THE CITIZEN

THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1897.

New Advertisements.

Notice of application for Detective license.
The Butler Produce Store.
Douthett & Graham's Half Price Sale.
Huselton,s Sweeping Reductions.
Ruff's shoes.
C. & T's. Inventory Sale.

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

Adminsthrators and Executors of estat can secure their receipt books at the CITIZEN office,

LOCAL AND GENERAL,

"The poet longs for gentle spring's
Return to gladden men,
Nor thinks that when it comes it brings
House-cleaning time again."

—Washington's birthday next.

—No cases of sun-stroke have been reported this week.

—It's all right to follow a golden rule, but not if it falls out of a fourth-story window.

—Monday was our coldest day and yet they were working in the railroad cut at Euclid.

—"A woman is probably called a belle," says the Philosopher, "because her tongue makes so much noise."

—With the mercury 'way below zero, Venus is now posing, a la Trilby, as evening star in the Western sky.

—The inauguration of McKinley will be the 100th anniversary of the retirement of George Washington from public life.

—The U. S. Government has leased the Postoffice building here from Jas. W. Thompson for five years at $700 a year.

—The clock fell and made a large dent in the floor. "Ah!" said the floor. "Now I understand what is meant by the nick of time."

—"Dey ain' no use feelin' sorry fo' a mule," says Brother Watkins, "kase de fus' chance he get he gwine kick de feelin' out o' yo'."

—Some of the Nomination Papers sent in to the County Commissioners this week were defective and had to be returned for correction. All the papers must be in by this evening.

—The Pittsburg, Bessemer & Lake Erie R. R. have put up the machinery for a safety gate and a gateman's watch-house at the crossing of their tracks over Centre Ave.

—Some chap who claims to know all about it has published a list of the prominent people who are to die during 1897. Those of us who are not included in the list are drawing deep breaths of relief.

—Try to arrange your business so as to attend the eclipse of the sun next Monday afternoon. The next day will be Candlemas, and will belong to the groundhog, who will do the six weeks act.

—What won't boys do? Sometime ago some boys of the north end of town caught a neighbor's rooster and painted him red, and the other night two boys went into a doctor's office and caught his cat and chloroformed her. Poor puss, she's dead.

—A gentleman saw the following advertisement in a paper: "The Road to Wealth. Send twelve stamps to——." The gentleman sent twelve stamps, and in return for his outlay received minute instructions how to get to the U. S. Treasury from any part of Washington.

—Our grocers are paying 18c for butter, 17c for eggs, 20c for potatoes, apples and turnips, 50c for parsnips, carrots, beets and onions, 3 to 5c for cabbage, 10c for dressed chicken, 13c for dressed turkey, 12 for dressed duck, and 90c a bu. for beans.

—The Kitty Rhoades company opened a week's engagement at the Park Theatre on Monday night to a large audience and have been playing to pretty good business ever since. The company is a well balanced one and gives general satisfaction. To-night the company will present "Hazel Kirk." A family matinee will be given on Saturday afternoon.

—The Treble Clef Club, directed by C. N. Boyd, Jr. gave a very enjoyable concert in the Opera House last Friday evening, which netted about $200 for the new hospital; and after the concert an amusing sleeping-car scene was put on the stage and well acted by Mrs. R. P. Scott, Miss Mame Lusk, Aaron Reiber, Frank Murphy, Ed. Colbert, Joe Heineman, Carl Leighner and others.

—Part of the iron for the new railroad bridges and trestles is in town; and a number of workmen are erecting a large "traveler," beginning at the embankment on the Geo. Reiber place. The trestle from the embankment to the spiles near Lookout Ave. will be about 1200 feet long and will cross the West Penn tracks, the creek and Lookout ave. The "Traveler" is being built on the cantilever plan. The work is interesting.

—The blizzard that raged in the northwest Wednesday and Thursday of last week, reached us Saturday, and the mercury gradually fell until it reached 13 and 15 below zero Sunday night. The creek below town froze over in one night. At points in Minnesota and Dakota the mercury was reported at 20 to 40 below zero. Tuesday morning the mercury stood at 6 to 8 below zero here; the zero line had extended down into Kentuckey, and at one point in the northwest the mercury was reported at 50 below zero, with trains snowed in.

