THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1900.

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.

Teachers' Examinations.
Richey's Easter Candy.
Martincourt & Co's Harness, etc.
Wick's Furnishings.
Leighner's Jewelry.
Pisor's local.
Agent wanted.
Horses wanted.
Cooper & Co's clothing.
Amy & Brown's locals.
C. & T's furniture.

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,

—The Lowry House is to have a slate roof.

—Our Plate Glass stock continues to boom.

—The new street-car lines will run into money.

—All dog property should be tied up these days.

—A girl can look killing in an Easter bonnet without a bird.

—The bicycler jumping on his wheel is another sign of Spring.

—No matter how high an Easter hat may be the girls can talk over it.

—The days of youth are happy, and the nights should be looked after.

—Richey makes a grand display of Easter toys and candies. See adv.

—The egg has an old Easter relation, but the rabbit has no tale to speak of.

—All the birds are back and the Song Sparrow makes the sweetest note.

—Our independent producers have been in a dazed state since last Friday.

—When the Boers retire before the English they take their traps with them.

—As time is money, the returning Spring may be looked upon as a greenback.

—The County Commissioners bought a team, new wagon and harness for the Poor Farm, last week.

—Those little porkers in the candy store windows illustrate the connection between ham and eggs.

—When you have done a charitable act don't boast of it. If you do you may be called upon to do it again.

—Overseers of the Poor, Miller and McLure, have turned over a list of 120 paupers to the County Commissioners.

—H. G. Koegler, the Hannahstown undertaker, is handling wall paper and moulding. His P. O. address is Denny.

—The Dublin reception to the Queen was a spectacle, though England hasn't been in the habit of giving Ireland much of a show.

—We have received a neatly bound copy of the 1899 school laws and decisions of Pennsylvania, with the compliments of Supt. Howard Painter.

—A sample of each strata of rock taken from the South Penn's well now being drilled on the McGarvey farm, near Troutman, is to be taken to Paris.

—G. C. Gregory of Saxonburg is a practical painter and paper hanger; guarantees first-class work, promptly done and solicits your trade in his line.

—The Hotel Laube, Saxonburg, sets an excellent table, its sleeping rooms are clean, large and well furnished, and Proprietor Doerr makes everyone feel at home in his hostelry.

—Some two dozen dogs of the west-side have lately gone to dog heaven via the stricknine route. The poison was inserted in meat or bologna and then dropped on the street or thrown into the lot.

—There is no prettier sight on a farm than nice big flock of buff chicks—Buff Plymouth Rocks or Buff Leghorns. Eggs of these varieties can be bought from C. J. Stuckey, Mechanicsburg, O. See adv.

—The monthly young folks' reception of the Y. M. C. A. was held last Thursday evening, the ladies of the M. E. church being in charge. After a brief musical and literary program, coffee and cake were served. A basket ball game was played.

—General Manager F. D. Underwood of the B. & O. railroad is authority for the statement that the P. & W. is now a part of the B. & O. system and has been since the death of Calvin Brice, and only the legal transfer is wanting to make the deal complete.

—Plate Glass Works officials give the diameters of three of the twelve tables in the grinding shed at 26 feet, and nine at 22 feet. The usual size of a table in other factories is 23½ feet, so that while three of the tables are larger than the average, nine are smaller.

—The B. R. & P. will run an excursion train to Pittsburg on next Sunday—Easter. The train will leave Craigsville at 9:25, Fenelton at 9:36, Butler at 10:00 a.m.; and arrive at Allegheny at 11:30. Returning leaves the P. & W. Station in Allegheny at 6:00 p.m. The fare for the round trip is $1.

—A drunken man kicked a barrel of seed onions standing in front of Henry Miller's grocery store down the basement steps into the cellar, Tuesday. Policeman Mitchell saw it, grabbed the man and took him into the store where his kick cost him $1. "Goat" Zimmerman got the dollar for picking up the onions.

—At the meeting of the Butler School Board, Monday evening, the Thayer brothers of New Castle were selected as architects for the proposed school building on Institute Hill, and Owsley of Youngstown for the First Ward building. The lot of O. I. Riddle on the hill was purchased for $1,350, and McCrea's lot will be occupied under the school law. The location for the Springdale building has not yet been decided upon. The Board proposes erecting five-room buildings, so planned as to be readily enlarged.

