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A Republican Wheel Horse.

Amos J. Cummings, himself one of the ablest Democratic members of Congress, writes of Reed, Burrows, Cannon, Payne and Dalzell as the Republican leaders in the House and says:

The Republican wheel horses in the House are well worthy of note. A finer looking set of men has never been seen in any legislative body. In addition to this, there is a large element of intellectuality among them. They are bright, able fellows, and amenable to discipline. They recognize their leader and follow him as by instinct. They agree with each other perfectly, take pleasure in each other's society, and pull with a will when the time comes for pulling. They have drawn the wagon of the minority, with few exceptions, for many years, and they always act well. On important matters there is no champing at the bits or kicking in the traces. The man behind the dash board is perfectly safe. He never has to touch his leaders with a whip. At times they sniff the morning air and prance as if on exhibition. Again they squat and buckle down to the traces, pulling with the vim and energy of Norman horses.

Speaking of Congressman Dalzell, of Pittsburg, who should be the next United States Senator from Pennsylvania, he says:

Pennsylvania also furnishes a fine wheel horse, and the party frequently utilizes him. He is John Dalzell of Pittsburg. Small in stature, he looms up superbly in debate. Active, indefatigable and a plausible talker, he is an ideal political skirmisher. Full of pluck and fire, his ability has been tested many times upon the floor of the House. His attachments, personal and political, are strong.

Dalzell is natty in dress and precise in debate. A member of the Ways and Means Committee, he has all the Pennsylvania predilections for the study of the tariff. Like all Keystone Republicans, he is protection to the backbone, and ever ready to either assault or defend when he fancies that the interests of his State are in danger. A fine lawyer, he is an exquisite logician. He can abridge or exemplify with facility. Not much larger than the late Alexander H. Stephens, he has the same peculiar shrill voice. It rings through the chamber in times of excitement like notes from a piccolo, but with all warmth the speaker never oversteps the bounds of parliamentary decorum. Facts and figures are his weapons. He can fire bullets from a mountain howitzer, yet he never loses his judgment. Each shot is in line and more or less effective. Dalzell is by all odds the leader of the Republican delegation from Pennsylvania.

So much for the Republican wheel horses. There are a few more of them, and many more who want to be. Some throw their heels over the whiffletrees, otherwise balk at critical moment, and once in a while there is one who has the vicious habit of biting his curb. But, take them all in all, they are extremely useful to their party, and more or less useful to the country at large.

ONE is apt, in looking over the great victory at the recent election, to lay the whole thing to a general triumph of correct principles. In a measure this is the correct view, but without the perfect organization, the hard work, and the excellent judgment shown, the pluralities would have fallen far short of what they were, and the object lesson to free trade Democracy have been greatly lessened. How much of this is due locally to the efficient Chairman of our County Committee and his assistants is shown by a study of the vote. The plurality in Butler county was about 1,400, and the total Republican vote was over 4,700. Thus the nominal plurality is nearly doubled and the total vote increased, for an "off year," by a handsome number.

This, of course, was owing, in a large measure, to the efficient organization, but credit must be given to Chairman Leighner for his work, for the whole thing was under his direction and he was tireless in his efforts to elect the whole ticket by large majorities. May we always have such chairmen.

Evils of Hasty Legislation.

Public attention has recently been directed to various statutes passed by the late Legislature upon which more or less criticism has been based. Among them are the acts amending the corporation laws of the State which it is claimed are susceptible of every diverse interpretations, and the marriage license law, which it is said, if literally taken, makes the procuring of licenses unnecessary until after the first day of October, 1895. The Act of May 18, 1893 which provides that all deeds shall be recorded within 90 days from its execution, or they will not be valid against a subsequent purchaser or lien creditor of the grantor, also seems to make another important change in the law, which was probably not contemplated by the Legislature. That change is, in effect, that deeds must be acknowledged by the makers, or by one or more of the witnesses in the county wherein the lands conveyed are situated, or before a justice of the Supreme Court in some other section of the State. If this is the correct interpretation of the act it will be the cause of much trouble and expense to grantors living in a diffirent county from that in which the land conveyed is situated, as it precludes them from following the former practice of acknowledging their deeds at their own home, unless it should happen also to be the home of a Supreme Court Justice.

