THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, MARCH 3, 1898.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

Boyd's Prescriptions.
Douthett & Graham's Bargain's.
Schaul & Nast's Black Letter Sale.
Zimmerman's Opening.
Boarders Wanted.

Administrators and Executors of estates can secure their receipt books at the CITIZEN office, and persons making public sales their note books.

LOCAL AND GENERAL,

"This life ever merry;
Uncertain is very,"
A gay politician once said.
"One day I'am a sinner,
The next I'am a winner,
With halos all over my head."

—Hi. Henry.

—Hi. Henry's Minstrels next Wednesday, the 9th.

—Harry Seanor was in town last week and bought nine horses.

—The voice of the average man spoils what little music he has in his soul.

—The Pittsburg papers speak in the highest terms of Hi. Henry's Minstrels.

—Judge Clark of Clarion county granted licenses to 48 of the 50 applicants.

—Most lawyers attribute their success to the many trials through which they pass.

—George Shaffner began hauling stone from the Negley quarry to the jail lot, Monday.

—"It's bad policy," says the Philosopher, "to attempt to exchange a load of trouble for a load of rum."

—A Georgia editor described a defaulter who had skipped out "as six feet tall and $10,000 short."

—The advance in the price of oil has caused local operators to resume their outlook for available leases.

—If a woman is told that she has a fascinating smile she cannot refrain from employing it even at funerals.

—The ticket selling parties of the First Ward Hose Co. banquet in the Hotel Williard this evening.

—The Y. M. C. A. membership contest has been extended two weeks and renewals can date ahead in April.

—As between the lion and the lamb, the woolly critter seemed to have a little the best of it in the ushering in of March.

—A practical observer remarks that 13 is always an unlucky number to have at the table when there is dinner for only 12.

—Chautauqua Lake is to be stocked with some new species of fish, such as the stripped bass, calico bass, yellow pike and lake trout.

—Messrs Sumney & Sherman, two young men, now have the barber-shop in the basement of the Gilkey building, opposite the Postoffice.

—It is said that 79,000 fools and 100 wise men are going to the Klondike this spring. The fools will work the mines and the wise men will work the fools. This is called a Klondike ratio.

—The Alvin Art Studio is a new institution in Butler. The firm is composed of three young men—E. A. Eastbrook, D. B. Simpson and E. M. Grimm and they have located in the new Stein building on South Main St.

—Co. E. will be inspected next Wednesday evening in the Armory, Inspection-Major Penny, Major Baker of the 15th and other officers will be present. After inspection the visitors will be banqueted at the Hotel Goss.

—A mass meeting of the citizens of Butler will be held in the Court House on Friday evening of next week (the 11th) at which time the Board of Trade will submit an important proposition. Everybody should attend this meeting.

—The Phoenix Milling Co. of W. Sunbury has placed a new engine in their mill and are now turning out first class flour, and prepared to do all work intrusted to them, in first class manner.

—Linn Moore's store of groceries was sold at public auction last week, and some of the goods sold for more than they would have brought over the counter. Linn got into financial trouble by shouldering some old debts, but he will get through and start up again.

—Beauty and utility should always go together in the building of churches—"the groves were God's first temples." The exterior of the new English Lutheran church is artistic and symmetrical, and the interior, (now being finished by Ranscher & Shira) will delight the eye.

—R. C. Black & Co., who conduct a Stationary store at Grove city, have bought the Daniel Kinch store at 309 South Maine St. and are filling the room up with a complete line of stationary and wall paper. C. B. McMillin, a member of the firm is in charge.

—Shakespeare's "As You Like It" will be recited by Mrs. Hannibal A. Williams in the Y. M. C. A. hall Monday evening at eight o'clock. If she is as good as her husband, who spoke here a few weeks ago she is worth listening to. Tickets may be obtained at the Y. M. C. A. The board opens Monday morning.

—A writer in the Scientific American says he has cleared his premises of vermin by making whitewash yellow with copperas and covering the stones and rafters with it. In every crevice in which a rat might go he put the copperas, and scattered it in the corners of the floor; the result was, complete disappearance of rats and mice. Since that time not a rat or mouse has been seen near the house.

—If you have any grape vines, you had better give them a little attention just now. If you put off pruning them much later, especially as the winter is open, they will bleed to death. You should also look after the raspberries and see to it that all the dead wood is cut out and burned. If you leave the dead wood lying around, the insects that are in the wood, will breed and multiply and create lots of trouble next year.