—One of the most interesting of the old books in Butler, at present, is the account book of the old Mechling hotel, for the years 1810, 1811 and 1812. All our male ancestors (and a few of the other sex) had accounts at the hotel—probably on account of the lack of change in those days—and there are charges against all of them for "one gill of whisky, 6¼ cents;" "one quart of whisky, 25 cents;" "pint of gin 19 cents;" etc., which shows that liquor was very cheap those days; but when it came to fancy or mixed drinks—gin slings, P (peach) brandy, C (cherry) bounce sling, egg-nog, etc. the charges are 12½, 25, 37½ and 50 cents, while a few bottles of wine are charged at $1, $1.50 and $2.

PERSONAL.

Cal. Wise of Penn twp. was in town, Tuesday.

Mrs. Elvira Lyon is back from Florida.

I. C. McClymonds of Evans City was in town on business, Tuesday.

Will Heydrick and family have gone to housekeeping at 310 W. Peen St.

Charlie Godwin has opened a jewelry and repair shop on Jefferson street.

Dr. O. P. Pisor of North Hope was a business visitor in Butler, Tuesday.

Ed. Steighner of Herman is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Ed. L. Rice and wife of Forward twp. did some shopping in Butler, yesterday.

Henry Studebaker, aged 96 years of Jacksville had a serious stroke of paralysis, Sunday.

D. C. Cubbison of Harrisville has been appointed to West Point from the 2nd Congressional district of Kansas.

Grant Grossman of Brady twp. was in town, Tuesday. He lately returned from York state where he was agent for the Home Comfort Range Co.

Ex-Sheriff John T. Kelly was stricken with so severe an attack of heart failure last evening at his home on W. Jefferson street, that his life was despaired of.

Joseph Moore, lately of Grove City, has moved to North Washington where he will engage in the hardware business with his son-in-law, J. A. Williamson.

Mrs. John Waddell drove into Butler from Plano, Sunday morning, to meet her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ed Waddell, who was returning from a visit to her husband.

Supts. Gibson and Painter and Prof. Irvine attended the "Round Table" of Superintendents and Principals at Greenville, last week, and Prof. Gibson read a paper.

Eugene Rauscher and Charles Henry have left for Uniontown, Pa., where Rauschers have a contract for building fifty coal miners' houses. The job is expected to last eight months.

Tensard DeWolf, political editor of the Pittsburg Leader, returned to the city, Sunday, after a week's loaf at home. Tense started in as a route reporter and is gradually working upward in the newspaper world.

Harry King of Saxonburg is a member of Troop A, 11th U. S. Vol. Cavalry, which was with Gen. Lawton when he was killed at San Mateo. The General was standing near Harry on the firing line and had spoken to him just a moment before being shot.

Ex-County Treasurer Francis Anderson of Saxonburg has a big family Bible whose records date back to 1779, the oldest entry being, "Garet More was born in the year of our Lord on March the 31st, 1779." Mr. Anderson intends to place it in the Saxonburg exhibit at the County Centennial.

D. A. Heck and son Will left last Thursday for Columbiana, Ohio, to take charge of their store there. The rest of the family will move as soon as John, who is recovering from typhoid fever, is able to be about. Mr. Heck's many friends wish him success in his new location.

N. J. Spohn of Summit twp. is able to be about again after recovering from the typhoid fever. His family, twelve in number, had an all winter siege of it. Of the twelve, ten had the fever, seven being sick at one time. Two, Hattie and Lee, died. The disease is supposed to have been caused by a pool of stagnent water in a field below the house.

John W. Coulter, Esq. while in Allegheny twp., a few days since, sat in a chair that is nearly 200 years old. The chair is a split bottom, straight back one and will probably be at our Centennial. It is now owned by Mrs. John Sutton and was the property of her great grandfather, James Anderson, and was made shortly after the year 1700. Mrs. Sutton also has a large Bible that is very considerably over a hundred years old.

—Tarentum is to have a new bank.

—Spring is preparing to go into the new leaf industry.

—Alleged wives of C. L. Davis, late proprietor of the Alvin theatre in Pittsburg, are turning up in all parts of the country.

