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New Advertisements.

O. C. Sale, estate of Ann E. Graham. Adm'r notice, estate of J. H. English. Business block for sale. Recursions.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

New York Weekly Tribune-Free. By special arrangements made for our subscribers we are enabled to offer to all our subscribers who pay arrearsages, (if any) and one year in advance, and to all new subscribers paying in advance, the New York Weekly Tribune free for one year.

The New York Tribune is a staunch Republican paper; its editor is on our National ticket this year, its weekly edition contains all the best editorial and general news of the day, and its very liberal offer could be accompanied by every Republican of Butler county.

The Clerks will picnic next Tuesday. Don't you wish you were a salesman?

Our local correspondents report sad accidents at Petrol and Craigville.

North Washington will have a celebration on the anniversary of Perry's Victory.

The P. H. C. will picnic at Rock Point Saturday. Train leaves Butler at 8:10 a. m.

Counting the chickens before they are hatched is the highest way of showing confidence in the reliability of the hen.

The State Board of Pardons has adjourned until the 4th Tuesday of September.

Ho Iffenduff & Vincent, the South Side photographers, are doing a rushing business.

These hot tented days and otseal nights are becoming somewhat monotonous.

Mr. J. F. Drury has lately collected and had printed some very valuable Post-office guides, which can be seen posted in the Post-offices and depots.

Report Bros. annual excursion to Niagara Falls, Toronto and Chautauque, Niagara Falls, Aug. 4th. See bills or enquire of nearest P. S. & L. E. agent.

During the last six months this country has built 1,200 miles of railway. It is well we got such a start before the steel trouble.

The girl who throws away her belt and wears suspenders is no more mistaken in her than the fellow who throws away his suspenders and wears a suit.

The railroad employees of the country are reported to be preparing for a great "strike" during the progress of the World's Fair next year.

Tickets to Chautauque Lake free to passengers holding Niagara Falls tickets on Report Bros. excursion, Thursday, Aug. 4th. See bills or enquire of nearest P. S. & L. E. agent.

The original standard chain for making surveys of public lands has been received at the Land Office of St. Paul. It was made by Benjamin Rittemhouse, of Philadelphia, in 1797.

A man had paid \$25,000, and is to give besides 60 per cent. of his profits for the exclusive privilege of selling popcorn on the exposition grounds, at Chicago, and it is said he will make a fortune.

Most of the immigrants to this country during the past year came from Germany, the fatherland furnishing 135,000, Ireland sent 60,000, and Italy a few more than that number.

J. L. McCandless has purchased the Wick House Livery Stable business from W. G. Donthert, and takes possession next Monday. Geo. Ross, the veteran hostler will continue to hold the reins of the business.

The claim of Joseph Orsborn of Donnell twp. against the National Government for money paid during the war to secure exemption from the draft, has been reported favorably by the War Claims Committee of the House.

The "Law Students" base ball club of Pittsburg came to Butler last Saturday with the intention of wiping the Park with the Butler Club, and were taken to the circus in great shape. The Butler boys shut them out for seven innings, and then gave them a few runs for pity's sake. Butler 17, Pittsburg 4.

The G. A. R. band accompanying the P. S. & L. E. excursion to Slippery Rock Park, favored us with a serenade last Friday morning and made very pretty music. The S. of V. at the Park numbered 75, they had ladies with them, had 35 tents up, music, cooks, etc., and had a glorious time.

The people of Butler and vicinity will be given an opportunity to see two first-class games of ball this week, at the Ball Park, on Friday and Saturday, at 3 p. m. The Youngsters will be here on those days, with their famous battery and phenomenal base runner. See posters for particulars.

The administrators of the estate of James Y. English, dec'd., will have a public sale of stock—horses, registered and graded cattle, registered sheep; farming machinery, wagons, syrup-kettles, etc., at his late residence, near Prospect, on Thursday, Aug. 10th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Bills for the sale will be posted within the next few days.

