THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 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.

—An Ordinance assessing the cost of sewer on Zeigler Ave.

—Schaul & Nast's Clothing.

For sale, a graduating tuition at the Butler Business college.

C. & T's Lounges.

Agents 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,

NOTICE.

During the next few weeks we will send out quite a number of bills for subscriptions due, and hope our friends will respond promptly as we need the money.

—"Longings for luxury."

—"All of us have to wear clothes."

—The man who truly loves a woman will sometimes give up tobacco for three weeks after they are married.

—Martincourt & Co, now have their weighing and measuring machhine in their store on E. Jefferson St. and you can get a ticket there.

—Hasting's Hospital train went down to Washington last week and took some sick members of the 15th Reg., among them Earl Thompson of Butler and E. D. Hamilton of Sonora to a Phil'a hospital.

—The color of the paint on battleships has suggested a new tint to the silk manufacturers, and for the fall trade we will have dress goods, ribbons and other stuffs in a shade that will be called battle-drag. It is a lead color.

—The boys are always thankful for any information that will enable them to get ahead of a slot machine A youngster recently discovered that by putting mucilage on a cent and dropping it into the slot of a music box, the machine would run until it run down, and when wound up would continue to run until the machine was opened and the cent removed. The idea isn't patented.

—They were discussing the future. he gaszed into her liquid eyes of pale blue and asked her if she would always love him. "Certainly," said the palpitating young maiden, "can you not trust me?" He was a rising young grocer and from force of habit he demurred. "No," he said, "my terms are strictly cash and I cannot trust you." The absent-minded answer spoiled the whole business.

—Our Town Council will hold an adjourned meeting at their usual place, the office of J. D. McJunkin Esq. in the Reiber building next Tuesday evening the 20th. when and where all persons who take an interest in the proposed granting of street car franchises to any company may attend if they see proper, and help to discuss the matter. A Warren Pa., company is asking for the whole town without reserve and without compensation.

—The Base Ball season in Butler ended last week with a halo of glory over the Butler club. After the manager added our own and only Rube to the aggregation of foreign dukes and princes from Punxsutawney and elsewhere that composed the club, it become invulnerable and their last enemy fled the town in dismay. The club disbanded. They were the best set of fellows that have ever played under the name of Butler, we hope to see them again next year.

—"Ive had an awful time," said his wife as soon as he got home. "The clothes-line broke, the baby choked on a tack until he was blue, the cat got her head fast in the cream pitcher and we had to break it off—the pitcher I mean—The grocery boy sassed Mary Jane till she cried and tried to scald him, and missed him and took all the hair off the dog, and I burned my thumb to crisp, and nearly every woman I know on earth took this day of all others to call." "Anything else today?" asked the dry goods clerk absently.

—The 15th Reg. was taken from Wastington to Camp Meade near Harrisburg, last Friday night.

They left Washington that evening and were first taken to Philadelphia, then to Reading, and then to Middletown, then marched six miles in the dust, to somewhere near their location in a clover and weed field, where they put up their tents, but moved them three times before the location was settled. The long ride, the dust and the frost caused a number of the regiment to become ill, and among them our correspondent, E. H. Negley, who is in the hospital, a victim of chills and fever.

—During the crush at the P. & W., station, Thursday, to get on the train for the Fair Grounds, a big fat woman who surged with the crowd until near the steps of the cars, suddenly changed her mind, turned around, said she would not be crowded that way and pushed out of the crowd. She pushed past Capt. Boggs of Evans City, and a moment later he noticed that his pocket book was gone. J. J. Maxwell felt a hand in his pocket, and spotted his man. Co., Detective Bell spotted another, and the two were taken in charge, but they did not have the stolen books, and Boggs thinks they were slipped to the obstreperous fat woman. The men were taken to Mercer, but the fat woman and another woman who assaulted detective Bell slipped off.

—All Pittsburg-it looked like all Creation-were out last Sunday evening to welcome home their soldier boys of the 18th., Reg. Liberty avenue from Union station down to Sixth street and Fifth Ave., to Grant were dense masses of people. Ropes had been stretched along Liberty St., and it was the intention to run the trains down the street and have the regiment disembark clear of the crowd, but after the bands and organizations passed up toward the station the people broke over, and the whole street was crowded. Near the station the crowd became so dense that street car travel was abandoned, the boys climbed on top of the cars and it was almost impossible to move from one point to another. The trains were expected in at 6 P. M, but owing to a wreck on the main line they did not arrive till 9 P. M., when the regiment disembarked on Liberty, with the crowd surging around and marched up Fifth Ave., and to the Armory on Diamond. It was a royal welcome to their home coming. The regiment came home on a furlough and will be mustered out in thirty days. Claude Ziegler of the 1st Ward is a member of it.

