THE CITIZEN.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Subject to the Republican Primary.)

For Justice of the Peace,
MAJOR C. E. ANDERSON.
R. B. GILGHRIST.
L. P. WALKER.
E. I. BRUGH.

McKinley on the Election.

At the "Founders Day" banquet at Union League in Philadelphia, last Saturday evening, President McKinley made a speech in which he said:

"We are always in danger of exaggeration on an occasion of exultation over a political victory, and while the result is mainly due to the efforts of our splendid party, there is sometimes a tendency to give too little credit to other forces, which, silent though they may have been, were none the less potent. We must not withhold generous acknowledgement from that great body of our citizens who, belonging to another party, powerfully assisted in the achievement of the result which you celebrate to-night, nor from that other large body former members of our own party, who, with honesty of purpose separated from us a few years ago on financial issues, have now returned and are home again to stay.

"Nor is any accounting for the victory either just or accurate which leaves out of the calculation the almost unbroken column of labor engaged in mechanics and agriculture which rejected the false doctrine of class distinction as having no place in this republic, and which rebuked those teachings which would destroy the faith of American manhood in American character and American institutions. The business men in every part of the country, typified by this great organization, were a mighty factor in the recent contest. And may we not also ascribe much to the influence of the home with its affiliations? In any previous election was it greater, or in any did the counsel of the fireside determine more largely the vote of the electors?

"Nothing in government can be more impressive than a National election, where the people delegate their power and invest their constitutional agents with authority to execute their behests. The very character of the transaction clothes it with solemnity. It is serious business. Its issues are always momentous. What a lesson in self-government it teaches. Sixteen million voters on the same day, throughout every section of the United States, depositing their mandate and recording their will. Done by the people in their own communities, in the very precincts of the home, under the supervisions of their fellow-citizens and chosen officials, and to insure its freedom and independence, the ballot a secret one. God forbid that any citizen selected for that sacred trust should ever attempt to divert the will of the sovereign people or tamper with the sanctity of their ballots.

"Some disappointments follow all elections, but all men rejoice when an election is so decisive as to admit of neither dispute nor contest. The value of a National victory can only be rightly measured and appreciated by what it averts as well as by what it accomplishes. It is fortunate for the party in power if it understands the true meaning of the result. Charged by the people with administration and legislation, they are required to interpret as well as to execute the public will, and its rightful interpretation is essential to its faithful execution.

"We cannot overestimate the great importance and the far-reaching consequences of the electoral contest which ended on the sixth of November. It has, to me, no personal phase. It is not the triumph of an individual, nor altogether of a party, but an emphatic declaration by the people of what they believe and would have maintained in government. A great variety of subjects was presented and discussed in the progress of the campaign. We may differ as to the extent of the influence of the several issues involved, but we are all agreed as to certain things which it settled.

POLITICAL

P. W. Lowry of Butler is a candidate for Chief Clerk of the Senate.

The vote of the first elector in each column is McKinley and Roosevelt 712,665, Bryan and Stevenson 424,232. McKinley's plurality 288,443.

In Ohio the votes was McKinley 543,918, Bryan 474,882. McKinley's plurality 69,036

The Chinese Puzzle.

The United States, actuated by what are deemed to be the interests of humanity, has appealed to the Powers not to let the negotiations at Peking come to naught through failure to invoke agencies other than the Ministers at the Chinese capital for a settlement of the great questions in issue. Not being ashamed to express the opinion that the negotiations appear to be in danger of failing this Government asks the Powers if they will not say what they think about taking the subject out of the hands of the Ministers, who, having suffered indignities at the hands of the Chinese, are not able to consider the matter in an entirely judicial manner.

Pennsylvania Post-offices.

The annual report of J. L. Bristow, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, shows that Pennsylvania ranks second as to the number of Presidential post-offices, having 309, of which 14 are of the first class, 78 of the second, and 217 of the third class. This is an increase of 11 over last year. First-class are those in which the receipts are over $40,000 a year, the salary of the postmaster ranging from $3,000 to $6,000. Those of the second class are where the gross receipts are between $8,000 and $40,000, and the salaries are from $2,000 to $2,900, while a third-class office is one in which the receipts are between $1,900 and $8,000, and the salary from $1,000 to $1,900. The report says: "The number of Presidential postoffices in a State may be safely regarded as an index of the industry and commercial activity of its people." In this scale New York ranks first, Pennsylvania second, Illinois third, Iowa fourth and Ohio fifth.