Another act which is the subject of criticism is that of June 6, 1893, which provides that all partitions and valuations made before the act of 9th day of May, 1889,

Shall be valid and of the same effect as if the proceedings under which said valuations and partitions were made had been commenced and instituted *prior to* the passage of said act of the 9th of May, 1889, provided, however, that this act shall not affect any judicial decrees heretofore made or apply to pending litigation.

Noting the italicized words and the proviso, it is difficult to get any sense out of the act or to come to any other conclusion than that, whatever its object may have been, it totally failed to find expression.

The Harrisburg *Patriot*, which has taken the lead in pointing out these defects, severly criticises Gov. Pattison and Attorney General Hensel for approving of the defective acts and says the remedy is to be found in sending capable, industrious and thoughtful men to the Legislature and in the Govenor always choosing an Attorney General who is a lawyer, but something more than this is required. As long as the practice of rushing through important legislation in the last days of the session is adhered to the evil of ill-drawn and nonsenically expressed statutes is likely to continue.—Pittsburg *Times*.

Fairview Items.

Cham Rankin and wife are visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Scott.

Miss Edith Hallabaugh who has been teaching in Arkansas is visiting here, and as she has been in poor health since she arrived she proposes going back.

Union Thanksgiving services will be in the German Reformed Church this year, I believe Rev. Fair, the M. E. minister, will conduct the services.

Since oil went up there is prospects of re-opening this field. They are leasing and we expect the first well will be drilled on Mrs. W. T. McCoy's farm by Taylor & Co.

George Bowlinger and wife are here spending their honeymoon with his folks.

Miss Tillie Scott expects to go to the city soon to lay in a new stock.

Mrs. F. M. Michaels still remains paralyzed to the extent she was. It is hoped she may recover. DENT.

THE Lehigh Valley Railroad system, which traverses the anthracite coal regions of the eastern part of this state and has outlets to both New York and Buffalo, is "tied up" by a strike this week, because the officers of the corporation would not give a committee selected by their employees a hearing on some disputed question.

Extraordinary Counterfeiting.

Counterfeit railway tickets to the amount of over $100,000 have been honored in the last four weeks by the Baltimore and Ohio, Erie, Pittsburg and Western, Nickel Plate and other roads. There was absolutely nothing on the face of the tickets to indicate they were counterfeit. They were accepted without question by conductors, passed readily by the ticket counters and entered as of legal issue by the various ticket auditors. The latter officials are as keen in detecting counterfeit tickets as bank tellers are in recognizing bad bills.

The tickets are the most perfect counterfeits of any kind ever issued. Their large sale dwarfs in magnitude the operations of all other ticket counterfeiters combined. The first intimation of crookedness cropped out in the auditor's office of one of the vitimized lines nearly three weeks ago. In checking the used tickets from the original record, two tickets of the same form number were found. The numbering of railroad tickets is fully as important and must be as absolutely accurate as the numbering of bank or government notes.

The auditor satisfied himself that both tickets were genuine, and sent a stinging note to the printer, scoring him severely for his carelessness. The printer appeared in person with an indignant denial of the charge, but when shown the two tickets of the same number, was compelled to acknowledge that the error was made in his office. The next day the ticket auditor discovered 67 duplicated tickets in the collections, and sent a curt note to the printer telling him that his services would never again be needed.

There seemed no possibility of the tickets being counterfeit. They were exact duplicates. The next day nearly 300 duplicated tickets showed up in the collections and a panic reigned in the auditing department. Each of the tickets read from Chicago to New York, and was worth $18. The one day's collections showed the company had honored at least $5,400 worth of tickets for which it had not received a cent of revenue.

Experts were immediately called in, the printer gladly agreeing to pay their bills if it were proved the tickets came from his office. At the end of three days, during which over 500 more duplicated tickets piled up in the Auditor's office, one of the experts declared the duplication was a counterfeit. With the aid of a powerful microscope he had at last discovered a minute imperfection in a small letter "o" which showed in just half the duplicated tickets.