Pursuant to a call made by A. C. Price and W. J. Rodgers there was a small gathering of people favoring the organizing of the People's party in this County, in Cosmopolitan Hall, last Friday evening. A meeting was held on Friday by Mr. Price. Mr. Lynn of Redwood was elected temporary Chairman, A. C. Price and W. J. Rodgers, Secs. Vice Presidents, and W. J. Rodgers Secretary of the meeting. A committee was appointed to assist the officers in making arrangements for a permanent organization, and a resolution calling a County Convention for Aug. 23, was passed.

Next Thursday will be a holiday for the people of Butler. They are all going to Niagara Falls that day with the Report Bros. excursion, which leaves Butler at 4 a. m. Town time, reaches the Falls at noon and does not start back till 9 p. m. Last year the train was crowded before it reached Greenville, and this year there will be two trains— one starting from Butler and Greenville, and the other from Niagara Falls. The fare from Butler for the round trip is \$2.75, Euclid \$3.00, Harrisville \$3.40, etc. Make your arrangements for going with us.

A Local Strike.

Butler was the scene of an interesting little "strike," last week, that came about this way.

Geo. Shaffer, a non-union stonemason has been the contractor for the cellar walls of the I. J. McCandless house on South Main street, and also that for the wall in front of the Jefferson street school-building, and the mason he employed to help him with the jobs were all union men excepting William Barr, of the West End, who was employed on the Jefferson street job.

The Bricklayers and Stonemasons' Union of Butler had a meeting a few nights ago and resolved to "strike" unless Barr was discharged, and so informed Shaffer next day. Shaffer paid the Union men, and hired some non-union men to assist Barr finish both jobs, and on Monday work was progressing on both.

Shaffer says that Barr was the best mason he had, that some of the men who struck learned why they know of their trade under him, and that they expressed regret at leaving their work but said "our union says we mustn't."

Barr is an old stonemason who has lived in Butler several years, and he says he will finish both jobs.

Shaffer also has the contract for the foundation of the Patterson building, and is going ahead with it, and whether this will be followed by trouble with other bricklayers, carpenters, plasterers, painters, etc., remains to be seen.

Personal.

W. C. Findley, Esq. was in Petrolia on business, Friday.

M. L. McCandless and family of Kingman Co., Kansas, and J. Christy of Fort Scott, Kansas, who were visiting friends in this county have returned to their homes.

Newton Marshall has home this week from Homestead. Some of New's family are sick.

Frank Armer has removed his family to Kensington, Westmoreland Co.

Mrs. Neyman of Oakland twp., mother of John Neyman of Butler, is seriously ill.

Dr. Ripps has purchased the John Mitchell property at corner of Washington and Cunningham streets and has fitted up the corner room for an office.

Mr. Charles Hancock, a tragedian, is gradually surrounding himself with the strongest sort of material for his forthcoming production of "Julius Caesar." In addition to the actors and actresses heretofore announced as part of his leading support, he has just signed Mr. Hoyt as an actor of extended experience, having played leading legitimate roles for many years past. His resemblance to Julius Caesar, according to the admirable bust in the British Museum, so strongly resembles the man with the "steam gin" which has been frequently commented upon. In addition to his physical resemblance to the man, Mr. Hoyt is a most excellent actor. Mr. Hancock is determined to make his production the greatest yet seen in this city.

William Shakley of Pickenonville, Ala. formerly of Concord twp. is visiting his son Josiah, of near Mt. Chestnut. He went to Concord, N. C., last April, and engaged in raising cotton, which was then worth ten cents a pound, but is now worth but six. On good land a bale of cotton weighing 500 pounds can be raised to the acre; it requires three pickings, which is a good deal of work. The cotton is raised on the man with the "steam gin" comes around and gins and bales it for \$2 a bale, the farmer finding the bagging and ties, or the cotton is then marketed. The sale of the ten cents a bushel on the farm, and the stocks are piled down.

John Reed and Lawrence McCandless, made a trip down the Ohio as far as Cincinnati, last week, and greatly enjoyed it.

Prof. Martin G. Benedict, one of the most favorably known instructors in the state has been elected Principal of the State Normal School of Edinboro, Pa. The catalogue of the famous school just received, shows that it has entered upon a new era of prosperity, and will maintain its reputation for proficiency and the special advantages it offers to students.

The young man who cast his eyes on a young lady coming out of church, has been reported to be a regular train rider with her, and now sees as well as ever.

