THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 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.

Auditor's Report of Butler Boro.
Notice, estate of Rosanna Brown.
Amy & Brown's locals.
C. & T's Carpets.

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 Masons held over their ball game for the benefit of the hospital until the Centennial. Decoration Day being too wet.

"The sweet girl graduate in her golden hair,"
Who at the Pierian Spring's been drinking some,
Doth now appear and earnestly declare
"The Past is Gone—the Future is to come."

N. B.—This sublime verse by the new Poet Laureate of the Connoquenessing is not copyrighted, and it will be noticed that in some respects it equals that of the old Poet Laureate of the Connoquenessing, i.e.

"The new mown hay,
At evening of the day,
Has fragrance sweet smelling
Beyond anything telling."

—Never forget to read the new ads.

—The late rains helped the hay and oats crops.

—Whitehill's white-squadron is a winsome window wonder.

—See corrected "Bessie," B. R. & P. and P. & W. schedules on this page.

—The sugar barons have gone into a sweet arrangement with themselves.

—If it rains pitchforks during Centennial week it will be a rain of terror.

—The Census Enumerator will begin asking questions and filling up blanks, tomorrow.

—Bikes and autos will never starve out the horse. He'll always have a bit in his mouth.

—During the siege of Mafeking picking a bone with one was a sure sign of horsepitality.

—Very few people thoroughly understand an eclipse. It is over the heads of most of us.

—The trust in tin cans is not surprising. Almost anything can be had in tin cans these days.

—Preaching services on the through trains will be classed as running remarks on good lines.

—A cotton crash on your back and a cotton crash on the stock market are two different things.

—Co. L, 16th N. G. P. will be inspected in the Armory, Monday evening, by Maj John P. Penny.

—Though New York has driven slugger out of the city, she is going back to the old fashioned knocker.

—The W. S. & E. Wick lumber firm purchased a fine iron gray draft team at West Sunbury, last week.

—Now that the time limit has been expunged the Methodist minister's story will not be such a moving one.

—Fourth-of-July bunting looks old in May, but it means the only Centennial of the county any of us will ever see.

—The Empire Brick and Tile Co. of Keister has a contract for 60,000 brick for the new model school building at Slipperyrock.

—Strawberry and ice cream month begins tomorrow, and before it will have reached its end many a church debt will be wiped out.

—Quite a number of W. Va. editors passed through Butler, last Saturday morning, on a special B. R. & P. train, bound for Buffalo.

—Notwithstanding the threatening weather a large number of Butlerites attended the picnic at Maple Grove on the P. & W., yesterday.

—Co. L will meet in Armory Hall on Monday evening, next at 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing a Second Lieutenant, vice O. C. McClung, resigned.

—More judgments have been paid off during the first four months of this year, than during the whole of last year, which indicates an improved financial condition of the county.

—A young widow of the northern part of the county, when requested by her attorney to give a list of her household effects for the widow's appraisment, sent down the following: "Two cows, a calf and a pig."

—At a meeting of Co. E, 15th Pa. Vols., last Thursday evening, a committee was appointed to make arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day with the G. A. R. All Spanish war veterans to be invited to participate. It was also decided to parade on soldiers' day of the Centennial, in fatigue uniform.

—Carruthers & Co. are not only operating their old machine shop at Callery, but also the Bessemer Gas Engine Works at Grove City and a machine shop at Marietta, O. Their plant at Grove city is said to be the best equipped machine shop in Pennsylvania, Westinghouse's excepted. Dr. Fithian formerly of Callery and John McCune are the "Co."

—As the orbit of the moon around the earth, and that of the earth around the sun are nearly in the same plane, the three bodies occasionally come in line, and there is an eclipse. On Monday morning last the moon was directly between the earth and sun, and there was an eclipse of the sun,—partial here, but total along a line extending across the Southern states from New Orleans to Norfolk. The event was of great interest to the astronomers, a large number of whom assembled at Wadesboro, N.C., some days before, and erected large telescopes, with which very satisfactory photographs of the eclipse were made.

Amy & Brown have the largest assortment of Coucheets to found in the county. We have them in Velour, Tapestry or Leather, smooth or tufted. All tufted couches have patent button from cheapest to more expensive ten row shallow tufting with hair top. We can show you the finest leather couch ever offered in Butler for the money. See it.

