THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 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.

Notice in Bankrupcy.
Krut, the Florist.
Campbell & Templeton's furniture.
Carpenter's Wanted.
Globe Telegraph College.
Excursion.

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,

—Poet Laureate Austin's latest joy-dripping ode reads something like this:

"With magic brush, Historia,
Paint me the bright, white Gloria
Of the taking of Pretoria—
Victoria, O, Victoria!
Victoria, R. I!"

—Ice plants flourish best in warm weather.

—A switch for the Pickle factory is being built.

—The Swift Missionaries swiftly scooped the girls.

—The Butler County National Bank has doubled its stock.

—The safe of the new bank was put in its vault last Saturday.

—The dark-horse expects to have a show on Vice President.

—The Coaltown F. of A. lodge hold a picnic and dance July 4.

—Whatever the future of China; she has a long tale behind her.

—The American eagle should not be used for nest feathering purposes.

—They raise tea in the southern part of China, and h-l in the northern part.

—The European powers would like to see a big partition in the wall of Chiaa.

—If Oregon is a straw the free silverites are not sucking any consolation through it.

—Time has no forelock in China, which is given as a reason for the Mongolian's queue.

—The Prohibitionists will hold their County Convention in Butler on Monday, June 25th, at 1 p.m.—McK.

—When the British lion and Russian bear begin clawing each other in China, it will be well for the American eagle to take a day off and eat sparrows.

Good strawberries are plenty in our groceries at 10 to 12½ a basket, but peas are very scarce, and are bringing $2.00 a bu. in the Pittsburg markets.

—A piece of black silk, fifteen yards long was made at the mill on Institute Hill last week, and will be used for samples. John Pickel did the weaving.

—An odd thing lately happened in Adams twp. T. W. D. Kennedy had a yearling Jersey heifer so badly torn by dogs that he had to shoot her. The dogs tore both her udder and tail off.

—An old stage coach came rolling up Main St. from Franklin, Tuesday evening. It is a "Concord" coach, and is different in build from the "Troy" style used between Butler and Pittsburg.

—At the meeting of Council, Friday evening, the Traction Co. was allowed to change their guage from 4 feet 8 in. to 5 feet 2 in., and t use T rails and wooden poles on the unpaved streets.

—The Sharon Steel Co. is sinking a shaft 70 feet deep for coal on the Alex. Bingham farm, Plain Grove twp., Lawrence county and are building a railroad from Sharon to the mine, 36 miles. The vein of coal is five feet thick. Tipples, coke ove etc. will be built.

—In ying over our books we find that a ber of our subscribers have failed y for their CITIZEN for some years. e CITIZEN is published at the rate 00 a year in advance. Look at th opposite your name on the pap if you are in arrears call and sq

pensioner, the victim of k and dissipated habits, who ublic nuisance of himself may ated by Uncle Sam, and if ity is likely to be dropped pension rolls." This is the ng of the department sent out agents.

six months' strike of Pittsburg phical Union No. 7 against the eight daily newspapers of g. was called off Saturday hen President Donnelly of the tional Typographical Union and ternational Executive Board ty declared by making the seven papers open offices.

e North Washington Academy's Commencement exercises will be held next Wednesday and Thursday, June 20-1. Wednesday evening there will be a debating contest between the Academy and that of W. Sunbury, and Thursday evening there will be a lecture on educational subjects. The Academy has 65 pupils during the Spring term. Prof. Hamilton will have charge again next year.

—The Great American Hog is not getting a fair show these days. He puts up a sweet and juicy ham, and then the packers spoil it in the curing. How they do it we do not know. But they do it, and the breakfast of the Great American Citizen is spoiled at the same time.

N. B. In the above item the editor is hinting for a country ham. [FOREMAN].

—A Freeport lady with about a dozen olive branches, could not tell the date of birth of each one, but she remembered that Johnny had been born April 3d, 1894 and Mary, August 15th, the same year. The Census man had quite a time explaining to the good woman that while personally he did not have any objection to her statement, she had better modify it a little as Uncle Sam might object to increasing his population so rapidly.

