*

—After an existence of sixty-one years Van Amburgh's show met the inglorious fate of being knocked to pieces by an auctioneers hammer a few days ago. Venerable men who remember munching gingerbread and staring at the monkeys in the Great Show fifty or sixty years ago will probably nod their gray heads and hum softly what they used to howl vociferously when *they* were lads that——

"Van Amburgh is the man who goes to all the shows,
He goes into the lion's den, and tells you all he knows;
He sticks his head in the lion's mouth, and keeps it there awhile,
And when he takes it out again he greets you with a smile."

—A photograph, probably the largest ever printed upon a single sheet of paper, is now on exhibition in the art gallery of the American Institute. It is not uncommon to see several views which have been separately printed on small sheets of paper and pasted together to make a panorama of large industrial works, etc., but this remarkable specimen was printed from seven negatives on one sheet of paper, and covers an area of over ten feet in length by about eighteen inches in height. It is a panoramic view of the Centennial ground in Philadelphia, Pa., and so perfectly are the negatives joined that it is impossible to locate the joints. Were it not for the announcement of the exhibitor that it was printed from seven negatives, no lay observer would imagine that it was other than a single view printed from a single negative.

COURT NEWS.

List of true bills found by the Grand Jury last week:

Commonwealth versus Mike Flinner and Louis Rothchild, conspiracy to defraud.
Charles and William White, assault and battery.
Robert Davidson, assault and battery with intent to kill.
John Young, assault and battery.
Frederick Kroneberg, perjury.
M. Flinner, false pretense.
George Beam, stealing from the person of another.
E. Workman and others, forcible entry and detainer.
Matthew Colson, aggravated assault and battery.
M. Flinner, false pretense.
E Workman and Wm. Hinch, assault and battery.
J. W. Hamill, larceny.
Benj. Sarver and John Doerr, neglecting as Supervisors of Buffalo township, to open and repair a public road, misdemeanor in office.
James Brown, establishing a gambling house.
James Brown, selling liquor without license.
Chas. Stone, fornication and bastardy.
J. W. Hamill, adultery.
Lydia Swain, keeping a disorderly house.

SURETY OF PEACE AND DESERTION CASE.

Com'th vs Leander Lewis, desertion. Dec. 6, 1881, case called and heard; defendant sentenced to pay costs of prosecution and pay his wife $48, and committed to the custody of the Sheriff until the sentence is complied with.

NOTES.

The case of K. Marshall, committee of S. C. Douthett, a lunatic, vs W. A. Lewis and others, was continued at cost of plaintiff.

The petition of Jno. K. Kelly, Esq., for the appointment of Court Auditor, was presented to Court last Wednesday and he received the appointment.

The grand jury adjourned over from Friday of last week to Monday of this, in order to enable witnesses in a certain case to appear.

Letters of administration were granted to Ebenezer Christy, on the estate of Ann Young, dec'd. See notice in another place in this paper.

The case of the commonwealth vs John Tayborn, for attempting to commit suicide, was ignored and county to pay costs.

In the matter of the Poor District of Clay township vs Poor District of West Sunbury, the rule was discharged and Clay township gets the pauper.

An order of Court was made, Saturday, fixing the number of persons to be selected as jurors for 1882 at 800. The jury wheel will be filled on Monday, Dec. 27.

An order was made on the same day, fixing the weeks commencing with Third Monday of January, fifth Monday of January and second Monday of February, 1882, for jury trials of civil cases, venires to issue for 44 jurors for each week.

The will of Ann M. Cross was probated Monday, Norman Patterson and Rev. W. D. Ewing, executors.

SUITS BROUGHT.

Chas. Younker vs Chas. Wessell for malicious prosecution.
John Dixon vs Thomas M. Dixon, debt. Sum claimed $6915.23.
John Young vs Chas. F. White, trespass. Damages claimed in $400.
Zephaniah Kachner and wife vs Philip Summer and wife, slander. Damages claimed $1000. The slanderous words alleged to have been used by Mrs. Summer are that she "caught Mrs. Kachner in the alley after night with the dutchman and would not have anything to do with a woman who was caught in the alley with the dutchman the other night." The "dutchman" referred to is stated to be George Beach.
F. R. Kerr vs Geo. Tibbals and Robt. Woods. Sci. Fa. sur Mechanics Lein.
Jos. Finkler vs same, same.
John Carl vs same, same.