An old saying, and a very wise one is, "When in Rome, do as Romans do," and when in Butler, do as the wise people do, viz: buy your hot plates, oven cookers, incandescent gas lamp and plumbing supplies at Geo. W. Whitehill's, the plumber, 318 S. Main St. (Remember that we have moved from our old store to our new one, two doors south of Butler Co. Nat. Bank

Do you want a Sewing Machine that is simple of construction, extremely light to run, and that will do the most artistic, as well as ordinary sewing—buy the "New Royal" sold by Amy & Brown. No agents profits for you to pay on our machine. Price $16.75 up.

PERSONAL.

Showalter's star still shines

Postmaster Brown is now doing extra time.

J. D. Campbell, of Pump, was in town, Tuesday.

Geo. B. Heck, of Centre township, was in town, Tuesday.

Austin's poetic light has been sent to Mafeking for laureation.

Mrs. C. O. C. Grant of Mars, visited friends in Butler, last week.

H. L. Bicker of Winfield twp. was in town, on business, Saturday.

R. H. Peters of Clinton twp. was intown on business, Thursday.

John L. Herr, of Harmony, is serving his county on the jury this week.

Ex-Gov. Taylor remains in Indiana He's no longer in it in Kentucky.

Rev. Jonathan Coulter of Crawford's Corners is suffering from a very sore foot.

Kruger says he has a chip on his shoulder, but no olive branch in his hand.

Miss Ethel Linn, of Grove City, is visiting Miss Vella Tinker of Jefferson township.

Rev. S. J. Crowe, of Warren, O., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. McCandless, Tuesday.

James B. Fulton and wife, of Middlesex, visited Sup'd't Graham of the Poor Farm, Monday.

A. C. Krug, formerly of the Savings Bank is now Ass't Cashier of the Butler Co. National Bank.

Mrs. Susan Patterson visited her brother James A. Negley of Phil'a, who is in poor health, last week.

Fred. Harper of the South Side won the 100 yd., 220 yd. and 440 yd. sprints at Allegheny College, Monday.

George Turner and wife and S. L. Rhodes the merchant of W. Sunbury, were Butler visitors Monday.

John Burris and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Burris of Whitestown, did some shopping in Butler last Saturday.

Elias Ritts, of Clarion county, was in Butler this week on a visit to his son, J. V. Ritts, of the National Bank. Mr. Ritts is a well preserved man now 78 years of age.

Josiah Kiskaddon was a visitor to Allegheny township, his old home last Saturday. He has had Geo. Reno of Butler place a new tombstone over Mrs. Kiskaddon's grave in the Pres. cemetery west of Foxburg.

Dr Huselton and wife of Allegheny rode up in his Automobile last Thursday afternoon. Brade Black scared at the thing and tumbled over Jno. Campbell, who yelled murder, and then the Dr. took it to the grocery and had it shod.

W. K. Brown of Slipperyrock is now in his 91st year. He was born near Chambersburg, Franklin Co., Pa. in 1812; his father moved to this county in 1812 and built the old "Stone house", cosequently he has been in this county 88years, and is probably the oldest citizen in the county. He and his two sons served in the Roundhead regiment, during the war.

Mr. William M. Seligman, the popular young tailor of W. Jefferson St. and Miss Olive Wible were married last Thursday noon at the bride's home, in Worthington. Armstrong county, the former home of the Seligmans. Saturday evening the groom's parents gave a reception at their home in honor of the marriage. The young folks will move to Gettysburg Pa. where Will is studying in the Lutheran Seminary as a student for the ministry.

Memorial Day.

The A. G. Reed Post 105 of the G. A. R. held its annual memorial services in the Court room Wednesday afternoon

The heavy rains having caused too much dampness for all to go to the cemeteries, details were sent out in the morning to decorate the graves of the dead. In the afternoon Co. L of the 16th N. G. P. under Capt. Moore formed on the Diamond and fired a salute in honor of the veteran dead. Then the crowd went into the Court House where R. P. Scott presided, Rev. Worrel opened the services with prayer, followed by singing America. The orator of the day was Rev. Maxwell of Greensburg, Ind., who was raised at Harrisville and left Butler county thirty years ago. After his speech the audience was dismissed with benediction pronounced by Rev. Pollard.

A detail from Co. E. 15th P. V. decorated the grave of Albert Walters.

