THE CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1900.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

IOTE—All advertisers intending to make hang s in their ads. should notify us of heir intention to do so not later than Monay morning.

Administratrix notice, estate of Perry J. Brown.
Jury Lists for Sept. Term.
Sheriff's Sale for Sept. 7.
Brown & Co's locals.
Cooper & Co's Suits.
C. & T's Furniture.
Engine for sale.

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

LOCAL AND GENERAL,

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

—Last X to the seashore today.

—Fix up your board-walks before the Fair.

—If its the Shanghai hen that's cacklin don't be too sure of your egg.

—When a man stumbles on a defective board-walk he has that bored feeling.

—The dog-days are not so-called because they come towards the tail end of summer.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

—Boyd & McDeavitt's saw-mill passed through Butler, Tuesday, bound for Cooperstown.

—Mercury, the planet, is nearest the Sun, and its thermometer namesake has lately highly inclined that way.

—The best antidote hot-air-waves are the "sad sea waves", but you must have the price, and know where to go to.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4 7.

—The coolest man in Butler, the other night, was the one who dreamed he was plowing home through a snow-drift.

—Talking about shirt waists for men is a waste of time. The real thing for all during the hot weather is a "Mother Hubbard."

—Old Fitz astonished the sporting element last Friday night by knocking out Ruhlin, the Akron giant, in the sixth round.

—The builders of the street car line have wended their weary way up to Institute Hill, and the pole gang are following with wood poles.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

—Every once in a while a genius invents a stove, a washing machine or a furnace that "a child can run," but we notice that the old folks continue to run it.

—West Wayne St. is being graded, lowering it about four feet in front of Seibert's blacksmith shop and raising it the same between Water and Washington streets.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—If the girls who own the two thousand pianos sold in Kansas, this season, all play a rag-time march at the same time the calamity howler will have a poor show.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—Butler is to have another oil well machine shop, to be located on the McCrea lot on Centre Ave. near the bridge and J. E. Franklin late foreman of the Evans shop is the promoter.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—The Rough Run baseball club drove to Slate Lick Saturday, and defeated the club at that place 12 to 8. McBride and Flick were the battery for the Winfield township boys.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—It's a poor wind that blows nobody any good. The rice growers of Louisiana and South Carolina are pleased with the Chinese situation, because it will insure a sale of their entire crop.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—The "Mother Hubbard" is the correct solution of the hot-weather dressing problem; and as the tailors now put 15 pockets in a man's suit, the men will have to wear a belt with the 15 pockets attached.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—This pleasant item is taken from an exchange. "A number of English authorities say that kissing, instead of being a menace to health, is an excellent method of administering a microbe tonic of great value in aiding digestion. The theory is that the act of kissing involves only an exchange of microbes that are health giving."

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—Attention of farmers and all others who make cider or other vinegars is called to the fact before offering the same for sale that they are compelled by law to mark on each head of cask, barrel or keg, or if sold in other packages, each package containg such vinegar, the name and residence of the manufacturer together with the brand, "cider vinegar."

Zinc and grinding double the wear

—The show-window of C. N. Boyd's drug store was an especial centre of interest last week. A "Queen of the Night" cactus, which blooms but once a year, had been placed there by its owner G. H. Walter, and the plant had several long buds, one of which blossomed on Sunday night. The interior of the flower was pure white with a mass of fine petals.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—Talk about your bear stories—the barest story is the one told by Jim Scott. When Jim was out in Montana some years ago, he took a walk one morning through a deep and lonely canyon and met a tremendous grizzly. The bear came right at him; Jim saw that his time had come and so just said his prayers and let the bear eat him up, and that was the end of it—end of the story.

P. S.—There's a little Chinese blood in Jim.

Zinc and grinding double the wear.

—During the storm of last Sunday afternoon three tanks of oil on the John Irwin place near Evans City were struck by lightning and destroyed by fire; Wm. Graham of Cranberry twp. lost 3 cows, that were standing under a tree that was struck, and a number of derricks were blown over in in Middlesex and Adams townships. At New Kensington a large, brick, three-story building, near the river, was struck by a tornado, about 3 p.m. of that day, and completely demolished. It was used for the manufacture of aluminum and was owned by the Pittsburg Reduction Co. The boiler house and other buildings of the plant were also destroyed, and one man was badly hurt.

PERSONAL.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

Mrs. F. J. Huff is at Cambridge.

L. G. Linn is here from Colorado.

Hiram Sarver is home from Colorado.

W. H. DeArme and wife are back from Conneaut.

Wm. J. Gravatt of Butler twp. was in Butler, Friday.

A. W. Boyer and son of Evans City were in town, Friday.

Miss Lulu McCafferty of Freeport is visiting friends in Butler.

E. L. McCleary of Prospect did some shopping in Butler, Friday.

Marcus Reichert of Jacksville visited friends in Butler, Tuesday.