Pennsylvania holds the first rank with regard to fourth class postoffices, or those where the receipts are less than $1,900 a year and the salary less than $250 per quarter for four consecutive quarters. There are 4,946 of these in Pennsylvania, Virginia, strange to say, ranking next, with New York and Ohio in the third and fourth places. Pennsylvania, however, ranks twenty fifth as to average compensation of the postmasters, it being only $181.55, while in Massachusetts, where the compensation is the highest, it is $356.69. The gross postal receipts in Pennsylvania are $8,825,596.61, ranking after New York with $17,415,297.39, and Illinois with $10,022,563.98. The amount expended in use of the mails per head of the population is $1.49, which puts Pennsylvania twentieth in the list.—Pittsburgh Times.

Ambassador Choate on Lincoln.

Ambassador Choate addressed the Edinburg, Scotland, Philosophical Society, recently. His subject was Abraham Lincoln. It was an able and scholarly performance. The best part of it was his description of Lincoln's speech in Cooper Institute, New York, because it gives us a vivid and life like portrait of this "true born king of men." He said:

"It is now forty years since I first saw and heard Abrahrm Lincoln, but the impression which he left on my mind is ineffaceable. After his great success in the West he came to New York to make a political address. He appeared in every sense of the word like one of the plain people among whom he loved to be counted. At first sight there was nothing impressive or imposing about him—except that his great stature singled him out from the crowd; his clothes hung awkwardly on his giant frame, his face was of a dark pallor, without the slightest tinge of color; his seamed and rugged features bore the furrows of hardship and struggle; his deep-set eyes looked sad and anxious; his countenance in repose gave little evidence of that brain power which had raised him from the lowest to the highest station among his countrymen; as he talked to me before the meeting, he seemed ill at ease, with that sort of apprehension which a young man might feel before presenting himself to a new and strange audience, whose critical disposition he dreaded. It was a great audience, including all the noted men—all the learned and cultured—of his party in New York; editors, clergymen, statesmen, lawyers, merchants, and critics. They were all very curious to hear him. His fame as a powerful speaker had preceded him, and exaggerated rumor of his wit—the worst forerunner of an orator—had reached the East. When Mr. Bryant presented him, on the high platform of the Cooper Institute, a vast sea of upturned faces greeted him, full of intense curiosity to see what this rude child of the people was like. He was equal to the occasion.

When he spoke he was transformed; his eyes kindled, his voice rang, his face shone and seemed to light up the whole assembly. For an hour and a half he held his audience in the hollow of his hand. His style of speech and manner of delivery were severely simple. What Lowell called "the grand simplicities of the Bible," with which he was so familiar, were reflected in his discourse. With no attempt at ornament or rhetoric, without parade or pretence, he spoke straight to the point. If any came expecting the turged eloquence or the ribaldry of the frontier, they must have been startled at the earnest and sincere purity of his utterances. It was marvelous to see how this untutored man, by mere self-discipline and the chastening of his own spirit, had outgrown all meretricious arts, and found his own way to the grandeur and strength of absolute simplicity.

"He spoke upon the theme which he had mastered so thoroughly. He demonstrated by copious historical proofs and masterly logic that the fathers who created the constitution in order to form a more perfect union, to establish justice and to secure the blessings of liberty to themselves and their posterity, intended to empower the Federal Government to exclude slavery from the territories. In the kindliest spirit he protested against the avowed threat of the Southern States to destroy the Union if, in order to secure freedom in those vast regions, out of which future States were to be carved, a Republican President was elected. He closed with an appeal to his audience, spoken with all the fire of his aroused and kindling conscience, with a full out-pouring of his love of justice and liberty, to maintain their political purpose on that lofty and unassailable issue of right and wrong which alone could justify it, and not be intimidated from their resolve and sacred duty by any threats of destruction to Government or ruin to themselves. He concluded with this telling sentence, which drove the argument home to our hearts: "Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we may understand it." That night the great hall, and the next day the whole city, rang with delighted applause and congratulations, and he who came as a stranger departed with the laurels of a great triumph."

