THE CITIZEN.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE!

The public is hereby notified that hereafter Resolutions of Respect or Condolence adopt by organizations and ordered published, all tices of Church Fairs, Festivals and Lectures; and all communicated Obituaries will charged for at the rate of one-half cent a ord, money to accompany each order.

New Advertisements.

Pure Drugs—C. N. Boyd.
Agricultural Implements—Jackson & Mitchell.
Notice to Teachers—Butler School Board.
Citation Notice in estate of Julia Roessing.
New Locals—Adjourned sale, Sunbury Academy Commencement, Wool Wanted, Horses Wanted, Pensions and Bounty, Improved Order of Red Men, Excursion Rates Railroads.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

HOT WEATHER VERSES.

This world is but a fleeting show,
And no wise man regrets it;
For man wants but little here below,
And generally he gets it.

Then why should we quarrel for riches.
Or any such glittering toys?
light heart and thin pair of breeches
Will go through the world, my brave boys."

—Wool is worth 32 cents.

—A. Troutman & Son will buy 25,000 ounds of wool.

—Which of the leading orators of the nineteenth century has been the greatest advocate of poultry raising? No "hen and a all," or "15" puzzle about this.

—Mr. John Walters of Evans City, who as burned by gasoline som e time ago, died st Friday, after days of frightful agony. He eft a wife and four children.

—The railroads in this vicinity have got e fare down to $5 for the trip to Chicago d return, during the sess i on of the National Republican Convention. An immense rowd will go.

—Mr. Benjamin Swain of Zelienople, now n the 88th year of his age, planted with his wn hands his corn and potatoes this year. Mr. Robert Kirker plowed his lot for him ithout charge.

—The bustle that ladies claim improves heir dresses is going out of style. In one ashionable church in Buffalo last Sunday ot a bustle could be seen. This is going to e hard on the fashions.

—At Lebanon, this State, a few evenings ince, a young man died while in the act of ating a dish of ice cream. Cut this item out, young gentlemen. It may be of great ervice to you some evening while promeading w ith your best girl and a lean pocket-book.

—Many Methodists and others hereabouts ay be interested in knowing that, with the lection of five new regular bishops and one issionary bishop by the recent General Conference of the Methodist Church at New York, the number of the form er is increased o sixteen and of the latter to two.

—A primary election without candidates as what was held in Butler last Saturday. There were no announcements for either Congress or State Senate, and but one for Assembly, and the enterprising Democratic lector, voted for whoever he happened to think of at the time.

—Another question for the mathematically inclined: Two men purchased eighly pounds of meat, at four cents per pound, In dividing it one man took thirty pounds, and the other fifty, the first one agreeing to pay one-half cent per pound more than the man who took the fifty pounds. How much did each pay per pound for his meat.

—Prof. U. S. Bartz, of the Centreville Normal school, astonished his Mercer friends Saturday by taking out a license and slipping his head into the matrimonial noose. The happy partner was Miss Annie M. Bard, of Centreville. Rev. W. E. Slemmons performed the ceremony. Here's our hand, Professor, and may the Normal continue to progress.—*Western Press.*

—A minister of Clarksville, Mercer county, recently preached a sermon from the text, "Was My Mother-in-Law a Monkey?" We are not advised as to what the outcome of the discussion by the reverend gentleman, but are quite sure that the average mother-in-law would not think kindly of a son-in-law who would compare his wife's mother with the animal kingdom.

—Children's Day was appropriately observed in the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday morning. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns, Rev. Oller and Mr. Boyd made neat addresses to the children, Miss Alice Wick sang a solo, and the children sang several hymns. It was a service long to be remembered by all present.

—In the Pennsylvania community of Economy every inhabitant is compelled to rigidly conform to the rules. Every one is required to attend church twice every Sunday and hear two sermons from Father Henrici. Any one found out of bed after nine o'clock on any night is immediately banished from the town, and all are required to rise at five in the morning. In addition to three meals daily, a free luncheon is served to the whole community at nine o'clock every morning and at three every afternoon.