James Thompson is now living in the John Ekas house on West Pearl street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lowry attended the Boggs reunion in Evans City, today.

Adam Klink of Cherry twp. drove to Butler, Saturday, and did some shopping.

John R. McJunkin and daughter of Clay twp. did some shopping in Butler, Friday.

Wesley Monks and wife of Middlesex twp. did some shopping in Butler, Thursday.

Frank Tinker is home from Michigan, and down with typhoid, at his home on Walnut street.

Theodore Vogeley and wife and Miss Ada Gumpper visited friends in Kittanning last week.

Miss Lida Armstrong of Fairview Ave. is visiting relatives at Hanover, Beaver county.

Solomon Mays passed Thursday night in Butler with his cousin, Geo. D. High on Monroe St.

S. S. Scott of Butler twp. and Lon Russell went on a fishing trip to Canada, last week.

Clerk of Courts Turner is improving in health. His wife has had him out in their buggy, this week.

W. J. Allen of Mercer street returned, Tuesday, from a trip to Buffalo, Niarara Falls and Cleveland.

D. L. Aiken has purchased the Holman, formerly Aiken & Campbell, grocery on Centre Ave.

Ex-U. S. Senator John J. Ingalls of Kansas is dying of throat and lung trouble in New Mexico.

Rev. David Cupps assisted at Communion services at Salem M. E. church in Adams twp., last Sunday.

Miss Jamison of Mifflin street has returned from visiting her cousins Ada and Fannie Seaton of Eau Claire.

J. G. Kennedy was down town, Monday. Mr. Kennedy's arms have been partially paralyzed for some months

Miss Margaret Mechling has returnrd to Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, after an extended visit at her home, Breeze Place.

Miss Jennie Mechling has returned from Boston, Mass., where she has been a music student in the New England Conservatory.

Mrs. Jas. Brown of Cairo, W. Va., visited her daughter, Mrs. Al. Walter, last week. She wants to sell her house on W. Penn St.

Rev. Asa Watters of the Jumonville Pa. Orphans Home stopped a few days, on his way home from Erie, with his nephew Geo. Stewart, Esq.

John Cole picked up a pocket book belonging to Mrs. J. C. Gordon in front of the Post office, Wednesday afternoon, and left it at the Home Gas office.

George Sheiring, Jr. and family returned, Wednesday, to Marion, Ind. after spending their summer vacation with Mr. Shiring's parents on West Wayne St.

Harry Godwin now has a good position on the Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph. He and his wife, a daughter of Alex Russell, visited friends in Butler over Sunday.

A. L. Findley, the photographer, returned, last Thursday, from a visit to friends in Kansas City and Milwaukee. At Milwaukee he attended the Photographers National Convention.

Charles Korn, the blacksmith, and James W. Thompson, two well known citizens of Middletown were in Butler last Thursday. Mr. Korn has been unwell with throat trouble for some months.

Wm. J. Mitchell, the only canal boatman, left in the county, went to Blairsville this morning, to attend the 15th reunion of the old boatman there. Mr. Mitchell rode and drove canal horses from 1848 to 1854, when he was yet a boy.

Mrs. Funnyfrock of Evans City has a bullet in her possession which was fired into her young son's head three years ago and which was recovered in a peculiar manner. The boy was accidently shot just above the mouth by a 32-calibre revolver in 1897. The bullet at that time could not be located by the attending physician and as no bad results seemed to follow its presence in the child's head it was allowed to remain. Recently while the boy was eating the bullet dropped into his mouth, having made its way through the roof of the mouth without causing any pain. In fact, its presence was not noticed until it broke through.—Ex.

—James—Are you going to the picnic?
John—I suppose you mean the Butler Fair, it's the picnic of all picnics. You are right I am going; I never miss it.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

Oh, where! Oh, where is Ellen? And where! Oh, where is Jane?
They've run away with shirt waist men, and will never be seen again.

—Everybody goes to Butler Fair.

—Butler Fair, September 4, 5, 6 and 7th.

—The seven days of last week were the hottest consecutive seven days in the memory of our oldest citizen.

—J. V. Stewart was in Pittsburg Tuesday attending a sale of horses, and bought four good drivers for his livery, which he lately purchased from Henry Bickel. He will keep from eighteen to twenty good drivers, all the time, all kinds of rigs and an up-to-date livery in every respect. See card.

—"Ma says, how much will you charge to write a 'bitruary on the death of my dad?"

"Three dollars an inch," replied the editor, gruffly.

The messenger departed, but in a little while he returned and said:

"Ma says dad wuz six-foot two inches, but he wuzn't wuth three dollars!"

Brown & Co. are still selling iron beds at reduced prices. Only a few left. The new ones are now arriving. Take advantage of the "drop" in prices quick.