—The American flag on and after the next Fourth of July, will have forty-five stars. A notice has been sent out to the army and navy officials to that effect. An order has also been issued to the postoffices of public buildings throughout the United States to begin at once to put in the additional stars in all old flags or secure new ones, which must be six rows of stars. The first, third and fifth rows will have eight stars each, and the second, fourth and sixth will have seven stars each

—Few people stop to count health as a great blessing. It is the highest of purely earthly blessing. We are so busy grumbling over some financial wrong that we forget all the money in the world would profit us but little if we were invalids. Education is a fine thing, says Josh Billings, and fame is great, but a good reliable set of bowels is worth it all. Says Carlyle: "With stupidity, sound digestion and a good liver, a man can confront any of the problems of the universe."

—The varieties of people, the difference in their aims ambitions and luck, are hit off in this somewhat worn but pertinent paragraph; While one man is struggling for justice another is fleeing from it. One man is saving to build a house and another is trying to sell his for less than cost to get rid of it. One man spends all the money he can make in taking a girl to the theatre and taking her flowers, with the hope of making her his wife, while his neighbor is spending what gold he has in getting a divorce. One man escapes all the diseases that flesh is heir to and gets killed on the railroad. Another escapes with a scratch and dies with whooping cough.

Will You Have a Public Sale?

—If you intend to have a public sale this winter or in the coming spring, you can read these few lines with profit to your self. You may have a first class clerk and auctioneer, and yet have a small crowd and consequently a poor sale.—That means money lost. One of the prime things for the success of a personal property sale is to get out a crowd. The easiest way to do this is to get out attractive posters from our job room and to advertise liberally in the Citizen. Why the Citizen? Because of its location and wide spread circulation. It is not read only by the people of the neighborhood, but it goes into hundreds of homes in the surrounding townships. If you want to reach the people who attend sales advertise in the CITIZEN.

—The Electric Light Co, is making great improvements in its plant—the building has been enlarged, a new boiler added, and a tremendous new engine and dynamo are being put in place.

—Attention is called to the advertisement of the Butler Produce Co. Mr. Moore says he will handle no goods that conflict with what he says in his adv.—"If you get it at the Butler Produce Store—Its fresh."

—Twenty-three farmers in Chester county have answered the question, Does it pay to raise oats? Of the 23, 17 say it does not pay, although some of them grow some for feed or as an expediency. Nearly all agree that potatoes are a more profitable crop in this State than oats or any other kind of grain.

—Grapes should be trimmed now, while the weather is cold. If they are trimmed in the spring they will bleed; that is, sap will run from the ends of the shoots that have been cut and the vines will be weaked. If cut now these ends will be healed by the time the sap begins to flow and the liability of damage will be reduced.

—Another cat story comes from North Sewickley township, Bever county.

Jonas Backus owns a pet cat, which became the mother of two kittens. Backus has two sons also who are of a scientific turn of mind. They had a couple of young orphan rabbits, and they conceived the idea of killing the kittens and sewing their skins over the rabbits The kittens were killed, the rabbits neatly dressed in their hides and placed in the nest for the cat to mother. When she arrived, the cat was somewhat surprised and expressed her suspicions that all was not right by pitiful mewings. She finally accepted the idea that there had been a reincarnation and adopted the rabbits. She raised them and now seems much attached to them.

ACCIDENTS.

An Italian laborer on the Pittsburg and Western railroad was struck by an engine at Downeyville and severely injured. He was taken to the Allegheny General Hospital.

The fall of a wall picture upon a lamp at Capt. Flannegan's home on Institute Hill, last Thursday evening, made a fire that burned the piano, and did other damage to the amount of about $500 in all.

Jos. Mechling's horse ran off last Saturday, but nobody was hurt.

A Hungarian had his eyes blown out by dynamite along Thorn Creek in Jefferson twp., Tuesday.

An explosion of nitro-glycerine at Cygnet near Lima O. Tuesday afternoon, killed two men, their bodies being literally blown to shreds, so far not a particle of either having been found. The victims were W. J. Morrison, of Toledo, field superintendent for the Ohio and Indiana Torpedo company, and Edward Dennison, a shooter, of Rising Sun, formerly of Grove City, Pa.

A man named Henning who was 400 feet from the magazine, was badly cut about the head by flying debris. A house 1,000 feet away had all the windows and doors blown in, and a little girl received injuries not believed to be serious.

OIL NOTES.

The producing agencies are paying 85 and 87cts today.

RENFREW—The Shidemantle gusher is still making 12 bbls an hour.

White & Co's No. 3, Hamil, southwest of the gusher, was drilled in last week, and made a small flow; No. 4 Hamil is doing 100 bbls.