Job Work.

If you want Posters,
If you want Circulars,
If you want Sale Bills,
If you want Envelopes,
If you want Bill Heads,
If you want Price Lists,
If you want Statements,
If you want Note Heads,
If you want Letter Heads,
If you want Address Cards,
If you want Business Cards,
If you want Invitation Cards,
If you want any kind of Printing done call at the CITIZEN office.

—The robins have nearly all gone.

—A new boarding house and restaurant has been built near the tile works.

—Navy Bean and Stamboul Maid, two Butler horses, are on the track at Oil City this week.

—Our Prospect correspondent quotes some "School Law," this week, that everybody should read.

—A cruel Western paper said that when the Washington typewriters were kissing Admiral Schley, "Sampson was seven miles away."

—Don't be in a hurry to shoot squirrels. It is not lawful to kill black, grey or fox squirrels except between October 15 and December 15.

—A wonderfully perfect counterfeit government silver certificate has been discovered in Philadelphia. It is a $100 denomination note.

—Thursday of last week was a model day for a Fair, and the attendance that day was large; but the entire number of tickets sold this year was several thousand less than last year.

—The five wards of Butler average about 500 voters each—the first and second having a few more and the other three a few less. The assessors returns do not include the districts annexed to the 3d and 5th wards.

—Our grocers are paying 16 cents for butter, 12 for eggs, 40 for potatoes, 25 for turnips and apples, 50 to $1 for peaches, 75 to $1 for pears, $1.30 for plums, $1 for quinces and 40 to 50 a doz for egg plant.

—Mary Russell, Billy Chimes, Stamboul Maid, Navy Bean and Storm Bird, Butler county horses, took part of the money at the Fair last week, and John W. Titley's great mare, Mayview, won a heat in her race when a wheel of her sulkey broke, throwing her down and severely injuring her.

—On account of Holiday our store will be closed Saturday, September 17th.
SCHAUL & NAST.

WANTED—Agents to sell Tea, Coffee, Spices and Baking Powder to families. Liberal commissions paid. For terms address
GRAND UNION TEA CO.,
1405 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE—A graduating tuition contract for Butler Business College, cost $50; either shorthand or commercial course. Inquire at this office.

ESTRAY—Black cow, four years old, left Hay farm near Prospect about September 3rd, any one having any information concerning said cow please notify R. S. Bryan, Prospect, Pa., or A. Ruff & Son, Shoe Dealers, Butler, Pa.

OIL NOTES.

It's still dollar oil.

WASHINGTON TWP.—The Springboro Oil Co., struck a good well on tke B. F. Hilliard farm. The contractors, Painter and Black, estimate it at from 25 to 30 barrels.

COYLESVILLE—McKee's well on the Blatt was 20 feet in the sand yesterday, and filled up 500 feet with oil. This is a southern extension of the old eastern belt.

MTCHESTNUT—McClung & Co's well on the Brandon is 20 feet in a stray sand similar to the Sunbury sand and is filled with salt-water. They expect a good well

JEFFERSON CENTRE—Frazier & Co's well in the Kornumph is doing about 18 bbls. It will be shot Saturday.

"In Clinton twp. Butler county, bordering on Allegheny county, T. W. Phillips has drilled in his test well on the S. Hemphill farm and has a good producer. It was drilled into the sand Thursday evening and produced 70 bbls. the first nine hours The location is 500 feet northwest of the well completed on the McGinnis farm about six weeks ago. Mr. Phillips is also drilling a test well on the P. Hemphill farm that is due to get the sand early in the week.

The Jacoby well, west of Harmersville, Allegheny county, has been put to pumping and made 35 bbls. the first 24 hours. The test well on the Carson lot, near the Mullet farm producer, is not expected to get the sand before next Monday or Tuesday.

At Gibsoniaia, the Devonian Oil company is starting a test well on the Boyle farm. The Ann Oil company's well on the Silas Semple farm is drilling on top of the sand.

At Economy, Eachels & Ritchey expect to get the pay at their No. 13 tomorrow; the location is inside of defined limits.

Near Cooperstown, Butler county, the Forest Oil company has completed its No. 1 on the Parks farm and has a small producer, not good for more than 3 bbls a day.

There is quite a little flurry in advance of the North Washington development, in the same county. Cutler & Co., have completed a test well on the Flemming farm that is reported good for 30 bbls. a day. The same company is drilling a second well on the same farm, and Randolph & Co. have started to drill on the Thompson heirs' farm.