The gentlemanly agent of the Northwest Yeast Company is around again with the little yellow sample of Yeast Foam. This Company is the largest yeast manufacturer in the world. Yeast Foam has been on the market over twenty years without an equal as a healthful bread raiser, and is extensively used in all parts of the United States. Every body is familiar with the good qualities of Yeast Foam.

Oak Side-board with double doors, long linen drawer and two small drawers, pattern top 44 inches wide at Brown & Co's. Price $15.

--Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

Saxon vs Herman.

Saxonburg presented a crippled team in the field at Herman, last Thursday, but won easily. Saxonburg has won two straights from Herman.

SCORE.

Saxonburg	2	0	4	0	3	0	9	2	4	—24
Herman	1	0	2	3	0	1	0	2	3	—12

Batteries—Crawshaw and King; Schehl, Steighner, O'Donnell and Smith. K.

LEGAL NEWS.

NEW SUITS.

Mrs. Sue McQuistion had a temporary injunction issued Monday, on application by bill in equity to the Court, against the People's Telephone Co. and Everett Forsythe, its agent, to restrain them from erecting a telephone pole in front of her premises on West Cunningham street, Butler. The bill states that the pole, 45 feet in height and 20 inches in diameter, was to be set near her shade trees necessitating their destruction. A final hearing will be held Saturday morning.

NOTES.

Letters of administration on the estate of Perry Brown, dec'd, of Summit twp. have been granted to Clara B. Brown; also on the estate of B. J. Nolan of Fairview twp. to Mary J. Nolan; also on the estate of Lewis Shiever of Lancaster twp. to Sidney Shiever.

Letters of administration on the estate of Thomas F. Christley of Cherry twp. have been granted to A. M. Christley, Esq.

James Beebe of Zelienople has been committed to jail for desertion charged by his wife.

Charles Barnes, a 16-year-old colored boy, was arrested Saturday on the information of F. J. Garwick that the boy had stolen $20 from his clothes while in bathing in the creek above Reiber's mill. Barnes implicated Luchian Chenot, a French boy, and both were held by Esq. Gilghrist for trial for larceny. Chenot's father bailed him out. Over $18 of the money was found on Barnes' person.

Motion Court will be held Saturday, Sept. 1.

The two-dozen guests of the county are enjoying themselves, these days, grading around the Poor Farm building; and at night they have music and song. Crawford, lately brought here from the pen. is an excellent violinist. The county jail is well ventilated, and its thick, stone walls make it one of the coolest buildings in the town.

On Monday Dr. Frank G. Leslie, of Pittsburg, physician, and Dr. Wm. J. Hindman, of Branchton, dentist, registered in the prothonotary's office in this city.

Dewey Bowser of the West End was fined $5 and costs by Esq. Gilghrist, Tuesday evening, for calling Al Currie, a member of the Salvation Army, names on the street.

The contract for the building of the barn for the County Poor Farm was let Tuesday. Cooper Bros. of Velencia got the contract for the superstructure at $2395 and Fred Winter of Penn got the masonry at $2.85 per perch.

On Monday the masonry of the Dudley Furnace in Parker twp. and Seaton Mill bridges on line of Mercer and Marion were let to Harvey N. Heenan.

A dispatch from Erie, dated last Thursday, said that "Mrs. Frank Woods of Harrisville, Butler county, was arrested here and is wanted by Ashtabula, O., authorities as a accomplice of "Dr." J. B. Brown, under arrest there on charges of passing forged checks and horse stealing. He has been traveling through Western Pennsylvania selling spectacles and patent medicines. Fifteen days ago the couple were here and hired a livery rig, which was not returned. The woman claims Brown exercises a hypnotic influence over her. It is alleged she left her home, husband and two children six weeks ago with Brown and went to Butler. Her husband is engaged in oil operations in West Virgina. She admits writing the checks on Erie banks on which the "doctor" raised money.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

Thomas J. McBride to Butts Canal Coal Co. 50 acres in Venango twp. for $1800.

Robert A. Brown to Perry Brown 40 acres in Cherry twp. for $850.

E. A. Kregar to Bessie M. Tarnol acre at Greece City for $50.

Hon. E. McJunkin to John M. Lyon lot in Butler for $600.

Harvey H. Boyd to Thos. V. Cochran lot in Butler twp. for $215.

E. E. Abrams to John M. Day oil leases in Fairview twp. for $3604.86.

John Kaufman to F. M. Taylor 50 acres in Worth for $2200.

D. S. Clark executor to F. A. Clark 116 acres in Franklin for 1550.

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Daniel Kennedy to John M. Miller lot in Butler for $225.

Richard Vensel to S. M. Wiles lot in Millerstown for $700.

S. M. Wiles trustee to John C. Wiles lot in Millerstown for $500.

Wm. Wonderly to Chas. M. Huselton 2 acres in Butler twp. for $125.

Same to Maggie M. Huselton 2 acres in Butler twp. for $125.

Vogeley heirs to Julius Kaufman lot on W. Jefferson St, Butler for $

Frank Dill to Carl Butzer 2 lots in Petrolia for $225.