—Here are some new things we ought to know: That chloride of lime spread around where rats frequent will abolish them. That a tablespoonful of vinegar put into the water in which tough meat or fowl is to be boiled will make them tender. That in cutting warm bread or cake a warm knife should be used. That perfect rest may be had by spreading a small sheet on the floor and lying flat down, so that every muscle may have a chance to relax. That by changing your seat frequently when sewing you will avoid extreme weariness. That a damp cloth will remove dust from furniture far better than a dry duster. That a solution of copperas should be frequently poured through all drain pipes.

Crabbedness of temper is often induced by an inactive liver. Dr. Bull's Pills will promptly correct such troubles.

BOARDERS WANTED—Juryman, witnesses and all others attending Court will find nice comfortable rooms and good board at Mrs. B. J. Gattin's in the old Heineman building, Cor. Main and Cunningham St. Rates reasonable.

GAS STOVES AND RANGES.

Any of our readers needing gas stoves or gas ranges, gas fronts or any gas saving appliance will find it a financial saving to call at the store of **W. H. O'Brien & Son**, on East Jefferson St. and get prices on the extensive line they have on exhibition. They are also agents for the celebrated Welsbach Light, of which more than 1200 were sold in Butler, last year.

LEGAL NEWS.

NOTES.

Geo. Shaffner has secured the subcontract for the stone and brick work of the new jail. That part of it is to be completed by Sept. 1st.

All the tax collectors must file their bonds by next Wednesday (the 9th).

Annie T. Parsons, doing business as the American Publishing and Engraving Co., has appealed a summons in assumpsit against J. A. Richey, began before J. Keck, J. P.

Luella and Bell Kelly, of Parker twp, were given a hearing before the Court, Saturday morning, on charges of disturbing religious meetings, etc. W. E. Kelly the father, appeared and said the girls were incorrigible. Belle, being 16 years old, was released on her own recog. in the sum of $200, and Luella, three years older, was sent to the Reform School at Morganza.

There are only about forty cases on the criminal docket and several of these have been disposed of.

The Michael Barnhart farm was offered at Orphans Court sale, on the premises, in Butler twp., last Monday, and the sale was then adjourned till Monday, March 7th, at 2 P. M., at the Court House, in Butler.

John Kaufman, of Worth twp., petitioned for a commission of lunacy on Joseph Kaufman. Dr. S. Graham, J. D. Marshall and John R. Henninger, Esqs., were appointed, and on their recommendation the Court made an order that Jos. Kaufman be taken to the Insane Asylum, at Dixmont, Pa. Sheriff Dodds executed the order on Saturday.

J. Berg & Co. have commenced suit in assumpsit against N. and J. T. Bricker, Exrs. of John Bricker, for a claim of $263.62.

A. A. Gold has appealed from a judgment given against him and in favor of Wm. Patten by R. B. Gilghrist, J. P.

A copy of the will of Zeno Markel, dec'd., of Forward twp., has been made.

The will of Isaac Moore, late of Muddycreek twp., has been probated.

Notice was given to Register Adams not to admit to probate any writing purporting to be the will of Isaac Moore, late of Muddycreek twp., without first giving notice to heirs.

The will of William Caldwell late of Butler, has been probated and letters granted to John and Samuel Caldwell; also the will of Jacob Neher, of Saxonburg, and letters granted to T. Krause.

The South Penn Oil Co. has bought leases in Concord twp. from A. M. Nichells, C. P. Hatch et al for $10,540.

Alexander Erving an insane man of Lawrence Co., who was held for surety of the piece, was turned over to the poor authorities of that county Monday.

M. C. Davis has filed a summons in replevin against Samuel Frehling for a bay horse valued at $100.

Paul Waestoff & Co. filed a summons in assumpsit against A. E. and J. H. Faubel for a bill of $276.75

E. G. Fredrick ex'r. has filed a praecipie for an attrachment execution in satisfaction of a judgment against W. J. Andre, ex'r.

Jas. W. Eakis has appealed from a judgement of $22.50 given against him and in favor of F. H. Davey by Esq. Gilghrist.

Superintendant Kerr of the Standard Plate Glass works was arrested Monday on a charge of forgery preferred by Irwin Pa. parties. Mr. Kerr formerly was employed in the glass works at that place. He gave bail to appear at the Westmoreland Co. Courts.