—A week or two ago an outbuilding on the old Biehl property, now occupied by M. F. Wright, Sup'd't of the Water Co., was burned at midnight and nobody could imagine how it got on fire, excepting by the act of an incendiary; and the burning of the stable on the Berg property, nearby, last Friday night is of the same order. The stable and contents made a big blaze, and endangered the residence of H. S. Gibson, but the new East end Hose Co. did great work.

EXCURSIONS TO GROVE CITY, PA.

On account of the Commencement Exercises of the Music Department of Grove City College, together with the Opera "Cavalleria Rusticana", on Monday evening June 18th the P. B. & L. E. will sell excursion tickets, good going on train No. 2, leaving Butler at 4:50 P. M., returning on Special after the exercises, at rate of 90 cents for the round trip.

PERSONAL.

John Berg now wears a cane.

Kruger is having a capital time on a railroad car.

Miss Mame Zimmerman, of Beaver College, is home.

V. Fogal, the Coaltown postmaster, was in town, Wednesday.

Luther Reiber and wife, of Allegheny, came out for the Centennial.

Aguinaldo is not dead, but at last accounts he was running for his life.

Gardner Lowry will finish his enumeration of the Fifth Ward this week.

Philip Snyder and wife of Clinton twp. visited friends in Butler last week.

Mrs. Reiger, of Clearfield township, was granted a pension of $12 per month.

Jas. G. Kennedy of W. Fulton street is in poor health. He is partially paralyzed.

Mrs. P. C. Campbell and daughter of W. Sunbury visited friends in Mars, last week.

Bert Black, of Cherry township, a former CITIZEN typo, is taking in the Centennial.

Wm. McNair, of Elsah, Illinois, along the Mississippi river, is visiting old friends here.

Harry Krug, of Pittsburg, is visiting with his father, Henry Krug, of South McKean street.

Mrs. C. T. McMeekin and son Harold of Chicora are visiting Mrs. Will Eisler of E. Pearl St.

Hugh C. Graham, Esq., of Oil City, brother of Mr. Graham of North Hope, is seriously ill.

Quay is now called the Mountville statesman. His farm is near Mountville, Lancaster Co.

Miss Clara Byerly of Etna is passing the Centennial with her friend, Minnie Miller, of East Penn St.

James Bolton, wife and daughter, of Connoquenessing twp., did some shopping in Butler, Saturday.

Al Reiber has been elected a director of the Butler County National Bank, vice E. E. Abrams, resigned.

Austin Forringer and family of Scio, O. are visiting his parents, Hiram Forringer and wife, east of Petrolia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Helm, of Evans City, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Reiber of North street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wick, of Rimersburg, are here for the Centennial, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. C. G. Graham.

Michael Kelly, of Tarentum, formerly of Buffalo twp., took violently ill in Butler, Wednesday, but soon recovered.

Agnes Forrester of Prospect has been granted a pension of $8 per month; Isaac Miller, Parker $8; Anna Flick, Glade $8.

Linn Anderson left for Washington, Saturday evening, where he has a job in the Printing Department of the Census Bureau.

James Addis, of New Castle, an old Butlerite, was here for the Centennial. He was born in 1820, and recollects Butler since 1830.

Solomon Mays and wife and James McElroy, their son-in-law, and family, of Kaylor came in for the big celebration Tuesday.

Fred. Hillard and wife and Mrs. Hillard's brother and sister, Ersie, and Ada Sexton visited Butler relatives during the Centennial.

E. H. Limber of Franklin Pa. is the guest of his brother George Limber of Berkimer's undertaking rooms during the Centennial.

Aiden Kamerer, of South Side, taught the Sarver Station Academy for Gardner Lowry while the latter was taking the 5th ward census

Charles P. Ritter and Bruce McDaniels of the Pennsylvania clerical force at Walls station spent Sunday with Butler friends.

Miss Lulu Neidel, of Allegheny City, came home to spend the Centennial with her parents, Geo. Neidel and wife of S. Washington street.