The imperfection was either in the casting of the type, by which it was made nearly 3-10,000ths of an inch longer than the rest, or else a particle of dust had raised the type in the form used by the counterfeiters. In all other respects the tickets were exactly alike. The paper, ink, type and press work could not have been nearer the same if both jobs were printed consecutively with the same materials.

Meantime the other roads had been going through the same experience. In each case the tickets were passed without question by all the handlers, including the auditors, and not even the detected until the duplicate numbering appeared. The wording and form of the tickets were, of course, different with each road, but in each case the counterfeit was a work of art—practically an exact copy of the original.

Each of the roads promptly issued minute instructions to their conductors to take up all the counterfeit tickets and enforce payment of passage from persons holding them. Each conductor was furnished means to recognize the counterfeits, and the first day the four roads named took up over 600 of them. The passengers were naturally indignant, but each was compelled to acknowledge he had bought the ticket off a Chicago scalper. Nine out of ten of the passengers who made written statements of the circumstances declared they had bought the tickets off a notorious ticket scalper doing business on Clark street. The rest were bought in various offices.

With the information thus obtained the victimized roads engaged the services of a prominent detective agency and a large force of operatives was put on the work of running down the counterfeiters. The roads are in deadly earnest in bringing the criminals to justice and are bearing the cost jointly.

There is no means of knowing how many tickets were sold by the counterfeiters. The railroads now have in their possession about $200,000 worth, more than half of which were honored for transportation. In many cases the purchase of the tickets has worked a great hardship to passengers. In the maiority of cases they did not have, or claimed not to have, enough money to pay the cash fares demanded by the conductors when they took up the counterfeit tickets. On one train there were 83 holders of the counterfeit tickets and 37 were compelled to leave the train for non-payment of passage.

The history of ticket counterfeiting is a long and varied one, but it furnishes no parallel to the one just narrated. In almost every case before there was a question of disciplining conductors for accepting palpable counterfeits. In this case the highest experts on the railroads passed the tickets without question.

A Remarkable Discovery.

The neighborhood of Saxonburg was stirred to its depths a week ago by the remarkable find made by three of its prominent citizens. On the day following the late election, three leading Democrats betook themselves to the forest to find, if possible, consolation and forgetfulness of their defeat, in the fascinating pursuit of the toothsome pheasant and nimble gray squirrel. For their hunting ground they chose the wood which lies between Davis and Bull creeks, through whose dense shades in olden times wound the Bull Creek road, and along which the fancy of tellers of old stories and legions are wont to lay the scenes of many of their most grewsome tales. But anticipation is as much out of place in this staid chronicle as in the thrilling dime novel.

While wandering through the dense underbrush the trio stumbled over what was thought to be the headstone of a grave. The gallant hunters were at once overcome with a feeling of the deepest solemnity, and visions of all manner of cruel murders, and secret burials of ill-gotten treasures filled their minds, and led them to a determination to investigate at all hazards.

Procuring implements they proceeded to unearth that which was destined to wildly excite the neighborhood and interest scientific Pittsburg. After two feet they came upon what proved to be a rude vault, walled on either side with sandstone and filled to its entire depth with broken stone. Three long weary hours were spent throwing this out, and after going six feet more, and just as the sun was sinking beneath the horizon and as its slanting beams were touching the yellow leaves into more golden hues, they came to the bottom of the grave, for such it was! Two immense flat stones, raised with much difficulty, disclosed the remains of a rude stone coffin.

Within were the bones of what must have been a remarkable creature, whether man or beast. The skull was missing but the immense size of the thigh and other bones and the great length and width of the vertebra showed the original to have been of gigantic size and stature. Everything indicated human origin. Several copper instruments and a copper ring 3 feet in diameter were found in the grave.

The skeleton was carefully removed and shipped to an anatomical specialist in Pittsburg for identification and articulation and will most probably furnish food for another great controversy among the scientists.

We shall keep your readers fully supplied with data from time to time on this extraordinary find and its value to the historical and scientific societies.

A "First Degree" Vercict.

The verdict in the Hill murder case tried last week was "guilty of murder in the first degree."

