

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTE: All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads should notify us of the change in time to do so, not later than Monday morning.

Home Comfort Ranges. Schall & Nast's fall stock. C. & T's Carpets.

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

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

—Lots of dust for the Big Fair. —Hobos came in thick last week to 'do' the Fair.

—These foggy nights one is better off in doors than out. —Grapes are coming in and sweet cider is almost due.

—Looks like a late fall. The leaves have not yet commenced to turn. —Potatoes are a short crop and those that are in the ground are rotting.

—'One swallow doesn't make a summer, but a dozen or more sometimes make a fall.' —The true independent in politics is the man who takes drinks from all the candidates.

—The J. O. U. A. M. banqueted the G. A. R. and Vet. Leg., of Butler, Thursday evening.

—Quite a number of oil men attended the reunion at McDonald last week, which was quite a success.

—The figures on the Registry Lists returned by the five assessors of Butler are 575, 589, 479, 417 and 446.

—A musical laugh is one brought forth by one of your own jokes; all other laughs are more or less grating.

—The 'one baby, one smoke' man and the other babies are in paradise, now that the season of county fairs is on.

—Morning glories with the dew glistening upon them, look lovely climbing over the lattice work these days.

—Boys and girls must go to school until they are sixteen—that is until their 17th birthday, or 16th anniversary of their birthday.

—Quite a number of our citizens have brought their sidewalks to grade and the rest should remember that summer-time is flying.

—Joseph Brown of near Brownsdale in Penn twp. built himself a very handsome home this summer. The house boys of Butler built it.

—The Ziegler Lodge, of Old Fellows has purchased the Waller Drug Store building on Centre Ave., now occupied by Cas. Sherman, for \$6,300.

—The hotel keeper, livermen, merchants and business men generally wear a broad smile this week. This is their harvest and a very bountiful one it is.

—'He was a very popular man and had many friends, but had to die to prove it,' is the way the July number of the Elks refers to a deceased brother.

—Crowds continue to go to the Klondike daily, regardless of the fact, that the greatest suffering straws them in the face, and that they will be lucky to get out of the country alive.

—The latest printing press turns out 96,000 eight-page papers an hour, men not yet old can remember when the fastest press could print that many four-page papers in forty-eight hours.

—The P. E. & L. E. has built a large platform at the southern gate of the Fair Ground and is competing with the P. & W. for passenger trade. Their track is within fifty feet of the entrance.

—Delegates from the local fire companies will attend the State Volunteer Firemen's Convention at Wilkes Barre during the first week of October. The First Ward Running team will compete in the races.

—Of the 119,000,000 old copper cents which were sent out from the mint in 1914, the 90,000,000 have been recovered and only now and then is a stray one of the remaining 119,000,000 seen in circulation.

—The cutting down of the maple trees in front of the English Catholic Church and residence of C. Duffy, and the lowering of the sidewalks there greatly change the appearance of that part of the street.

—The annual reunion of the 6th Pa. Heavy Artillery will be held in Butler, Pa., Thursday, September 23rd, 1927. All comrades and friends are cordially invited to be present. Special rates on all roads leading to Butler.

—WANTED—A good man to sell teas and coffees in and around Butler, will pay 20 per cent commission and furnish a horse and wagon. Big inducement to customers, a small bond required. Call or address Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., Hotel Wilbur, Harrisburg.

—An old man came to Butler from out about Copeland, the other day, with a gold watch, which was a fool of him and he traded the watch for a pewter one and some advertising slips marked \$10, to a young scamp who lives north of town.

—On Monday last the first engine ran over the new bridge over the Allegheny, at Denny Station. The account states that a nephew of Andrew Carnegie, who was on the engine, became wildly frightened during the trip, and it was only with difficulty that the engine men could keep him on a seat while the trip was being made.

—John Gross, the upholstering man will move to Chisora, Thursday. Mr. Gross has been a citizen here for one year and will be missed by his many friends. Mr. McCleary, who has been with Mr. Gross, will open an upholstering establishment in Eidenburg. We hope these gentlemen will meet with success in their new fields.—Emlenton News.

—The Wairo Company, O. opened the season in the Opera House here last night, and very handsomely entertained their large audience. The plays rendered by them this week have been the best that money could buy, and their rendition of them has proved the talent of the Company. They have one of the finest outfits in the scenery, all new, set on the Park Theatre stage. Their daily concerts given by their grand orchestra attract large crowds. The following plays will yet be rendered this week: Thursday, McKeena's Philtres; Friday, The Wife; Saturday, Mask of Life; and a matinee Saturday afternoon, A Gay Deceiver.