—Our own Sam. Miller, the famous Warhorse of the Connoquenessing, writes to a Pittsburg paper as follows:—Why is it that the pension interests of the old soldiers are kept back so long in the House, while the members are pounding away on the tariff? The old soldiers are watching them and intend to vote accordingly, I have been a Democrat all my life, but will vote for the men who advocate the interests of soldiers, as every soldier should.

S. M., Co. C, Eleventh P. R. C.
BUTLER, Pa., June 13.

—A pair of "jars" such as are used in drilling a well either for oil or gas, are made by splitting the iron, welding the ends together in proper shape; then splitting one of the pieces at the butt, inserting the other jar and welding together again. They are made at three machine shops in Butler, every day, and the black smith who attempts to make a set must know his business. At the machine shops here a blacksmith makes $4.50 a day and his helpers $2.50 and $3.50, while machinists make but $2 a day.

—Some people over in Springdale are complaining of the condition of part of Centre avenue, and say that there is a frog pond on it. Where the run crosses the street some draining and filling is needed, and the best thing to put on a wet piece of street is blast furnace cinder or cinder, and though the stuff can be had in New Castle at $1 per car load, the railroad company wants $10 a car for hauling it here, which makes the price too high. Some time ago the P. & W. Co. brought four car loads here on its own account and had the street Commissioner put it on the streets around the depot, which are now the best in the town, and we hope they will reduce their price for hauling the stuff so that we can have more of it.

A Sad Death.

A terrible accident happened on the P. & W. R. R. near Glade Run Station, last Monday morning. Mr. Wesley Gray lives near the station and pumps on a well nearby That morning his little two year old girl started to go from the house to the well, and wandered upon the track just as the 8:18 train south came along, and the engine struck the child's head and killed her instantly. It was a very sad affair and the stricken parents have the sympathy of all.

—We are selling furniture lower than it has ever before been sold in Butler, and after using it you will say that it is what we said it was, otherwise no sale, at MILLER BRO'S, No. 19 Jefferson St.

LEGAL NEWS.

Criminal cases settled this week, Commonwealth, vs—

—John F. Rutter, F&B, Sarah Price, prosx. case settled and defendant married.

—Thos E Gamble, selling liquor to men of intemperate habits, June 13, verdict not quilty but to pay all costs of prosecution except the jury fee.

—John Fuhs, assault and battery. June 13, verdict guilty in manuer and form as indicted.

—Winfield Mahood, Chas Wilson, John Young and Ed Mahood, entering a store room, larceny and receiving stolen goods, June 12, Winfield Mahood, Ed Mahood and Chas Wilson tried together and acquitted. Same day John Young pleads quilty to larceny and nolle pros allowed on other counts.

—S E Byers, forgery, etc. June 12, this case continued at instance of defendant and on account of the sickness of a material witness.

—P & W R R Co, obstructing the crossing of a public highway. June 13, continued.

—Philip Freemeyer, false pretense—not guilty.

—Henry L Walters, assault and battery—settled,

—Albert Heberling, adultery, on trial yesterday afternoon.

NOTE—Processes were awarded for several defendants in F&B cases.

NOTES.

In the matter of the petition of citizens of Mercer twp, praying Court to open the decree creating the Independent School district of Harrisville, the prayer of the petition was refused and petition dismissed.

Chas Hoffman, executor of Henry Severin was directed to pay over to the legatee the sum of $1000 as required by the will.

The bond of M P Black, guardian of Sadie Black was approved; also bond of Joseph German of Lancaster twp, as collector of said twp.

The Court of Armstrong Co. decided that North Buffalo twp., Armstrong county and not Clearfield twp. this county, was responsible for the maintenance of John McLaughlin, who died lately at Dixmont. He was born and raised in North Buffalo, and became afflicted there.

An adjourned argument Court was fixed for Thursday the 28th inst, to continue till 29th to which day rules and orders are made returnable.

Messrs Ed S Riddle, Paul Cummings and Chas S Hardman passed their examinations successfully and were duly admitted, Wednesday, to the practice of the law in the several courts of Butler county.

G G Rose has made an assignment to J M Leigh uer.

Mrs. Mary M Mechling, wife of Thomas P Mechling, was, upon petition, authorized to do business in her own name.

M J Black of Allegheny twp, petitioned Court for a mandamus on the School Directors of Venango twp. to compel them to admit his daughter to their school, and the Court granted a rule to show cause.