Sue Eshenbaugh, ex'r to Breaden & Conway 15 acres in Clay for $800.

Howard M. Bentle to Geo. Householder lot in Zelienople for $2000.

Marriage Licenses.

Charles Cuning	Allegheny City
Adda Warden	"
L. E. Dowling	Braddock
Ella Hurlie	Allegheny City
Alonzo Green	Butler
Maud Keefer	Harmony
Sidney Huddleson	Oliver, Pa
Mary Dodds	Mars
William P. Welshonce	Butler
Emma L. Krisinger	Berlin, Pa

At Mercer—John Firster of New Lebanon, Pa., and Tressa Hein of Hilliards.

Reunions.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

The 10th Annual Convention of the Butler County Christian Endeavor union will be held at Slipperyrock, August 22 and 23.

The 169th Reg. will reune at Oakwood Park, Meadville, on Tuesday, August 28th. Take the Ponce de Leon Springs car at the Erie depot. Meals will be furnished at the Park hotel at 25 cts.

The annual reunion of Co. B 134th Reg. will be held at W. J. Stoner's, one and a half miles South of Euclid, on Friday, Aug. 31st. All soldiers and friends are invited to attend, with full baskets.

The reunion of the Gallagher family will be held, August 31, in Wm. Shield's grove, near Jeff Cooper's.

The fifteenth annual reunion of the McNeese family will be held at the home of I. C. McNeese at West Liberty, Thursday, August 23.

The annual reunion of the White Oak Springs U. P. congregation will be held in church grove on Thursday, August 23, 1900. Come and bring your basket and spend a day and meet old acquantences and form new ones.

Markets.

Wheat, old, wholesale price		67-70
Wheat, new,	"	64-67
Rye,	"	45
Oats,	"	24
Corn,	"	45
Hay,	"	15 00
Eggs,	"	12
Butter,	"	15
Potatoes, new	"	40
Onions, per bu		60
Beets, per doz bunches		25 30
Apples, per bu		40
Cabbage, per lb		2
Roasting ears, per do		8
Tomatoes, per bu		90

Spring chickens are high and in demand.

Get a nice picture in latest style from Brown & Co. All pictures at cost during August.

Our New Features. Two Grammar Classes. Three Arithmetic Classes. Several taking the Expert Accountant's Course Five teachers—Three Professional, Two assistants. Introduction o the best books published on Grammar Commercial Law and Shorthand. Cal at the office and examine them. Fall term begins Monday, Sept. 3d.
BUTLER BUSINESS COLLEGE.

New, four-room house for sale In quire at this office

Hose Races On.

The Rescue and First Ward hose racing teams left at 8 this morning over the West Penn road for New Kensington to take part in the Western Penn'a Firemen's Convention. Both teams took their running carts with them. This afternoon the firemen will parade, and after which both the Butler companies will enter the service race, in which they are to run 265 yards in street clothes, lay 50 yards of hose and the team that does it quickest to get $100.

Friday they race in the hose, hub and hook and ladder races.

The Rescue runners are Kirk Jones, John Ayers, Alf Watters, Clarence Watters, Joe Elliott, Will Jennings, Gilbert Lester, John Bayers, Wallace Rimer, Paul Rockenstein, Peter Weisenstein, Will Bell, Hugh Fowser, Mel Clark, John Mitchell, Sam Fisher, Joe Weisenstein, coupler and Frank Gerrard, pipeman. Wesley Johnston is their delegate in the official meetings.

The First Wards are Manager, John Cole, Harry Worth, Fred Harper, Rob't McCutcheon, Earl Clinton, Earl Cleeland, Theo Leedom, Holly Wilson, Will Heineman, Floyd Bonner, Clarles Larkin, Charles Hock, Edward Campbell, Edgar Negley, Eugene Morrison, John Feigel, Joe Heineman, coupler, and Charles Douglas. Wiley Morrison is the delegate.

Butler's Big Fair.

It only comes once a year but when it does come it is great and all Butler county rejoices, for it is the picnic of all picnics; everybody goes; they can take their baskets along and eat their dinner under the beautiful shade trees; the grounds are the finest in the State: the show is the best; the races most exciting; the cavalcade the grandest; the stock the choicest; the crowd the largest; the people the handsomest; the order the best; and a feeling of cheerfulness is seen everywhere.

The Butler Fair is one Fair that is conducted in the interest of the people; it it not managed to make money; there are no dividends declared. If the stockholders can have a Fair such as to be the pride of Butler county they are satisfied without making money; they want the people pleased and this year they are making preparations to hold the largest Fair in the history of Butler county; every one can go easily; besides the usual ways there will be a street car line to the grounds and also there is another way to drive to the grounds without coming in contact with the street cars.

CHURCH NOTES.