LEGAL NEWS.

The September Quarter Sessions convened, Monday morning, the forenoon was occupied by hearing motions, Contable's Returns, etc. In the afternoon the Grand Jury was instructed as to its duties. W. C. Jamison was appointed foreman and the time of one going to pass have rested on the following cases:

GRAND JURY FINDINGS.

Wm. and B. A. McCune, keeping a disorderly house a true bill. Peter Bastian, selling liquor without license and to men known to be habituated, true bill.

John Hare, larceny, a true bill. W. L. Book, a. k. b., with intent to commit rape, a true bill.

Edward Wicks, larceny, not a true bill. Andrew Kirk, disseminating a witness, true bill.

W. H. Brown, a. k. b., a true bill. Oliver W. Reep, a. k. b., a true bill. H. C. Double, a. k. b., 3 counts, a true bill.

W. A. Kelly, a. k. b., not a true bill. Victor Monier, selling liquor without license, a true bill.

Miles Gold, larceny, not a true bill. Fred Marsk, a. k. b., a true bill. Daniel Double, a. k. b., a true bill.

Mrs. Jennie Duprey, selling liquor without license and on Sunday, true bill. Wm. Brown, open lewdness, a true bill.

Andrew Kirk, felonious rape, a true bill. John Sheridan, breaking into and entering dwelling house, not a true bill.

Will Adams, l. e. b., a true bill. Sam'l Mong, a. k. b., a true bill. SHERIFF SALES.

Last week the sheriff sold all the right title, interest and claim of Richard A. Beatty to 40 acres in Mercer town to E. McDonald for \$50, of J. W. Miller to C. H. Johnson for \$10; of Geo. J. and Mary C. G. Smith to property in Butler to Geo. Schneck for \$300; of Frank Markwick to 36 acres in Concord twp. to Stephen Markwick, Sr. for \$200; of Mary Newton et al. to property in Portersville to Newton Block for \$10; of Henry Thompson to property in Butler to Keynote State B. & L. Ass'n for \$50; of Geo. L. Barr to 31 acres in Jefferson twp. to F. X. Kohler for \$150; of W. A. and Carrie N. Martin to 87 acres in Parker twp. to E. A. Totten for \$2,200; and of Rudolph Bortman to 75 acres in Adams twp. to J. Barnhart and J. P. McGinley for \$145.

On Monday Sheriff Dadds sold all the right title, interest and claim of D. A. Haggerty to 64 acres in Clearfield twp. to M. C. Young for \$1,000; of J. S. Gill to property in Butler to Jesse Gill for \$1,000; of John Hild to 125 acres in Adams twp. to W. C. Brannon for \$400; also of same to 10 acres in Forward twp. to same for \$155.

The writs against Lawson E. Brackney on property in Clay twp., and against H. A. Rhineland on property in Butler were returned.

Letters of administration on the estate of Elizabeth Ritzert, late of Onondaga twp. were granted to Conrad Ritzert.

Peter Bastian, Victor Monier and Wm. Duster of the Southside were given a hearing before E. G. Lightfoot on Friday morning for contempt on charges of selling liquor without license.

Ym. L. Hooks was taken before E. G. Lightfoot on Adams twp., and held for want on three charges of forcery and false pretense.

Sheriff Dadds has seventeen boarders in the Scanlon and Traly vs. Berg-higer case tried before Judge Reyburn some time ago, and in which a motion for a new trial was made. Judge Reyburn has filed an opinion saying that he will grant a new trial unless the verdict is \$875.

The secretary of the commonwealth has directed that certificates of nomination and nomination papers be modified to conform to requirements of recent legislation. Certificates of nominations for state officers and judges must be filed in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth 43 days before the election, and of county officers 28 days. Nominations for state officers and judges must be filed in the office of the secretary of the commonwealth 33 days before election and of county officers 21 days.

The Supreme Court has laid down two rules which are difficult for bicyclists to recover damages from a railroad Company for accidents at crossings. The first rule is that the bicyclist must be held if there is any contributory negligence on the part of the persons injured, and secondly, he must look and stop, before crossing the track. Some time ago a bicyclist at Philadelphia was killed on a crossing and his widow sued for damages. Although it was shown that the company was negligent in not giving any warning of the crossing, the Supreme Court decided against the widow because the man did not dismount. The case was that of Robinson vs. the Pennsylvania Railroad, which is reported in 100 Pennsylvania reports, page 48, in which the Supreme Court held that the man on a stop—circling about—is not the legal stop, but the bicyclist must dismount, 'look and listen' before crossing rail track.