Caroline Anderson by her next friend Wm R Hopkins has applied for a divorce from David M Anderson.

Geo Reiber petitioned for viewers to assess damages done him by the S & A R R, and the Court appointed Robert Storey, W S Waldron, W P Smith, Geo H Graham, S P Young, Enos McDonald and Samuel Patterson, and fixed Thursday, July 5th, as the time for meeting.

The petition of H N Marshall a student at law was referred to the Board of Examiners.

Letters of administration were granted to Wm E Campbell on estate of Julia A Campbell of Worth twp; also to Henrietta and Wm Beck on estate of Jacob Beck of Winfield tp; also to Thomas Ekas on estate of Elizabeth Brant of Butler twp; also to F V Brooks on estate of John A Walters of Evans City,

The will of Michael Gillespie of Donegal twp, was probated and letters to Chas Duffy.

All the properties advertised by the County Treasurer, excepting those that were settled for were sold last Tuesday, and deeds made to the parties.

The Sheriff sold the interest of John Timblin in lot in Middletown for $20 and house and lot in same for $156, both to Peter Whitmire, and on Saturday the interest of the Standard Mining Co. in 200 acres in Clay for $200, and in 100 acres in Clay for $100 and in 15 acres in Clay for $100, all to E S Templeton. The other writs were returned.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Ex'rs of Jas Campbell to Mrs. Joyce Evans a lot in Butler for $366.66.

Isaac Ash to Kate Oesterling lot in Butler for $450.

Theo Huselton to W M Long 16 acres in Jefferson for $800.

Wm Kelly to Morris Fishpaw 29 acres in Jefferson for $2800.

Michael Ziegler to Martha Ziegler lots in Jackson for 300.

M H Byerly to E I Brugh lot in Butler for $1; E I Brugh same to Rebecca Byerly for $1.

Marriage Licenses.

George M. Scott	Clinton tp
Louisa Kellerman	Venango tp
Joseph Bell	Allegheny City
Sadie E. Cain	Sharpsburg, Pa
Gottfried Doemski	Leechburg, Pa
Lizzie Weller	"
Elmer Brown	Fairview tp
Cora S Murtland	Concord tp
Wm. E. McClung	Butler, Pa
Agnes E. Sutton	"
Chas. E. Dyer	Tarentum, Pa
Mary Henninger	"
J. Trueman McCandless	Centre tp
Eva M. Glenn	Franklin tp

At Mercer—U. S. Bartz of Mercer county and Annie M. Bard of Centreville.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wise are spending a week in town.

Mrs. Warren McCreary, of Olean, N. Y. is visiting Mrs. N. B. Jacobs of North Washington street.

D. A. Heck attended the Equitable Aid Union convention held at Warren, Pa. He was a delegate from the Holiday Union.

Mr. W. S. Bracken, agent for the North American Photo-Copying Co., of Jamestown, N. Y. delivered 25 pictures in this town last week and had fault found with but one of them—a remarkable success. His pictures are good and he has taken nearly one-hundred orders in Butler.

The second daughter of Capt. A. H. Parr, of Allegheny county, Miss Flora B. Parr, was married on Thursday of last week, to Mr. Miles B. Layton of Butler county, who it in the employ of the Manufacturers Natural Gas Company, of Pittsburg. The ceremony was performed at Capt. Parr's residence in Georgetown, by Rev. A. S. Hunter.

Contractor Taylor is building a splendid church in New Castle for the First M. E. congregation there. The building is very large, 80x130 feet, and is being built of pressed brick and Berea stone. It will certainly be an ornament to the town.

—Mrs. Lizzie Ayers went to Pittsburg last Tuesday and had an operation performed upon her eyes by Dr. Lippincott.

Mr. Reiley's Hotel.

(As sung by the Democratic Convention.)

Is this Mr. Reiley they speak of so highly,
Is this Mr. Reiley they speak of so well,
If this is Mr. Reiley they speak of so highly,
Then Good Day Mr. Reiley, I hope you're quite well.

Is this Mr. Reiley they speak of so highly,
Charley O'Reiley that keeps the hotel,
If this is Mr. Reiley, they speak of so highly
Good Day Mr. Reiley, you're doing quite well.