Greenlee & Taylor's No. 2, Dixon 1,000 feet southwest of the gusher is expected in this week.

MIDDLESEX—The Forest's No. 3, Marshall is good for 25 bbls.

PARKER—East of the Rosenberry pool Gerber & Co. have drilled their test well on the allagher farm through the sand and have a duster. This is the well at which a one eight interest was in dispute and had it come in a producer there would have been a legal hair-pulling time over the ownership. Now that the well has come in dry the claimants are not saying a word.

Militia Inspection.

The spring inspection of Co. E., 15 Reg. will be held in the Armory on Tuesday, Feb'y, 16th. Beginning with Monday Jan. 25th, company drill will be held every other evening until Feb. 1, which begins the last week before inspection. During that week the company will be drilled every evening except Saturday. On Monday evening Feb. 15th, preliminary inspection will be held. The boys hope to gain the best percentage in the 15th Reg., and maybe in the whole 2d. Brigade.

A Letter For You.

Letters uncalled for at the Butler Post Office, week ending Jan. 25, 1897.

GENTLEMEN.

Armstrong Mr., (Armstrongs Oil Wells,) Bellis & Grove, (Corner dry goods store,) Bettinger Mr. Jake; Butter Mr. J; Ambrose, Elliott Mr. Elmer E, Brudiar Mr. Ivan, Eichenuer Mr. Henry, Gallagher, Mr. John E; Huchinson W. J; Holand J. C; Kitch H. Esq; Kebler J. F; Nettler Allen; McMullen T. B. Esq; McMullen T. B. Esq; McHenry Mr. Rob; Price Austin Esq; Sage P. B; Shanon J. J. Esq; Thompson M. A; Vargo Mike; Maltman Mr. Mike; Waldar's Frank; Zimmerman A. J. Esq.

LADIES.

Aiken Miss, Aiken Miss Bessie, Aiken Miss Bessie; Hunter Mrs. Nora; Kelly Miss Lizzie; McMillen Mrs. J. H; Mardorf Miss Almira (369 Main St,) Niggle Mrs Agnes; Roxbury Miss Jennie; Stanfield Mrs. Edwin; Taylor Mrs. Anna; Walker Miss Sadie.

In calling for these letters please say advertised.

JOHN W. BROWN P. M.

BOARD OF TRADE.

In canvassing for members for the Board of Trade, there were a number of our citizens whom it was not possible for the membership committe to visit, and doubtless there are still a number of our good citizens who are not only willing but anxious to join the Board of Trade; organized solely to benefit every resident of our city and if they will kindly send their names to one of the membership committee they shall at once be listed on the Roll of Honor.

J. KAUFMANN
LEVI M. WISE
A. C. ANDERSON
P. W. RUFF
W. J. HEINEMAN
Membership Committee.

—The Butler Lubricating Oil Co has moved back to their old stand 119, W. Jefferson St. Steelsmith & Patterson's new building, where all kinds of engine, machinery, and illuminating oils of the finest quality are kept in stock in the basement, and will be delivered to any part of the city when ordered from C. E. McIntire, agent.

Pants—Over 2000 pairs to select from, at prices, oh well, don't mention them, its awful, where at HECK'S.

Sox and shirts, all wool and a yard wide, cheaper than the cheapest—at HECK'S, 121 N. Main St.

LEGAL NEWS.

CAUSES TRIED.

John S. McElvain vs the Pennsylvania R R. Co, trespass. Jan. 21, verdict for the plaintiff for $1500.

Wm. H. Walker vs the Pennsylvania R R. Co. trespass. Jan. 25, verdict for the plaintiff for $1250. These cases were for damages sustained at the wreck at Harbison Station on the West Penn R R.

John Kinch vs Phillip Bickel trespass Jan. 25, verdict for the plaintiff for $100.

L. P. Troutman vs. J. A. Heydrick et al, ejectment. Jan, 27, plaintiff takes a non-suit.

Jos. Mangel vs Wm. Marks et al, trespass—jury out.

Wm. Munhall et al, vs Wm. H. Schmidt et al, ejectment—on trial.

The cases of Nicholas Reott vs Christian Michaels, trespass (2 cases) and Wm. Munhall et al vs Wm. H. Smith et al, were continued.

The cases of Samuel A. Purvis vs W. H. O'Brien, assumpsit; Thomas Z. Caldwell et al vs Harry Hinchberger et al, mechanics lien, were settled.

The case of E. C. Dewitt & Co vs A. S. Marshall, assumpsit, was continued.