—A party of fifteen, including Joseph Reiseman of Franklin, have purchased a tract of 68000 acres in southern Mexico, on which they will plant rubber trees.

—Friday, the 20th, is the next Arbor day, and you should plant a tree along your street or road, but not like the fellow who sang—

I rams them in,
Now thick, now thin,
For what care I
They grow or die.

—DeWitt Miller delivered the last lecture in the Y. M. C. A. course, Tuesday evening. His subject was, "Is the Republic Sufficient Unto Itself?" According to Mr. Miller our Republic has innumerable virtues and few blemishes, and is sufficient unto itself till the end of all things. A crowded house listened to him.

PARK THEATRE.

THE KLARK—SCOVILLE CO.—ALL NEXT WEEK.

The Klark—Scoville Co. will open at the Park Theatre Monday for a week's stay, in the great comedy drama, "All a Mistake." The press of near-by towns where this company has played recommend them very highly. There will be no waits between acts, as specialties will be introduced by different members of the company. Ladies will be admitted to the best reserved seats on Monday night for 15 cents, if they get their seats reserved before 7 p. m. Monday.

ONE OF OUR GIRLS—APRIL 30.

In "One of Our Girls", which will be seen here April 30th, Henrietta Crosman has a play that is said to excel any ever turned out by that prince of dramatists, Bronson Howard. In fact, "One of Our Girls" is Mr. Howard's pet play, and himself regards it as the best bit of writing he has accomplished. In the letter to Maurice Campbell, Miss Crosman's manager, a few days ago, Mr. Howard wrote: "I hear nothing but good of Miss Crosman's performance of the leading part, and I have the highest respect for her artistic position."

Grand Opera House Pittsburg

Next week the Grand Stock Company will repeat for six performances only the greatest success of the theatrical season in Pittsburg, "Quo Vadis."

Markets.

Wheat,	wholesale price	60
Rye,	"	45
Oats,	"	29
Corn,	"	43
Hay,	"	10 00
Eggs,	"	10
Butter,	"	18 22
Potatoes,	"	50
Cabbage, per lb		01
Apples		$1
Squash, small, per lb.		01
Turnips, per bu		40
Onions, per bu		50
Carrots, per bu		50
Parsnips, pur bu		50
Chicken, dressed, per lb		10–12
Onion sets, retail, per qt		10

Maker to Wearer.

Every self-respecting man desires to be well dressed; his friends and neighbors respect him all the more.

A well-dressed man is always at peace with himself and the whole world.

The Chicago Tailors' Association, is a union of practical Tailors, asking only fair wages for their labor. They are all artists in their line—it is impossible for them to make other than high-grade garments. Even the lowest $9.33 suit (express prepaid) cannot be duplicated at anywhere near our prices. It will pay you to call on the Salesman or send him a postal and he will call on you with the finest line of cloths ever shown.

I. H. PISOR,
Hooker, Pa.

LEGAL NEWS.

NEW SUITS

John Callahan vs Joseph H Reott, appeal by defendant from judgment rendered by Thomas McGucken, J. P.

Scire facias sur mechanics liens have been filled against the Davis Lead Co. and Clement Niggle, contractor, for claims of P. C. Kelly for $28.25, Theo Deimling for $10.15 and James T. Wickenhagen for $17.61.

Sidney Wimer, by her next friend John Stoughton vs William Wimer, petition for divorce, from bed and board, with alimony. The parties were married in 1884 and the declaration states that during the past year her husband struck her twice with his fist and chased her with a razor.

J. W. Gould, a junk dealer, has sued Adam Rettig, a well known Summit twp. farmer, for $10,000 damages for malicious prosecution and false imprisonment. In August, 1899, Gould was arrested on complaint of Rettig on two charges, larceny of the gearing part of a threshing machine, and buying and receiving junk from minors (Rettig's boys who had sold Gould some old machinery and scrap iron without their parents leave) The grand jury at Sept. term, 1899, ignored the charge of larceny and Gould was placed on trial on the second charge and acquitted by order of the Court, the costs being placed on Rettig. The statement says Gould was in jail—long time—four days in all—and he wants the damages for his injured reputation, etc.

NOTES.

On petition of his father Isaiah Armstrong of Marion twp. Montgomery Armstrong, aged 23 years, has been placed in the Polk Institution for Feeble Minded.