On the Quarter Sessions Argument List are the following cases: Co. Commissioners vs Citizens of Centre twp, exceptions to road view; Mrs. T. Young vs Centre twp., exceptions to view; Centre twp. vs Jackson twp., appeal from order of removal; Butler boro vs Butler twp. same; Constable's return, question as to whether a road is public or private.

Coroner Jones held an inquest on the body of the unknown young man killed on the P. & W. R. R., at Eidenau, on Saturday. The body could not be identified. The heighth was 5 feet 4 inches; weight 140 lbs., aged about 20 years, brown hair and eyes. He wore "American flag" cuff buttons.

On Tuesday Margaret Heid had issued a capias in trespass against Jacob Heid, claiming $2000, damages. Mrs. Heid is 80 years old and the widow of Jacob Heid Sr. who died in 1889. He bequeathed to her one third the proceeds of his estate, a 132a farm in Forward twp. for life, and gave it in fee to his son John. John become involved and Jacob, step-son of the Plf. bought the place and took possession last fall. Since then there has been trouble, and the old lady says she was finally forced to leave the place and bring suit for damages.

The late election on the Poor House may be contested. The Poor House law of 1879, reads: Sec. 4. The election officers shall, at such election, receive ballots from qualified electors, written or printed as follows: On the outside "poor-house," on the inside either "for poor-house" or "against poor-house;" at the close of the polls the votes shall be counted, etc., and the election was so held, but the general election law, as amended in 1897, provides that when a question is submitted to the people, such question shall be printed on the ballots in brief form, followed by the words "yes" and "no," the voter to make an X after the answer he wishes to give; and the last section of the act repeals all laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the general law.

Citizens of Washington twp. have a petition contesting the late election for School Director in that twp. R. D. Pettigrew and J. M. Hazlett were candidates for the three year term and were so marked on the ballots, T. H. Henon was candidate for one year, Eli D. Gibson and Alfred Shira were also three year candidates, but were not so specified on the ballots. The two latter received a majority of the votes and were declared elected. The school law of 1896 says, "where some of the tickets polled have and some have not the term marked on the ballot that the candidate is to serve, those which have not the specification on their face are to be rejected and the return is only to be given according to the number of votes to those tickets specifiying the term on the face of the ballots polled." The claim that Pettigrew, Hazlett and Henon are elected is based on this law. A hearing will be had March 12th.

The following cases are on the Argument Court list, commencing Monday, March 7th: E. Lang vs C. Weidhos, motion for new trial; C. Lotz vs A. M. Ziegler, same; Mrs. E. McCafferty, adm'x., vs Penn'a. R. R. Co., same; S. P. Mercer vs J. Orr, same; M. L. Zahniser vs Penn'a. Torpedo Co., same; Julia Richardson vs A. N. Richardson, divorce; Ella M. Thompson vs Taylor Thompson, divorce; Jennie C. Wick vs Butler boro., motion for new trial; M. J. Stevenson vs P. B. & L. E. R. R. motion to take of compulsory non suit; Butler Savings Bank vs R. H. McElhaney, rule, etc.; Sarah Jordon vs T. P. Jordon, divorce; J. H. Flick vs Forest Oil Co., ejectment; First Ntl. Bank of Greenville vs J. A. Turner, motion for new trial, etc; Marks and McCandless vs J. J. Stiner, same; C. May vs R. Seibert, same; Florence Conley vs A. T. Conley, divorce, Butler twp. School Board vs Humes Torpedo Co., equity; W. Hendrickson vs M. H. Hendrickson, rule to show cause, etc; J. H. Ferguson vs Downie Pump Co., motion for new trial; E. J. Dodds vs W. J. Voeghtley, motion to take off compulsory non suit; Evans City vs J. C. Carner, same, (2 suits); Fulton & Jackson vs J. A. Aiken, motion for new trial: Rosena Kalb vs E. Kalb, divorce; A. D. Bryan vs J. M. Phillips, motion for new trial; C. J. D. Strohecker vs E. Ramsey, motion to strike off appeal; W. A. Goehring & Co. for use vs Fishel, Ralston et. al., motion to strike off exemplification; G. Welsh vs L. M. Wise, motion for new trial; H. O. Cooper vs B. P. R. R., same; Sallie E. Carson vs D. C. Carson, divorce; J. M. Shaffer vs A. E. Taylor, motion for new trial; J. Parker vs S. Park, divorce; A. D. Bryan vs J. M. Phillips, rule to subrogate overseers of poor; S. P. and J. W. Mercer vs Jas. Orr & Co. et. al., motion for new trial; Capital City Ins. Co. for use vs H. C. Boggs, Ntl Supply Co. vs W. A. and S. A. McCormick, petition to open judgment; J. Bresleham vs J. McLaughlin, motion for a new trial; Butler Co. Agricultural Ass'n. vs Mrs. M. A. Davis, petition to open judgment.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

W H May to Henry Kreiss lot in Evans City for $500.