The balance of the six hundred verses will appear in the future.

New Buildings.

Mr. John Crawford who now lives in Allegheny county, near Valencia, is building a house facing W. Pearl street, on the Graham property, nearly opposite Col. Lowry's property.

Mr. Louis Haffner of Butler twp. in building on W. Pearl street, on lot adjoining Mrs. Gilkey's property.

Mr. Walter Evans is building on E. Pearl street, on lot adjoining that of E. E. Abrams, and has the timbers up.

Barn Burned.

The barn of Edward Burns in Clinton twp. was struck by lightning, during the storm of last Sunday night and was consumed by fire. It was a large bank barn, and had considerable hay and wool in it, all of which was destroyed. The loss is heavy and is partially covered by insurance in the Hannahstown Mutual.

Wool! Wool!

Wanted 25,000 pounds of wool at our store for cash.

A. TROUTMAN & SON,
Butler, Pa.

—For fresh Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Malaga Grapes and Cranberries, go to Morrison's City Bakery.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

—At Beaver last Friday evening the jury in the Confer murder case returned a verdict of murder in the second degree.

—W. C. Culbertson, of Girard, is the Republican nominee for Congress in the Erie-Crawford district, he having beaten Griswold in the district 101 votes.

—Samuel Clark, who may be tried for murder at Mercer this week, was one of the jury who convicted Ira Jackson of that county of murder in the second degree, some years ago.

—Harry Achre, son of Mr. G. W. Achre, a prominent citizen and leading merchant of Clarksville, Mercer Co., left home a few nights ago, taking $3000 with him of his father's money, probably part of the insurance money he had received for the destruction of his store by fire a few weeks since. He left a letter for his father, complaining that he had been compelled to do too much work, not allowed to get an education, and that he could have his, the son's interest in a farm of 80 acres. He is about 20 years old, and during the long illness of his father, has had nearly sole control of the latter's business.

—Come-outers is the name of a new class of Christains in Venango county. The meaning of the word is, those who abide in Christ and have faith to believe that he will take them to heaven without the benefit of clergy, churches, ordinances, money or price. It looks like a scheme to cheat both the devil and the preacher.

—Deputy United States Marshal Hickerrell arrested J. F. Rayen, while in attendance at the races in Erie on a charge of embezzling $1,900 in the money order department while he was postmaster at Sandy Lake. When arrested he broke down, cried and admitted his guilt.

—The first of the many cases down for trial in the Cumberland Co. court of Bohemian oats swindlers, who operated in the Cumberland Valley during the past year, was that of M. L. Arnold, of Carlisle, Pa., against John Hensel, an influential farmer of Cumberland Co., for a note of $500, which Hensel claimed was fraudulently obtained. After several days of trial the jury last Saturday rendered a verdict in favor of Hensel. There are at least fifty cases where farmers have been fleeced by these swindlers. The verdict in this case will finally dispose of many pending suits in the counties of Cumberland, Adams and Franklin.

—Charles Clendenning, one of the pioneers of Allegheny Co., Pa., celebrated his 100th birthday on May 24 Mr. Clendenning is in good health, and personally superintends the work on his large farm in West Deer twp, and cares for thirty hives of bees. He has never worn spectacles, and still shaves himself. Upward of one hundred and fifty descendants and relatives were present at the reunion.

—A. W. Smiley, who is a candidate for the nomination for Assembly in Clarion county, introduced a new feature into the canvas. He had his picture and signature printed on the back of his cards. When he visited Clarion to look after his fences a couple of wags visited the school house and announced to the scholars that a gentleman named Smiley was stopping at the Jones House and desired to present each scholar with a picture card. At noon about 200 children flocked to the hotel and made known their wants. Mr. Smiley, who was equal to the occasion, made his appearance and presented each child with one of his cards. The scholars at once commenced to yell for Smiley, and it now looks as if he would be nominated by acclamation.