The report of the bridge inspectors on the Marshall bridge in Forward twp. has been approved. The bridgework cost $1500, and the masonry done by I. T. Heaven, $916.18.

R. J. Barron has been appointed tax collector of Cherry twp. vice W. J. Graham, who declined the office.

The will of Hugh McCrea, dec'd, of Butler twp. has been probated. By its terms he leaves his wife, besides his dower, all his money, bonds, etc., three lots on Brady St., Butler, the use of the homestead south of town for life and all its furniture; to his sons Wm. S. and Geo. D. together 150 acres in Clearfield twp.; to Bernard he leaves 175 acres in Clearfield twp., 100 being for himself and 75 as trustee for his brother Hiram; to James and Francis he gives the homestead farm, 42 acres, south of town; to his daughters Catharine Flick and Mary E. Leech 100 acres of land in Clearfield twp.; to his son John S. his one half interest in the John McGrady farm, 42 acres in Clearfield twp.; to Hugh McCrea, Jr. $100. His sons John S., Wm. S. and James M. are named as executors.

The will of Sam'l C. Campbell of Brady twp. has been probated and letters granted to Lewis Martsolf.

James Orr has appealed from the assessment of damages filed by viewers Jessee A. Heydrick, Samuel Leslie and R. R. Mahan, on the petition of citizens of Adams twp. for a new road to run from Orr's place on the Five Degree road to the Three Degree road at the Hays and Perry farms. The report of the viewers was filed last December and Orr was allowed no damages.

A new tax law was passed by the last Legislature and is now in force by which a tax collector can enter his claim in the Prothonotary's office againt a delinquent taxpayer and the claim becomes a first lien on the property of the delinquent. The law will be of interest to the tax collectors and tax payers.—Ex.

The will of Wm. H. Atwell of Marion twp. has been probated and letters granted to Julia A. Atwell, Adm'x, C. T. A.

George Emerick was committed to jail by Esq. August Schilling of Reibold, charged with robbing his aunt with whom he lived of $40.

On petition of S. W. Galbreath, the place of deposit for the Winfield twp. ballott box was changed from the residence of Benj. Douthett, dec'd., to that of L. H. Bicker.

The Davis vs McCafferty & McCrea, equity suit has been withdrawn.

Edward Rollins, colored, aged about 14 years, has been committed to jail on a charge of incorrigibility for throwing stones.

Richard F. Dana, of New Castle has sued Thomas M. King, receiver of the Pittsburg & Western railroad for $20,000 damages. The case has been entered in the United States circuit court at Pittsburg. The complainant alleges that on June 24, 1899, while a passenger on a train near Renfrew station the car in which he was riding jumped the track and rolled down an embankment. Owing to this accident his right knee cap was broken and he also received permanent injuries.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Bteaden & Conway to Evan Lutheran Church lot in W Sunbury for $775.

John W Powell to Wm H Witte lot at Sarvers Station.

Elvina A Morris to F J Forquer 57 acres in Washington for $712.67.

F J Forquer to C A Morris quit claim for same for $712.67.

Ann and Ella Campbell to same quit claim for same for $1.

Amos E Graf to B A Cohn lot on Elm St. Butler for $1950.

Edw Christie to Glenn W Christie 193 acres in Parker for $100.

Jos M Christie to same same for $100.

Albert M Christie same for $800.

Robert Hogg, Jr. same for $200.

John R Christie same for $100.

Alvin A Anderson same for $125.

T H Greer to Letta Montgomery 25 acres in Buffalo for $500.

T H Greer to John Montgomery 25 acers in Buffalo for $500.

M J Neff to Sarah M Gillespie lot in Butler twp for $800.

Wm R Carnahan to Evertt G Campbell 76 acres in Brady for $1800.

Sarah Gumpher to John A Black 5 acres in Donegal for $133.25.

Andrew Fehl to Geo. J. Hetrick lot in Petersville for $150.

Geo. Oesterling to Wm. McLaughlin on W. Jefferson St., Butler, for $3200.

Wm. J. Rodgers to F. A. Griffin coal rights in 21 acres in Donegal for $300.

Henry Weydman to Amelia Gruver lot on South St., Butler, for $1200.

Edward J. Sproul to Tena J. Seaton lot in Marion for $225.