J. W. Brewster, a Wilkinsburg, real-estate and insurance man, is visiting his brother Alex Brewster at their old homestead in Centre twp.

Tom Gibson and wife and family of thirteen attended the Centennial Wednesday and had their picture taken by one of our photographers.

Simpson McQuistion, of Bellefonte, Pa., a Butler boy, is here for the Centennial, the guest of his nephew, P. McQuistion of the 1st Ward.

Rev. Melzer McClelland and wife of Sitka, Alaska, a native of Allegheny township, this county, arrived in Butler to attend the Centennial, Wednesday, and is visiting friends here.

Caleb Hageman for many years a truck gardner for the Pittsburg markets, is living on the old Avey farm at Brewster church and raising great quantities of strawberries and green stuff for the local stores.

J. P. Davis returned to his home at Isle Saturday afternoon after a five weeks stay in the Butler Co. General Hospital during which he had his right foot amputated. The foot and lower leg had been badly crippled for many years.

Prof. S. Sakata of the Tokio Technical School, Manzo Sasamura and Bunrokun Sugino, visited Butler last Thursday, in company with Jos. Bruff of the Oil Well Supply. The three Japanese gentleman are in the employ of their government, and must report on different industries of this country.

EXCURSION TO ATLANTIC CITY.

And other Atlantic Coast Resorts via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Thursdays, July 5 and 19, and Aug. 2 and 16, are the dates of the Pennsylvania Railroad annual low rate excursions for 1900 to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Anglesea, Wildwood, Holly Beach, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., or Ocean City, Md.

Tickets good return within sixteen days, including date of excursion.

A special train of Pullman parlor cars and day coaches will leave Pittsburg on above-mentioned dates at 8:55 a. m., arriving at Altoona 12:15 p. m., where stop for dinner will be made, reaching Philadelphia 6:25 p. m., in time for supper, and arriving at Atlantic City, via the Delaware River Bridge Route, the only all-rail line, at 8:49 p. m. Passengers may also spend the night in Philadelphia, and proceed to the shore by any regular train from Market Street Wharf or Broad Street Station on the following day.

Passengers for points other than Atlantic City will spend the night in Philadelphia, and use regular trains the next day from Market Street Wharf.

A stop over of ten days will also be allowed at Philadelphia on the going trip, if passengers will deposit their tickets with the Ticket Agent at Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, immediately on arrival.

Tickets will be sold from the stations at the rates named below:—

	Trains leave.	Rate.
Pittsburg	8.55 A. M.	$10.00
Tarentum	7.37 "	10.00
Natrona	7.41 "	10.00
Butler	6.25 "	10.00
Freeport	7.51 "	10.00
Altoona (dinner)	12.35 P M	8.00
Philadelphia stop for supper Ar.	6.25 "	....

Tickets will also be good on regular trains leaving Pittsburg at 4:50 and 8:30 p. m., carrying sleeping cars to Philadelphia, and 7:10 p. m., carrying Pullman sleeping cars through to Atlantic City.

For detailed information in regard to rates and time of trains apply to ticket agents or Thomas E. Watt, District, Passenger Agent, Pittsburg.

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.

Music scholars wanted at 128 West Wayne St.

LEGAL NEWS.

TRIAL LIST.

In the ejectment suit of Geo. K. Marshall vs The Forest Oil Co. and A. K. Knouff for possession of an oil lease in Forward township, a verdict for the defendant was given Saturday.

In the ejectment suit of John C. Hespenheide, trustee, vs W. C. Thomas and Leonard Kennedy, Mary J. Graham et al, in which the title to the John Kennedy farm in Adams twp. is to be tested, the plaintiff Saturday took a voluntary nonsuit. They will enter another suit immediately.

NEW SUITS

Martha Ellen Rodgers vs Daniel M. Rodgers, petition for divorce.

J. M. Wilson vs Nancy Adams, appeal by deft from judgment rendered by Henry Niece, J. P.

Charles Ervin vs John Brenner, replevin for one bay mare valued at $100.

NOTES.