John Vanderlin to Jas Vanderlin 250 acres in Venango twp for $10,000

W B Dodds, Sheriff, to J W Titley lot in Millerstown for $660.

L W Miller to P B & L E R R lot in Clay twp for $650.

D A Renfrew to C E Stanfield lot in Renfrew for $90.

Minnie E Lee to Perry E Cooper lot in Adams twp for $600.

H J Forquer to W A Forquer 140 acres in Washington twp for $900.

J F Snyder to Mary A Croft lot in Mars for $1400.

J T Snyder to Marg A Croft lot in Mars for $1400.

Chas B Bovard to Mary McCune lot in Slipperyrock for $100.

W Weigel to Salvina Sharrer lot in Harmony for $410.

D M McConnel to J F Cress 33 acres in Connoq. for $1505.

S Cooper to W H Morehead lot in Centreville for $390.

J B Showalter to M M Yockey lot in Millerstown for for $136.50.

M H Byerly to W S McCrea lot in Butler for $1000.

John C Irwin to Thos A McDivitt lot in Slipperyrock for $150.

E Montgomery to E B Mershon 115 acres in Clinton for $3300.

M J Allen to J Whitmire lot in Butler for $4000.

Geo. Fehl to W W Wise lot in Evans City for $400.

Alfred R Nelson to Mary A Nelson 10 acres in Middlesex for $150.

Richard Campbell to Jas A Storey 100 acres in Parker for $400.

Mena Shroth to Edmund Shroth 30 acres in Jefferson for $1000.

Marriage Licenses.

N M Carruthers.....Callery
Jessie McMaster..... " "
John H Friskhorn.....Jackson twp
Maggie Fulton..... " "
T. R. Campbell.....Hooker
Clara Kuhn..... "
John Nolsheim.....Petersville
Lena Schilling.....Reibold
R C Kennedy.....Butler
W L Ebert.....Saxonburg

At Pittsburg—Glen H. Slater and Nettie Purcell, of Butler.

A Sad Death.

The death of Miss Lillie Brandon, at the home of her brother, W. S. Brandon, in Butler last Friday noon, is an apt illustration of the old saying that misfortunes never come singly.

A few years ago there was no stronger or healthier girl in the county; but one day when they were cutting straw at their house with horse-power, her father, W. W. Brandon, had his fingers caught by the knives. He promptly threw off the belt with his other hand, and Miss Lillie, who was standing by, clutched the heavy fly-wheel and was taken around and around with it—since which time her heart has been troubling her.

Some four weeks ago she came to Butler on a visit to her brother, and while here was taken down with typhoid. The fever was broken but then heart-failure set in, and she lay unconscious for several days, till death came.

She was buried at White Church, Sunday; her hearse being followed to the grave by a large number of young friends who mourned her untimely death.

CHURCH NOTES

The Bethany Reformed church on W. North St. is being repainted, newly carpeted, etc. which when completed will add very much to the looks of the church.

After the services of next Sunday morning, in the Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Worrel will take up a collection for the Cuban Famine Sufferers, and it would not be a bad idea for all the churches in Butler County to do the same. Copies of the pamphlet "The Great Famine in Cuba" can be procured free by addressing The Christian Herald, 92 Bible House, New York.

ACCIDENTS.

Mad. Wick fell upon the sidewalk last Thursday and broke several ribs.

MARKETS.

Local grocers are paying 15c for eggs, 15c to 18c for butter, 35c for turnips, 50c for parsnips, beets and carrots, 70c for potatoes and 10c a pound for dressed chicken.

Local dealers are paying 85c for red wheat; 80c for white; 40c for rye; 33c for corn; 28c for oats; and 60c a cwt. for buckwheat.

Ho! For Florida.

The last of the popular Pennsylvania Railroad personally-conducted tours to Jacksonville will leave New York and Philadelphia by special train of Pullman palace cars on Tuesday, March 8.