Mars Cemetery Ass'n to J. G. Downie lot in Adams for $50.

R. M. Downie to John G. Downie lot in Adams for $900.

John B. McConnell to W. F. Murtland 2 acres in Concord for $1.

Martha J. Elliott to I. E. Blakeley 56 acres in Buffalo for $2500.

Butler Sgs. Bank to O. I. Riddle lot in Butler for $1.

Joseph A. Green to J. S. Gould lots in Penn twp. for $723.40.

E. F. Hays to C. H. Johnston lot in Millerstown for $136.50.

Pioneer Nat Gas Co. to American Nat. Gas Co. property in Butler county for $100,000. Deed dated May 17, 1898.

Joseph T. Donley to Dr. W. J. Beatty lot on Centre Ave, Butler, for $4500.

Marriage Licenses.

H. F. Leslie	Emlenton
Minnie P. Hilliard	Six Points
Joseph Sanderson	Euclid
Gertrude Love	Butler twp
James William Perry	Glenora
Alice Hannah Bullman	"
Frank H. Logan	Glade Mills
Gertrude S. Bartley	Ivywood
Frank M. Sarver	Buttercup
Ella Miller	"
A. O. Hepler	Butler
Clara H. Gilfillen	"
H. F. Leslie	Emlenton
M. P. Hilliard	Six Points
Christian Herrit	Summit twp
Annie Doerr	Winfield twp
Harvey Huff	Oil City
Anna Fennell	Fenelton
W. D. Rider	Concord twp
Maggie O'Conners	New Castle

At Beaver, Edward Powell of Knob and Eva Kelly of Ogle.

Just received at Amy & Brown's a new lot of fine Bed Room Suits. Nothing better for the money to be found anywhere.

An Odd Affair.

Some boys who have been annoying the meek and lowly Chinese laundryman, who lives and works in the basement under Newton's Music Store, were responsible for an unfortunate affair on our streets last Sunday night.

The boys threw stones against the Chinaman's door and then like the wicked flea, got out of sight. The Chinaman rushed up to the street, spied a couple of ladies and their kids on the other side, returning from church, and rushed across and tried to grab a boy. The women interferred, and then he wanted them to go across the street to see the broken glass but couldn't say so, and caught one of them by the arm. This scared the women, and they ran and screamed, and the Chinaman ran after them. At Boos' corner some men interferred and tried to turn the Chinaman back, and when he persisted in following the women and boys they boxed his ears. This started the Chinaman screaming like a wild cat, but he dodged around the men and took after the women again who ran across the street and took refuge in the office of the Kramer livery. The Chinaman tried to follow them in, and then some men kicked him and slugged him and slung him around by his cue; and still he kept at it. Five men hurt their hands slugging that Chinaman before he desisted; and the odd part of the affair was that not one of them could knock him down.

Next day his face was black and blue all over, and he looked and acted like a crazy man.

OIL NOTES.

The Market—Both agencies dropped to $1,60 last Saturday afternoon, and to $1.57 Tuesday and it remains there.

PETERSVILLE—The Forest has brought in a good well on the Miss Fehl farm. It filled up with oil from the 100 foot.

CLEARFIELD TWP—Leithold & Co. are drilling on the Leithold farm.

WINFIELD TWP—Cabot, the lampblack man, is drilling for gas on the Fred Witte. The tools were stuck twice and the rig had to be moved and a new hole started. Cabot is to drill thirty wells during the summer.

BUTLER TWP—Amy & Co. have a nice well on the Danl. Nickel.

ADAMS—The Forest has a new but small producer on the Ramsey, and Staples & Co. one on the Irvine, near Callery.

FAIRVIEW—Davis Bros. No. 3 on the Mays near Kaylor started off at 5 bbls. an hour.

MUDDYCREEK—The Finnessy well on the Jones farm northeast of Portersville came in about two weeks ago and will be a small producer from the Berea grit. The territory is closely leased up.

Horses Wanted.

Will be at the Wick House stable, Butler, Pa., on Friday and Saturday, April 13th and 14th, to buy horses, age 3 to 8 years, weighing from 1100 up.