EXECUTIONS ISSUED.

John L. Randolph vs W. W. Randolph.
John Miller vs same.
Wm. Humphrey, in trust, for Portersville Savings Bank vs M. J. and Matthew McCollough, debt.
Wm. Spence vs S. A. Aggas, debt.
C. Walker, for use of L. Christy, vs Patton and Wm. Bell.

MANDAMUS.

Annie Boyle vs Allegheny township, mandamus execution process.
C. W. Knee, for use, vs same, same.

SHERIFF'S DEEDS.

The following property were sold and deeds made by the Sheriff to the following persons last week:

All the right, title and interest of W. G. Stoughton, in land in Oakland township, to Jacob Dumbach and Geo. H. Graham, $100.
Of same, in land in Slipperyrock township, to same for $780.
Of same, in land in Slipperyrock township, to W. C. McCandless, $840.
Of same, in land in Worth township, to W. H. H. Riddle, $10.
Of Jas. B. Hill, in 1½ acres in Fairview township, to Miss Hill, $17.25.
Of Michael Flinner, in land in Lancaster township, to Philip Flinner, $45.
Of J. M. and Kate P. Miller, in house and lot it Butler, to Sarah F. Plummer, $20.
Of John M. Thompson, in land in Jefferson township, to Daniel Feidler for $1403.
Of same, in land in Marion township, to Butler Savings Bank for $1755.
Of same, in land in Forward township, to O. D. Thompson, $90.
Of same, in land in Fairview township, to S. L. Riddle for $1170.
Of same, in land in Summit township, to O. D. Thompson for $1007.
Of same, in land in Washington township, to S. L. Riddle, $32.
Of same, in land in Oakland township, to S. L. Riddle, $850.
Of same, in land in Washington township, to Elizabeth Cranmer, $260.
Of same, in land in Oakland and Concord townships, to S. L. Riddle, $200.
Of Wm. A. Shreve and A. W. Say, in land in Oakland and Concord townships, to W. H. Say $50.
Of David McMillan, in land in Jefferson township, to John Maizland, $20.
Of Robert Lawrence, in land in Muddycreek township, to P. K. Lawrence, $10.
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COURT THIS WEEK.

Court met on Monday, of this week, and proceeded to the trial of cases on the criminal list. The first case taken up was that of the Commonwealth against Robert Davidson, indicted for an aggravated assault and battery upon Jonas Hartzell, Penn township. This case is on trial at the time of our going to press.

A number of old citizens are serving upon the jury this week, among them we notice Dawson Wadsworth, of Slipperyrock township; James Kerr, of Mercer township; Benjamin Douthett, of Adams township; John Montgomery, of Clinton township, and Moore McCandless, of Centre township.

The Grand Jury, held over from last week to this, finished their labors on Tuesday. Their report on public buildings, etc., will appear in our next.

Centreville Items.

Linus Cartright has began work on the abutments for a new bridge at Etna.

There are seven coal mines in active operation within the town limits, or very nearly so.

A cashier of the Centreville Savings Bank to succeed A. T. Bard, deceased, will not be elected until in January.

Webster's definition of a fly-wheel was criticized by a member of our local scientists and a continued discussion of the subject has been the result.

Our town is without a council, hence the deplorable condition of our streets.

The boys are amusing themselves with target shooting.

Centreville station is fast growing into a place of importance; she now boasts a grocery, a furniture store and an organ agency.

Mrs. Cross, widow of the late James Cross, died on Thursday after an illness of three months.

T S. Coulter & Co. are manifesting unusual enterprise this season. They have just received an extensive stock of goods for the holiday trade.

Mr. Gettys Morrison was around "setting up" the cigars to all hands one day last week. In answer to our inquiring look, he explained, "its a girl." Mr. J. H. Muntz is also receiving congratulations. "It's a girl too."

Two weddings this week. Mr. Al. Billingsley, to Miss Wick, of Centreville station and Mr. Josiah Keister, to Miss Sade Taylor, of Worth township.

Mr. Leonard McQuistion will move to Coalville. BETA.

Teachers' Institute.