—It is very seldom that a charge of being a common scold is preferred against anybody in this State. Such a case, however, will come before the Dauphin county criminal court at the next session. Up to 1824 the punishment awarded a common scold in Pennsylvania was the ducking stool, and no later than Oct. 29th, 1824, a Philadelphia woman was sentenced to such punishment for having too loose a tongue. The case was taken to the Supreme Court and there reversed, "the acts of Assembly being obsolete, and the common law punishment of ducking not being revived here." The Supreme Court held, however, that a common scold could be indicted and punished as a common nuisance by fine and imprisonment.

—An inmate of the Tioga Co. poor house has just received pension arrearages of $800, and will receive $18 monthly. He will change his boarding house.

—At Tarentum, last Saturday, Mrs. Zimmerman, brought suit against Rev. Henry Heaton for assault and battery, the prosecutrix alleging the defendant abused her little son, causing his head and face to swell. The preacher says he only separated his child and Mrs. Zimmerman's, who were fighting. He was held in $200 bail for court. The case caused quite a sensation.

—Kittanning and Freeport are agitated over the arrest of Dr. A. G. Thomas and Frank S. Forest, one for malpractice upon the person of Miss Agnes Hollobaugh and the other for complicity.

P., S. & L. E. Excursion Rates.

The Pittsburg, Shenango & Lake Erie R. R. Co. will sell tickets to Chicago and return June 15th, 16th and 18th, good to return until June 26th on account of the Republican Convention, for $5 for the round trip. The Co. has also put on sale excursion tickets to the Slipperyrock Park, in parties of five at 70 cents each, and in parties of ten at 40 cents each.

Sunbury Academy Commencement.

The Annual Commencement of Sunbury Academy will be held next week. On Sabbath June 17th at 11 A. M. the Baccalaureate sermon will be preached by D. H. Evans, D. D., of Youngstown, Ohio.

"Class Night" is Monday night. The Irving Excelsior contest—a contest between the two literary societies of the school will be held on Wednesday evening June 20th.

On Thursday at 9:30 A. M. is Alumni meeting. At 1 P. M. will be held the graduating exercises of the Senior Class. This class consists of 10 in the Academic department and 2 in the Musical. Good music will enliven each program.

—It is worth a years subscription to this paper to read the Martincourt Buggy Co. "ad." under the head of "Those $46 Buggies."

—Consult your own interests and examine our stock of furniture, upholstered suits, chairs, mattresses, etc., before purchasing. MILLER BRO'S., No. 19, Jefferson St.

The Congressional Conference.

Besides the delegates from this county, who were Chas. McCandless, W. S. Dixon, T. W. Kennedy, J. B. Cunningham, M. N. Greer, Joseph Hartman, H. M Caldwell, Dr. Hoover, H. C. Black, Robert Thompson, David Studebaker, S. T. Okeson, John Dindinger, W. H. McCandless and W. G. Russell, quite a number of other friends of Newton Black, Esq. our candidate for Congress, went over to New Castle, last Tuesday, to attend the Delegate Convention.

The Convention met in what is known as "White Hall" there, at about 2 p.m. and organized by electing Hon. W. S. Shallenberger of the Beaver delegation President; one from each county, including Dr. Hoover of this county, Vice Presidents, and one from each county, W. G. Russell of this county, to be Secretaries.

On motion a committee of one from each county was then appointed on rules and resolutions, and instructed to report at the evening session.

The names of the different delegations were then handed to the Secretaries and tabulated in the order of counties, viz:—Beaver, Butler, Lawrence and Mercer.

McCandless then moved that the Convention proceed to nominate candidates and vote *viva voce*, which was agreed to. Beaver county being first on the list, Mr. Shallenberger proceeded to nominate Mr. Chas. C. Townsend of New Brighton. He spoke of the importance of the House of Representatives, of the wisdom of introducing new blood into it, said this was the first meeting of these four counties, said Mr. Townsend was a representative of the manufacturing interests of the valley, a soldier, G. A. R. man, etc.

Butler came next, and Charles McCandless, Esq., rose and spoke of this being a new experiment in this district, said that Mercer and Butler were now represented in Congress by a free trade Democrat, that we should forget the past and begin anew, nominated Newton Black and spoke of his career as a soldier and attorney, and of the wounds received by him in battle.

For Lawrence county Scott D. Long, Esq. said it was not necessary to dwell on Jackson's record, that he had made a good Congressman and carried a rebel bullet in his head.