NOTES.

Louisa H. Conlin has petitioned for a divorce from Owen Conlin.

Robert Gregg has brought suit in replevin vs W. E. Davis, Henry Korn and Constable Manny for one cooking stove, three beds and bedding, lounge, chair, kitchen furniture, etc.

George Currie, an old soldier, was granted a pedlers license.

The charter for the Butler Board of Trade was recorded in the office of the Register and Recorder.

Catharine M. Roth, by her next friend D. K. Frazier, has brought suit in replevin vs John M. and D. P. Roth for furniture, etc, valued at $300.

Samuel Grider was appointed constable of Evans City for the unexpired term of Charles Lynch, resigned.

Elmer E. Bell was reappointed County Detective, and the salary fixed at $60 per month.

A charter for the Euclid Oil and Gas Co was recorded this week.

The will of Thomas Watson of Winfield twp. was probated and letters granted to Robert Watson and J. M. Galbreath.

At Franklin—Monday, Judge Criswell granted 26 licenses and held over ten.

Letters of administration were granted to James McLaughlin on estate of Hugh McLaughlin of Mercer twp.; also to Thomas Graham on estate of Jane Shannon of Connoquenessing twp,

The Charter for the Butler County General Hospital has been recorded.

Saturday will be the last day for filing accounts with the Register for presentation at next term.

Wm. Kepple, W. S. Kepple and A. D. Kepple have brought suit in trespass vs the Pennsylvania Torpedo Co., and claim damages in $3500.

Levi Bickel had a hearing before Esq. Gilzhrist, Tuesday, on a charge of bigamy and was held for Court in $300; Sam Kerr or Jones was fined $5 and costs for assault and battery; W. L. Coulter, arrested for forgery on oath of Wm. Kennedy, will have a hearing this afternoon.

Jury Commissioners Eberhart and Gribben finished their work for this year last week, and now 760 names are reposing in the wheel of chance and choice.

In this connection Gribben tells an interesting story

When in Harmony sometime ago he was criticized by his party friends there for not putting the names of any Democrats of that town in the wheel for 1896. Gribben asserted that he had, and that more than a fair proportion of the names put in the wheel for that town that year were Democrats, that the proportion he had secured was 8 to 7, or something like that. But they said that not a single Democrat had been drawn while several Republicans had. That puzzled Gribben so much that he took the trouble to go over the names left over in the wheel, and there found those of all the Democrats, while all the Republicans had been drawn out. It was an odd feature of chance, and one that may never happen again.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Edwin Meeder, adm'r, to Cath Pfeifer lots in Evans City for $125.

Fred Henninger to J A Henninger lot in Butler for $1400.

Oil Well Supply Co to W S Wark lot in Martinsburg for $500.

J B Arthurs to C E Broadhead lot in Euclid for $40.

Emma Haley to Elizabeth Murtland lot Butler for $1850.

Henry Martin to Theo Leopold 57 acres in Jefferson for $5500.

John W Wimer to B B Morgan 1½ acres in Muddycreek twp for $1.

W B Dodds, sheriff, to R J Graham 100 acres in Forward for $3985.29

J P Ripper to John Ripper lot in Evans City for $225.

A Wahl to W A Nickolas lot in Evans City for $200.

A. M. Cornelius to Albert Rider lot in Butler for $1250.

Thos. L. Donaldson to Alice Hutchison 1 acre in Middlesex twp for $200.

Marriage Licenses

Frank Bowser	Parkers Landing
Sallie Brown	Jefferson Centre
Shiloh Stoops	Armstrong Co
Harriet Younger	"
Wm. E. Sherwin	Fairview twp
Mary Goodgasell	Oakland twp
F. J. O'Donnell	Butler
Clara L. Gregg	"
Grant Kroupher	Hilliard
Gula E Gardner	"

Consignment Clothing Sale.