The County Superintendent will expect teachers to be on time at every session of the institute. Teachers will use membership cards with each session indicated A. M. or P. M. A gentleman at the door will take the card, punch out the session and hand the card back. If the holder is late, a different punch will be used, so that the cards at the close of the sessions will show just how many sessions each member missed or was late. Below is an imitation of the membership card:

Teachers' Institute, Butler, No.
December 26-30, 1881.
Certificate of Membership Issued to
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MON.		TUES.		WED.		THURS.		FRI.	
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The cards must be left with the secretary when the holder leaves the institute, as the attendance will be made from them, after which the card will be sent to the secretary of the school board for whom the holder is teaching.

Teachers and directors attending the institute, can return home over the Pittsburgh & Western railroad, free of charge, if they enroll and secure a pass from the Superintendent, identifying them as members of the Institute.

—The following is the report of the Brick school, Clay township, for the month ending Dec. 7th, 1881:

No of males enrolled for the month, 27; females, 30; total No 57. The following are the schollars who were not absent during the month: Males —H. A. Patterson, Adice and Thomas Glenn, Peter, John and Willie McCarrier, Perry Day, George Russell, Willie and C. L. Campbell, Forest Kohlmyer, Chas. Christy, S. G. Gwinn, Thomas Christy, E. W. McClung. Females—Hattie, Mary and Alice Porter, Effie Russell, Nannie, Annie, Ella and Minnie Campbell, Laura McElwaine, Minnie, Maud and Mary Breaden, Lilla Glenn, Etoile Kohlmyer, Ida Day, Maggie and Anna McCarrier, Dassa McKinney, Emma Wolford, Ida Christy, Anna L. Brown, Lomie Shrader, Martha McKinney. There has been good progress made during this, our first month of school, by all scholars enrolled and an average attendance, of 20 1-5 days.

F. M. CAMPBELL, Teacher.

—THE CLEVELAND WEEKLY HERALD is the only paper in Cleveland that offers a premium to its subscribers for 1882. THE HERALD is the largest paper in Cleveland and deserves the great success it is meeting with.

The Photograph of President Garfield given free to all yearly subscribers of THE CLEVELAND WEEKLY HERALD is the best likeness ever secured of our late President All should get a copy of it

The supplements sent so often with THE WEEKLY HERALD, are always full of the best of reading matter that can be procured from all points of the world. THE HERALD by its enterprise has placed itself far above all other Cleveland papers

THE CLEVELAND HERALD has ordered 30,000 copies of their elegant Photograph of President Garfield, which is sent free to all yearly subscribers of THE WEEKLY. No home should be without a good picture of our late President, and THE HERALD is so sure that no one will be dissatisfied that they offer to return the money if such should be the case.

Estray Cow.

A dark red cow, with a large white spot on her face, and having one sore teat, strayed away from Butler a few days ago. Any information regarding her will be thankfully received at this office.

—From the Washington correspondence of a New York paper we take the following: 'Concerning the tariff question, it is to be observed that Pennsylvania receives recruits from the agricultural regions, noticeably from grain producing regions in the west. It was here that the free trade heresy was supposed to be taking strongest hold. It is to be remarked, also, that public men who heretofore have dawdled with protection now stand firmly on their feet and declare with emphasis that protection is the thing to pay the national debt and at the same time insure universal prosperity. Companion to this is the Don Cameron idea of free tobacco, the diet of the masses, and the product of vast regions, a strip of Pennsylvania included. This is supplemented from the corn-growing region with the progressive suggestion of free whisky. 'These together,' said a prairie region representative, 'will place the bread of life within the reach of all and give the poor man a chance, while the national debt will be paid with a stiff tariff.'

Elegant Holiday Goods.

The largest and finest stock ever brought to Butler, now on exhibition at Redick's Drug Store, consisting in part of fine odor cases, flower stands, jewel cases, match boxes, perfume stands, bronze card receivers, decorated porcelain card receivers, decorated porcelain jewel cases, decorated porcelain puff boxes, crystal and bronze flower stands, plate mirrors, celluloid, Florence and hard rubber brushes and combs, fine glove and handkerchief boxes, toilet sets and a great variety of fancy goods. Call and examine them before the assortment is taken.