Round-trip tickets, valid to return on regular trains until May 31, 1898, and including railway transportation in each direction, and Pullman accommodations (one berth) and meals on special train going, will be sold at the following rates: New York $50.00; Philadelphia $48.50; Canandaigna, 52.85; Erie $54.85; Wilkesbarre, $50.35; Pittsburg $53.00; and at proportionate rates from other points.

For tickets itineraries, and full information apply to ticket agents; Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York; Thomas Purdy, Passenger Agent Long branch District, 789 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg, Pa.; or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Pianos, Organs etc. at Cost.

J. R. Grieb in order to close out his stock of pianos, organs, musical goods, watches, clocks, silverware, jewelry, etc. offers his entire stock at cost.

I mean to quit these lines and will offer some special bargains. This is a genuine close out sale and no fake.

All store fixtures for sale, store-room for rent posession given Apr. 1st.

Pianos at $175 and up.
Organs at $35 and up.

These are new goods none shop worn. I have always handled the very best quality of instruments and will fully guarantee any article sold as heretofore. I positively mean to quit the business and am offering goods at a sacrifice. The Holidays are approaching and now is your chance to invest.

Don't forget my line of jewelry, watches, clocks, silverware etc. A complete line for this season.

Come and see for yourself.

J. R. GRIEB.
118 S. MAIN ST.

The Commercial Gazette watch.

Have you seen the watch the Pittsburg Commercial Gazette offers for new readers? Man or boy, you should have one. You get it by sending two new subscriptions to the Commercial Gazette daily for a year, or four for six months, or six for four months, the $6.00 subscription price to accompany the subscriptions. The watch is not a toy but an excellent nickel timekeeper. And is guarenteed for one year. This is the best offer for subscriptions ever made by a newspaper and it is increasing the subscription list of the Commercial Gazette very fast. Remember the terms: $6.00 worth of subscriptions gets the watch.

Low Prices in Musical Goods

Some special prices at J. R. Grieb's sale now going on.

New Pianos.....$200 and up
New Organs.....$50 and up
Guitars.....$4 and up
Mandolins.....$3.50 and up
Violins.....$1.50 and up
Autoharps.....$2 and up

There are also some second hand instruments— pianos at $35 to $100, Organs at $20 to 90.

Harmonices and other musical instruments at proportionately low rates. Strings of all kinds constantly in stock.

NO 118 SOUTH MAIN ST.

PERSONAL.

Lou Grieb is seriously ill.

Phil Schaul is able to be about again.

Harry McKim of Zelienople was in town, yesterday.

A new boy is making things lively in J. H. Forcht's household.

Dr. Crawford of Cranberry twp. was in town, yesterday.

G. W. Snow has moved from the 1st to the 5th ward.

D. Lefevre and daughter of Middlesex twp. were in town Saturday.

Miss Mattie Emery of Chicora is visiting her brother Joseph Emery of Institute Hill.

Rev. Walker of the M. E. Church at West Sunbury was a visitor in Butler yesterday.

Miss Angie Thompson, of the Prothonotary's office, is spending a vacation with friends in West Sunbury.

B. C. Huselton has returned from a trip to Boston—visiting the shoe markets. Ben says there has been a slight advance in prices.

N. M. Carnthers and Miss Jessie McMaster of Callery came to Butler and took out a marriage license, last Thursday morning and that afternoon were married at the Butler House.

Mrs. G. W. Orr and family wish to express their sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for the help given and sympathy shown to them during the fatal illness of their dear husband and father.

They especially appreciate the assistance rendered by the Orders of the Macabees and Oddfellows and the beautiful floral offerings given.

—Conway Kuhn's store in Hooker was broken into Tuesday night, and robbed of clothing shoes etc. The tools were procured at Al. Turner's mill.

The Maine Burying Itself.

A dispatch from Havanna dated last Thursday stated that the wreck of the Maine is slowly but surely sinking in the mud. Before the hull could be raised it would be necessary to remove the guns and deck debris. For lack of proper appliances practically nothing in this line has been accomplished. Aside from the officers and cabin effects the salvage thus far has been pitifully small. The cloudy weather and rain made the work of the divers unsatisfactory to-day and very little was done. It is said that a hole has been made by the divers in one of the forward hatches, and it is hoped that a number of bodies will be recovered.