For Mercer county editor J. C. Brown, of Greenville, spoke of what he called the equities of the counties and read figures to prove that Mercer county polled 2000 more votes than Lawrence, and 1000 more than either Butler or Beaver, and said that her manufacturing interests were fully as great as those of any other county. Then he nominated Major Alexander McDowell of Sharon, said he began life as a printer, was for 3 years a soldier, then a succesful business man, and that this was the 4th nomination for Congress that he had received from Mercer county.

The roll of delegates were then called and all answered to their names, but just here an amusing incident occurred. The Chairman asked if all the delegates names had been called, and an Irishman in one of the back seats, who evidently belonged to the Hibernian order, which had a parade in the town that day, and which was meeting in the Opera House near by, got up and said "No Sir, No, Sir, just stop a minute there, you didn't call Jimmy McKinney of the Westmoreland delegation, or Jimmy Gribben.

The Hall rang with laughter, and Jimmy was told he was in the wrong house.

A motion to proceed to a ballot then carried and the delegates names were called over in county groups. The result, as expected, was that each candidate received his county vote—15 for each.

Three ballots were taken with same result, when it was moved that the Convention continue to ballot till close of the afternoon. Brown thought that to adjourn without making a nomination would be a disgrace, and would defeat the grand object of the new system, which was a speedy nomination. The motion carried, and this put every thing, excepting a motion to adjourn, out of order for the balance of the session.

The 4th, 5th and 6th ballots were the same as the first, and then came a motion to adjourn to 7:30 p. m., which was defeated.

Unanimous consent was asked to change the order of counties, but this was objected to.

The 7th ballot made no change, and another effort to adjourn was defeated.

The 8th ballot was the same, and another motion to adjourn till 7 p. m. carried.

The Convention re-assembled at 7 p. m and seven more ballots were taken without changing the result, and an effort to change the rules, and make another giving each county a term in Congress, until the next apportionment, the nomination to be made by lot or otherwise, failed. At 10 p. m. the convention adjourned till next morning.

On Wednesday the Convention met at 9 a. m. and continued balloting, the counties of Butler and Beaver trading votes, thus alternately giving Black 30, and Townsend 0, and Townsend 30 and Black 0. It looked like a dead lock and the Convention voted the new system a failure, and Mr. Shallenberger in a speech recommending the popular vote plan said that the two days' deadlock had menaced the party with disruption; that the system was more the will of the candidates than that of the people, as they selected their own delegates, whom they controlled to the unit, as exemplified by this convention, to such a degree as to bring forth only county pride ana county lines; and it further binds a delegate to such an extent as to place him in such a position that invites suspicion should he deviate from his county vote.

On the 34th ballot, however, Mr. B. A. Cover, a Lawrence county delegate from Mahoning township, in the western part of the county, voted for Townsend, thus giving him 31 votes and nominating. Jackson got mad and denounced Conver as a traitor, but was howled down, and Cover explained that he was not elected as a Jackson delegate and was free to do what he pleased. Mr. Townsend is a partner in the wire-works at New Brighton and also a partner in the firm of W. P. Townsend & Co., of Pittsburg. His home is at New Brighton. He is a very nice looking man—resembling C. G. Christie, Esq., of this place more than any other man we now think of—and is well spoken of by all who know him.

—"Going like hot cakes" is what the Martincourt Buggy Co. says, Read their $46 offer.

—Ice Cream made to order at the City Bakery.

Burning of the Bottle Glass Works.

The bottle glass blowers of this town quit work Wednesday noon of this week, nearly three weeks earlier than usual, and their vacation will probably last longer than usual this year, for an hour and a half after they quit work, their entire plant, excepting the stacks and boiler house was a mass of ruins. At about half-past-twelve of that day fire was discovered in the packing room. The building was filled with goods, packing boxes and straw and the flames spread from one end to the other of the long building as fast as a barrow could have been rolled through it. Some young men who ran into the building and tried to save some things got their hair singed and had to get out of that as quickly as possible.