The North Butler, West Sunbury, Pleasant Valley, New Salem, North Washington, Fairview and Concord Presbyterian congregations held a reunion at the latter church in Concord twp. last Thursday. All of these churches are offsprings of the Concord church, which is one of the oldest in the country, and this is the first reunion they have held. The Concord church had its inception in the summer of 1799, when Rev. John McPherrin, of Westmoreland county, preached to the pioneers beneath the spreading branches of a large oak tree near the site of the present church. The first church building was a log cabin, with earthen floor, split log seats and an old-fashioned fire place. In 1838 the present brick building was erected. Rev. R. L. Alter has been pastor at Concord for the past six years. A history of the church will be found in this paper.

Rev. John A. Douthett of Greensburg preached in the U. P. church, Sunday. No services Sunday, the 19th

The Young People's Christian Union of the U. P. church holds its annual county convention at W. Sunbury, Thursday and Friday, Aug. 29-30.

C E Convention

The Tenth Annual Convention of the Butler County Christian Endeavor Union will be held at Slipperyrock, August 22 and 23. Preparations have been carefully made and everything indicates a good and profitable meeting.

Singing will be a special feature of the convention. Sacred Songs No. 1, will be used.

Excursion rates have been granted (one and a third fare) from all stations on the P. & W. and P. B. & L. E. R. R. going the 22d and 23d, good to return the 24th.

We know Endeavorers throughout the county are interested in this annual meeting and many will come to enjoy and carry home a blessing.

A Wholesale Grocery.

Rumberger and McCoy, the wholesale grocers of Liberty street, Pittsburg, have established a branch storeroom in Butler with their well known salesman, J. G. Runkle in charge. It is located in the old Boos warehouse between the Kesselman machineshop and the Oil Well Supply sucker rod shop on the P. & W. tracks. Home grocers find it an immense advantage over bying from foreign houses, as there are no freight charges and all they need to do is send their wagon around and get what they want. A large amount of trade for the branch house comes from towns along the B. R. & P. railroad. A whole sale grocery house has long been needed in Butler and under Mr. Runkle it is sure to be a big success.

Grand Opera House, Pittsburg.

The season at the Pittsburg Grand Opera House will open Monday afternoon, September 3rd. While a good many members of last season's stock company will return, there will be several new faces in the organization, and they have all been engaged with a view of making the company the best that has yet been employed in stock work in Pittsburg. The old members who came back are Thomas W. Ross, Marion Ballou, Lida McMillen, Edward Poland, Joseph Woodburn, Willis Martin, and Lorle Palmer. Mr. William Ingersoll, who was the leading man the last four weeks last Season, and who made such a tremendous success in the principal parts, is also in this year's company, while the new leading woman is Miss Frances Drake, an actress of great ability, who has been identified with some of the best traveling and stock companies in America, during the past six or eight years. Another important new engagement is that of Benjamin Johnson, who will play the comedy old men, formerly played by Robert Ransom. Mr. Johnson is universally admitted to be the best man in this line of work in the country. Another newcomer will be Miss Alice Gale, who plays the motherly old woman and such parts, and from this actress' past record it is expected that patrons of the Grand will find in her one of the best women that has been seen upon the Grand Opera House stage. J. C. Huffman, who has been the stage director at the Grand for so long, will also be at his old post of duty, which insures the same magnificence in the matter of productions that has always characterized the Grand Opera House.

Old patrons of this theatre will hardly know it when they return in the Fall. The house is practically new from the street to the rear wall on the stage. All of the furnishings are new, including the draperies and chairs. The auditorium and the vast lobbies have all been newly painted and decorated, and the main lobby from the street up to where the ticket taker stands has been laid with a very rich and expensive mosaic tiling of fanciful design and beautiful coloring. It is the determination of Manager McCloy of the Grand to make next season excel anything that has gone before in the way of big productions of great plays.

Notice to the Public.

I desire to inform my customers and public generally that I have removed my marble shop from East Cunningham street to room 3, second floor, No. 213 South Main street, where I am prepared to give estimates on all kinds of marble and granite monuments at the best rates and lowest prices. Reports that I am no longer in the business are untrue.
F. M. RENNO.

M. C. Rockenstein has removed into Duffy Block 3 doors south of his old stand where he can be found with a full line of stoves, hardware, sewer pipe etc. We still do roofing, spouting and jobbing, will be glad to see all my old customers at the new stand.

Music scholars wanted at 128 West Wayne St.

ACCIDENTS.

George E. McCarthey, joint agent for the B. R. &. P. and P. B. & L. E. R. R's. at the junction east of Butler. was struck by lightning and instantly killed during the storm of Wednesday evening. He and some others took refuge from the storm in the little restaurant at the Karns crossing, but none of the others were seriously injured. He was about 35 years of age, was single, and his home is in Rochester, N. Y.