Mr. Marshall made a "sadly sympathetic" plea for him, but the evidence was too strongly and clearly against him to admit of any other verdict than the one found. Hill broke down when he heard the verdict, and he, his wife, child, and mother made a sorry scene in court.

Great Belt Items,

L. Hartenstein who has been laid up with quinsey for some time is on duty at his store again.

John Rennick is as happy as a big sunflowr. It is a girl.

H. D. Wallet made a flying trip to Butler last Monday.

Elmer Walls wears quite a broad smile. Just ask him and he will tell you the cause.

The city butcher is very busy buying up poultry for Thanksgiving. He expects to supply the town.

JAMES MOSSBACK.

DEATHS.

KUHN—Nov. 16, 1893, Samuel P. Kuhn, of Butler, aged 55 years.

OLIVER—At his home near Portersville, this county, Sunday, Nov. 19, 1893, Mr. George Oliver, aged about 65 years.

HARBAUGH—At his home in Centreville, Nov. 16, 1893, David M. Harbaugh, an old soldier, aged about 56 years. His wife and five children survive him.

ASH—At her home in Allegheny, Nov. 17, 1893, Mrs. Robert Ash, aged 47 years.

MCKEE—At his home in Clintonville, Nov. 18, 1893, Frank P. McKee, cashier of the Clintonville Bank, aged 31 years.

BLACKMORE—At his home in Pittsburg, Nov. 21, 1893 Samuel J. Blackmore, aged 66 years.

BARNES—At her home on Locust street, Butler, Nov. 19, 1893, Mrs. Frank Barnes, aged 31 years. Mrs. Barnes death was unexpected. She was buried in Concord twp., at Zions Church, Wednesday.

CAMPBELL—In Butler, Friday, Nov. 17, 1893, William Campbell, aged 80 years, 10 months and 9 days.

The death of William Campbell takes from us our oldest native born citizen. There are older citizens living with us but, if we mistake not, none of them were born or raised in Butler. Mr. Campbell was born on the 8th of January, 1813, and was therefore in the 81st year of his age. For many years past he has been spoken of as William Campbell, Sr. yet the writer of this well remembers his father—a large and powerful man—who was known as William Campbell, Sr. The present deceased William has survived all his brothers and sisters, and he lived to a greater age, we believe, than any other of that family. He is survived by his sons, Wm. and John S., and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Herron, living in Monongahela City, Pa.

Mr. Campbell's career as a business man here has been one of great activity and of remarkable success. As was well expressed by his present pastor, Rev. Oller, he fulfilled the command of being "diligent in business. His diligence and industry had perhaps not an equal among all our enterprising citizens and his watchfulness and care over business continued while nature held out, and almost to the very end.

Our first recollection of him is as a carpenter by trade, in connection with his brother, the late James Gilmore Campbell, Esq. Then as a general merchant, about 1835, with his father and brother. About 10 years later he with his brother purchased the present foundry at the south end of the Plank road bridge. This foundry had been erected by the late John and Alfred McCarnes and was the first of the kind established here. Under the Messrs Campbell it acquired quite a reputation for the manufacture of cooking stoves, plows, etc. The stoves they made were sought after in this and adjoining counties and were the ones in general use until supplanted by the present ranges.

Mr. Campbell took an active part in the first projected railroad enterprise to and through this place, known as the North Western Railroad. Although this failed, yet it paved the way to the making of the Butler Branch from Freeport to Butler, now known as part of the West Penn, and the first railroad to enter Butler. He also was active in the construction of the present Plankroad to Allegheny City, and, after the late Gen. Purviance, became its President, in which position he continued for many years. He was active in the first banking business of Butler and for many years, and until quite recently, was the President of the Savings Bank. He was also President of a company that organized the present foundry at the south end of the Plank road bridge. This foundry had been erected by the late John and Alfred McCarnes and was the first of the kind established here. Under the Messrs Campbell it acquired quite a reputation for the manufacture of cooking stoves, plows, etc. The stoves they made were sought after in this and adjoining counties and were the ones in general use until supplanted by the present ranges.