In the Rosenberry pool, west of Parker M. S. Adams is drilling a third well on his farm.—Derrick.

The only local territory as to which there is the least speculation is that in the north end of Allegheny county and just over the Butler county line, in a general way designated as the little Deer Creek development. A scoop of territory in that locality, some five or six miles long, but narrow, is in doubt as to what it may do in the way of furnishing production. Near Dorseyville the test on the Reifsnider farm was drilled through all sands including the fifth and proved a duster. The Jacoby farm test west of Harmarsville was put to pumping during the past week and started at 30 bbls. a day.

Near the McGinnis well in Clinton township, Butler Co., close to the boundary line between that and Alleghany county T. W. Phillips drilled in a test well on the S. Hemphill farm that started at 70 bbls. The location is 500 feet northwest of the McGinnis well, completed last month and now making 15 bbs. a day.

On a line between the McGinnis farm well and the Mullet well west of Harmarsville. Mr. Phillips also finished drilling down an old well to the fifth sand and had a close call to getting a duster. It is accepted as a pointer that the two developments do not connect up on a line with this test. The Carson lot test is located south and west of the Mullet and should be due in the sand to-morrow.—Derrick of Monday.

NEXT WEEK IN PITTSBURG

The immense attendance at the Grand Opera House last week, despite the opposition of the weather, and the opening of the Exposition demonstrates quite clearly the great popularity of this House as a family resort. From Monday afternoon to Saturday night its capacity was taxed to accomodate the people, a large proportion of whom were women and children. The new Stock Company has scored a great success, and is easily the strongest organization of the kind that has as yet been seen at this Theatre. Next week "Christopher Jr", a comedy that ran for an entire year in New York, will be presented. It will embrace the full strength of the cast, and in accordance with the policy of the House this season, will be a complete production in scenery and all affects.

LEGAL NEWS.

The Grand Jury finished up its work, made its final presentment and was discharged Friday. They passed upon 50 bills of indictment, finding 40 true bills and ignoring 10. Their presentment recommends the paying, by the county, the expense of placing the cannon, etc. on the Diamond—some $300; also that the County Commissioners erect a building on the proposed poor farm suitable for keeping prisoners sentenced to pay costs, etc: they assert that the south end of Main street is in a dangerous condition, caused by being crossed the P., B. & L. E. and P. & W. R. Rs., and recommend that steps be taken to protect the public

Since our last issue they found the follo wing

TRUE BILLS.

Commonwealth vs:

John Clark and Wm. Roach, a&b and assault with intent to rob; Harry Ford, larceny; Wm. Martin house breaking and being a tramp; George Clark, Wm. Quinton and Richard Crawford, larceny and being tramps; John Donley, a&b; Harry Ross larceny and breaking jail; Levi Slator, maintaining a public nuisance; R. W. Brest, larceny as bailee; Frank Davis, larceny; Harry Hunt, Larceny; Harry Brackney, larceny; Matilda Keister, assault and a&b; Harry Miller and Wm. Meek, malicious mischief.

NOT TRUE BILLS.

John N. Gold, furnishing liquor to minors and attempt to rape, and county to pay costs; Geo. Masterden, furnishing whiskey to an intoxicated man, and prosecutor, Ed. Riding to pay costs; R. W. Brest, false pretense, and prosecutor, D. L. Cleeland, to pay costs; Henry Drebert, larceny.

TRIAL LIST.

The September Quarter Sessions met, Monday, and the first case taken up was that of the Commonwealth versus Dr. Lasher of Saxonburg, who was charged with rape on oath of Mrs. Rosa Alwine.

Mrs. Alwine's story was a simple one. She alleges that the doctor took advantage of her weak condition and helpless position while making an examination at his office, but she acknowledged that her physical condition occasionally caused her to have fighty spells, during which she did not know what happened.

The doctor denied her story, and as his neighbors gave him a good name, he was acquitted, and the county has a bill of costs to pay.

No class of professional men have more opportunities for meanness than physicians, and on the other hand no class is more liable to blackmail. Doctors who do not keep themselves above suspicion should be shunned as vipers, and severely punished if caught.

This seems to have been a mistaken idea, caused by physical weakness, but the case should be a warning to all physicians of their constant danger.

There was but one amusing feature in the trial, and that was the attitude of mother Alwine, a heavy weight, who seemed inclined to sit down upon one of the counsel for the defense.

Commonwealth vs:

Nelson Watters, assault and a&b Sept. 12, defendant pleads guilty, and sentence was held over until December Term.