—The Secretary of the Treasury reports the national income for the year ending June 30 at about $360,000,000, of which, in round numbers, $200,000,000 was from duties on imported goods, $135,000,000 from taxes on whisky and tobacco, $8,000,000 from taxes on bank capital and circulation, and the rest from miscellaneous sources. The expenditures for the same period were about $260,000,000, of which the civil service took 18,000,000, pensions $50,000,000, the War Department $40,000,000, the Navy Department $16,000,000, interest on the public debt $82,500,000, and various other purposes the rest. Of the $100,000,000 surplus, $74,000,0000 has been applied to the sinking fund, $11,000,000 to the payment of old matured debt, and $15,000,000 remains in the Treasury. The Secretary recommends the stoppage of the coining of silver dollars, a revision of the tariff, the repeal of the tax on bank capital, retaining that on bank circulation, the maintenance of the taxes on whisky and tobacco, and the gradual extinction of the public debt by paying off instead of refunding the extended 5 and 6 per cent. bonds.

—Handsomest coal vases and fire sets ever brought to Butler, for holiday presents, at H. Biehl & Co.'s.

For Sale.

A small sized hard coal stove. Good as new. Inquire at CITIZEN office.

Solid Gold Chains,

from $8 to $18, at E. De Roy's 153 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh. Pa.

Frazer Axle Grease.

One greasing with Frazer Axle Grease will last two weeks, all others two to three days. Try it. It received first premium at the Centennial and Paris Exposition. [28sep3m

—We invite the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Buckeye M'f'g Co., Marion, Ohio, in another column. They offer rare inducements to earn an honest living.

Sept. 21, 6-m.

Ladie's Solid Gold Watches.

$12, $14, $15, and $18, guaranteed solid gold and good timekeepers, at E. De Roy's, 153 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Important to Travelers.

Special inducements are offered you by the Burlington Route. It will pay you to read their advertisement to be found elsewhere in this issue. (may25tf

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands; by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure for Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Shearer, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Rings.

Gold and Cameo Rings from $1 50 upwards, at E. De Roy's, 153 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Bonanza for Shoe-makers.

We are closing out our stock of Kips and Uppers, for this season, at greatly reduced prices, regardless of competition. Call and secure bargains at Roessing's tannery.

Butler County Mutual Fire Insurance Co. Election Notice.

BUTLER, PA., Dec. 3, 1881.

The annual election of 12 directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1882, next, between the hours of 1 and 2 P. M.

H. C. HEINEMAN, Sec'y.

Gents' Solid Gold Watches,

Key and stem winders, for $25 to $45, at E. De Roy's, 153 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Farmers Look Here,

The undersigned are now taking orders for fruit trees for spring planting. We represent one of the most reliable nurseries in Rochester, N. Y. Please send your orders in immediately.

n16tf WALKER & BEIDERMAN.

Rail Road Watches.

Open and hunting cases, from three to six ounce, Waltham, Elgin and Rockford movements, $10, $12, and $15, at E. De Roy's, 153 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

1881. Fall and Winter. 1882.

My stock of Woolens for Fall and Winter is now complete, comprising many choice new styles in Trowserings, Suitings and Overcoatings of the best French and home manufacture, purchased direct from first hands.

Early orders are solicited to avoid the many disappointments of the great rush of the season.

WILLIAM ALAND,
Merchant Tailor,
21sep4m Butler, Pa.

Diamonds! Diamonds!

The first Diamonds ever seen in Pittsburgh at 25 per cent. less than any other place. E. De Roy's, 153 Smfthfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Teachers' Institute.

The annual session of the Butler County Teachers' Institute for 1881, will be held in the Court House, Butler, Dec. 26—30, beginning at half-past one on Monday, and closing at noon on Friday.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME—Capt. George W. Fleeger.

RESPONSE.—Nelson Crowe, W. C. Cable.

INSTRUCTORS—Prof. A. L. Wade, Morgantown, W. V. Prof. R. M. McNeal, A. M., Wiconisco, Penn. Prof. Frank B. Pinkerton, Hollidaysburg.

Prof. Pinkerton will give instructions on present Methods of Instruction and deliver talks on School Management.

Prof. R. M. McNeal's topics optional.

Prof. A. L. Wade will address the Directors' Convention on Thursday the 29th inst. at 1½ P. M., and give instructions on various topics during the sessions of the Institute.