The court of inquiry sat longer than usual to-day, the six divers being examined more in detail than heretofore. The time of the departure of the Mangrove with the court for Key West has not been determined. Capt. Sampson said to day that it was doubtful whether his vessel would sail to-morrow; that all depended on the developements of the testimony.

The Spanish cruiser Alfonso XII. has been towed to a buoy further within the harbor to make room for the cruiser Vizcaya, which is expected here tomorrow or the next day from the north.

No word has been recevied at the consul general's office from Mr. Walter B. Barker, the United States consul at Sauga la Grande and it is believed that the report of Mr. Barker's illness is untrue.

At the afternoon session of the court of inquiry the examination of divers was continued. A civilian, whose testimony is said to be of some importance, was also examined. The name of the witness and all the particulars of the evidence are withheld.

Late to-day the paymasters' safe with $22,500 and his papers was taken from the wreck. Beyond this no statement is made as to the value and nature of the contents. A large quantity of water ran out when the safe was raised above ths surface.

The complaint is still made that the electric lamps are of little use to the divers, as the light is faint and uncertain, and to hold them takes one of the diver's hands. They have assuredly proved of little value in the present investigation. So far as reports made public go, the workmen on the tug Right Arm, with the assistance of the naval divers, are laboring hard to recover the bodies under the hatch which led to fire room platforms. Shoring with timbers was necessary, and the divers had to wait for the lumber to-day. It is hoped the bodies will be taken out to-morrow.

The Havana papers print long extracts from the American dailies, but, of course, only the delayed news. All the Americans are anxiously awaiting the arrival of to-morrow's Mail.

William Gartrell, the only surviving fireman of the battleship Maine, has written two letters home to his brother, George Gartrell, of Washington D. C.

In his description of the explosion, Gartrell gives the first authentic account of the death of Lieutenant Jenkins and he relates in a graphic way the manner in which the lieutenant met his death.

"About 9:40 o'clock," he says, "I was crossing the third lower deck and was preparing to turn in, when of a sudden a terrific explosion occured and when I staggered to my feet I found myself in the dark. There was one light in the distance and I made toward that. On the way I met Lieutenant Jenkins and a soldier named Garnett.

"We made for the ladder and the ship was rapidly filling with water. We reached the hatchhole and the water was gaining on us fast. Garnett said, 'We're lost,' and seemed about to give up, but Lieutenant Jenkins, who was the last man to reach the ladder and who was following, said, 'Go ahead, don't give up.' Garnett pulled through and pulled me after him. As I fell upon the deck, I heard Lientenant Jenkins cry, 'My God! I am drowning,' and I remember nothing more.

"A ward room boy named McCann saw me lying there, and, picked me up, threw me overboard. The water revived me and I swam ashore."

PARK THEATRE.

HI. HENRY'S MINSTRELS—MARCH 9.

Hi. Henry, whose name as a Minstrel Manager bears a National recognition, is in the field this season with a large, expensive and strictly first-class City Minstrel Attraction, which will appear at the Park Theater, Wednesday, March 9th, enrout from Washington to Cleveland.

Mr. Henry's present organization includes some 50 performers, the brightest in their prespective lines, and their program is put together with the object of presenting New, Novel, Refined and Elegant Minstrelsy; we are assured that nothing of an inferior, nor an objectionable nature is ever permitted, and that every performer bears the stamp of superiority and refinement. The fine press notices accorded this Organization by the New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Boston and Baltimore papers, where they have recently appeared are certainly of the most encouraging and praiseworthy nature.

Four per cent Interest Paid

Your surplus earnings are safest if deposited with The Pittsburg Bank for Savings, No. 210 Fourth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

You can deposit by mail, as safely as in person. Write to the Bank for blanks and you will receive reply by mail.

The Pittsburg Bank of Savings pays 4 per cent. intererest on time deposits. Do not keep your money where you draw no interest.

The Pittsburg Bank for Savings was founded in 1862 and has assets of over $3,100,000. Its depositors are thus amply protected.

New Music—Liberal Offer.

To introduce our new monthly puplication, American Popular music, we make the following liberal offer: Send us the names of three or more performers on the piano or organ, and fifteen cents in money or postage, and we will mail you sixteen pages of the latest songs, two steps, etc., full sheet music arranged for piano or organ, and American Popular music for three months.

Address POPULAR MUSIC CO.,
Indianapolis, Ind.

—Job work of all kinds done at the CITIZEN OFFICE.

Important Citizens Meeting.