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The funeral services at his late residence on Monday afternoon were conducted by Rev. Oller, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of this place, assisted by the venerable Rev. White of the Episcopal Church and Rev. McKee of the United Presbyterian Church, after which the remains were viewed by many of our people and followed to the grave by many friends and relatives. J. H. N.

OBITUARY NOTES.

Samuel Casted, of East Brook, Lawrence Co., died Monday. He was 99 years old, and a pensioner of the war of 1812.

Death came suddenly and in a tragic manner to Joseph Steele, of Mt. Washington, Pittsburg, last Monday. Sitting at the court room at the counsels' table with the prosecution just closing in a suit in which he was defendant. he was stricken down and was a corpse five minutes later. Steele was one of the best known men throughout the oil regions of Pennsylvania. Back as far as 1864, when Pithole was spouting, he was known in petroleum circles. At Parkers Landing, Karns City and Greece City he owned large livery stables and extensive oil interests. In later years business reverses reduced his means, and he moved to Pittsburg some years ago. For the last year he has been in the employ of V. O. Hickman, the oil well supply dealer of Pittsburg, in the capacity of a book keeper.

May Richardson, aged sixteen years, a daughter of Alfred Richardson, who resides on the W. R. Thompson farm in Middlesex twp., expired instantly from heart disease, on Wednesday of last week.

General Jeremiah McLain Rusk died at his home in Wisconsin. Tuesday, Nov. 21, 1893.

Mrs. Sarah Trexler
Of Philadelphia.

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There Was No Hope

Of ever finding anything to help me. One day a friend asked, 'Why don't you try Hood's Sarsaparilla? I thought it over and decided to try it, and I thank God for it too. Since I began taking it, three years ago, I have had but one 'bad spell' and that was due to carelessness on my part, and from that I quickly recovered. I cannot tell you how much better I feel and how thankful I am. I feel as if I would like to tell every person in the world about it. I can and do now do all my housework, even to washing." MRS. SARAH TREXLER, 809 Latimer Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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On the Decline.

Not the least important feature of the late elections was the indubitable evidence which they afforded of the rapid decline of the Populist movement in the West and South. There were hopes even among Republicans that in some of the southern states, as in Virginia, the Populists would make serious inroads upon the Democratic party, but such was not the case. The same is true of the West. Had the Populists not largely abandoned their party there was a fighting chance for Democratic success in Nebraska, where there was dissatisfaction with some of the Republican candidates. Notwithstanding these disadvantages the Republicans were all elected by good majorities. There was no state ticket in Kansas, but the results in the counties plainly show that the Populist delusion no longer holds sway, and there is every probability that the congressional elections of next year will mark the return of the great majority of the Populists to their old political affiliations.

It is specially significant that in the silver producing states there was the same drift. In South Dakota, where there was no special excitement, the Republicans cast about 60 per cent of the vote, while in Colorado they carried two-thirds of the counties by large majorities. The majorities were quite as large in the silver-mining counties as elsewhere in the state, and the Populist governor must have opened his eyes very wide when he read the returns.—*Commercial Gazette.*

Washington Notes.

Division in the Democratic Ways and Means Committee is becoming apparent on the proposed new tariff bill, and Chairman Wilson is having a great time keeping the committee together. On Thursday of last week representative business men from Alabama appeared before the committee and expressed themselves satisfied with the present tariff law.

On Monday Sec'y Gresham allowed Commissioner Blount's account of affairs in Hawaii to be published in full. Blount lays all the blame of the Revolution there on the United States Minister Stevens, who, he claims conspired with other foreigners to depose the Queen; had troops landed from the U. S. war vessel, and hastily recognized the provisional government, before the Queen was notified of the revolt.

A Family Reunion.

A very pleasant reunion was that of the William Lardin family at the old homestead in Clinton twp on Wednesday the 15th inst. Those present were Wm. Lardin and wife, and their sons and daughters; T. P. Lardin of Allentown, N. Y.; Daniel Lardin and wife of Butler; Oscar L. Lardin and wife and Loyal S. Lardin of Clinton twp.; Harry Moorhead and wife and Jos. S. Miller and wife of Butler; Mrs. Wm Mitchell of Apollo, and Dr. Rowley, their old family physician, of Freeport.