James Rutter who lives in Worth twp. a mile south of Jacksville was struck by a falling tree on the Studebaker farm Saturday morning and his right arm broken above the elbow and received severe cuts across the nose and forehead. Rutter and Studebaker were felling the tree and it caught on a stump which gave way so quickly that Rutter, who was trying to dislodge the tree, could not get from under it. The injured man was taken to his home and is expected to recover safely.

Geo. Belknap of near Cooperstown was hurt in Butler, last Thursday night, by his wagon tumbling over the E. Cunningham street embankment.

John Tack, a son of Philip Tack, had his left foot badly crushed, last Friday, by some street-car rails falling upon it, while he was helping to unload them from his wagon.

A terrible accident is reported from West Sunbury, where a child of Plummer Wick fell into a bucket of scalding water, and was scalded to death.

Railroad Notes.

The statement of earnings of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg just issued for the fiscal year shows increase in earnings note worthy even in these days of improved railroad revenues. The gain in gross is $1,210,166, or 30 per cent, and in net $762,949, or 56 per cent. Part of these large gains is due, however, to the fact that since July 1 the earnings of the Allegheny & Western, the extension in Western Pennsylvania, have been included in the returns. The record would seem to indicate that the operation of this line accounts for even more of the improvement in revenue than might be expected to come from a new road, 60 miles in length.

It is considered very doubtful if the Pennsylvania Railroad will adopt nickel steel rails for the points of severe service. At the famous Horseshoe Curve the nickel steel rails have been replaced by those of the ordinary steel type, for it was found that the rails diminished the tractive power of the engines on account of their hardness.

OIL NOTES.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7.

The market is now $1.25.

McCALMONT—Phillips is drilling a new well among a lot of old ones.

PENN TWP—The Producers Oil Co. has a good well from the third sand on the old Marshall farm at McBride.

CLAY TWP—John Tebay is drilling a well on the Amos Young.

SLIPPERYROCK—The McFarland well on the Roenigk is reported dry.

JEFFERSON—Phillips is drilling on the Wilson Graham. The Forest's well on Wm. Patterson is doing about 5 bbls. The Bachman on the Campbell is doing six bbls. natural.

FAIRVIEW TWP—Gibson & Co., are drilling on the J. J. McGarvey; Craig & Dunlap Bros. on the Chas. Miller; Davis Bros. on the S. S. Mays.

BEAVER CO—On Cow run, the Campbell, Miller & Co. well on the Wallace farm, is holding up at 10 bbls. an hour. Snyder & Co. will drill in their test on the Baehm farm. 200 feet north of the Wallace gusher, next Thursday. There are three wells drilling and four rigs building in the vicinity of the Wallace farm well.

CLEARFIELD—Showalter's well on the Green was shot, Monday, and is reported at five barrels; the Mannington well on the A. McBride the same; Young has a big gasser on the Gillespie near the Hickey Pump station. Rabbitt is building a rig on the C. Duffy; Showalter has another rig up on the Green to the east of his producer, and Steighner has a rig up at the church west of Coylesville.

VENANGO CO.—Three miles east of Ballion, in the Big Bend district, Smiley & Wilson have completed a well on the A. Jacobs farm which is showing for 55 bbls. They got the regular Bullion sand. The well will no doubt open up considerable of a field heretofore undeveloped. The well and a large tract of leases are owned by Smiley & Wilson Bros., of Foxburg.

THE STANDARD—The announcement of a Standard Oil company dividend of eight per cent., payable September 15, has caused another howl from the yellow journals and the professional kickers of the oil country. The other dividends the present year have been, one of 20 per cent. on March 1, and one of 10 per cent. on June 15. This will make a total of 43 per cent. and another dividend of five per cent. is expected before the close of the year. A net dividend of 48 per cent. is certainly something handsome, but it must be borne in mind that while the capital stock of the corporation is nominally $100,000,000, the actual property valuation of all its pipe lines and refineries, gas plants, gas and oil wells, terminal facilities at the seaboard, its tugs, tank steamers, and oil barges, etc., is upward of $500,000,000. A profit of 48 per cent. on $100,000,000 is only 9 3-5 per cent. on $500,000,000. Some of the previous large dividends of the Standard were not derived from profits of the manufacturing business, but by moneys received and paid out by the liquidating trustees in the process of converting the trust back into its constituent companies.—Derrick.

Park Theatre Opening.

It is only three weeks now until the Park theatre will open for the regular season and the opening attraction is one that has always proven a favorite in Butler, the Macauley-Patton company, which comes here for Fair week, and is certain to play to standing room only, as is usually the case during the week of the big fair.

The company this season appears with new people, new scenery and a repertoire of new plays, though of course "The Minister's Son', is still on the list, and well it deserves to be. Among the new ones is Sol Smith Russell's "Peaceful Valley," one of the finest plays that has yet been staged in any theatre. "Inside Track," "Lost Paradise," "A Wasted Life," "Royal Rags" and "The Other Fellow" complete an exceptionally good repertoire that the public will appreciate. Popular prices will prevail and a bright line of specialties will be introduced each evening.