James M. Galbreath spoke to the old soldiers at Petrolia, James Hutchison at Summit church, Col. John M Thompson at Harrisville, A. G. Williams at Leechburg.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. Smith, of Glade Mills, will preach next Sunday morning on the theme: "Why I am a Calvinist."

St. John's M. E. church at Halston is preparing to hold a children's day entertainment about the first of July.

The M. E. Church of Butler was handsomely decorated for the occasion, and the room was crowded last Sunday evening, and Rev. White's Memorial sermon was a very happy one.

The regular meeting of the Nathan Missionary Society will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms on the 1st Tuesday of the month at three P. M. instead of the second on account of the Centennial.

The Ministerial Ass'n of the New Castle district of the M. P. Church, will meet June 4th and 5th at Slipperyrock. A good programme has been prepared.

Markets.

Wheat,	wholesale price	.60
Rye,	"	.45
Oats,	"	.28
Corn,	"	.42
Hay,	"	.10 00
Eggs,	"	.10
Butter,	"	.13-16
Potatoes,	"	.25 35
Lettuce, per lb.		.15
Chicken, dressed, per lb		.10-12
Onions, per dozen bunches		.15
Rhubarb, per doz bunches		.15 20
Radishes, per doz bunches		.15 20

A Book Free With the Souvenir.

By arrangement with the publishers, we are selling the Butler County Centennial Souvenir Volume. It will be a fine work at the popular price of 50 cents each. We will give with each order for the Souvenir sent to us, your choice of these fine favorite books free: "In His Steps," "The Prince of the House of David," "Ten Nights in a Barroom," "The Lamplighter," beside the "Bonnie Brier Bush." Send 50c. now, get this county's history when it is ready in a few days and get your free book by return mail. The proceeds go to our church debt. H. T. Lavely, Sec'y Mutual Aid Subscription Agency, Slipperyrock, Pa.

Philadelphia Excursion Via P. & W. and B. & O. Rys.

On June 14 to 18 inclusive, Pittsburg & Western agents will sell excursion tickets to Philadelphia and return at one fare for the round trip, account Republican National Convention. Tickets good for return until June 26, 1900. Rate from Butler $9.00.

FARM FOR SALE.

The farm in Winfield township near Leasureville, known as the William Beckett farm, and containing one-hundred acres of good ground, all cleared excepting about 30 acres of good timber, good brick house and large frame barn, good springs and good orchard, is for sale. Inquire of Jas. M. Galbreath, Esq., in Butler, or H. F. Foster, in Leasureville, Butler Co., Pa.

FOR SALE.

Mr. John A. Goetz, of the First ward of Butler, will sell his planing mill at a very low price. His lot is 160 by 145 and is along and near the Pittsburg & Western Railroad. For further particulars inquire at CITIZEN office, Butler, Pa.

FOR SALE.

Farm of 61 acres, two miles north of West Sunbury, good house, good water. Will sell cheap or exchange for small farm near Butler. See W. J. BLACK, Liveryman.

LEGAL NEWS.

GRAND JURY FINDINGS.

The Grand Jury acted upon 28 indictments, finding 22 true bills and ignoring 6 as follows:

True Bills—C E. Goodrich, J. B. Gall, August Maire, James McGrath, John B. Duprel, Joseph Laurent, Nicholas Spohn, Clement Dubuque, Michael McLaughlin, and Victor Monnier, violating liquor laws; J. W. Thompson, furnishing liquor to a minor and adultery; George Emrick, larceny and breaking into a dwelling house; Albert Grossman, f&b; Emma Grabe, assault; Frank Stevenson, felonious assault, with fire arms; Joseph Laurent and Mamie Steele, keeping disorderly houses; Findley Thompson, James Edwards, Ed. McKissick, and Chas Serals of Parker twp. furnishing liquor on Sunday, and to minors, a count of selling liquor without license against each was ignored.

Not True Bills—John Daly, being a tramp, costs put on County; Geo and Milton Emerick, violating livery act, costs on county; Newton Hilliard, larceny, costs on county; A. H. Williams, larceny, Henry Mock pay costs; David Holiday, furnishing liquor without license and to minors, costs on county; Mike McLaughlin, keeping a disorderly house, costs on county.

PRESENTMENT.