Nothing could have saved the packing house, but it was separated from the two works by a space wide enough for a wagon road, and had there been a plug and hose at the works the two factories might have been saved. The Hose Companies of the town were on hands promptly and had a line of hose to the burning building, but the supply of water was short, and by the time word was sent to the water-works to increase the force, the fire had spread to the two factories. The hose, also, busted and as the water had to be brought from the plug near the West Penn depot, the line was not long enough to get around to the South side of the building, and where some good work could yet have been done.

Fifteen minutes after the alarm was given the entire plant was in flames and all hopes of saving it vanished. The flames were furious and their volume so great, that three buildings on Kittanning street two to three hundred feet distant were set on fire, and a line of hose had to be run to them. Four cars loaded with sand, pots and slate, standing near packing room were entirely consumed, and a large pile of railroad ties on the opposite side of the tracks was on fire several times.

What the loss is will depend upon amount of stocks on hand, all of which was destroyed, but it is probable that $30,000 will cover it. The insurance is in different companies and aggregates $16,000.

The fire is said to have originated in the second story of the packing house, which was filled with hay and straw, and is said to have originated from the pipe or cigar of an employe who went up there out of sight of the guard to smoke, as no smoking was allowed in the building.

The stacks,—the most costly parts of glass factories are supposed to yet be safe, and we understand that the factories will be rebuilt immediately.

Cheap Excursion to Chicago.

Anticipating the general desire to attend the Republican National Convention, which convenes June 19th, the Pittsburg and Western Railway will sell round trip tickets from all ticket stations between Pittsburg, Butler, New Castle, Chardon, Ohio, and Akron inclusive, to Chicago June 15, 16, 17 and 18, good to return until June 30, for $5 00.

Secure tickets and sleeping car berths early, from the nearest ticket agent. Orders for berths will be taken and telegraphed to Allegheny At least two days' notice must be given to secure space in sleeping cars.

Improved Order of Red Men.

This fraternal and beneficial society has during the past two years had a phenomenal growth throughout the United States. The membership in this State has now reached 23,000 and new tribes are being initiated every week. It is proposed to organize a tribe in this place, any who are interested and desire information can receive the same by addressing the Great Sachem T. D. TANNER, Easton, Pa.

Those $46 Buggies.

There are but few of them left and they are going like hot cakes. But in order to make the number worth talking about we will make it fifteen by putting into the lot ten nicely cushioned top buggies with steel axles, springs and tire, and a full shifting rail. Now here is the greatest bargain in the buggy line ever offered and the like will hardly ever occur again. These buggies were not made to put in competition with shoddy work. If you would pay $56 instead of $46 for them you would still have a bargain. We cannot afford to misrepresent.

Bring on your $46 before they are all gone.

Remember the Martincourt Buggy Co., S. Wigle, Salesman, at Schreiber House, Butler, Pa.

Agricultural Implements.

The summer season calls for lines of hardware not in demand during other seasons of the year, and in anticipation of this, Messrs. Jackson & Mitchell have purchased a number of Whitely's Improved Champion Mowers, Reapers and Binders—the best harvesting machines now made in the world—and now have them for sale at their store on Main St., Butler. If you once buy a Whitley Champion you will never use any other. Call at their store and get a Reaper-Pictorial which illustrates and explains every part of the machine.

Wool! Wool!

Wanted 25,000 pounds of wool at our store for cash.

A. TROUTMAN & SON,
Butler, Pa.

Horses Wanted.

Twenty head of horses wanted. I will buy one car load of horses or mares, age from 5 to 9 years, weighing from 1100 to 1300 pounds, fit for the Eastern market for which I will pay market prices. Any person having anything in my line will please bring them to the Vogeley House, Butler, Pa., on Thursday, June 21, 1888.

H. SEANOR.

Adjourned Sale.

The sale of the Wm. Gallagher farm in Franklin twp., of which Mr. Wm. Ralston is Administrator, was adjourned, and the property will again be offered for sale on Saturday, June 23, at 1 o'clock P.M, at the Martincourt House, Prospect.

—We don't wonder at some men. They buy a new mowing machine every year and let it rust out in the fence corner, but they won't trust their wives with a new cook stove in ten years. This kind of a man never get a Bradley stove or range. For sale only by C. STOCK, on S. Main St., Butler, Pa.

—A full line of mouth-organs, guitars and banjos at

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