EVENING LECTURES.

Monday Evening.—Prof. McNeal, subject, "Negative Men."

Tuesday Evening.—Dr Frank Cowan, subject, "India, China and Corea,"

Wednesday Evening.—Col. B. F. Copland, subject, "Snobs and Snobbery."

Thursday Evening.—Prof. A. T. Wade, subject, "Hindrances and Helps to Popular Education."

HOME TALENT.

A part of each session will be devoted to the discussion of the following topics, affording opportunity for any member of the Institute to speak who desires.

"What shall we do with the Dull Pupil?" W. G. Russell, E. Mackey.

"Compulsory Education." S. P. Irvin, J. D. Harbinson,

"Music in the Public Schools." S. R. Gibson, J. A. Brandon.

"The Teachers' Habits and Example" Prof. Crawford, Miss Nannie McMahon.

"The Best Method of Teaching Primary Reading" John Golden. Mrs. A. B. Kinter.

"How to Teach Penmanship in Ungraded Schools." O. P. Cochran, Mr. Waldron.

"Language Lessons Preparatory to the Study of Grammar." F. H. Hoover, W. W. Mechling.

"Manners and Morals in School?" Rev. Chas. L. Streamer, R. N. Emery.

'For What Offences Should Corporal Punishment be Inflicted?" G. K. Balph, Prof. P. S. Bancroft.

"How Far Should the Teacher Try to Control the Reading of his Pupils while Out of School?" Jno. H. Chatham, Enos McDonald.

"In what Order should you Teach the Facts in Geog.?" J. C. Moore, S. Kohler.

"History and the Best Methods of Teaching It." Prof. Tintsman, J. B. Mechling.

On Thursday, Dec. 29th, the School Directors will meet at 2 o'clock, P. M. The meeting will be addressed by Prof. Wade, after which the following topics will be discussed:

"The Free Book System against Uniformity." Discussion opened by M. C. Benedict of Petrolia.

"Should not the Custom of employing Teachers for a Part of the School Year be abandoned?" Discussion opened by Dr. Marquis of Glade Mill.

"Should not the State provide for Higher Education by establishing Central High Schools?" Discussion opened by Lev. McQuistion.

Inasmuch as Teachers will be allowed the time and wages whilst attending the Institute, we hope to be able to enroll the name of every teacher in the county who is actually engaged in teaching, as well as many others. Teachers, directors and all friends of education, come and be present at the opening session and all the sessions. J. H. MURTLAND,

Nov. 28, 1881.] Co. Sup't.

DEATHS.

CROSS—In Centreville, Ftiday, December 9th, 1881, Mrs, Ann Cross.

EBERT—In Saxonburg, on Sunday, December 11th, 1881, Wm. Ebert.

☞ Subscribe for the CITIZEN.

$1,000 REWARD!