In its presentment the Grand Jury reccommended some small repairs about the Court House, including the placing of stained glass windows in the south side of the Court room; the jail and county building were found to be in good condition; the poor farm was visited and the work all reported as good except the plastering. The changing of the name of Centreville borough was recommended; also the erection of a bridge over Bear creek in Parker twp. The petition of Foward twp. citizens for a new bridge over the Connoquenessing was disapproved. The Saxonburg road from Butler to the Jefferson twp. line was reported in bad condition.

A watchman was demanded for the P. B. & L. E. Karns crossing.

A barn of suitable dimensions was suggested for the poor farm.

A rule was granted on the P. B. & L. E. to show cause why they do not remedy the trouble at Kearns crossing; also on the Summit twp. supervisors to show cause why they should not be indicted, rule to be heard June 20. The Commissioners were ordered to have stained windows in the Court room ready for the September term.

CRIMINAL COURT.

Saturday Mamie Steel plead guilty to keeping a disordly house on Elm St. and was sentenced to pay costs, $10 fine, undergo inprisonment in the county jail for two months.

The a&b and surety of the peace cases against Wm Varner of Chicora were settled.

The John Rihn f&b case was settled.

The case against L. Hunter for a&b was settled.

Westley Hoover of Harmony plead guilty to a charge of surety of the peace.

The Samuel Kinsey case of selling liquor to minors and to men of intemperate habits was continued until Sept.

Emma Grabe of Jefferson twp. charged with assault, was adjudged of weak minded by the jury and committed to Polk.

George Emerick of Brownsdale was acquitted of the charges of larceny and breaking and entering a dwelling house. He was accused of stealing $40 from his aunt, Mrs. D. Rishenburger.

Wm Varner plead guilty to charges of assault and a&b preferred by his wife and was sentenced to pay the costs and enter his recog in $300 to appear when wanted.

The f&b case against Albert Grossman was settled.

Wesley Hoover, charged with surety of the peace and desertion, was ordered to pay his wife $18 per month for maintenance, also to pay the costs and was committed to the custody of the Sheriff until the sentence was complied with.

August Maire and James McGraw two of the beer club proprietors, plead guilty to selling liquor without license.

Mary Gold or McElvain plead guilty to a charge of fornication; sentence was suspended and the deft ordered to enter her recog in $100 to appear when wanted.

In the cases against James W. Thompson the deft was called, and not appearing his recognizance was declared forfeited until Sept term.

C. E. Goodrich, a familarity with Quarter Sessions Court, was convicted Tuesday of furnishing alcohol and whiskey to Neely McCool and was sentenced by Judge Miller to pay a fine of $50 and undergo two months inprisonment in jail.

John A. Lackey, who keeps a blacksmith shop at Elora, was tried before Judge Miller Tuesday on a charge of burning a straw stack which stood on Wm Stein's farm within a few feet of his barn. A pair of wornout shoes figured largely in the case. Footprints were traced to and from the stack, and the old shoes taken off Lackey's feet fitted the prints. The jury convicted him.

Lafayette Douglas was acquitted of f&b charged by Alice Albert and the costs were placed on Mr. and Mrs. Book.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

Twenty-three applications for liquor licenses (the same number as last year) have been filed:

Tavern licenses are asked for by J. P. Shirley, Mrs. Mattie Reihing, Mrs. Jennie Nixon, Chas F. Gies and Daniel F. McCrea, Jacob Bowman, Capt. Herman Liebold, and Louis Weisberg, all of Butler, Samuel Bean and Louis N. Ziegler of Harmony, Adolphus A. Hoch, Benj. J. Forquer and John Dolan of Chicora, William Wahl and Charles H. Miller of Evans City, Henry W. Stokey and Franz Luck of Zelienople, J. C. McGregor and John Byers of Petrolia, Theilo Krause and Henry Doerr of Saxonburg, J. P. Dunn and H. Hinchberger, partners, of Butler and Charles S. Shroup of Rankin apply for wholesale and Peter C. Frederick of Zelienople for a distiller's license.

NEW SUITS

C. J. Armstrong vs Perry Grossman, appeal by deft from judgment of $38, rendered by W. B. Currie J. P. of Franklin twp.

Frank M. Niggel vs Elvira Niggel, divorce. The petition states that the parties were married in 1894 in Butler, and lived together one year when the respondent deserted her home. It is also alleged she committed adultery with Eck Bester, Wm Patrick and James Sloan, and is living with Patrick in Pittsburg now.