After a hearty dinner the young folks made their parents quite a number of presents. T. P. made the presentation speech and the old gentleman responded vigorously and heartily. He is now in his 87th year, but he enjoyed the occasion as much, if not more, than any of them. It is twelve years since family reunions of this sort were present excepting Wm. Miller Lardin of Fayette county; they are all in good health and they all enjoyed and appreciated the reunion.

NOTICE.

Wertz,

THE WELL-known Artist and Photographer; formerly the head of the Wertz-Hardman Art Co., will open a Studio and Photo Parlors opposite the Hotel Lowry, Cor, Main and Jefferson Sts., Butler, Pa. This will be the best lighted and equipped Studio and galleries in the the county. The work will be strictly first class and made under new formulas by the artist himself, who has had 15 years practical experience in large cities. Portraits in Oil, Crayon, Sepia, Pastel, &c. In this line we have no competition, Our portraits are made by hand in our own Studio, from sittings or from photos. Our work has reached the highest standard of excellence and is not to be compared with the cheap machine made pictures furnished by others. Wait for us; get your pictures from us and be happy.

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W. C. CRISWELL.
Butler, Pa., April 3, 1893.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Administrators and Executors of estates can secure their receipt books at the CITIZEN office.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Frederick Burry, late of the twp. of Franklin, county of Butler and state of Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Elizabeth Burry, resident of said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are required to make payment and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

MRS. ELIZABETH BURRY, Adm'rx.
Mt. Chestnut P O.
S. F. Bowser. Atty. Butler Co., Pa.

Orphans' Court Sale.

By virtue of an order and decree of the Orphan's Court of Butler county, Penn'a. the undersigned, Executor of the last will and testament of Robert Hesselgesser, late of Winfield township, county and state aforesaid, deceased will offer at public auction, on the premises on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, 1893.

at 1 o'clock p m. of said day: One hundred and twenty-eight acres of land, more or less, situated in the township, county and state aforesaid; bounded on the north by lands of Wm. Bicket on the east by lands of David Hesselgesser, on the south by lands of Jacob Hesselgesser and N. Kirkland, and on the west by lands of Earl Hesselgesser, Sill and Painters heirs. Brick dwelling house barn and outbuildings, and good orchard thereon. About seventy acres thereof cleared, fenced and under good state of cultivation, balance woodland. In all respects this is among the best farms in Winfield township.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale, and one-third in one year and remaining third in two years thereafter with interest from said confirmation and to be secured by judgment, bond or mortgage. Title good.

JAMES HESSELGESSER,
DAVID HESSELGESSER,
Executors of Robert Hesselgesser, dec'd.,
Leasureville, Butler Co., Pa., Oct. 7, 1893.
McJunkin & Galbreath, Atty's.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that Charles F. Goehring, assignee of J. F. Schaeffer, has filed his final account as assignee, in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Penn'a, at M's. D. No. 3, Dec. Term, 1892, and that the same will be presented to said Court for confirmation and allowance on Wednesday the 6th day of December, 1893

JOHN W. BROWN,
Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office.
Nov. 4, 1893.

Executors' Notice.

Letters testamentary having been granted to the undersigned under the last will and testament of Daniel McDevaitt, dec'd, late of Brady twp., Butler County, Pa., all persons knowing themselves indebted to the estate of said decedent will please call and settle and any having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.

MARY A. MCDEVITT,
JOHN H. MCDEVITT, Executors.
A. M. Cornelius, Att'y. West Liberty, Pa.

Administrators' Notice.

Letters of Administration, C. T. A., on the estate of Nicholas King, dec'd., late of Concord twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

MARY KING, Adm'x.,
Jas. N. Moore, Peachville P O.,
Att'y, Butler Co., Pa.

Administrators' Notice.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM BURTNER.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William Burtner, dec'd, late of Clinton township, Butler county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

L. S. MCJUNKIN,
E. WESTERMAN
Administrators.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of Fi Fas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler County, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Butler, Pa., on the same day as that of Dec. A D 1893, at 1 o'clock, P M, the following described property to-wit:

E D No 153, 154, 155, 156 and 157, Dec T, 1893.