C. B. MOLL.

A GORGEOUSLY BOUND

Work of art has just been issued in New York at an outlay of over $100,000 for which the publishers desire a Manager in this county, also a good solicitor; good pay to right party. Nearly 100 full-page engravings, sumptuous paper, illuminated covers and bindings; over 200 golden lillies in the morocco bindings; nearly 100 golden roses in the cloth bindings. Sells at sight; presses running day and night so great is the sale. Christian men and women making fortunes taking orders. Rapid promotions. One Christian woman made clear $500 in four weeks taking orders among her church acquaintances and friends. Write us. It may lead to a permanent paying position to manage our business and look after our large correspondence, which you can attend to right at your home. Address S. C. KNOWLES,

General Secretary,
12 East 15th Street, New York.

LAST OF THE SEASON.

Low Rates to Washington and Baltimore.

The last ten-day Pennsylvania Railroad excursion of the season from Pittsburg and points in Western Pennsylvania to Washington will be run on May 10. Round-trip tickets will be sold at rates quoted below, good going on special train indicated, or on train No. 4, leaving Pittsburg at 8.30 P. M., and carrying through sleeping cars to Washington. Special train of through parlor cars and coaches will be run on the following schedule:

	Trains leave.	Rate.
Pittsburg	8.00 A. M.	$9.00
Tarentum	7.37 "	9.00
Natrona	7.41 "	9.00
Butler	6.25 "	9.00
Freeport	7.51 "	9.00
Altoona	11.40 "	7.35
Washington	Ar 7.15 P. M.	....

Tickets will be good returning on any regular train, except the Pennsylvania Limited, until March 24 and May 19, inclusive, respectively, and to stop off at Baltimore within limit.

Holders of special excursion tickets to Washington can purchase, at the Pennsylvania Railroad ticket offices in Washington, excursion tickets to Richmond at rate of $4.00, and to Old Point Comsort (all rail) at $6.00; from pursers of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company excursion tickets (not including meals and staterooms on steamers) to Old Point Comfort or Norfolk, Va., at $3.50, and to Virginia Beach, at $4.50; Washington to Mount Vernon and return, via Electric Railway, 50 cents.

Should the number of passengers not be sufficient to warrant the running of a special train, the company reserves the right to carry participants on regular train.

Tickets on sale in Pittsburg, at Union Ticket Office, 360 Fifth Avenue, and Union Station, and at all stations mentioned above. For full information apply to agents or Thomas E. Watt, Passenger Agent Western District, Fifth Avenue and Smithfield Street, Pittsburg.

The New Royal Sewing Machine sold by Amy & Brown has every good point of every high grade machine made. It has high arm, double four-motion drop feed, adjustable hard steel bearings, self-threading shuttle, stitch regulator, full set of attachments, & etc. When our friend "the agent" tells you that "New Royal" is no good, you can be dead sure "it is all in his eye." We will sell you three machines and warrant each one of them for ten years for the $65.00 he asks you for one. Don't allow him to "do" you.

WANTED—Christian man or woman to qualify for permanent position of trust in your home county. $850 yearly. Enclose self-addressed, stamped envelope to R. S. WALLACE, General Secretary, care of the CITIZEN.

Bicycles for 1900.

The Butler Cycle Company's grand opening is now going on at their new rooms, 123 West Jefferson street, where can be seen the finest lot of wheels and bicycle supplies ever brought to Butler. The public is cordially invited to call and inspect their goods. No matter whether you wish to purchase or not, call and you will be welcome. As there is only one flag, there is only one wheel, the "NATIONAL," of which we make a specialty, but we have others. The Snell and Eagle, which with the National, form the three best wheels in the market. The "Eagle" is the ladies favorite and they sell them at special rates that can't be duplicated any where Wheels at prices to suit everybody, from $9 to $50. They have a large number of old wheels at prices lower than the lowest. The repair shop is an important feature, and in order to keep the workmen, Jack Thompson and Ben Burckhalter busy, big reductions in repair work will be given from now till April 25. Everything pertaining to bikes always on hand. Wheels fixed while you wait. Give them a call. Remember the place, 123 West Jefferson street. We handle only anti-trust wheels.

Fruit and Cigars.

Philip Smith has moved his store to 132 East Jefferson street, where he will continue to keep the best of tobacco and cigars; and also fruit and candy. Call and see him at his new place.

FIRES.