M. Sampter, Sons & Co., Manufacturing Clothiers of 13, 15, 17 and 19, East Fourth street, New York.

The above firm has consigned to us their stock of Men's, Boy's and Children's Suits and Overcoats and odd pants left over from their last Fall manufacturing. They have made the price on these goods 50 per cent less than the regular price on the goods in the season. We are therefore confident that the people of Butler county will see that it is to their interest to come to us for clothing this month. We herewith quote you a few of the prices on this mammoth stock:

Fifty Men's Cassimett Suits at $2.75, former price was $5. 75 Men's all-wool Cheviot Suits at $5, former price $10. 100 Men's Fine [Scotch plaids] Cassimeres and Worsted Suits at $8, worth $15. 25 Boys' Long Pants Suits at $2, former price $4. 38 Boys' Suits, long pants, all-wool, at $4, former price $8. 50 Boys' long pants Suits fat $5, former price $10. 85 Boys' knee pants suits at $2, former price $3 and $4. 30 Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats at $5, former price $10 40 Men's Blue and Black Beaver Overcoats at $10, former price $16, $18 and $20. 35 Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters at $3 and $3.50, former price $6, $7 and $8. 45 Children's Cape Overcoats at $1.50, former price $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50. 100 pairs of Men's Scotch all-wool pants at $1.75, former price $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50. 300 pairs of Boys' Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 14, at 25c a pair, former price 50c.

Now don't let this opportunity slip by but come at once to us for clothing at half price.

SCHAUL & NAST.
Leading Clothiers.

—Now is the time to get Bargains THE PEOPLES STORE are closing out all heavy cotton, fleece lined and wool goods to make room for spring stock.

—25 per cent saved by buying Horse Blankets and Robes at MARTINCOURT & Co's

Fatal Accident on the P. & W.

The Paint creek trestle, on the P. & W. R. R. near Shippenville in Clarion Co. was the scene of a disaster, last Saturday afternoon, whereby William S. Copeley of Butler was instantly killed; Chas. Carruthers, of Butler and John Kelly of Cleveland, formerly of W. Sunbury, hurt.

The passenger train from Kane to Butler, due at Butler at 5:20, reached the trestle about 2:30 that afternoon. Coming down the steep grade on the hillside the other side of the trestle the brakes either did not work or else the train had acquired such momentum that the wheels slid, for when the engine hit the curve it left the track, bumped over the ties for a distance and then plunged into the ravine taking the whole train with it.

The engineer and fireman, Daniel J. Moriarty and Ira Beatty of Foxburg were instantly killed as was also Mr. Copeley, the mail agent; and several persons were injured

The passenger car was turned over on its side, and Mr. Kelly was pinned in, between two seats, but another passenger, who was not hurt got him loose and helped him out through a window. He spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. J. M. Painter in Butler, and left for Cleveland next morning

Young Mr. Carruthers is lying at his room on Cunningham street. He is bruised, and may be injured internally.

Conductor Tonks was in the baggage car at the time of the accident, but escaped with but slight injuries. He walked to Shippenville and wired news of the wreck; a relief train came to the scene in about two hours, and the dead and wounded were cared for The train bearing the body of Mr. Copley, reached the Butler depot at midnight, where a large crowd was awaiting it. Funeral services were held at Mr. Copley's house, Sunday afternoon, and the body taken to Manorville, Armstrong Co., next day. He was 50 years of age, and leaves a wife and four grown-up children He had been a mail agent on the road for about 20 years.

Engineer Moriarty was found some distance from the engine, with his head crushed in and more or less cut and bruised. Fireman Beatty was found some time after, lying under the baggage car, badly mangled, his right leg being torn from his body and picked up some distance from where he was lying. Mail Clerk William Copley was found about 10 feet from Fireman Beatty, his head and body being crushed.

A Miss Hallock, of Allegheny, who was on the train and who was not seriously injured happened to have some cotton, laudanum and other articles in her satchel, and with these she rendered greatly appreciated aid to the injured.

The engine and cars lie in the ravine, near the creek, a mass of ruins.

A dispatch from Foxburg, dated Monday, said:

It is thought to-night that Brakeman George Wise, who was injured in the Pittsburg & Western railroad wreck Saturday, and whose death was reported, will get along all right. Conductor Tonks, Baggage Master Rainy and Bridge Foreman Clark, all of this place, are slowly improving. The wrecked coach was brought to this place this evening. It had one side and one end smashed in and most all of the seats were crushed to pieces.

Fires.

While Rev Pollard was up street last Saturday evening, and his wife and children were in the basement kitchen of their home in Deffytown, they heard an explosion, and running up stairs found that a lamp had exploded and set fire to the house.

The burning oil had so scattered over the room that nothing could be saved on that floor; and the fire spread so rapidly that but few articles could be carried out of it. The fire companies responded to the alarm promptly, and laid a line of hose from the plug at Kamerer's store up the hill to the house—a distance of about 1500 feet—but the house was already destroyed and all they could do was to extinguish the flames. Rev. Pollard and family found shelter in a neighboring house. Their house was insured for $500 but the insurance is payable to the man who holds a mortgage on the premises. On Monday of this week L. C. Wick and A. Steelsmith collected a nice sum of money for the family

Rev. Pollard's most serious loss by the fire was his library, every book of which was burned. The library is said to have cost him over $1,000.