Col. W. A. Rupert, of Conestogawille, was in Butler, Monday, making arrangements for the excursion of Thursday.

Will Morris was home Friday to see his wife, who is sick.

Pro. Brown was home from Homestead on leave of absence Sunday. Mrs. Brown is in poor health.

A down town young lady said last Sunday night: "Man proposes, but it often takes a great deal of encouragement to get a girl to accept."

Mr. Chas. O'Donnell, of Clearfield twp., made a trip last week over the old Canal and Portage R. R., from Freeport to No. 10, on the mountain. He examined the remains of the old Portage R. R., where he was employed as a hatcher on the Pittsburg and Erie R. R. He found very few of those who were there forty years ago. He met Hon. J. J. Donnell, of Clearfield, who is now the only one who was active at that time. A new set of people have grown up all along the line.

Oil Notes.

Greenlee & Post's, Marshall No. 6 started off at 20 bids, an hour.

Phillip's new well on the Miller is keeping up at 100 bids.

TO NIAGARA FALLS.

Rupert Bros.' Annual Excursion to Niagara, Toronto and Chautauque.

The annual excursion over the P. S. & L. E. Railroad to Niagara Falls, under the management of Rupert Bros., of the Chautauque Courier, will be on Thursday, Aug. 4th. The excursion will be run in two sections, one for the morning and one for the afternoon. The morning section will stop for passengers east of Shenango, and one from Greenville, Meadville and Linesville, making three round trips free of charge. The train will leave Butler at 4 a. m. M. R. R. time. Fare, \$3.75. For particulars see bills or enquire of the nearest P. S. & L. E. agent.

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Camp Black.

On Tuesday a party of ladies from Butler paid a visit to Camp Black, where all of them had had some other relations. The party consisted of Mrs. J. C. Vanderlin, Mrs. G. G. Gump, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. W. C. Negley, and Miss Alice Kiskadden. Rev. W. E. Oiler also accompanied the party.

Each bore a huge and carefully filled basket of substantial for respective and lucky members of Co. E. They were received at Camp Black in a most hospitable manner by the superior officers, and Col. W. T. Meehling and Capt. Ira McJunkin were especially courteous.

The boys were very glad to see their mothers and sister, and seemed just about as much pleased with the dinner spread, but a more serious feeling was observable from the shooting of Mr. Prick. Regarding the lame affair it was held that he deserved severe punishment and expulsion from the service. There was some difference of opinion regarding the hanging up by the thumbs.

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As dysentery is often epidemic, it is wise to consider every case as a possible source of danger to others and to disinfect the discharges with care.

The Markets.

Our grocers are buying 124 for butter, 15 for eggs, 60 for new potatoes and apples. 75 for beans and peas, 50 for a doz for cabbage, 40 to 50 for spring chickens, 20 to 25 cts. a doz. for cucumbers.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE.

Timothy hay from country wagon \$15 to \$17. Straw \$6.50 to \$8.75, mill feed \$10 to \$17. Corn roll butter 17 to 18, eggs in cases 15, new potatoes \$1.50 to \$2.00 per bushel, apples 2.50 to 4.00 a bushel, beans \$1.85, blackberries 10 to 11, spring chickens 35 to 40 a pair, peaches 1 to 1.25 a bushel.

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—Boarding House Cards, with Act of Assembly, 25 cents for half-dozen, for sale at CITIZEN office.

Ice For Sale.

—Those wanting ice will please leave their orders at the City Bakery, No. 212 South Main St., and they will receive prompt attention.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

The New Castle Courier tells this story on a Lawrence county man: One of the citizens of Palauk township has been an extensive raiser of turkeys, and his method is somewhat peculiar. Early in the spring he sets in the neighborhood of 100 turkey eggs under the common barnyard hens. In nearly every case the eggs were hatched. When the "chicks" became old enough to take care of themselves, the owner of them chased his brood to the woods, where they thrived and grew fat on what they could pick up. The owner did not see the birds from morning, shortly before Thanksgiving, which is known as turkey harvest, the man referred to went out into the woods for miles around and chased all the turkeys he could find into his barnyard. He then counted out 101 and penned them up, chasing the others away.

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