Geo. Clark, house-breaking and being a tramp. Sept. 10, defendant pleads guilty.

Wm. Martin, house-breaking and being a tramp. Sept. 10, defendant pleads guilty.

Samuel Scott, surety of the peace, settled.

Samuel Reddick, surety of the peace, settled.

Ed. Seaton, feloneous a&b, settled.

John H. Walker, surety of the peace. Sept. 8, case heard and defendant ordered to enter into recog. in $200 to keep the peace for one year.

Jacob Fowler, assault. Sept. 12, case settled.

Phillip Winter, f&b, pleads nolle contendre and was sentenced to pay costs, a fine of $20 and doctor fees not to exceed $25.

Dr. W. D. McCune, illegal practice of medicine. Sept. 13, jury finds the defendant guilty, same day motion for a new trial, to be argued at Nov. term.

Dr. R. J. McMichael, illegal practice of medicine. Sept. 13, jury returns a verdict of guity, same day motion for a new trial made, to be argued at Nov. term.

Matilda Keister, a&b and surety of the peace, continued to next term.

Harry Miller, f&b. Sept. 13, pleads nolle contendre, and was sentenced to pay the costs, a fine of $25, pay the prosecutrix $40, and pay the mother $5 per month until the child is 5 years old.

F. A. Masselli, a&b. Sept. 14, jury returns a verdict of not guilty, but to pay costs.

F. A. Masselli, larceny from the person. Sept. 14, jury returns a verdict of not guilty.

Elishua Gorman, malicious mischief. Sept. 14, jury returns a verdict of not guilty, and prosecutor, W. C. Allen to pay costs.

Hugh Elliott, agg. a&b. Sept. 14, jury returns a verdict of not guilty, but to pay costs.

Harry Campbell, surety of the peace, settled.

Wm. Roach, assault with intent to rob, September 14, defendant called and his recog. forfeited.

Eight cases vs Henry Foltz, John Bartol and Winfield, Wm. R. and Robert Hopkins, a&b, were taken up yesterday afternoon and are still on trial.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Last Friday the Sheriff sold all the right, title, interest and of—

Wm. W. Hazlett to E. L. Ralston 50 acres in Winfield for $50.

Hannah C. Abernathy to Ralston & Greer 25 acres in Worth for $10.

Catharine and John A. Miller to Wm. E. and Henry Miller 73 acres in Centre for $25.

John Richardson to J. C Richardson 76 acres in Adams for $4000.

Walker and Sarah E. Martin to Keystone State B. & L. Asso. lot in Butler for $200.

NOTES.

The petition of Alfred Miller, committee of Martin Lowry Webb, a lunatic, for approval of settlement and leave to execute a deed to the P. & W. R. R. was granted.

Mrs. Hattie Williams, against whom the Grand Jury at September Term, 1895, found true bills for keeping a bawdy house and a disorderly house, and plead guilty to the latter, was sentenced, Friday, to pay costs, a fine of $10 and undergo imprisonment in the work house for three months.

Harvey Byerley and John McClafferty were excused from jury service.

The will of Henry D. Zeigler of Zelienople was probated and letters granted to Louisa Zeigler; also will of J. W. Starr of Butler, no letters.

Letters of administration were granted to Mary J. Nixon on estate of Wm. K. Nixon, late of Buffalo twp; also to Christianna Frederick on estate of Henry S. Frederick, late of Donegal twp.

Maud Bernerd, by her next friend Calvin Dean, has brought suit in assumpsit vs Ph. Bernerd.

The Allegheny and Western R. R. Co. has filed indemnity bonds in favor of heirs of Jacob Johnston, G. W. Bartley et al and Margt. J. Roney.

Elmer E. Young was appointed auditor in the matter of the final account of Adam Diehl, administrator of Salome Shaney, late of Zelienople.

Wills Lewis was discharged under the insolvent laws, he was serving a sentence for violation of the liquor laws.

Last week A. J. White filed a bill in equity asking that executions against him be stayed until one of the creditors files an account of the oil that has been run to his credit. The executions were stayed until Sept. 20.

The will of Jacob Knauff of Middlesex twp. was probated and letters granted to Henry F. Knauff; also will of John G. Lensner of Jefferson twp. and letters to Elizabeth Lensner.

Letters of administration were granted to Alex Martin on estate of Thomas Martin, late of Jefferson twp.

Sheriff Dodds brought thirteen prisoners from Mercer jail, Tuesday, and lodged and fed them in the new jail.