The directors of the Butler Board of Trade have been working several months trying if possible to devise the best way to advance the interests of the town, and establish industrial enterprises which would add to the permanent growth and prosperity of Butler and Butler county.

They now believe they have solved the problem whereby the desired end may be attained and therefore have decided to call the citizens together in a public meeting at the Court House Friday evening, March 11, at 8 o'clock, when the plans will be submitted for consideration, and adoption if thought advisable.

This is a very important meeting, upon the action of which depends to a great extent the future of our town. The time fixed is far enough ahead to enable almost every citizen to arrange to be present, and as this is in our opinion the most important meeting ever held to advance our manufacturing interests, the failure of any one who can possibly attend to do so would seem to indicate an indifference as to the town's future prosperity.

Please remember everybody is wanted at this meeting, not the rich alone, nor your neighbor, but the rich and poor, your neighbor and yourself, and especially yourself, if you have an interest in the upbuilding of Butler This meeting is called by the directors of the Board of Trade, but understand it is not a Board of Trade meeting, but a citizens' meeting, and while all members of the Board of trade are requested to be present it is just as important that every other citizen be present as well as members of the Board of Trade.

J. M. LEIGHNER.
G. W. SHIEVER, Sec'y.

Harmony and Zelienople.

County Supt S. L. Cheesman visited the Zelienople schools on Thursday of last week.

Hildreth Walker and wife of Butler were stopping with friends in Harmony last Friday.

H. M. Bently returned home from a trip to Greenville last Friday evening.

Rev. J. W. Otterman conducted a protracted meeting in Eicholtz Hall at Zelienople last week. The attendance was good.

J. M. Carnahan of Zelienople left last week for the Marietta oil field; his family will remain here until Spring.

Mrs. Libby Wick a business woman of Jeannette, visited her sister Mrs. W. C. Latshaw at Harmony from Wednesday until Friday last week.

Mrs. Abraham Beighley returned home from a visit with her daughter Mrs. Jacob Singleloupe at Salem, O, on Thursday of last week. A suprise party was given her by her friends in the evening, it being her 58th birthday.

Mr. Isaac Belles of Harmony, who has been in poor health for some time, has improved considerably at this writing.

Jacob Gelbach has completed his rig on his farm North of Harmony, formerly the John Goehring farm.

A well is being drilled on G. M. Ziegler farm on the Butler Road.

The new rig on the Geo. Bane farm is ready for the drill.

The Sid Kirker well is dry.

The Rhinelander has a fishing job.

The church of God at Harmony had an "All Day Service" last Sunday. Sone of the members fasted; they report a beneficial service.

The I. O. O. F. lodge of Harmony visited Evans City lodge in a body last Tuesday evening.

Last Friday about noon a crew of railroad men picked up the body of an unknown man near Eidenau on the P. & W. railroad and took it to Harmony. The coroner of Butler county, J. L. Jones, was sent for who empanelled a jury of six men named as follows; Al Latshaw, W. C. Latshaw, J. H. Wilson, Aaron Shontz, Dr. D. Fiedler and H. M. Wise who in their verdict state that this young man was about 22 years old, unknown, was found dead by railroad employes, how he was killed is unknown.

It is thought he was killed in attempting to jump a west-bound freight train for he lay along side the track nearly cut in two across the thigh and his limbs were broken. No clue as to his identity could be found. Undertaker Ziegler then took the body in charge which lay in state until Monday afternoon. No one claimed it. Rev P. J. Slonaker conducted a brief funeral ceremony at 2 P. M. The incident was a peculiar one, one which would occur only in a Christian land. The remains unknown, in a strange land, yet a small company of men respected their fellow dead. The remarks were impressive, addressed to the living; the uncertainty of life, and the somewhere m other and friends of this beautiful young man now dead, were feelingly emphasized. The remains were then interred in the cemetery near Harmony.

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BUTLER TWP.—Phillips struck an 8 barrel well on the Conn, adjoining the the Sebastian Beck, last week, and is building some more rigs.

THE REPORT—The feature of the month's operations, as shown in the Derrick's report, is the decline in new production. The big drop is in the bearish districts of the Southwest. For the previous 8 months the average new production of Pennsylvania oil was over 10,000 barrels. February shows a drop of over 4,000 barrels under this average.

SALES—On Saturday last McGill, Nicholas & Co. sold their interests at Troutman to the South Penn; and same day James Thompson & Co. sold to the Forest their interests in the Cooperstown district.

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