THE great speculation in New York and Brooklyn elevated and surface line stocks has drawn attention anew to the extraordinary business done in moving the population of Greater New York to and fro. The reports for 1900 will show approximately 700,000,000 passengers carried, yielding a revenue of $35,000,000 to the companies. The Brooklyn Rapid Transit has a greater mileage than all the other companies combined, the total being 515 miles. The stock capitalization and indebtedness of these several systems foot up close to $250,000,000.

Modern Barbarism.

The custom of burning people at the stake in punishment for heinous crimes seems to be spreading. Heretofore it has been confined almost exclusively to the South. But out in Colorado lately a negro boy, aged sixteen years, was chained to an iron post and burned to death amid the most horrible agonies. The wood was piled up to his knees and set fire to. The details of the scene were horrible beyond description. The screams and contortions of the victim who writhed and prayed and pleaded to be shot, were certainly not edifying to the three hundred men who witnessed the tragedy. He had committed a terrible crime, the assault and murder of a little girl aged eleven years. But this fact in itself proved that he was a physiological monstrosity, a degenerate without human instincts. The theory probably is that by inflicting inhuman punishment upon one of this class of creatures, others might be terrorized and prevented from committing similar crimes. The theory is not good. You cannot cure cruelty and brutality by setting examples of still greater cruelty. And those intelectual freaks who are capable of committing such crimes are as insensible to terror as to other sentiments. You might as well burn a tiger or hyena at the stake with the idea of deterring other tigers and hyenas from pursuing the instincts which prompt them to kill men and rob graves. The negroes who are capable of committing these crimes probably never see a newspaper or even hear of these burnings at the stake. The only effect then is to demoralize the men who take part, and to some extent all who read about it. Beside it lessens our respect for the majesty of the law, and scandalizes the whole country, giving foreign nations the notion that we are a half barbarous people. And too, in these hasty executions by a furious mob, there is always danger of executing the wrong person. This is not an age for burning people at the stake.—Spirit

LONDON has been shocked again. The Westminster Gazette has published a map indicating the points in the Transvaal and Orange State where the British forces have been attacked since October 1. It includes every district in the two States, and has created great alarm as illustrating the determination of the Boers to fight to a finish. In addition to the map, letters from the front agree the only way to end the war is to give Lord Kitchener full authority to exterminate the Boers.

Sarver's Station.

Prof. Meyer and W. J. Hazlett visited Carbon Black, Monday.

Charles Smith and wife are visiting at Mrs. Smith's parents, Sarversville.

Don't forget the offering for the Butler Hospital on Thanksgiving Day. The services will be in the Buffalo church at 10:30.

Our people, young and old, are looking forward to the lecture by Prof. Hunter in Carbon Black, Friday evening—this week.

Just three weeks and the fall term of the Academy closes.

Preaching services in Westminster church, Sunday evening, next.

Railroad Notes.

Meetings of the board of directors of The Sharon Railway and the New Castle and Shenango Valley Railroad Company were held at the First National Bank on Tuesday for the purpose of taking action upon the merger and consolidation of the N. C. & S. V. R. R. Co. into and with The Sharon Railway forming one corporation. The matter will come before the stockholders at a meeting to be held in Sharon on Saturday, December 22nd, of which see legal notice in another column.

The stockholders of the Youngstown & Sharon Street Railway Co. held a meeting Tuesday at the law office of Norris, Jackson & Rose and effected a re-organization. The capital stock was increased from $200,000 to $600,000.

The general officers of the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg railroad met in New Castle last Saturday, on an inspection trip and as a result of their visit says a dispatch from that town, the air line road from New Castle to Butler is to be built.

A few weeks ago the company paid $2,500 for seven acres near Cascade park, where a passenger station and large yards are to be erected.