Program of Races at Butler Fair.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th.

No. 1. 2:40 Pace............Purse, $200
No. 2. 2:19 Pacers and 2:17 Trotters ....Purse, $200
No. 3. Roadsters owned in Butler Co. prior to Aug. 1st, owners to drive to 4 wheel vehicle, purse 200 bushels of oats usual division entrance fee $5.00.
No. 4. Running Race, half mile and repeat............Purse, $75

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th.

No. 5. 2:15 Pacers and 2:12 Trotters ....Purse, $300
No. 6. 2:30 Trot............Purse, $200
No. 7. 2:24 Pace............Purse, $200

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7th.

No. 8. 2:30 Pace............Purse, $200
No. 9. 2:40 Trot............Purse, $200
No. 10. 2:22 Trot............Purse, $200
No. 11. Running Race. half mile and repeat............Purse, $100

Address all entries to W. P. ROESSING, Sec'y,
Butler, Penn'a.

STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

Attend the State Normal School at Slipperyrock, Butler county. Expenses for board, tuition, furnished room, heat, light, and use of text-books will be $59. for sixteen weeks. A new model school building has been erected. Methods unsurpassed. Fall term opens September 3, 1900. Students may board and room in town under permission from the principal. Send for Catalogue.
ALBERT E. MALTBY,
Principal.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

—Butler Fair—Sept. 4–7

The Shelby tool works at Beaver Falls were burned last week. The loss is put at $400,000.

In New York city, last Saturday, the mercury ran up to 101 in the shade. Thirty-seven fatalities from heat were reported, and hundreds of prostrations.

Auditor Edgars has finished his audit of the accounts of the late John Blevins, treasurer of the city of New Castle, after a continuous labor of over one year and finds a shortage of $42,234.76. There is also a shortage in the school funds of $40,268.89, making a total shortage of $82,503.65. It is conceded that the late treasurer did not spend this money for his own use, and what became of it is the question to be solved.

A rather unusual sight witnessed on the streets of Oil City, lately, was a wagon witn a Winchester rifle strapped in a holster at its side, the gun to be used to protect the cargo and it was not gold nuggets either but simply beer brewed in Oil City and consigned to a hotel in Fryburg. The driver goes through a considerable portion of unsettled country and woods and has upon several occasions been held up by thirsty wayfarers, not always tramps, and has suffered so many losses that he has equipped his wagon with its present armory.

Three men mounted on bicycles robbed eleven laborers in Westmoreland Co., Tuesday, and shot one of them.

The recent developments on the Great Lakes have shown that the effort of John D. Rockefeller to govern the lake freights has failed utterly. Two things indicate the end of the fight and the acknowledgment by Mr. Rockefeller that he is defeated. One is the constant falling of lake rates, despite every effort of the oil king to keep them up, and the other is the announcement that Mr. Rockefeller had sold all of his mining property, in the Lake Superior district to Carnegie, whom Rockefeller was fighting when he started to control the lake freights.

Everybody Goes to Butler Fair.

People will appreciate the good drive to the Fair grounds without coming in contact with the street car line, which is being prepared by the Fair management and Town Council.

Notice to School Teachers.

The school teachers of Butler county are requested to meet in the Court House, at 1:30 p. m, Thursday, Aug. 30th, 1900, at which time and place they will be addressed by County Superintendents Painter of Butler Co. and Fruit of Mercer county.

FOR SALE.

One 13 Horse Peerless traction engine and one Geiser sawmill in good repair; also one New Peerless separator, for information write or see
G. E. THOMAS,
Butler, Pa.

Some new Bedroom Suits arrived recently. More will follow in a few days. See them at Brown & Co's.

Ask your Grocer for Currie's "Milk-Bread," made only by the Palace Bakery, 370 Centre Ave. Phone 269.

$3.00 a day guaranteed agents (men or women) selling our high grade laundry and toilet soaps. For exclusive territory write Millen Soap Co., 612 P, Adams street, Chicago.

Six months drilling lease on about one thousand acres of land and seven-eights interest in well will be given to party drilling test well near Sheakleyville, Mercer Co., Pa. Particulars from M. M. Prescott, Elizabeth, Allegheny Co., Pa.

Commencement and wedding presents at bargain prices.
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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.

RAILROAD NOTICES.

Excursion to Niagara.

The Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg R. R. will run an excursion to Niagara on Saturday, August 25th, at $4.00 for the round trip, Trains leave Butler at 10:12 a. m. and 11:28 p. m. Tickets good for 5 days.

The Punxsutawney Fair.

For the Punxs'y Fair, next week, August 21-24, the B. R. & P. will run a special train each day of the Fair, leaving Butler at 7:15 a. m., Fenelton at 7:40 and arriving at Punxs'y at 10 a. m. Returning leave Punxs'y at 6. p. m. Fare from Butler for round trip $1.85, Fenelton $1.55.