Robert Ash and Lewis Gantz vs P. & W. rail road, indemnity bond of deft in $6,000 to guarantee payment of damages to plfs land in Forward twp. filed.

NOTES.

The will of Elias Easton, dec'd, of Cranberry twp. has been probated, no letters.

Letters of administration on the estate of Sarah M. Hoch of Millerstown have been granted to A. A. Hoch.

On petition of J. W. Stewart of Mars a commission in lunacy consisting of J. D. Marshall, Esq. Dr. J. C. Barr, and J. A. Criswell was appointed on his wife Eliza M. Stewart, and on their decision, she was sent to Polk.

The sale of the real estate of Hieronymus Kirchner 40 acres in Jefferson twp. was set aside and an order of resale made.

A rule has been granted on the Clinton twp. road commissioners to show cause why viewers should not be appointed to vacate change and supply a portion of the Pughtown road from a point on the Three Degree road to the Lardins mill road. A hearing will be had June 20.

Leopold Goldsmith has taken the oath of allegience as a citizen of the U. S.

Mrs. Katherine Roth, has filed objections to the partition proceedings in the estate of D. K. Frazier, her father.

Letters of adm'n on the estate of Mary Jane Anderson of Connoquenessing twp have been granted to Wm Anderson.

The will of Catherine Raseley, dec'd, of Connoquenessing twp. has been probated, no letters.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Wm Barber to E. C. Thompson, lot in Washington twp. for $1,000.

R. M. Harper to Joseph Seaton, lot in Washington twp. for $400.

G. W. Davis to Mary E. Steelsmith, lot in Butler for $1900.

Hiram Baker to E. H. Baker, 2 acres in Penn for $300.

Same to Same, 2 acres in Penn for $225.

T. G. Campbell to Joseph H. Orr lot in Parker twp. for $525.

Geo A. Gehn to A. H. Behm lot in Evans City for $100.

Marriage Licenses.

Miles Cashdollar.....Callery
Vive Ramsey ....Evans City
Charles R. Greenwalt.....Butler
Hulda E. Gaiser..... "
N. B. Uber.....North Liberty Pa
Maggie J. Taylor.....Brady twp
John Knause..... Carbon Centre
Laura A. Miller..... "
J. C. Beatty..... ...Oakland twp
Mary E. Houk..... "

Commencements.

Last Friday evening the Ninth Grade class, graduating from Common school, held their Commencement exercises in the Park Theatre. There are 58 members in the class, their exercises were very interesting and creditable, and the audience was the largest that ever attended the Common school exercises.

Tuesday evening the Theatre was filled to overflowing with people anxious to hear the Class Night exercises of the Class of 1900, the tenth class to graduate from High School

The class, 38 in number, was seated in tiers on the stage, which was decorated with the class colors—dark blue and gold.

The graduates all acquitted themselves in excellent style and the general verdict was that it was the most interesting class night in the history of the School. In the representation of a Butler county literary society of 1800 the young men and ladies were arrayed in colonial costumes.

The Class medley was arranged by Eva Connelly, Maude Mitchell, and Frank Cleeland. The Class song was written by Mabel Adams and Harry Ziegler, the music for it by Pearl Kamerer and both music and words were very creditable to the authors.

Commencement will be held this evening. At 9 a. m. Friday the Class holds its farewell exercises in the High School chapel when it will take leave of Prof. Gibson, Prof. Irvine and the H. S. faculty

OIL NOTES.

THE MARKET—Both agencies made a 3-cent cut Friday and the price was $1.31, and is the same this morning.

CENTRE TWP.—A Butler company is rigging up the well on the Jas. Hays farm, and intend drilling it deeper.

DONEGAL TWP—The Davis & Risher well on the Solomon Mays, was doing 25 bbls. an hour, Saturday

BRADY TWP—The Fort Pitt Gas Co. is drilling on the John Laughner east of West Liberty.

BUTLER TWP—The Reiber brothers are drilling for gas on the Wm. Miller place, west of Butler:

SLIPPERYROCK TWP—Samuel Allen of Isle has been leasing land in the vicinity of Kiester station for Capt. J. D. McFarland of Pittsburg and this week they start to drill on the William D. Renick farm.

H. P. Griffith, the Slipperyrock gas man is drilling another gas well on the Elizabeth Gilkey farm.

PLANO—M. Finnessy finished a small Berea grit well on the Wilson StClair heirs' farm Friday.