All the right, title, interest and claim of J E (Julia E) McCarnes, who survives Mary Kingsbury and Chas C McCarnes, dec'd, of, in and to certain lot of land more or less, situated in borough of Centreville, Butler Co. Pa, bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Uber, east by an alley, south by lot of Mrs Hobaugh, and west by Main st. Said lot fronting 30 feet on Main st, and extending back 160 to said alley, and having a large frame dwelling house and store-room combined erected thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of J E (Julia E) McCarnes at the suit of E A Stephenson, et al.

WILLIAM M. BROWN, Sheriff.

Jury Lists for Dec. Term, 1893.

List of Grand Jurors drawn this 31st day of October A. D., 1893, to serve as Grand Jurors at a regular term of Court commencing on the second Monday of December A. D., 1893, the same being the fourth day of said month.

Barnhart C, farmer, Lancaster twp.
Bovard W D, farmer, Cherry twp. S.
Christy Isaac H, farmer, Concord twp.
Dambacher Fred, farmer, Forward twp.
Doyle Patrick, farmer, Buffalo twp.
Emmel Harry, farmer, Cranberry twp.
Fleming John J, farmer, Winfield twp.
Gibbs Samuel, teamster, Karns City.
Graham Thomas J, farmer, Penn twp.
Hutchison W J, farmer, Oakland twp.
Heim John, machinist, Butler 1st ward.
Harper Andrew, farmer, Jackson twp. W.
McKee J D, farmer, Allegheny twp.
McNees Thomas, liveryman, Pasker twp.
Mates Amos W, engineer, Butler 1st ward.
Nicholas Peter D, farmer, Adams twp. N.
Neyman A J, farmer, Oakland twp.
Neff A C, farmer, Oakland twp.
Pickard W H junk dealer, Karns City.
Roessing Charles, gardner, Butler 1st ward.
Seaton William, farmer, Marion twp.
Thompson A R, farmer, Sunbury boro.
Wahl A R, contractor, Jackson twp. E.
Weber W P, farmer, Baldridge,

List of Petit Jurors drawn this thirty-first day of October A. D., 1893, to serve as Petit Jurors at a regular term of Court commencing on the second Monday of December A. D., 1893, the same being the 11th day of said month.

Boyce John, farmer, Adams twp. S.
Baker Joseph, farmer, Jefferson twp.
Bulford Milton, farmer, Jefferson twp.
Brown Joseph, farmer, Baldridge.
Bovard William, farmer, Mercer twp.
Byers James M, wagonmaker. Fairview boro.
Curry Adam, farmer, Concord twp.
Craig Theodore, farmer, Donegal twp.
Coats Isaac, farmer, Jefferson twp.
Campbell Joseph, farmer, Concord twp.
Coovert Francis, clerk, Zelienople boro.
Douthett Joseph, farmer, Penn twp.
Douthett Alexander, farmer, Penn twp.
Double Perry H, farmer, Cherry twp. N.
Dodds Thomas J, farmer, Franklin twp.
Dodds John F, farmer, Franklin twp.
Elliott Joseph, painter, Butler 3rd ward.
Eythe Francis, farmer, Oakland twp.
Findley Samuel, farmer Clay twp.
Forquer Benjamin J, hotelkeeper, Millerstown boro.
Flinner John Jr, farmer, Lancaster twp.
Gruver Joseph, carpenter, Harmony boro.
Grant W B, carpenter, Allegheny twp.
Gallagher John of Peter, farmer Jefferson
Goehring David, farmer, Cranberry twp.
Greenice C D, oil producer, Butler 5th ward.
Hafler John, miller, Clinton twp.
Hile John N, clerk, Butler 5th ward.
Ilseaton B C, merchant, Butler 5th ward.
Jack John F, clerk, Butler 1st ward.
Lucy John S, farmer, Cranberry twp.
Miller John P, farmer, Summit twp.
McFarland C B, merchant, Washington S.
McCoy Robert, farmer, Slipperyrock twp.
Miller George, carpenter, Butler 3d ward.
Orr R J, farmer Adams twp. N.
Passavant C S, merchant, Zelienople boro.
Pistorious Jacob, farmer, Summit twp
Sheakley Josiah, farmer, Connequenessing twp. N.
Scott T B, farmer, Summit twp.
Stevenson James, farmer, Summit twp.
Seaton William G, farmer Venango twp.
Shuster Daniel, farmer, Buffalo twp.
Shunn A J, oil producer, Forward twp.
Whitehas Louis, merchant, Winfield twp.
Webb Edward, farmer, Clay twp.
Yost Andrew, farmer, Summittwp.
Zehner Fred, merchant, Zelienople boro.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Ven. Ex., Fi. Fa., Lev. Fa., &c., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa., and to me directed there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in the borough of Butler, on