REDUCED RATES TO DETROIT VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Account Knights of Pythias, Biennial Conclave.

For the Biennial Conclave,, Knights of Pythias, at Detroit, August 27 to September 1, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from all stations on its line to Detroit, at rate of single fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on August 25, 26, and 27, good to return between August 28 and September 5, inclusive; but by depositing ticket with joint agent at Detroit not later than September 1, and the payment of 50 cents, return limit may be extended to September 14, inclusive.

Niagara Falls and Toronto Excursion via the P. B. & L. E. R. R.

On Thursday, August 23d, a special train will leave Butler at 5:00 a.m., Central time, stopping at all stations to and including Greenville. After leaving Greenville the train will run on fast time via the "Nickel Plate" and the New York Central to the Falls. Toronto tickets going via the Gorge route and the Niagara River line will be sold at $1.50 in addition to advertised rates to the Falls. Tickets will be good for return within 5 days. For further particulars inquire of P. B. & L. E. agents.

G. A. R. at Chicago.

34th Annual National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic, Chicago, Ill., Aug. 27th to 31st 1900.

For this occasion, ticket agents of Pittsburg & Western Ry. will sell on Aug. 25 to 29 inclusive, special excursion tickets to Chicago and return until Aug. 31st without validation and subject to an extension of time, to Sept. 30th upon payment of 50 cents to joint agent. Rate from Butler $8.25 and corresponding low rates from all stations.

REDUCED RATES TO CHICAGO VIA PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

Account G. A. R. Encampment.

On account of the Thirty-fourth Annual Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held at Chicago, August 27-31, inclusive, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from points on its line to Chicago, at rate of single fare for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on August 25, 26, and 27, good to return until August 31, inclusive; but by depositing ticket with joint agent at Chicago prior to noon of September 2, and the payment of fifty cents, return limit may be extended to September 30, inclusive.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT, CHICAGO, AUGUST 27-31.

For this occasion agents of Pittsburg & Western Ry. will sell excursion tickets at very low rates, August 25 to 29, inclusive, good to return until August 31st without validation in Chicago. Upon deposit of the ticket with the Joint Agent Central Passenger Association, Chicago, before noon Sept. 2d, and the payment of a fee of 50 cents, an extension of the return limit to September 30, may be obtained. Fare from Butler $8.25.
C. W. BASSETT,
General Passenger Agent,
Allegheny, Pa.

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Of getting what you want is to purchase from reliable sources. You may not need our goods often, but when wanted you want them promptly and want the best. The sickroom is no place for experiments. Our prescription department is the most important one with us and we leave nothing undone to secure only the best. A drug may be pure but not up to the standard in strength. Nothing short of the best is thought of with us.
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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 5:34 P. M.

Atlantic City Excursion via P. & W. and B & O. Ry.

June 28th, July 12th, 26th, August 9th and 23rd, 1900, are the dates for the Pittsburg & Western Excursion to Atlantic City via B. & O. Ry. All B. & O. trains run via Washington D. C. Rate from Butler $10.00. Tickets good returning 16 days from date of sale.

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.

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 ADVERTISEMENTS

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTIC

Estate of Perry J. Brown, late of Summit township, Butler county, Pa., dec'd.

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the above, mentioned estate, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement to
CLARA B. BROWN,
Administratrix,
Butler, Pa.
FRANK H. MURPHY,
Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Whereas letters of adminstration have this day been duly granted by the Register of Butler Co., Pa., to Oscar Keister on the estate of Paul Keister, late of Slipperyrock township, said county and State, notice is hereby given to all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate to make speedy payment, and those having claims against said estate will please present them properly authenticated for settlement to
OSCAR KEISTER,
Aug. 3, 1900. Administrator,
Keister P. O., Butler Co., Pa.
E. McJUNKIN,
Att'y for Adm'r and estate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Simon Barickman, dec'd., late of Butler township, Butler county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to
MRS. BELLE C. BARICKMAN, Adm'x.,
Butler, Pa.
MATES & YOUNG, Attorneys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of William J. Cleland, dec'd., late of Muddycreek township, Butler county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to
IRA L. CLELAND, Adm'r.,
Wimerton, Pa.
CORNELIUS & SON, Att'ys.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between Alvy Turner, C. E. Turner and Charles A. Clark, under the firm name of Turner & Clark, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts owing to said partnership are receivable by the said Alvy Turner, to whom also all claims and demands against the same are to be presented for payment, the said Alvy Turner hereby agreeing and does hereby agree to and does assume all outstanding indebtedness against said partnership as heretofore known.

June 12, 1900.
ALVY TURNER,
C. E. TURNER,
CHAS. A. CLARK.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob C. Brown, guardian of the estate of Rosanna Brown, has filed his first and final account at No. 38, March T., 1900, and that the same will be presented to Court for confirmation at Sept. T., 1900.
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