The general store of Mrs. J. Z. Murrin at Anandale was destroyed by fire, Tuesday morning. The building was owned by Ed. Moyers. Mrs. Murrin's loss is put at $1,500 with insurance of $800 and Moyers at $800.

The stock of the great dry-goods firm of Jos. Horne & Co., Pittsburg, was again destroyed by fire and water, Saturday night. The fire was first noticed on the fifth floor, about midnight, by some passers by on Fifth street, and it spread to the sixth floor, and then down to the lower floor in an hour or two, the heat being so intense as to nullify all efforts of the firemen. It is supposed to have originated from some materials left in the building by some decorators The loss is put at over a million dollars with about a million insurance. The strangest features of the affair were that the three watchman in the building did not know of the fire until the engines began coming; and that a little dog on the roof lived through the fire; though a part of the roof fell in.

ACCIDENTS.

Wednesday morning a man giving his name as C. F. Searing fell while coming down the steps of Berg's bank and had his head cut severely by striking on the pavement.

George Siebert, the W. Wayne St. blacksmith, had a shoulder dislocated by a horse falling on him Wednesday.

Margaret, a four-year-old daughter of James B. Mates was severely burned by her dress igniting from a bonfire in their yard on E Pearl St. Her heavy flannel dress prevented the fire from burning her body, but her cotton apron ruffled at the throat, burned quickly, giving the little girl very severe burns about the face and neck.

A horse ridden by a boy named O'Brien fell at the corner of Main and Jefferson streets Tuesday afternoon, coming down on the boy's leg and bruising it painfully. The boy's face was also scratched up.

Yes; we are selling Go-Carts. The popularity of design, coupled with right prices have caused the large stock recently received to move so rapidly that we have already ordered another large invoice which is now due to arrive. You won't care to look elsewhere after seeing the beautiful designs and noting prices at Amy & Brown's. See us while the selection is complete.

A Novel Tire Inflater.

Geo. W. Mardorf the N. Main St. Bicycle dealer has completed quite a novel arrangement for inflating pneumatic tires, namely compressed air. The storage tank which is located in his repair shop is filled with air to a pressure of 50 to 60 pounds and piped to convenient points in his store, also a connection at the front of building for the use of the public. Tires can be inflated with this system in less time and with less labor than the old back-breaking method of pump inflations. Call and test this arrangement when in need of air. It is free.

John W. Powell's big store sale stands adjourned until April 2nd, at which time it will continue until finished.

JOHN W. POWELL,
Sarver Sta. W. P. Ry., Pa.

Gas stoves in all styles and prices at
W. H. O'BRIEN & SON'S,
107 E. Jefferson St.

Amy & Brown can show you the largest line of Chiffoniers to be found in Butler. Prices $6.50 to $28.00.

Music scholars wanted at 128 West Wayne St

Parties wishing to purchase or sell oil properties, farms, city residences or real estate of any kind, should call upon Wm. Walker, in Ketterer's b'd'g, opposite P, O. Butler Pa. Peoples Phone No. 174.

30 Horses Wanted.

The undersigned will be at the Wick Livery Barn, Butler, Pa., on Saturday, April 14th, and at Filer's Livery Barn, Grove City, Pa., on Monday, April 16, to buy horses or mares from 4 to 8 years old and from 1050 to 1500 lbs.

Bring in the good ones and get the cash HARRY SEANOR.

Bicycles for 1900.

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Centreville, May 8.
North Washington, May 9.
Farmington, May 10.
Butler, May 12.

Professional certificate examination will be held in Butler, June 9.

Last examination for the year Butler, July 28.

Examinations will begin promptly at 9 o'clock—teachers be on time.

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Communion services will be held in the Grace Lutheran church on next Sunday at 11 a. m. Holy week is being observed, services being held each evening except Saturday. Preparatory services on Friday evening at 7:30.

Rev. McKee read the annual report of the U. P. congregation at the Sunday morning service. It showed the present membership to be 532 and the contributions for the year $5400. The Sunday School has 333 members and its collections during the year amounted to $239. Five new members were received Sunday.

The M. E. Congregation has made extensive repairs on their church edifice and on Sunday, April 1, they raised $2500 by subrcription at the morning and evening services to pay their debts and then rededicated the church. Rev. Bell Neff of Oil City conducted the services.

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