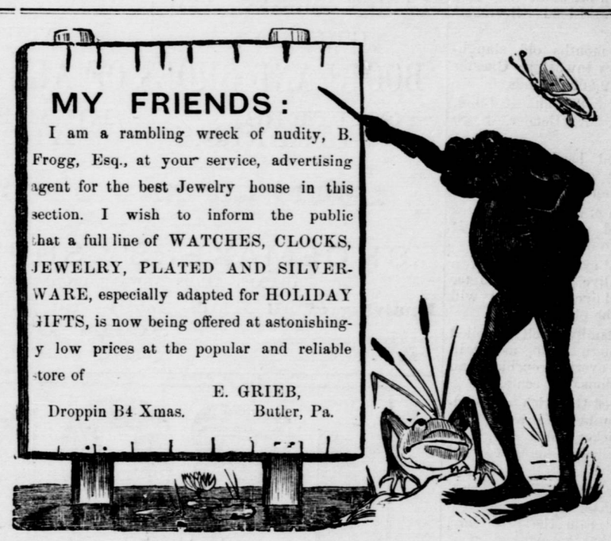
LOST! A SMALL BOY

about the size of a man, bare-headed, with his father's socks on, had an empty bag on his back, containing two railroad tunnels and a bundle of bung holes; he wore a mutton-chop scarf with bean soup lining; he was cross-eyed at the back of the neck, and his hair cut curly; he was born before his elder brother, his mother being present on the occasion. When last seen he was shoveling wind off the Court House, with the intention of raising money enough to visit CHARLES R. GRIEB, at the Temple of Fashion, to purchase one of those far-famed and world renowned CHEAP HATS. His Aunt Peter would deem it a favor to learn of his whereabouts, knowing that if he visits CHARLES R. GRIEB, at the Temple of Fashion, he will be dressed to death, having heard from deaf and dumb persons that this is the best Hat, Cap and Gents' Furnishing Goods house in the town of Butler, where can be found a large assortment of Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods, made up in the very latest styles, of the best material, for the least money

Whoever will give information concerning the above child (he has black whiskers and mustache) will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

Dated at the Temple of Fashion, Main Street, Butler, Pa.

HOLIDAY GOODS! AT E. GRIEB'S.



MY FRIENDS:

I am a rambling wreck of nudity, B. Frogg, Esq., at your service, advertising agent for the best Jewelry house in this section. I wish to inform the public that a full line of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, PLATED AND SILVERWARE, especially adapted for HOLIDAY GIFTS, is now being offered at astonishingly low prices at the popular and reliable store of

E. GRIEB,
Droppin B4 Xmas. Butler, Pa.

Note What an old and Reliable House can do Regarding Prices.

Round Nickel Clocks at	$1 00	A Good Striking Clock, walnut case	3 00
" " " with alarms	1 50	" " " " " 8 day	3 65
A Good Striking Clock	2 00	2 Oz. Silver Case, with Amer'n movement	10 00
		Ladies Gold Watches at	$12 75
		Nickel Watch at	3 00
		Nickel Watch, Stem Winder	4 00
		" " " closed in the back	4 50

☞ All kinds of Sewing Machine Needles at 35 cents per dozen, and No. 1 Sperm Oil at 10 cents per bottle. ☜

The only place in Butler where you can find a full and complete stock of KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS, &c. 1847.—Rogers Bros.—A 1.—none genuine unless stamped ("1847.—Rogers Bros.—A 1.") I also carry a full line of Eye Glasses and Spectacles, suitable for all eyes and mounted in the most elegant and substantial manner, and am offering very superior goods at the most reasonable rates. Repairing of Watches and Clocks receives our very strict attention, and is done promptly and warranted. E. GRIEB, Main Street, Butler, Pa.

WORD IN SEASON!

Never during our experience as buyers and manufacturers of clothing have we seen the market in so depressed a condition at it has been this season. The stubbornness with which Summer has lingered in the lap of Winter had a very depressing effect upon prices. When our buyer reached New York he did not intend to buy one dollar's worth of Clothing, but the manufacturers accosted him and offered him such inducements which were irresistable. They had the goods, they wanted the money, and therefore named such low prices as even to you will appear ridiculous. The result was that our buyer took the advantage of the flat market and secured Men's, Boys' and Children's Overcoats at 40 per cent. less than they cost to manufacture. Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits he bought at about one-half the prices these same manufacturers asked for same goods four weeks ago. Hats and Furnishing Goods in proportion. Being bought cheap, we intend to sell them cheap, giving the people of Pittsburgh and vicinity the full benefit of this unprecedented purchase. Never have we at any one time had as large and desirable stock of seasonable goods in our store as at the present time, and it seems a great pity to cut prices so, but we mean slash and slash it shall be. This great loss—and loss it is—falls upon the manufacturers, and were it not for our great enterprise and ability to pay spot cash for those tremendous lots of goods the people of Pittsburgh and vicinity would not have this unheard-of opportunity of securing such excellent Clothing for such insignificant prices. Merchants in the country who are not "filled up" with Winter Goods will do well to come in and assort their stocks at our Retail Prices. They will save money and get better goods than they usually handle.

MENS' DEPARTMENT, OVERCOATS.

We have in 300 shades and materials, many styles, or made with long, soft roll, and we show some elegant garments with the Silk Facings

Reversible Overcoats and Ulsterettes.