Reduced Rates to Philadelphia.

On account of the Republican National Convention at Philadelphia, June 19, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Philadelphia from all stations on its line at rate of one fare for the round trip (minimum rate 50 cents). Tickets will be sold and good going June 15 to 19, inclusive, and returning to June 26, inclusive.

Reduced Rates to North Manchester, Ind., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For meeting of German Baptist Brethren, at North Manchester, Ind., May 29 to June 8, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will place special excursion on sale May 29 to June 3, 1900, from stations west of Baltimore (not inclusive), and Lancaster and Reading (inclusive), and south of and including Sunbury, at rate of one first-class limited fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning until July 1, inclusive.

Reduced Rates to Camden, Ind., via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For meeting of Old Order of German Baptist Brethren at Camden, Ind., June 3 to 5, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell, from May 31 to June 3, inclusive, excursion tickets to Camden Ind., from stations on its line west of Baltimore, Md. (not inclusive), west of and including Lancaster and and Reading, and from stations south of and including Sunbury, at rate of one first-class limited fare for the round trip. Tickets will be good returning until July 5, inclusive.

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.

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.

G. A. R. Encampment.

Reduced Rates to Gettysburg, Pa., via Pennsylvania Railroad, Account G. A. R. Encampment.

For the G. A. R. Encampment, Department of Pennsylvania, at Gettysburg, June 2—9, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Gettysburg from all stations on its line in the State of Pennsylvania at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going June 2—5 and to return until June 11, inclusive (minimum rate fifty cents).

Excursion to Allegheny.

Commencing Sunday, May 6th, the Sunday excursion fare from Butler to Allegheny will be one dollar for tickets good going on train leaving Butler at 8.05 a. m., City time, returning on train leaving Allegheny at 5.30 p. m. city time.

New, four-room house for sale Inquire at this office

A Strange Case.

G. L. Barr of Allegheny and his attorney S. A. Wills of Pittsburg were in town Monday, trying to get something done in the case of Samuel M. Barr of Jefferson twp.

The Pittsburg Dispatch of Sunday states the case as follows.

"The management of the West Penn Hospital for the Insane at Dixmont, received a severe scoring in Common Pleas Court No 2, yesterday, when the habeas corpus proceeding of Mrs Mary M. Geppert to secure the releas of her brother, Samuel M. Barr, was called up for disposition.

The case has been pending for two or three weeks, and Judge John D. Shafer has expressed himself that the man should be released, but he does not like to assume jurisdiction until he is sure there would be no objection to such an order by Judge John M. Greer, of Butler, who committed Barr as an insane person. It is claimed that Barr had been drinking, and on the petition of a brother-in-law he was sent to Dixmont. It is denied that he is insane. At a former hearing Judge Shafer suggested that a letter be secured from Judge Greer that it would be all right to release Barr. This his friends set out to do.

After it had been reported that Judge Greer had sent such a letter, Attorney S. A. Will, representing the petitioner, said he telephoned to Dixmont, but he was told that no such letter had been received. He then sent George L. Barr to Dixmont to see what he could learn, and he was not allowed to see his brother. Lev. McQuiston, Mr. Will's law partner at Butler, saw Judge Greer, and he said he had sent the letter.

Postoffice Inspector W. W. Dickson was then appealed to. He sent out a tracer and reported that Judge Greer's letter had been delivered to Dr. Hutchinson, Superintendent of the hospital. Word was again sent to Butler and it was learned that Judge Greer had received a reply to his letter in which Dr. Hutchinson said in substance that he feared if Barr was released he would go to drinking again.

Mr. Will said: "They are the most discourteous and unreasonable people down at the hospital I ever had anything to do with. They won't let this man's sister or brother see him, and his wife made two trips before she could see him. The only way his lawyers, even, can get word to and from him is by registered letter. The law gives us that much protection."

Judge Shafer expressed the belief that the man should be released, but said the case might go over until tomorrow. In the meantime an effort will be made to have Judge Greer say to Judge Shafer, either by letter or wire, that he will have no objections to the court here assuming jurisdiction."

Mr. Barr is said to have been arrested, brought to Butler and placed in jail, condemned as insane and taken to Dixmont—all within twenty-one hours. The case should be fully investigated.

ACCIDENTS.

As a partially deaf man, named Wigton, was crossing the "Bessie" track at Jamisonville, Tuesday morning, with a load of lumber, his team was struck by an engine and one horse was killed.