The new law requires the County Commissioners to have the books ready for the assessors by the second Monday of September, and our Commissioners will have them all ready by that time—next Monday a week, the 29th inst.—when those assessors who are ready to go to work on the Triennial Assessment can secure them, and they need not return them until the usual time, January 1st.

Laurel E. Christley and C. G. Magee have entered their names as law students at the University of Pennsylvania.

The P. B. & L. E. R. R. has petitioned to have a bond of \$3,000, for benefit of Mrs. P. P. Curtis filed to pay her damages for passing through her land in Centre twp.

On Monday Sheriff Dadds sold at Auction a lot of dry goods and clothing stolen by Wm. Wilson, the Portersville burglar and undetected.

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WANTED—THURSTON and ACCORDING to the Butler and Allegheny Presbyteries, the following gentlemen or ladies to travel for the Young People's Christian Union of the Butler and Allegheny Presbyteries, on the following dates: Monday, Sept. 11, 18, 25, and 30, excursion tickets from Butler to Allegheny, Sept. 8, 16, 22, and 28 at half fare with price on return. Excursion tickets to return on the following day inclusive.

Indiana County Fair. For the County Fair, to be held at Indiana, Pa., September 14, 15, 16, and 17, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations on the Western Pennsylvania Division, at reduced rates. Tickets will be sold on September 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, good to return until September 18, inclusive. Special train returning will leave Indiana on September 17, Friday, September 19, and run to Blairsville Intersection, stopping at intermediate stations, and returning with regular trains on the main line.

FOR SALE—Handsome seven room cottage home on Fulton St., E. of valed location, spring water, large lot, splendid view, good title. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE. Farm for sale, near Butler, 120 acres, new bank barn, \$5,000. Inquire at this office.

—Music scholars (wanted), at 128 W. Wayne St.

Every Sunday until further notice the P. & W. will run special train to Allegheny on September 21, Monday, September 19, and return arriving at Butler at 7:03 p. m., Butler time. Fare for the round trip, only 75 cents.

Pure Spring Water. Ice delivered at all parts of town. Fin. Ice, Cream, Cakes, Confectionery and all transient advertising made to order.

JOHN A. RICHIEY. The Butler Lubricating Oil Co. has moved back to their old stand at 128 W. Jefferson St. Steelmith & Patterson's new building, which is a kind of engine, machinery and plumbing oils of the finest quality are kept in stock in the basement, and will be delivered to any part of the city on the day of issue, and in quantities for standing orders and job work on application.

ALL advertising is done after first insertion, and all transient advertising made to order. In this paper must be accompanied by cash in advance. Don't wait until the check is gone. We are right as our customers. We told you to buy wheat at 63 1/2 cents per bushel, and it is now 63 1/2 cents per bushel.

DIFFERENCE 36 1-4 CENTS, OR \$3,625.00 ON 10,000 BUSHELS. \$100.00 WOULD HAVE CARRIED THE DEAL. JUNE 26th we predicted 80 cents for wheat. We were right. It will sell at \$1.25. Buy it on this break, and get the benefit of the advance to come. Always get Our Advice Before Investing. Our set of instructions and literature sent free to any address. All balances are subject to check. G. W. WYLIE CO., 145 Van Buren St., Chicago, Ill. Members of the Chicago Board of Trade 17 years.

BRICKER & WINRO. LIVERY FEED AND EXCHANGE STABLE. Special attention to reasonable rates. First class service to transient custom. Barn in rear of Diamond St., Butler Pa. People's Telephone, No. 44. C. BRACKER, Prop'r. W. J. VINKOR, Prop'r.

L. S. MCKUNKIN, Insurance and Real Estate Agent. 117 E. JEFFERSON ST., BUTLER, PA.

R. FISHER & SON, GOOD FARM FOR SALE. The Ford farm in Dougal twp., near Millerstown is for sale. It contains about 150 acres, is well watered and in good condition. For terms inquire at once to O. N. PROFFER, Mars Pa.

AGENTS—Big money—Red hot seller. The Arctic Refrigerating Machine. Wanted an agent for Butler County also all counties in Pennsylvania—Write at once to O. N. PROFFER, Mars Pa.

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