FRANCE and Kruger are shaking their fists right under England's nose.

Harmony and Zelienople.

Mrs. Benjamin Pittman, of Sistersville W. Va., arrived at Harmony on Saturday where she will visit relatives for some time.

Miss Della Martin, of North Baltimore O., is the guest of Henry Niece and family, of Harmony, this week.

E. R. R. Boyer, of near Harmony, purchased 85 dressed turkeys for one firm in Pittsburg, this week.

Miles P. Luton, of Apollo, was at Harmony over Sunday, the guest of his sons, John and Charley.

Samuel Ziegler, of New Castle, died last week and his remains were taken to Middle Lancaster by way of Harmony on Sunday and were buried in the home cemetery. Mr. Ziegler was a brother of H. D. Ziegler, deceased.

The four years old daughter of E. H. Higley, of Harmony, was very ill on Saturday and Sunday; on Monday a change for the better was reported.

Rev. S. H. Greenlee, of Zelienople, closed his protracted meeting at Unionville last week and will begin one at Concord this week.

James Doutt, of the firm of Doutt Bros. of Zelienople, purchased a dry goods store at Rochester and will move to that place immediately; he sold his interest at Zelienople to his younger brother.

The Iron City Sanitary Manufacturing Co., with a capital of $100,000 and the Zelienople Land Co., capital $10,000, were chartered to do business at Zelienople and will equip and open the enameling works of that town before spring.

Miss Arzona B. King and Joseph Nesbit, both of Jackson township, were married quietly at the home of the bride's parents last week.

John Grant, of St Marys W. Va., who was reported seriously ill, in the papers, last week formerly lived at Harmony and his many friends at Harmony and Zelienople are glad to hear that he is experiencing a decided change for regaining his health.

The ladies of the M. E. church, of our two towns gave an old fashioned Thanksgiving dinner and supper in the Harmony opera house on Thursday.

John Kerr, of Harmony, is a witness in Pittsburg this week on a damage suit.

Leeland Knox, of Girard O., is at Harmony this week

George Marshall, of Harmony, who stops at Connelsville at present, was home over Sunday.

Miss Della Penrod, formerly of Harmony, is now employed in office work at Greenville.

Rev. J. A. Leuzinger, of the Grace Reformed church of Harmony, left for W. Va. this week and will occupy a pulpit there next Sunday. Rev. Goettman, of Middle Lancaster, will preach for him at Harmony next Sunday.

Miss Ida Latshaw, of Harmony, returned home from a Pittsburg visit on Saturday.

Hon. M. L. Lockwood, of Zelienople, returned home from a trip to Buffalo, N. Y., last week.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

The Bijou theatre in Pittsburg was closed and disinfected last week, on account of small pox breaking out among the members of a colored troupe playing there.

Joseph R. McKinney and Miss Sarah Murdock, the lovers whose determination to wed has caused an affair bordering on a family feud at Springdale, Allegheny Co., succeeded in accomplishing their purpose last Friday. Rev. F. Ruoff performed the ceremony which made them husband and wife in the First United Evangelical Protestant Church, Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, Pittsburg. Later in the day the couple returned to Springdale anxious about the reception they would receive from the parents of the determined young bride.

Last Thursday John J. Keating, a brakeman employed on one of the passenger trains of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg railway, fatally shot his wife and then turning the smoking weapon against his own breast fired a bullet through his heart. Two bullets were fired at Mrs. Keating. The first entered her left temple and the second passed through her left breast. After the shooting of the woman, Keating seemed to suddenly realize what he was doing. "My God, my God," he shrieked, "what have I done?" Then he shot himself and fell forward against the body of his wife. Both were soon dead. They lived at Bradford.

The syndicate of New York and Chicago capitalists which is investing millions of dollars in Sharon, Youngstown and vicinity, has finally secured control of the lighting companies' properties, and the Valley street railway, Sharon-Wheatland electric line, and the proposed Youngstown-Sharon inter-urban street railway interests. Eventually the projectors expect to secure control of all the street car lines within a radius of 30 miles of Sharon, including the road to be built from New Castle to Sharon.