The will of John Kappler, dec'd, of Butler has been probated, no letters; also the will of Gabriel Kopler, dec'd, of Butler, no letters.

B. M. Hockenberry, administrator of the estate of D. L. Hockenberry, dec'd, has, on order of court granted, sold the decedent's real estate, a one-fourth interest in 44 acres and a one-half interest in 92 acres in Cherry twp. to John M. Hockenberry for $1400.

License court next Tuesday, June 19.

A motion Court has been ordered for Saturday July 28 at 9 a. m.

A tramp giving the name of William Dusty has been committed to jail by Esq. Gilghrist.

Geo. Baldauf, supervisor of Summit twp. has made answer to the rule granted on the grand jury's presentment that he has repaired and put the Saxonburg road in good condition.

Chas Bauer and Miles Shakeley, auditors of Butler twp. have filed their report of the township school district, showing that collector F. D. Pierce has paid over to the treasurer, Sebastian Beck, $950 and still owes $782. The treasurers total receipts and expenditures were $2,375. The teachers salaries amounted to $1,740.

J. N. Kirker has been appointed guardian of Bertha and Irwin Eicholtz, on petition of their mother, Mrs. Emma Eicholtz.

John A. Eichert, guardian of Grover, Merle and Harry Lotz, has filed his report of the sale of his wards real estate, a house and lot in Evans City, to Nicholas Frishkorn for $1,665.

The will of Barbara Shull, dec'd, of Summit twp. has been probated, Mary Shull executor.

In the Juniata county court last week, a case of the owner of a farm against her tenant was on trial. The prosecution depended altogether on the written lease, signed by the tenant to prove her case. The point was raised by the defendant's attorney that the lease not being stamped according to the act of congress, it was not a legal lease and therefore should not be in evidence. The court sustained the objection and the prosecutrix lost her case.

The Pittsburg Leader says that "the Allegheny County Bar association is now trying a case that is of considerable interest to the public in general and the members of the bar in particular. It is an aftermath of the notorious Braun divorce case that was tried in the Butler county courts about a year ago, and which furnished such rich morsels of gossip for scandal mongers.

The defendant in the case before the Bar association is Attorney H. L. Christy, of this city, who was Mrs. Braun's counsel, and secured her the divorce in the trial alluded to. The charge on which he is being tried is that he attempted to "set up" witnesses by trying to induce them to give testimoney adverse to Mr. Braun's side of the case. It is understood that Christy's disbarment from practice in the courts here has been asked for, but owing to the fact that the Bar association always keeps its proceedings from the public ear until they are concluded, nothing on this point was obtainable. Attorney John Marron is conducting the inquiry, a record of which will probably be ready for the public by Wednesday or Thursday next. Charles C. Dickey, the well-known attorney, vice president of the Bar association, and chairman of the committee, having the investigation in charge, would say absolutely nothing for publication. He said it was not the custom of the officials or members of the association to talk about such proceedings until something definite was decided upon.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Margaret Snyder to Leon B. Truver lot in Middlesex for $600.

John G. Moore to R. C. Perry lot in Slipperyrock twp. for $1.

Nancy E. Timblin to Wm. H. Campbell lot in Concord for $75.

Mary S. McCandless to Charles Bartlett lot in Penn twp. for $275.

Kezia Vogan to William M. Hockenberry, 75 acres in Worth for $2,225.

C. E. Miller to Ida M. Hughes, lot in Butler for $1.

Hugh Young to R. E. English lot in Fairview for $60.

W. J. Hindman to P. B. & L. E. R. R. lot in Slipperyrock twp. for $300.

Annie McCandless to P. B. & L. E. lot in Clay for $200.

John Miller to same lot in Clay for $250.

Samuel Park to Mars Brick & Tile Co. Ltd., 3 acres in Adams twp. for $1,000.

Wm. Humphry and Alonzo Henshaw to Cath. H. Frazier, lot in Portersville far $450.

W. S. McNees to Mrs. Olive Hines, lot in West Liberty for $100.

Elizabeth McGowan, Adm., to Mrs. Mahala Dunn, property in Muddycreek twp. for $850.