Near Myoma last Monday old man McCombs dropped a pistol, while cleaning it, and it was discharged, the bullet piercing Mrs. McCombs' leg.

The Handsomest and Most Convenient Trains From Butler to Buffalo and Rochester.

The handsome new vestibuled trains on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railway are becoming very popular. These trains are the only solid vestibuled trains operated between Butler, Buffalo and Rochester and are composed of elegant high back seat day coaches, cafe and free reclining chair cars, making fast time and affording superior service.

Train leaves Butler daily at 10.12 A. M., arriving in Buffalo 5.45 P. M. and Rochester 6.35 P. M. Corresponding trains leave Rochester 9 A. M. and Buffalo 9.45 A. M., arriving in Butler 3.34 P. M.

COW FOR SALE.

I wish to sell my cow, aged 5 years, a bull six months old, and a heifer two months old. The bull is a full Jersey, and the cow and heifer mixed. Inquire of.
PHILIP KILLIAN,
No. 15 S. Washington St., Butler, Pa.

Buying Wool.

I am buying wool at same location as last season, Graham Bro's grocery store, will pay the market price in cash, have no merchandise of any kind to exchange.
W. F. RUMBERGER.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to Mrs. J. E. Zimmerman are requested to call and settle immediately—the late fire makes this necessary your prompt attention given this matter will confer a great favor.
MRS. J. E. ZIMMERMAN.

Those fine $19 Oak Bedroom Suits at Amy & Brown's are going. Some extra fine suits will arrive soon. He have a large selection of suits on hand always.

Hot plates, ovens and cookers—in fact the best line of gas saving appliances ever shown in Butler. The prices are right and before purchasing elsewhere, you will do well to call at Geo. W. Whitehill's, the plumber.

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NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Mary Potter, 15-year old farmer's lass living near Altoona, killed a vicious bull which had attacked and was goring her mother, an old lady 70 years.

Mary went to the rescue with a pitchfork, the bull charged her, she stepped aside and jabbed the fork into his heart.

In the mountains near Connellsville, last Friday, a moonshiner named Pritts who had evaded the officers of the law for twenty years was captured.

Robert Allen, a farmer residing near Rostraver, in Westmoreland county, lost a valuable horse in the quicksand bottom of a creek flowing through his pasture field last Thursday. The creek bottom has long been known as a treacherous place, and Mr. Allen has several times had difficulty in rescuing some of his farm stock from its clutches.

Meadville anglers have recently placed nine cans of Susquehanna salmon fry in French Creek, each can supposed to contain 70,000 little fish. If a small percentage of them worry through there will be plenty of salmon in that stream.

There's great trout fishing in the Nittatiny valley, Centre county. Three years ago a sportmen's club of Bellefonte stocked the stream in their preserve with 90,000 trout. Every one of the 63 dams are alive with them, and some of the trout taken were 12 inches long. The same club stocked the lowlands with 20,000 Western quail.

The Union Steel Company of Pittsburg, comprised of the Mellon brothers, and others has announced that it had completed purchases of 700 acres of land at Webster, on the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston Railroad, that it would establish at once a complete, modern town, and that it would begin work in a few days on the largest and most modern rod, wire and nail mill in the world. The company has already expended $500,000 for its land holdings, has contracted for $1,500,000 worth of machinery that is ready for delivery at once, and is prepared to spend $5,000,000 in the completion of one of the finest wire plants in existence.

The owners of the Union Steel Company have been buying land on the Monongahela for the past two years, but only the other day was the tract at Webster completed. It includes over two miles of river frontage on a great bend, midway between Charleroi and Monongahela, including 150 acres of the finest level land for manufacturing sites between the Pennsylvania Railroad and the river. The land rolls similar to that of McKeesport's site, but the town site is protected by the bluffs that run to the river below the town and above by the ancient village of West Columbia, in which the titles are so defective that the original plans to include it had to be abandoned.

PITTSBURG & WESTERN Railway. Schedule of Passenger Trains in effect May 28, 1899. BUTLER TIME.