A. M. Reynolds' store at Farmington was burned, Tuesday afternoon. The building was insured for $800, and the stock for $3,000.

Reduced Rates to Washington for the Inauguration

For the benefit of those who desire to attend the ceremonies incident to the inauguration of President-elect McKinley, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Washington March 1, 2, 3, and 4, valid to return from March 4 to 8, at the following rates:—

From Pittsburg, $10 00; Butler, $10 00; Allegheny Valley Junction, $10 00, and from all other stations on the Pennsylvania system at reduced rates.

This inauguration will be a most interesting event, and will attract a large number of people from every section of the country.

The magnificent facilities of the Pennsylvania Railroad make this the favorite route to the national capital at all times and its enormous equipment and splendid terminal advantages at Washington make it especially popular on such occasions.

—Music scholars wanted, at 128 W. Wayne t.8

Pants that Fit.

Made of goods that wear, and keep their shape. We are turning them out by the hundreds and the values are so far ahead of anything you ever saw, the goods themselves so perfect, so stylish, so thoroughly up to date, that much as we may promise you will find more when you get there

BUTLER PANTS CO.
125 W. Jefferson St.—½ block west of Berg's Bank.

Trunks, valises, bags and telescopes—at HECKS.

Free. Free. Free.
Your name on a postal card will bring a copy of The Butler Business College Exponent, a bright eight page monthly paper, issued by The Butler Business College and School of Shorthand, Butler, Pa

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

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

Vox Populi—Buy your clothing, underwear, hosiery, hats, caps, sox and neckwear of D. A. HECK and save money.

—All winter goods at a big reduction Good wool sox at 10c and 15c. THE PEOPLES STORE

Oh Mamma—you ought to see the big piles of childrens suits at HECK'S only $1.25, you can't get the same in town for less than $2.50.

—Closing out heavy underwear and blankets below cost to make room for spring goods at THE PEOPLES STORE

—Job work of all kinds done at the CITIZEN OFFICE

PERSONAL.

A. T. Scott, Esq. is down with grippe.

Phillip Bickel is nursing a pair of healed fingers.

I. N. Graham Esq., of Evans City, was in town on legal business, this morning.

Mrs. Gleeson, of New Castle, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Painter.

John Renison and his son Wm., of Adams twp, were in town, yesterday.

Crawford Johnson and Ed. Westerman, of Middlesex, drove up to Butler, yesterday.

A. Z. Shontz and wife, of Harmony visited their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Stewart, of Fairview Ave., last week

A. N. P. Leonard, of Fairview Ave. and family have moved to the Kirk farm in Summit twp.

Daniel Shanor and Jacob Neeley, of Franklin twp., were in town on business, Friday.

Rev. D. B. Stahlman, of Prospect, preached morning and evening in the English Lutheran Church, on Sunday.

Will McCandless and G. Wildy Lloyd have opened a broker's office in the Bickel building.

John Parks, of Middlesex twp., had his ears badly frozen while on his way home from Saxonburg, Monday night.

L. C. Wick was around, Monday, soliciting subscriptions for the benefit of Rev. Pollard, and in a few hours secured over $400.

David English and daughter, of Franklin twp, did some shopping in Butler, yesterday; also John Roxberry and daughter, of Prospect.

Jos. Kiskaddon has moved into the Grieb house on E. North St.; and the Rauscher house on W. Pearl St. will be occupied by Mr. W H Hamilton, J. S. Young's cutter

Miss Mabel Copley, who was away at school, arrived home, Sunday, while the funeral services were being held. She did not hear of her father's death until she arrived at Union depot, Pittsburg.

Mr. J. T. Blair, the efficient manager of the P. S. & L. E. has been retained as manager of the Pittsburg Bessemer and Lake Erie; and Mr. W. G. Sargeant, also equally efficient, as Gen. Passenger Agent.

Miss Tena McKinney of Concord twp entertained a number of her friends on a recent evening, in honor of her cousin George A. Klever and wife, after refreshments were served social amusements were enjoyed by all present.

Christoph Uhl, of Lancaster twp., who died last Saturday, at the age of seventy-three, had neither taken food or drink through his mouth for nearly a year. His throat was closed, and he was kept alive by means of a tube leading into his stomach.