Peter Scheidmantle to Ira Watson, 71 acres in Muddycreek, $2,295.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles F. Davis	Venango twp
Lena Roth	Monroe Co., O
John Bergbichler	Summit twp
Julia Metzger	"
W. H. Morrow	Butler
Ella M. Wimer	Muddycreek twp
A. R. Thompson	Moniteau
Lottie E. Fleming	Greece City
W. H. Morrow	Butler
Ella M. Wimer	Muddycreek
John C. Wally	North Hope
Emily E. Argyle	Karns City
A. R. Thompson	Moniteau
Lottie E. Fleming	Greece City
Robert R. Cricks	Butler
Anna Reed	East Brady
Louis Fullmer	Euclid
Jennie Bohram	Hilliard

At Beaver—H. F. Aggers of Evans City and Sophia Tyron of Freedom.

At Franklin—Chas. Hulings and Laura Jolly of Six Points.

At Pittsburg—C. G. Hammer of Allegheny and Alice Roetting of Butler Co.

SUMMER OUTINGS.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces the following Personally-Conducted Tours for the Summer of 1900:—

To the North, including Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, the St. Lawrence, Montreal, Quebec, the Saguenay, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, and Saratoga, July 21 to Aug. 4 and August 11 to 25. Rate, $125 for the round trip, from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Harrisburg, including all necessary expenses. Proportionate rates from other points.

For itineraries and futher information apply to ticket agents, or address Geo. W. Boyd, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Philadelphia.

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.

The Butler Schools.

At the meeting of the Butler School Board last Friday evening, a tax levy of eleven (11) mills for school purposes for the coming year was decided upon, and the Board will issue bonds to the amount of $35,000 to secure money for the new buildings. The state appropriation for the year is $9,411. The Treasurer's salary was fixed at $500, but the Board was yet tied as to the person.

A committee on teachers salaries was appointed, and the following teachers selected.

HIGH SCHOOL—V. K. Irvine, principal; A. K. Robinson, Ella Purvis, F. C. Wick, L. C. Campbell.

PRINCIPALS—Anna B. Cummings, Broad street; Emily Brittain, Jefferson street; L. F. Hall, McKean and Springdale; Rose E. McNees Grammar Grade.

TEACHERS—Alice Dieffenbacher, Ada Gumpper, Maude Evans, Ella Coulter, Minnie Thompson, Kathryn McKinley, Clara Heck, Nettie Frazier, Anna Thompson, Harriet Bartley, Gertrude Siebert, Mary C. O'Brien, Grace Wick, May Kreaps, Margaret Graham, Vina McCollough, Etta Johnson, Hattie Harttung, Elvia Coe, Rose McNany, Elizabeth Smith, Margaret Breed, Ray Redic, Anna Brown, Clara Cornelius, Florence Cornelius, Mary A. Butterfield, Bertha Donaldson, Mabel C. Smith, Grace Crawford, Edna S. Bailey, Rolla McQuiston, Rose E. McNees, Grace Cumberland, Emma McElvain, Martha Loveless, Lida Armstrong, Minnie McCandless, Beulah Reynolds, Sheridan S. Lightner.

SUBSTITUTES—Carolyn Stein, Belle S. Irwin, Florence Murrin, Blanche Christley. Musical Director—Mrs. E. Colbert.

Monday evening Mr. Anderson withdrew from the Treasurer contest and Mr. Baker was elected unanimously. The salary list was revised. Two salaries were raised $7.50 per month, and several $5.00 per month, but none were reduced.

Sarvers Station.

The Academy students are in good earnest about the literary contest at the close of the present term.

Dr. Halstead passed through our town on Monday from visiting his parents at Riddles X Roads. He is about to remove his office from Avenue to Tarentum.

Married, June 7, 1900, at the home of the bride's parents at Sarversville, Miss Lulu M. McCafferty and Charles Smith of Pittsburg. Many beautiful gifts graced the occasion.