	Depart.	Arrive.
Allegheny Accommodation	6 25 A.M	9 05 A.M
Allegheny Express	8 05 "	9 12 "
New Castle Accommodation	8 05 "	9 12 "
Akron Mail	8 05 A.M	7 05 P.M
Allegheny Fast Express	9 58 "	12 18 "
Allegheny Express	3 00 P.M	4 45 pm
Chicago Express	3 40 pm	12 18 am
Allegheny Mail	5 50 "	7 45 pm
Allegheny and New Castle Accom	5 50 "	7 05 "
Chicago Limited	5 50 "	9 12 A.M
Kane and Bradford Mail	9.55 A.M	2 50 P.M
Clarion Accommodation	4 55 P.M	9 45 A.M
Cleveland and Chicago Express	6 25 am	
SUNDAY TRAINS.		
Allegheny Express	8 05 A.M	9 12 A.M
Allegheny Accommodation	5 50 P.M	5 05 P.M
New Castle Accommodation	8 05 A.M	7 05 "
Chicago Express	3 40 P.M	5 05 am
Allegheny Accommodation		7 05 pm

On Saturdays a train, known as the theatre train, will leave Butler at 5.50 p. m., arriving at Allegheny at 7.20; returning leave Allegheny at 11.30 p. m.

Pullman sleeping cars on Chicago Express between Pittsburg and Chicago.

For through tickets to all points in the west, northwest or southwest and information regarding routes, time of trains, etc. apply to

W. R. TURNER, Ticket Agent, Butler, Pa.
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H. O DUNKLE, Sup't. W. & L. Div., Allegheny Pa.

BUFFALO, ROCHESTER & PITTSBURG RY. The new trunk line between Pittsburg, Butler, Bradford, Rochester and Buffalo.

On and after May 28, 1900, passenger trains will leave Butler, P. & W. Station as follows, Butler Time:

NORTH BOUND.		
DuBois and Clearfield accommodation. No. 14. Daily except Sunday.	Buffalo and Rochester Night Express. No. 2 Daily.	Buffalo and Rochester Day Express. No. 6. Daily.
BUTLER.	BUTLER.	BUTLER.
Arr 5.30 p.m.	Arr 11.25 p.m	Arr 10.10 a.m
Lv 5.22 p.m.	Lv 11.28 p.m	Lv 10.12 a.m

Train No. 2 has Pullman Sleeper, Allegheny to Buffalo and Rochester.

SOUTH BOUND.		
Pittsburg Accom. Daily except Sunday. No. 13.	Pittsburg Day Express. Daily No. 3	Pittsburg Night Express. Daily No. 7
BUTLER.	BUTLER	BUTLER
Arr 10.23 a.m	Arr 5.31 p.m	Arr 5.47 a.m
Lv 10.25 a.m	Lv 5.34 p.m	Lv 5.50 a.m

Thousand mile tickets good for passage between all stations on the B. R. & P R'y and N. Y. C. R. R. (Penn'a. division) at 2 cents per mile.

For tickets, time tables and further information call on or address,

W. R. TURNER, Agt. Butler, Pa., or
EDWARD C. LAPEY, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Rochester, N. Y.

THE PITTSBURG, BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R. COMPANY.

Time table in effect May 27, 1900.
CENTRAL TIME.

Northward. (Read up)			Daily except Sunday.		Southward. (Read down)		
2	14	12	STATIONS.	1	11	13	
P.M	P.M	A.M.		A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	
	12 50	8 30	Erie		9 30	4 10	
	12 24	8 05	ar. Conneaut lv		12 24	6 28	
	9 24	6 37	lv. Conneaut ar		9 24	4 09	
			Spa				
	11 28	7 08	Connneautville		10 51	5 39	
	11 10	6 38	Meadville Junct		11 10	6 00	
			Spa				
	11 58	7 20	ar. Meadville ar		11 58	6 55	
	10 12	5 55	lv. Meadville lv		10 12	5 15	
	11 28	6 50	ar. Con. Lake ar		11 28	6 25	
	10 42	6 25	lv. Con. Lake lv		10 42	5 41	
	11 18	6 44	ar. Expo. Park ar		11 18	6 03	
	10 55	6 44	lv. Expo. Park lv		10 55	6 03	
			Spa				
	10 54	6 24	Hartstown		11 23	6 22	
	10 40	6 00	Ingool		11 37	6 35	
6 10	10 33	6 03	Greenville	6 30	11 45	6 45	
6 04	10 26	5 56	Shenango	6 40	11 52	6 55	
5 30	9 50	5 23	Mercer	7 12	12 23	7 28	
5 05	9 28	5