N. C. McCollough was appointed guardian of Julia Kaumerer; and J. J. Gillman of Anna and Margt. Thomas.

On petition of Winfield Gould of Oakland twp., John W. Powell, J. M. Cruikshanks, Dan'l Markel, Ed. Dumbaugh, A. L. Campbell and R. O. Shira were appointed viewers to assess damages vs the A. & W. R. R.

A rule was granted on the school Directors of Parker twp., to show cause why they should not be removed from office, returnable Sept., 20.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

J. B. Snell to American Mirror Co. lot in Butler for $5000.

Vogeley heirs to Krause & Freeling lot in Winfield for $100.

G C Purdum to Wm M Purdum lot in Harmony for $185.

Lucinda Walley to Mary E. Steckman lot in Bruin for $400.

John Keck to H J Keck 30 acres in Cranberry for $700.

H F Foster to Lawrence Denny lot in Winfield for $1300.

Jon Wilson to A C Ramsey 80 acres in Jackson for $3900.

J H Kepple to W G Raabe lot in Butler for $1450.

W B Dodds, sheriff, to Keystone B & L Asso lot in Butler for $50.

E E Abrams to James Donaghy 185 acres in Brady for $750.

John A Eichert to H Greenwalt 70 acres in Jackson for $3200.

A Kerchler to F Mohr, ex'r 8 acres in Cranberry for $2000.

Sam'l Staples to Gospel Prohibition Church lot in Callery for $1.

Henry McElroy to Jas McElroy 116 acres in Clearfield for $1.

Chas Rielly to A & W R R 1 acre in Clearfield for $140.

Marriage Licenses.

Chas. D. Parker.....Butler
Abba J. Allslip.....Bakerstown
Edgar J. Altman.....New Castle
Ada B. Zimmerman.....Butler
Wm. L. Timblin.....Connoq
A. Pearl Whitmire.....Sonora
Charley McDonald.....Butler
Jeannetta Jackson.....
M. A. Mickley.....Evans City
Flora A. Boggs.....
J. G. English.....Prospect
Emma Campbell.....Isle

Butler Public Library.

The ladies of the Butler Public Library Association held a meeting September 12, when a financial report of the institution was read and considered. They found the running expenses of the library to be greater than the ladies can any longer assume without outside aid, and consulted upon means of increasing the funds to the amount requisite to meet these expenses.

The library was opened with the hope that the books would be always free to the public, and they have been thus furnished for five years. But the association now find that they will have to charge a sum of 50 cents for each annual card taken out on or after October 1, 1898.

The public have very kindly and generously patronized the suppers and other entertainments given by the Library Association, and by this means the ladies have received a considerable amount of aid, as well as from the generous contributions of some of the gentlemen. But as the expenses of the library, irrespective of the purchase of new books, repairs and catalogues, are large and continuous, embracing rent, light, heat, insurance and librarian's salary, aggregating $30 per month, it is found necessary to make some change.

The Woman's Exchange was opened in the hope that it would contribute towards library expenses, but it has not been a success in that way. So, much against their will, the ladies are obliged to resort to the small fee above named as a means of keeping the library open. But they feel that the reading public will be glad to assist them in the good work.

The membership of the Library Association at present consists of 34 ladies. Each member pays annual dues of $5, and contributes a book once a year. Any lady interested in the library, who would like to become a member will be welcomed by the association.

To make the library in greater degree a credit to the town, and to increase its usefulness, contributions, large or small, handed in by any of our public spirited citizens, will be thankfully received by the librarian any afternoon.

All are invited to come to the library and look over the books; especially are editors, ministers, teachers and members of the school board invited to note the quality and character of the library. It will be found that, although numerous works of fiction are taken out and read, the shelves contain also a large proportion of high-class books in the departments of history, poetry and general literature. Our motto is, "The noblest motive is the public good."

ACCIDENTS.

Last Sunday, while on the road to church, John Scott of Lancaster twp. was kicked in the face by a horse and dangerously hurt.

Mars Lecture Course.

Under the management of Dr. J. C. Barr the people of Mars and vicinity will have a most excellent lecture course for this coming winter.

The course includes Dr. Willits, for October 10; Mozart Symphony Club, for November 9; Lovetts Concert Co., for December 6; Prof. A. M Hammer, for January 5; John Tempel Graves, for February 9; and Col. Copeland, for March 20.

Sunday Excursions to Allegheny.

Commencing Sunday May 22nd and until further notice the Pittsburg and Western R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Allegheny every Sunday for train leaving Butler 8:15 A. M. city time good to return on afternoon trains date of sale. Fair for round trip 75 cents.

If you want a Bicycle or your old one repaired go to White Walter & Co. largest stock in County. Bicycles for hire.