Monday, the 4th day of Dec.,

A. D. 1893, at 1 o'clock p. m, the following described property, to-wit:

E. D. No. 32 Dec. T., 1893. C. Walker, Atty.

All the right, title, interest and claim of J. L. McNamee of, in and to 25 acres of land, more or less, situated in Venango twp., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by land of Harper, east by land of Cochran heirs, south by land of John People and Brucklin heirs, and west by land of Harper. About 20 acres cleared, fair state of cultivation and having a log and board dwelling house each and a log barn erected thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of J. L. McNamee at the suit of Miffin & Miffin Jr.

E. D. No. 111, Dec. T., 1893. K. Marshall, Atty.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Augustus Edgar, of, in and to 40 acres of land, more or less, situated in Penn twp., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Benj. Powell et al, east by land of Harrison Puff, south by land of James Martin's heirs et al, west by Thos. M. Marshall Sr. et al. Mostly cleared, all under good fence and in a good state of cultivation, one good orchard, and having a two-story frame dwelling house, frame barn and outbuildings thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Augustus Edgar at the suit of G. W. Schmidt and S. J. Friday late partners as Schmidt & Friday for use of G. W. Schmidt.

E. D. No. 123 Dec. T., 1893. A. T. Black Atty.

All the right, title, interest and claim of James L. Henry, Adm'r. of Margaret J Henry, dec'd. and James L. Henry, of, in and to certain lot of land, more or less, situated in Butler borough, Butler Co. Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner on Jack Keasey lot, thence south by an alley 45 feet, thence west by lot now of Dr. Johnston 185 feet, more or less, thence by McKean north 45 feet to the place of beginning. And being the same conveyed by said A. Troutman to the said Margaret J. Henry, and having a two story frame dwelling house and outbuildings thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of James L. Henry, Admr. of Margaret J. Henry, dec'd. at the suit of A. Troutman.

E. D. No. 122, Dec T. 1893. Ralston & Greer. Attorneys

All the right, title, interest and claim of Jacob Kelly, owner or reputed owner and Joseph Brittain, contractor, of, in and to a certain lot of land, more or less, situated in Portersville borough, Muddycreek twp., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by an alley, east by an alley, south by lot No. 82 on street, south by Town Hall property and Wm. Humphrey, west by land of Caleb Coovert. Said lot being the same used as the real estate frame stable erected thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of S. T. Okeson at the suit of J. M. Marshall for use.

E. D. No. 115, Dec. T., 1893. W. A. Forquer, Atty.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Henry Hay and Susan Hay of, in and to 86 acres of land, more or less, situated in Muddycreek twp., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northeast corner, thence south 2 degrees west 126 perches to a post, formerly of John Scott; thence south 87½° west 206 4-10 perches to a post by lands formerly of Jacob Fraziers; thence north 2 west 126 perches to a stone on public road by lands of David Frazier; thence east 210 perches by lands of David Frazier to place of beginning. With a two story brick dwelling house, frame barn, good orchard and other outbuildings and 2 producing oil wells thereon. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Henry Hay and Susan Hay at the suit of Al Ruff and H Schneideman.

E. D. No. 113, Dec. T., 1893. W. H. Lusk, Atty.

All the right, title, interest and claim of David D. Black of, in and to 2 acres of land, more or less, situated in village of Valencia, Ad