The M. E. and Presbyterian churches observed Children's Day, June 10, and made offerings for mission purposes.

Three children were baptized on Children's Day at Buffalo church.

Services in Buffalo on Sunday next at 11 a.m.; Westminster at 3 p.m.

A representative company of the members and friends of the Westminster church, on Friday last, visited their pastor, bringing with them the wisdom of age and the glee of youth; the choir, the music and the evidence of the skill and kindness of the American-Germans, the American-Scotch and the Scotch-Irish. They made themselves at home, served the family and themselves with a good dinner, and spending the day in most helpful fellowship; they left for their homes, leaving behind liberal gifts of household substantials, remembering also to fill the oats-bin for faithful "Dick." We look on such a social time as an earnest of greater prosperity for the Westminster church.

A meeting of special interest will be held in the Buffalo Presbyterian church, Sunday evening in the C. E. society. The Misses Weaver of Pittsburg will sing.

McKinley's Latest Portrait.

A handsome lithographed portrait of President McKinley is a most desirable picture to possess, especially at this time.

You can secure a beautiful portrait of President McKinley absolutely free with the Sunday Times of June 17. The picture is lithographed in perfect colors, each as soft and natural as the tint of flesh itself. The portrait is one of the finest in faithfulness—finest in execution—finest in lithography—finist in finish—in fact the finest portrait of President McKinley ever issued.

The Sunday Times of the same date will contain many unique convention features of historical and current interest, handsomely illustrated, also sheet music. You will be pleased with yourself if you secure a copy of the Sunday Times of June 17.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. Stumff of Philipsburg, N. J., preached in the First English Lutheran church Sunday. There will be no service next Sunday.

The U. P. congregation held a reception last Thursday evening to celebrate the cleaning and recarpeting of the church.

Markets.

Wheat,	wholesale price	60-65
Rye,	"	45
Oats,	"	27
Corn,	"	41
Hay,	"	12 00
Eggs,	"	12
Butter,	"	8-12
Potatoes,	"	25 35
Lettuce, per lb.		10 12
Chicken, dressed, per lb		10-12
Onions, per dozen bunches		15
Rhubarb, per doz bunches		15 20
Radishes, per doz bunches		15 20
Beets " "		25 30

GYMNASTIC UNION AND FESTIVAL "TURNFEST" NORTH AMERICAN, PHILADELPHIA, JUNE 17-24.

Reduced Rates to Philadelphia via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the Gymnastic Union and Festival (Turnfest) North American, at Philadelphia, June 17-24, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Philadelphia from all stations on its line at the rate of single fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going June 15 and 21, and to return until June 26 inclusive. Minimun rate 50 cents.

JULY FOURTH EXCURSIONS.

Excursion tickets will be sold between all stations on the P. B. & L. E. R. R. July 3rd and 4th, good returning July 5th, at one fare for the round trip. Special attractions, including three exhibitions by Pawnee Bill's Wild West Show, Tickets to the Park, including admission to the "Wild and Wooly West" on the Fourth, will be sold on above dates at one fare plus 25 cents. Admission to the show if paid at the entrance will be fifty cents.

REDUCED RATES TO CHICAGO.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad for the National Prohibition Convention, June 27-28.

For the benefit of all persons wishing to be in Chicago during the National Prohibition Convention, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell round-trip tickets to Chicago at rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going June 25 and 26, and returning, after proper validation by the Joint Agent of the terminal lines at Chicago, leaving Chicago to June 29, inclusive. A fee of twenty-five cents for each ticket will be collected by the Joint Agent when tickets are validated for return passage.

CARPENTERS WANTED.

Immediately on North McKean St., near Nixon's Home, good wages will be paid. Inquire on premises, opposite Capt. Ayres' house.

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.

WANTED—Men to hew ties. Good wages paid. Address P. O. Box 229, Butler, Pa.

OIL NOTES.