TIMBER.

For blank applications and instructions how to apply for reduction of 80 per cent. of taxes on timber lands send 25 cents to J. A. HEYBRICK & SONS,
Civil Engineers,
Butler, Pa.

Stray Hogs.

Come to the premises of the subscriber in Jefferson twp., near Frazier's Mill, on or about August 8th, 1898, one white brood sow, and three large shoats—two white and one black, all sows.

The owner is requested to come forward prove property, pay charges and take them away, otherwise they will be disposed of according to law.
WM. HEGINBOTHAM,
Saxonburg P. O. Pa

For A Musical Education.

The Pennsylvania College of Music (formerly Meadville Conservatory of Music), has been entirely reconstructed and placed under the direction of Herr Felix Heink, for three years past musical director of the Utica (N. Y.) Conservatory of Music, a noted pianist, singer and teacher of voice and piano. He is assisted by a very able corps of teachers, two of whom have had the best American and European training. The College offers a musical education at very moderate rates of tuition, and very cheap living, in one of the most beautiful and cultivated college cities of the country. Everyone interested in a musical education should send for the new catalogue just issued. Term begins September 6th. Address Pennsylvania College of Music, Meadville, Pa., mentioning this paper.

PERSONAL.

S. O. Wright: of Zelienople enjoyed the big day at the fair.

Miss Roach, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister in the convent here.

J. W. Groom and brother, of Mars were in town on business to-day.

Fred Dike and family have moved from the Nesbit farm to Great Belt.

Sam'l Petsinger and John Sarver of Buffalo twp., are down with typhoid.

Miss Rhoads, of Somerset, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Rhoads at Capt. Ayers.

John S. Davis, of Allegheny, is the guest of O. W. Stoughton of Prospect.

Rev. W. V. Hamel of Missouri is visiting his father, James Hamel of Penn twp.

S. C. Trimble and W. A. Denny of Middlesex, were in town on business Friday.

Henry Korn, has received his commission as Lt Col. on the staff of the National Veteran Legion.

John Neely, the oldest resident of Lancaster twp. is dangerously sick at the home of his son, Frank

Daniel Cable, of Whitestown, was in town yesterday. He is upwards of 80 years, but is yet active and vigorous.

J. L. Turner and son, of Ferris, were in town last Saturday. The north branch of the Slipperyrock was frozen solid that morning.

Robert M'Bride, of Grove City, is lying sick at the home of his sister Miss Nannie McBride in Franklin twp. He took sick while visiting.

A. H. Jennings, of Battery K; 4th Heavy Artillery secured his discharge and arrived in Butler, Monday. He went to his home in Petrolia, next day.

Ed. Livingstone, of Co. E, was well enough to be about Monday, and went out to the country to visit relatives. He found the Butler Hospital a very comfortable place.

Rev. Worrell of the 2nd Presbyterian Church, who has been spending his vacation with friends in the west, will return this week and preach in Y. M. C. A. Hall on next Sunday as usual.

Joseph Scranton, of Scranton Pa., and his wife, whose maiden name was Meylert and who was born and raised in what is now the Orphans Home, visited friends in Butler last week.

Perry Harkless came home from Camp Wikoff Friday. He belongs to the Penn'a Vol. Signal corps. Camp Wikoff is located on Montauk Point one of the eastern points of Long Island and there's lots of salt-water around it.

John D. McBride, of Franklin twp., took in the big-day at the Fair. John taught in Cranberry twp., last winter and will teach in Forward next. His name was not on the list of candidates for County Superintendant, published some time ago, but it should have been.

Dan McCarthy and Nora Callahan of Pittsburg, were married at the North Oakland church on Tuesday of last week. Quite a large party of their friends came up to see the wedding, after which they drove to Butler, took supper at the Williard, and started off on the 5:40 train.

James McGeary, of St Paul, Minn., and Jesse M. McGeary of Allegheny Pa. visited their cousin Wm. McGeary of Butler, last week. James is a Butler boy, who went west about twenty years ago and is now engineer of some of the city and county buildings, while Jessie is the Republican cannidate for coroner of Allegheny Co., an office worth a salary of $5,500.

Elijah Silliman, of Karns City went down to Bakerstown Sunday, to see his son, George who was lying at his brother's home there, seriously ill of typhoid. George was a member of the 20th Regulars, was through the Santiago campaign, and took sick there and was sent to the hospital. He became convalescent and was sent home on one of the hospital ships, stopped to see his brother at Bakerstown, and had a relapse.