Which being translated means two coats in one, surpasses any previous display. Over 100 different styles in handsome light and dark patterns:

Men's Chinchilla Overcoats	$ 1 62 to $ 5 87
Men's Fancy Back Overcoats	3 50 to 8 75
Fine German Beaver, English Kersey and Melton Overcoats	6 90 to 13 75
French Diagonal and Worsted Overcoats with or without Silk Facings	7 60 to 12 37
Men's Cassimere Suits	1 60 to 4 12
Men's Worsted Suits	2 18 to 9 75
Men's Cheviot Suits	2 50 to 8 50
Men's Harris Cassimere Suits	6 50
Men's English Mixed Suits	3 75 to 10 37
Men's finest English Cassimere, Worsted and Diagonal Suits, Cut in English Walking Coats and Single Breasted Sack Styles.	10 00 to 17 50
Men's Scotch Cheviot Pants	$ 1 06 to $ 2 30
Men's Worsted Pants, Spring Bottom or Wide	81 to 3 25
Men's Cassimere Pants, Spring Bottom or Wide	68 to 3 90
Imported Worsted and Finest Broad Cloth Pants	2 35 to 4 50

HATS & CAPS.

In the conduct of our Hat business, as in our Clothing, we have many imitators. They imitate our styles; they copy our show windows, and advertise to retail at wholesale prices. "BUT THEY DON'T." "WE DO." We buy direct from the manufacturers, no less than a case of one kind, and the great quantity permits us to sell them at a small profit.

Men's Good Working Hats, 25c to 48c.
Men's Good Winter Caps, 17c to 37c.
Men's Fashionable Stiff Hats, 56c to $1 50.
Men's Imitation Seal Caps, 67c to $1 12.
Men's Fine Fur Soft Hats, $1 15 to $2 75.
Men's Fine Stiff Dress Hats, $1 62 to $2 50.
Boys' School Hats, only 16c.
Children's Fancy Turban Hats, 46c to $1 10.
Children's Polar Caps, 26c to 75c.
Boys' Dress Hats, latest styles, 65c to $1 40
Boys' Fashionable Stiff Hats, 42c to $1 30.

UNDERSHIRTS & DRAWERS.

We intend to wake up the Undershirt trade of Pittsburg, and the way we are going about it is to break down fancy prices. We are going to sell a single Undershirt or a pair of Drawers as low as we would sell them by the dozen Extra size Undershirts and Drawers as large as 52 inches. If you need Underwear now is the time to purchase

Double Breasted Blue Flannel Shirts, 48c.
Men's Cardigan Jackets, 50c to $3 75.
Good Undershirts and Drawers, 17c.
Red Flannel and Knitted Shirts and Drawers, 49c to $1 60.
Men's Melton and Plaid Shirts, 29c to $1 10.
Men's Seamless Wool Socks, 13c.
Striped Merino Half-hose, 6 to 37c.
Silk Web Suspenders, 27c.
Latest novelties in Neckwear, and largest assortment in Gloves.

Our Perfect Fitting Royal Dress Shirts we have in four qualities, 48c, 71c, 87c and 98c.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT.

Boys' Good Overcoats	$ 92 to $ 2 10
Children's Durable Overcoats	75 to 1 98
Cheviot Overcoats and Ulsterettes	2 12 to 6 50
Boys' Fine Dress Overcoats	3 50 to 9 75

Overcoats and Ulsterettes for Children in the St. Julien, Foxhall and Prince Charles Styles, which are our latest productions. Cannot be surpassed in price and quality.

Boys' School Suits, only	98
Boys' Cassimere Suits	$2 87 to $ 6 50
Boys' Cheviot Suits	2 12 to 5 50
Fine Blue and Brown Check Cassimere Suits, with or without Silk Facings	5 25 to 9 50
Extra Fine Dress Suits, cut in Latest Styles	7 50 to 11 00
Children's Blouse Suits, only	80
Children's Cheviot Suits, large variety	1 58 to 5 00
Children's Union Cassimere Suits	1 15 to 2 75
Children's Pleated Blouse with Belt	2 48 to 5 62
Imported Tricot, Serge, or Granite Suits, elegantly trimmed and made	3 37 to 6 25

☞ In Children's Kilt Suits we have some of the prettiest styles ever shown, at extremely low prices, and we make a specialty of these goods.

DON'T FAIL TO EXAMINE THEM.

MONEY REFUNDED, IF GOODS ARE NOT AS REPRESENTED, AT

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