

THE CITIZEN

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 1866.

New Advertisements.

Houston's shoe sale.
Hoover's dry goods.
B. D. & Co. dry goods.
Excursion.

Nora—All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads. should notify us of their intention to do so, not later than Monday morning.

Advertisers and Executors of estates can secure their receipt books at the Citizen's Office.

The Nathan Missionary Society will hold its usual monthly meeting, Tuesday, August 11, at 2:30 p.m., in the Y. M. C. A. Hall. A program of special interest has been prepared.

The oats will be half a crop this year. The weather was too wet for it, the straw is large, but the heads are not filled. Last July is said to have been the wettest since July of 1855.

The Merchants Band gave their people with another concert last Thursday evening. This Band makes excellent music and their concerts bring out the entire population.

Two men named Perkins and Holland are wanted here for floating worthless notes. They deceived our people by using the telephone and having a man at the other end to answer the questions in their interest.

A farmer tells how he played a Yankee trick on the rats that infested his barn. He says, half full of rye and other grain, and give them a treat for a fortnight, placing a board against the barn door. Some night substitute water for the grain leaving enough of the latter on top to deceive and the result may astonish you. Moreover, the remaining rats will leave that barn for months.

The largest farm in Pennsylvania is owned by W. F. Reynolds, of Center City. He has nine hundred large farms, eighteen of them being in Center City, and adjoining, having a total acreage of 2391 acres, and an assessed value of \$93,300.

In the midst of his farms he has a large grist mill, for the purpose of preparing his grain for market. The annual production of these farms aggregates nearly 20,000 bushels of grain, and over 1000 tons of hay, besides enormous productions of all small fruits.

At the meeting of Council, Tuesday evening, Stephen Markham was selected to fill H. A. Tilton's unexpired term. Geo. Eaton of the 23d ward, were elected policemen. Philip Tack was awarded the contract for the stonewalk on the property owned on Lookout Ave. were assessed 21 cts per foot for sewing, and a large number of persons were ordered to repair their sidewalks.

"It seems to me," said the expert wheelman, "that I would hesitate a long time before I took a little child on the wheel with me. Not that I would be afraid of falling, but I would be very apprehensive that some clumsy rider should run into me. It never occurred to me until the other night, that gave me a cold chill, and sent my hair up on end. I was trembling along on my wheel, and ahead of me was a gentleman with a little child—his baby daughter—in a basket seat on his wheel. As he neared Pearl street there came around the corner at a tearing pace a worshiper with his head down, shoulders hunched up pedaling as fast as he could. He was looking for his wife, who was riding along behind him, and he had just managed to get out of the way in time to avoid a collision, and I could see the man's face grow white as he realized what he and his little one had escaped. The danger does not lie in the liability to fall, but in colliding with other riders. If that worshiper had hit the man on the wheel with his daughter it would have knocked them both off, and serious injury would have been done."

—Did you read about the Great Butler Fair.

—The army worms are sensible about one thing: they won't touch tobacco.

—It is said that there is very stiff to be "beasty" weather in "dog days."

—The Butler P. O. has been allowed \$2,000, extra for office rent, clerk hire, etc.

—A Pittsburg company proposes in a short time engage in the manufacture of horseless carriages.

—When the revenues of a postoffice reach \$10,000 per annum, it becomes entitled to a free delivery system.

—A flocks exchange says marriage in Chicago is not considered a failure. "It is merely a temporary embarrassment."

—A high-grade bicycle will be the time prize for the road race, and our merchants offer quite an assortment of prizes.

—Midnight Mechanics continue to do a little business in Butler. They were operating on W. Jefferson St., a few nights ago.

—The farmers are hustling this week as we are having the first good hay weather for a month.

—An item is going the round of the press to the effect that a young lady had a needle enter her wrist about a year ago, and that it recently worked its way out of the arm of a young man in another city.

—Our grocers are paying 15 and 16 for butter, 10cts. for eggs, 25 for potatoes, 15 to 20 for apples; 2cts. a doz. for corn, 40 cts. a bu. for cabbage or about 3 cts. a head, 5cts. for blackberries; 6 cts for buckles.

—The McCandless reunion, which had been arranged for Aug. 27th has been changed to Wednesday, Aug. 19, on account of another in the neighborhood, which had been previously arranged. All friends and relatives are cordially invited.

—The firm of H. C. Black & Son of Harrisonville has been dissolved. R. N. Black is retiring. The new firm will hereafter do business under the firm name of J. R. Black & Co., and will continue to merit the patronage which the establishment now commands.

—Beaver Falls will hold a great "Street Fair" on Sept. 9 and 10, on which occasion there will be a grand industrial parade; horse, bicycle, foot and boat races; eke, walk, public meetings, athletic sports; prizes for best horses, cattle, farm produce, etc.

—According to a journal for missionaries in Mongolia the missionary is often asked to perform impossible and ridiculous cures. One man asks to be made fat, another to be made clever, another to have his taste for tobacco or whiskey taken away, while almost everybody would like to have his skin made white, like the foreigner.

—The country newspaper of good standing, clean columns and fair circulation is the best advertising medium on earth. Its readers as a rule have to read what the business man who gets a daily and "skin" it never thinks of reading, viz. the advertisements. We had farmers tell me that on rainy or stormy days they had read every thing in the paper, from the date line to the last line on the last page.

—Tartarine is the best friend house-keepers have and a supply should always be kept on hand. It is good for burns. "It is a sure preventive against moths a few drops rendering garments safe from such invasion during the summer. It drives away ants and bugs from cupboards and corners by putting a few drops on the shelves. It effectively destroys bugs, and injures neither furniture nor clothing. For cleaning paints add a spoonful to a gall of warm water. A little in the suds on wash day is said to make washing easier.

—Saw Mill for Sale.

We will sell our saw-mill, with 20 horse-power engine, and all tools and fixtures at a very low figure. Inquire of or write to Post, A. C. E. & Co., Saverville P. O. Butler Co., Pa.

Closing out trimmed hats away below cost at The People's Store.

ICE.—The only genuine Spring Water Ice in Butler is now being delivered to his customers daily by A. R. RICHIEY.

Leave your order at Richey's Bakery.

Do you want a hat or cap? Heck has them and can save you money,

SAW MILLS.—I will sell my

Boarding House Cards, with Accts. of Assembly, 25 cents for half-a-dozen, or sale at CITIZEN office.

SAY PAPA—did you see Heck's necklace, it beats anything you ever

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