LeMont Keister of Battery F. Second Artillery, came home from Santiago about three weeks ago. He is a son of Norman Keister of Glade Run. He was in all the fighting about Santiago, escaped the bullets, but took down with fever afterwards, He enlisted in the regular army about three years ago, and was stationed at Fort Riley, Kansas for a year and a half. He likes regular army life. W. W. Wagner of same battery and regiment, whose home was in Grove City, but who now lives on Elm St., Butler came home at same time.

Grand Voting Contest.

As the school year approaches, many of our young readers will be deciding what school to attend, and the following offer made by the Butler Business College will perhaps help you to decide the problem. Two free scholarships are offered as per rules below, allowing ample time to graduate, giving you your choice of courses, all for a small effort on the part of the contestants. You cannot afford to ignore this offer, opportunities like this are not offered every day, this is your opportunity. Any one who complies with the rules may enter the contest. Business education has the sanction of such men as Hon. Lyman Gage, himself a graduate of a business college, and to which he attributes his success, Hon. John Wanamaker, Robert Burdette, Charles Reade, Hon. Charles Foster, and many others we could name of world wide reputation. No matter whether you live in the city or the country, you have a splendid opportunity to succeed. Read the rules carefully.

1. Each weekly paper published in Butler will publish one coupon each week, beginning August 25th, and continuing until Oct. 15th, and contestants will collect these coupons and send them in, in packages of 100. Each contestant will also agree to get as many paid-up yearly subscriptions as he or she possibly can for any or each of the Butler weekly papers, viz: The CITIZEN, Eagle, Times, Record, and Democratic Herald, and each subscription shall count as much as 200 coupons. Only new subscribers will be allowed to count in this contest. You are not confined to any one paper; subscriptions to any or all of the papers named will count 200 votes each, to the one turning them in.

2. Write your name plainly on all coupons you send in, and forward all subscriptions and coupons to William E. Wilson, Principal Butler Business College, Butler, Pa. Write all names and postoffice addresses plainly, and indicate plainly the papers subscribed for.

3. To the person receiving the largest number of votes, a nine months scholarship in the Butler Business College will be awarded, in either Commercial or Shorthand courses, allowing ample time to graduate. To the person receiving the next highest number of votes a six month's scholarship will be awarded.

4. Contestants should communicate with Prof. Wilson immediately, and he will forward further instructions and information by mail. Remember that each subscription turned in for any of the papers named will count you 200 votes, and securing subscribers will be the quickest and surest way to succeed.

Get in the field early, secure the aid of your friends, and earn one of these scholarships, worth at least $50.

COUPON.

Please credit this coupon to

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Account of Butler Business College Scholarship Contest.

Notice.

A man who calls himself an optician, and who says his name is Brown, is travelling over this county selling spectacles (as I am informed) on my reputation.

I will say that I don't know the man, never met him that I know of and have had no dealings with him whatever.
Respectfully
D. L. CLEELAND.
Optician.

Winfield twp. at the Fair.

Winfield twp., Butler Co. won a lot of premiums and cash at the Fair last week.

J. N. Hazlett won $55.50 in premiums and sold $20 worth of fowls He took First on Trios, four kinds of Wyandotts four kinds of Leghorns, ten on waterfowl and thirty three on pairs of fowls and chicks, 1st, 2nd on pairs, and three seconds on fowls and chicks.

He went from here to Oil City and will be at Stoneboro next week.

August Freehling and son won $35 on sheep and $1.00 on grain. He says the Butler people treat him well. He will probably take his sheep to Stoneboro.

David Hesselgesser took one red and two blues on horses.

Geo. Milliron & Bros. took some premiums on pigs.

Re-unions.

The survivors of the 101st and 102d regiments will reune at Zelienople on 22nd. Thomas Hays, of Butler, is the senior V. P. of the organization.

The 139th reuned at Mars, yesterday. A large crowd attended. Mars is a nice little town.

During the regular program Rev. Dight of Trail presented Col. Collier with a cup from W. J. Allen, in remembrance of an incident that occured during a long and tiresome march.

A Letter For You.

Unclaimed letters at the Postoffice at Butler Pa., week ending Sept. 12th.

Miss Bell Black, Will Donahue, 38 S. Main St; John Henderson, J and L McElhaney; Miss L J McCauffless, Pasquall Santa and James Truby.

In calling for these letters please say advertised. JOHN W. BROWN, P. M.

Special Excursion to the Exposition via the P. & W. R. R.

On Wednesdays September 14—21—28 and October 5—12—19 the P. W. will sell special Excursion tickets to Allegheny good for return in three days including date of sale, rate from Butler $1.50 which includes admission to the Exposition.