KAYLOR—Two wells are being drilled near Davis Risher & Cos. gusher on the Solomon Mays farm, one by the same company on the Mays and one by McGill & Forringer, on the John Forringer farm. The Forringer well was due to strike the sand Saturday. On the Mays farm a quarter-mile west of the big well Davis, Risher & Co. got a dry hole on the Mays. Peters & Co. of Queenstown brought in a five barrel per hour well on the David Kaylor, two weeks ago. The producers Oil Co. are building a new pump house at Kaylor.

PETROLIA—The Hazelwood Oil Co. have started to drill on the Blaney farm east of Petrolia. Three weeks ago they brought in a 5 barrel well on the Shakely.

KARNS CITY—Wm Herron got a very light producer on his own farm last week. McGill & Story are drilling another well on the W. H. H. Riddle.

FAIRVIEW—Seybert Bros. & Co. got a good well on the John Kaylor farm, last Saturday. It is supposed to be good for at least 10 bbls. Magill & Co. have a dry hole on the John Forringer.

Post Office Examination.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that a special examination will be held by its post-office board of examiners in Butler and on July 7th, commencing at 9 a. m., for the positions of clerk and carrier in the post-office in this city.

The examination will consist of spelling, arithmetic, letter-writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy, geography of the United States, and reading addresses. The arithmetic will consist of tests in the fundamental principles, extending as far as common and decimal fractions and embracing problems.

The age limitations for this examination are as follows.

Clerk, not less than 18 years.
Carrier, between 21 and 40.

Applicants for male clerk and carrier must have the medical certificate in Form 101 executed. Applicants for carrier must be at least 5 ft. 4 in height, and weigh not less than 125 pounds. Female applicants are not required to have this certificate executed.

No application will be accepted for this examination unless filed in complete form with the board at the post-office at Butler, before the hour of closing business on June 30, 1900.

For application blanks (Form 101), full instructions, specimen examination questions, and information relative to the duties and salaries of the different positions, and the location of the examination room, apply to the secretary of the board of examiners at the post-office in Butler.

JOHN ROBINSON'S GREAT WORLD'S EXPOSITION.

"The Half Has not Been Told Me."

THE memorial expression of the Queen of Sheba on viewing the pomp and glories of King Solomon's court, can with varity be used in speaking of the transcendent splendors of the gorgeous biblical spectacle, Solomon, his Temple, and the Queen of Sheba, which the management of the Robinson show produce this year on a scale of unexampled magnitude and splendor. No spectacle ever presented to the public can vie with it in rich sceneographic effect; in faithful and characteristic portraitures of the people, manners and customs during the reign of Isreal's wisest king; in pomp, in pageantry and in parade; in sacred sacrifical offerings; in lovely women; in enchanting ballets; in fiercely contested and exciting chariot races; and in the luxurious opulence of its customing and appointments. Taken from the grandest scenes of the patriarchal era it cannot only interest the biblical scholar, but the moral, the cultured and the refined, seeking after intelectual and mind improving entertainment, will find in this an exhibition well worthy their attention. Let it be understood however, that this desirable augmentation is but one of the multitude of attractions to which the Robinson show invites the patronage of the public. Their circus has long been characterized as the most inviting in its unexceptionable features and in the general excellence and proficiency of its ring performances of any traveling, while their menagerie is large and comprehensive, and includes living specimens of the rarest beasts, birds, reptiles and amphibia. Their colossal Roman hippodrome is in itself a feature that has no duplication, and carries the spectator back to imperial Cesar's days. The show will exhibit at Butler on Saturday, June 16.

REDUCED RATES TO KANSAS CITY.

Via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the National Democratic Convention to be held at Kansas City, July 4, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets to Kansas City from all stations on its line at rate of one first-class fare for the round trip. Tickets to be sold and good going July 1, 2, and 3, and to return until July 9, inclusive. These tickets will be good on all trains except the Pennsylvania Limited, and must be used for continuous passage.

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.

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.

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.

A VALUABLE PUBLICATION.

The Pennsylvania Railroad 1900 Summer Excursion Route Book.