—The P. R R's great excursion train to California passed through Pittsburg Wednesday evening The majority of the excursionists were from east of the mountains but a few boarded the train at Pittsburg, and among them J. N Pattersen of Butler The train went on to St. Louis via the Pan Handle and is due in Pittsburg on its return trip, via the Fort Wayne on March 19th.

PUBLIC SALE REGISTER.

(Notices in this column cost 50 cents for ten lines or less. When the bills are printed at the CITIZEN office they are inserted one time free.)

J. J. Huey will have a sale of personal property on the Dean place, east of Cooperatown in Middlesex twp., on Friday, Feb. 5, beginning at 10 A. M. See bills posted.

Mrs. Ellen Hays, adm'x. of Joseph Hays, dec'd. will have a public sale of stock, farming implements, etc. at her residence near Valencia on Wednesday, Feb 17, beginning at 10 A. M.. See bills posted.

—Findley will open the studio at Mars on February 1st and will remain there for the entire week special inducements for that week on fine work, bring the children as it is the last week of the winter; old pictures copied and enlarged, satisfaction guaranteed. FINDLEY Butler, Pa, Telephone 236.

—Thousands of dollars worth of Horse Blankets and Robes at MARTINCOURT & Co's.

—Latest styles in fine Holiday Goods at CLEELAND'S Jewelry store 125 S. Main St. Butler Pa

The New Life Option Policy and Endowment Bond,

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NATIONAL LIFE OF VERMONT

—IS—

The best Insurance in the World.

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IT is automatically non-forfeitable, after three years, for face amount.

IT guarantees most liberal, endorsed cash, paid-up and extended insurance values.

IT is collateral for loans with the Company up to the limit secured by the guaranteed cash value.

IT participates in surplus distributions, as elected by the holder, and allows him all the usual methods of surplus adjustment known to insurance.

IT places no restrictions on residence or travel.

IT is economical, incontestable, non-forfeitable and adjustable—a policy of guarantees.

For further information address,

IRWIN & ARMSTRONG,
Box 134, Butler, Pa.

Low Prices in Musical Goods.

Some special prices at Grieb & Lamb's dissolution sale now going on

New Pianos	$200 and up
New Organs	$50 and up
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Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Henry Heck, dec'd, late of Winfield twp., Butler county, 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 said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

JOHN HECK, Ex'r,
Denny, Butler Co., Pa.
McJUNKIN & GALBREATH, Atty's.

BOROUGH NOMINATIONS.

The slim attendance at our local primaries of last Saturday is attributed to the blizzard—but 656 Republicans and 289 Democrats went to the polls

Interest centered in the contests for Collector the vote on which was as follows:

REPUBLICAN.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th	5th.	T'l
Jack	54	67	45	77	40	283
Alexander	123	17	21	30	39	240
Smith	37	5	20	16	55	133

DEMOCRATIC

Rockenstein, 186; Lowry, 103.

The borough nominations are as follows:—

Republican—For Burgess, R. B. Gilghrist; Tax Collector, John S. Jack; Overseer, Reuben McElvain, and Auditor, J. M. Painter.

Democratic—For Burgess, J. T. Myers; Tax Collector, Jos. Rockenstein; Overseer, Wm. H. Morris, and Auditor, M. H. Brooks

The ward nominations are as follows:—

1ST WARD.

Republican—Council, J. H Harper, I. Andrews; School Director, Elmer E. Bell; Judge of Election, Alex Borland; Inspector, John Herdman.

Democratic—Council, Joseph W. Graham, L. P. Walker; School Director, Dr. M. E. Headland; Judge of Election, Alphos Walin; Inspector, Charles A. Colling.

2D WARD.

Rep.—Council, J. D. Northrap; School Director, C. D. Aldinger; Judge, H. D Byerly; Inspector, Harry L. Graham.

Dem.—Council, W. Z. Marrin; School Director, Albert C. Kruz; Judge, F. D. Pape; Inspector, J. A. Heineman.

3D WARD.

Rep.—Council, Peter Schenck; School Director, J. B. Sherman; Judge, W. S Orris; Inspector, J. M. Wick.

Dem.—Council J. G Stamm; School Director, Jas. B. McJunkin; Judge, J McQ Smith; Inspector, George Noullett.

4TH WARD.

Rep.—Council, Joseph Woods; School Director, D. E. Dale; Judge, C. E. Shira; Inspector, J. L Garroway.