Gettysburg-Washington

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has arranged for two five-day personally conducted tours from Buffalo, Erie, Pittsburg, and principal intermediate points, to Gettysburg and Washington, on October 17 and November 7.

Round-trip tickets, including transportation, Pullman berth in each direction, hotel accommodations and carriage drive over the battlefield at Gettysburg, and hotel accommodations at Washington—in short, all necessary expenses—will be sold at rate of $25.00 from Suspension Bridge, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, and intermediate stations on the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad; $24.00 from Elmira; $25.00 from Erie and Corry; $21.50 from Williamsport; $23.00 from Pittsburg and Altoona, and proportionate rates from other points.

Tickets will also be good to return on regular trains until October 27 and November 17, but without Pullman accommodations.

Descriptive itineries and full information can be obtained of Ticket Agents; B. P. Fraser, Passenger Agent Buffalo, N. Y.; E. S. Harrar, Division Ticket Agent, Williamsport; Thos. E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Pittsburg; or Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

Of Interest to You.

Parties wishing to engage in the livery business, call on Walker & McElvain for location and outfit

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 old in Butler, last year.

ICE PURE SPRING WATER ICE delivered to all parts of the town, every day. Leave orders at.
RICHEY'S BAKERY
142 Main St.

—We have 20 large U. S. flags—Are you going to put one on your building? Send size and ask for price. Shuman & Bros., 414 Wood St., Pittsburg, Pa.

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

—Ask your physician if he does not think a sojourn at Cambridge Springs would do you good. If you need rest and nature's tonic, good mineral water, he will answer, "Yes." Hotel Rider offers accomodations equal to the best. Send for circulars.

The Fall term of Grove City College will begin Tuesday, September 13th. For catalogue address the President,
ISAAC C. KETLER,

For Sale.

A good chop mill and saw mill combined. Will be sold cheap. Inquire of
GREER MCCANDLESS,
Whitestown, Pa.

Interest Begins at Once.

No matter the day you begin depositing your savings in the Pittsburg Bank for Savings, No. 210 Fourth Ave. Pittsburg Pa., it practically begins to draw 4 per cent interest immediately, as the same is begun the first succeeding fifteen or the first of the month. This is an advantage rarely offered by any other bank Banking though the mails is about as safe as banking in person. Write for bank for information.

Lots for Sale.

In a thriving town at R. R. station. Size to suit purchaser. A good opening for a painter, carpenter and stone mason. Inquire at this office.

Notice to Wool-Growers.

Messrs. Troutman's Sons requiring all the room they have for their own business, I have changed my location to Graham Bros.' grocery store, just across the street from my old location with Troutman's, where I will be glad to see all my former wool friends, assuring them of fair treatment, and the market price in cash for their wool. Troutmans wish to state that they have gone out of the wool-buying business altogether.
WM. F. RUMBERGER

—For bargains in valuable and desirable residences inquire of Walker & McElvain.

—New Spring and Summer goods arriving every day (prices much BELOW LAST YEARS PRICES,) at The Peoples Store.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Robert Trimble, Esq., dec'd., late of Middlesex twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to
S. C. TRIMBLE,
Flick P. O.,
W. A. DENNY, Butler Co., Pa
Executors,
McJunkin & Galbreath, Att'ys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah Jane Cranmer, dec'd., (widow of Israel Cranmer, dec'd.,) late of Centre twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to
J. D. MCJUNKIN, Ex'r.,
Butler, Pa.

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C. N. Boyd, DRUGGIST.
Diamond Block, Butler, Pa.

LEGAL ADVERTISMENTS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Isaac Hepler, late of Oakland township, deceased, notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to
I. B. HEPLER,
Administrator,
Carbon Center, Pa.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John Sipe, dec'd., late of Clearfield 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, properly autenticated for settlement to
EMELINE SIPE, Adm'x.,
Coylesville, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Emma Shrader, dec'd., late of Butler borough, Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to
W. B. SHRADER, Adm'r.,
Butler, Pa.
W. D. BRANDON, Att'y.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Isaac Kepple, dec'd, late of Fairview township, 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 the same will present them for settlement to
WM. L. KEPPLE, Ex'r.,
Peachville, Pa.
C. WALKER, Att'y.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Whereas, letters of administration have been issued to me the undersigned in the estate of William A. Anderson, late of Middlesex township, Butler county, Pa., dec'd., notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the said decedent to call and settle, and all persons having claims against the same will please present them duly authenticated for payment to SARAH J. ANDERSON,
Administratrix of
WILLIAM A. ANDERSON, dec'd.,
Flick, Butler Co., Pa.
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