On June 1 the Passenger Department of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will publish the 1900 edition of its Summer Excursion Route Book. This work is designed to provide the public with descriptive notes of the principal Summer resorts of Eastern America, with the best routes for reaching them, and the rates of fare. It contains all the principal seashore and mountain resorts of the East, and over seventeen hundred different routes or combinations of routes. The book has been compiled with the greatest care, and altogether is the most complete and comprehensive handbook of Summer travel ever offered to the public.

The cover is handsome and striking, printed in colors, and the book contains several maps, presenting the exact routes over which tickets are sold. The book is profusely illustrated with fine half-tone cuts of scenery at the various resorts and along the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

On and after June 1 this very interesting book may be procured at any Pennsylvania Railroad ticket office at the nominal price of ten cents, or upon application to the general office, Broad Street Station, by mail for twenty cents.

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)

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

A Southern girl was accidently left at the top of the Observation tower at Niagara Falls a few nights ago, and as it rained and stormed during the night, and she was lightly dressed, she had a rough time of it.

Mrs. H. C. McAllister, of Conestoga Centre, Lancaster Co., became blind in one eye as a result of gazing too long at the eclipse of the Sun. She watched it closely for a long time, both through smoked glass and wit the naked eye. Her sight became dimthe next day and grew steadily worse until now she is unable to see with that eye.

Maj. Powell's recommendation to the War Department that the nine bridges spanning the Allegheny from the point to Sharpsburg should be raised, has caused a commotion in the two cities.

A Day in June.

And what is so rare as a day in June?
Then, if ever, come perfect days;
Then Heaven tries earth if it be in tune,
And over it softly her warm ear lays;
Whether we look or whether we listen,
We hear life murmur or see it glisten;
Every clod feels a stir of might,
An instinct within it that reaches and towers,
And groping blindly above it for light,
Climbs to a soul in glass and flowers;
The flush of life may well be seen
Thrilling back over hills and valleys;
The cowslip startles in meadows green.

The buttercup catches the sun in its chalice,
And there's never a leaf nor a blade too mean.
To be some happy creature's palace;
The little bird sits at his door in the sun,
Atilt like a blossom among the leaves,
And lets his illumined being o'errun
With the deluge of summer it receives;
His mate feels the eggs beneath her wings,
And the heart in her dumb breast flutters and sings;
He sings to the wide world, and she to her nest—
In the nice ear of nature which song is the best?

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL.

LOW RATES TO KANSAS CITY AND RETURN.

Via The Pittsburg & Western Railway.

Account National Democratic Convention, agents of Pittsburg & Western Ry. will sell tickets to Kansas City and return, on July 1st, 2d and 3d, good for return leaving Kansas City not later than July 9th, at One Fare for the Round Trip. Fare from Butler $21.75.

HALF FARE EXCURSIONS.

Via The Pittsburg & Western Railway.

Round trip tickets on sale July 3d and 4th, good until July 5th to all local points and to points on connecting lines westbound, within a radius of 200 miles from starting point, at the usual fare one way.

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.

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.

Agents of thetBessemer R. R. will sell excursion tickets July 3rd and 4th, good returning the 5th, at one fare for the round trip.

The fourth large invoice of Go-Carts have just arrived at Amy & Brown's. They are beauties. Lowest prices.

Commencement and wedding presents at bargain prices.
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Geo. W. Whitehill, the plumber, has the most complete line of hot plates, ovens and cookers that he has ever had. Prices to suit everybody. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

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Amy & Brown have the largest assortment of Couches to be 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.

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Near the Court House.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania. Curtis A. Jamison, of Mars, of Butler county, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 188, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby gived to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Pittsburg, in said District, on the 9th day of July, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

WILLIAM T. LINDSEY, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Whereas, letters of administration have been issued to me in the estate of J. W. Burton, late of Middlesex twp., Butler county, Pa., dec'd., all persons owing the said estate will please call and settle, and all persons having claims against the same will please present them duly authenticated for payment.

J. L. BURTON, Adm'r.,
Flick, Butler Co., Pa.
S. F. & A. L. BOWSER, Att'ys.,
Butler, Pa.

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