Dem.—Council, Adam Hoffner; School Director, C. M. Heineman; Judge, J. W. Ziegler; Inspector, Charles E Shoap.

5TH WARD.

Rep.—Council, John F. Lowry; School Director, T. M. Baker; Judge, James McClung; Inspector, Phillip Ruff.

Dem.—Council, James W. Thompson; School Director, Wm. T. Mechling; Judge, D. F. Reed; Inspector, John H. Reiber.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

In re-application of Anthony Allen for a Detective license in Quarter Sessions of Butler, Co. Pa., No. 32 March term, 1897.

Now, Jan. 27th, 1897, the within petition directed to be filed and publication to be made according to law.

BY THE COURT.

Notice is hereby given that the above application for a license to engage in the business of detective, and for the conducting of a detective agency, will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions on the 12th of Feb. 1897.

ANTHONY ALLEN,

Certified from the records.

TRUSTEES SALE

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Butler County, Pa. at O. C. No. 102 June Term, 1896, and to me directed, I will on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23d, 1897,

at one o'clock P. M. expose to public sale on the premises in Oakland twp., Butler County Pa., the following real estate late the property of said Margaret Martin, deceased, to-wit: All that certain tract of land situated in the Township of Oakland, County of Butler, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows to-wit: On the north by lands of Joseph Benson, on the east by lands of Peter Zimel and Conrad Ritzart, on the south by lands of Mary Vosbrink, and on the west by lands of Conrad Ritzart and Joseph Lane, containing ninety-six acres more or less, with the appurtenances, with bank barn and outbuildings thereon erected, late the residence of said decedent. Said real estate to be offered first on the premises with power to adjourn from time to time, and to Butler, Pa., at the Court house if necessary for want of sufficient bids: said sale to be on the usual terms, to-wit: one-third cash on approval of sale by the Court, and the balance in two equal annual payments, secured by judgment bond and mortgage on the premises, bearing interest, and with an attorney's commission of five per cent for collection.

S. F. BOWSER, L. P. GANTER,
A. L. BOWSER, Trustee.
Attorneys.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of an order issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler County Pa., and to me directed at A. D. No 20, Sept. Term, 1896, therefore in pursuance of said order, I will expose to sale at public outcry on the premises on

TUESDAY, FEBUARY 2, 1897,

at 11 o'clock A. M., the following described real estate, known, as the "Pine Tract" said real estate being situated in Centre and Oakland twp's., Butler county Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Purpart No 1, containing 70 acres, bounded on the north by purpart No 2; on the east by purpart No 4; on the south by land of C. Hewings, et al, and on the west by land of Blain heirs.

ALSO, Purpart No 2, containing 170 acres, bounded on the north by land of Thos. Brown; on the east by purpart No 3; on the south by purpart No 1; and on the west by Blain heirs and Jas. McGrath.

ALSO, Purpart No 3, containing 170 acres, bounded on the north by land of Thos. Brown; on the east by lands of I. Robb; on the south by purpart No 4; and on the west by purpart No 2.

ALSO, purpart No 4, containing 70 acres, bounded on the north by purpart No 3; on the east by land of I. Robb; on the south by land of D. Caldwell et al, and on the west by purpart No 1.

Said described property being purparts No's 1, 2, 3, and 4, of the real estate known as the "Pine Tract" (not accepted) as partitioned by a writ of partition filed in said Court at above stated number and term, a reference to which the proceedings will more fully and at large appear.

TERMS OF SALE,

One-third cash on confirmation of sale by the Court, and the balance to be paid in two equal annual installments, secured by bond and mortgage on the premises, including five per cent attorneys commission if the same has to be collected by process of law.

WILLIAM B. DODDS,
Trustee

Administratrix Notice.

In re estate of Joseph Hays, dec'd, late of Adams twp, Butler county, Pa.

Whereas letters of administration have been issued on above estate to Ellen Hays by the Register of Wills, therefore all persons indebted to said estate will please settle the same and any having claims against said estate will present them properly proved for payment to

ELLEN HAYS, adm'rx
of Jos. Hays, dec'd,
Valencia P. O., Pa.

W. C. FINDLEY, Atty.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Lavina McClelland, dec'd, late of Connoquenessing twp, Butler county, Pa, have been granted to the undersigned, therefore all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement, and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for payment to

JOHN WEIGEL, Admr.,
S. F. BOWSER, Att'y. Prospect, Pa.

Executor's Notice.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Daniel Cress, dec'd, late of Connoquenessing twp., Butler county, 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 said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

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