Michael Healey, a farmer who lives near Undercliff, a short distance beyond Sharpsburg, on the Butler plank road, was held up late Tuesday afternoon by three highwaymen, who robbed him of $156 and made their escape. Healey was returning to his home along the plank road when the robbery took place. The men appeared suddenly before him, armed, and quickly went through his pockets. The robbery occured near the place Pisor was robbed.

Mrs. Catherine Hillman, wife of John Hillman, of Wexford, Tuesday, was found dead in bed about noon.

Annual Hospital Donation Day.

Please remember the date, Friday, Nov. 30.

In addition to the fruits, jellies, groceries, etc., all of which are so acceptable we give a list of articles much needed, and any of which will be very useful; bed spreads, sheets, napkins, towels, table cloths, tray covers, muslin, needles, thread, tape, gowns, kettles, wash boards, dust-pans, matches, ivory soap, silver polish, sapolio, tooth-picks, brooms, waste baskets, stove polish, tooth brushes, etc., etc.

Wagons will call at the houses between the hours of 9 and 2 o'clock.

It will greatly help if all donations are ready and placed in plain view on porches or steps, marked for the hospital and with the name of the donor.

By order of Comm.

DEATHS.

WILSON—At his home in Franklin twp., Nov. 22, 1900, James Wilson, in his 82d year.

HARLEY—At her home in Butler, Nov. 25, 1900, Mrs. Margaret Harley, nee McKinney, wife of George Harley, aged 35 years.

She was buried at White Oak Springs church.

NICHTORNE—At Allegheny General Hospital, Nov. 24, 1900, Joseph Nichtorne of Glade Run, aged 48 years.

SHAW—At his home in Mercer twp., November 24, 1900, Hugh Shaw, aged about 70 years.

NOLF—At his home in Buffalo twp., Nov. 5, 1900, Parker Nolf.

BOOZEL—At her home in Clay township, November 23, 1900, Mrs. John Boozel, aged about 70 years.

Mrs. Boozel died during the night, of heart disease, and was found dead, in bed, next morning.

WHITMORE—At her home in Fairview twp., Nov. 22, 1900, Miss Lizzie Whitmore, daughter of J. C. Whitmore, aged about 21 years.

MARQUIS—At his home in Glenshaw, Nov. 25, 1900, Dr. W. V. Marquis, formerly of Glade Mills, aged 67 years.

Obituary Notes.

U. S. Senator Davis, of Minnesota, died at his home, in St. Paul, Tuesday evening.

THE battle-ship Kentucky has been sent to Turkey on an important mission. The Sultan will not pay us a trifle he owes, and refuses to acknowledge one of our consuls.

HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE.

Notice to Hunters.

Hunting is strictly forbidden on the farms of the following persons in Centre twp., Butler Co., Pa.:

Anthony Thompson, Gill Thompson, J. P. Elliott.

ALSO ON THE FOLLOWING IN OAKLAND TOWNSHIP:

J. F. Schcup, J. E. Davis, John Patton, James Hutchison, John Jackson, Christ Myers, J. W. Hervey, S. W. Sopher, W. T. Gold, R. C. Borland, J. P. Millinger, Noah Henry, L. A. Millingar, J. F. Balph, T. J. Moser, A. J. Patton, W. P. Davis, Matt. McCandless, J. N. Gold, H. C. McCollough, W. M. Wick, A. J. Stoughton, R. C. Stoughton, R. A. Stoughton, D. Rankin, C. W. Hoon and W. T. Hoon, William A. Hutchison, George Scott, Mrs. David Scott, Wm. B. Davis and all trespassers on such farms will be dealt with according to law.

SUMMIT.

A. W. Johnston, Peter Bowers, R. D. Stevenson.

Notice to Hunters.

We, the undersigned members of the E. J. T. Game Protection Association of Jackson township, Butler county, Pa., do hereby give notice that persons found hunting or trespassing on lands controlled by members of this association will be dealt with according to law: L. N. Stokey, J. M. Wilson, G. W. Nixon, A. L. Wilson, C. W. Liken, L. J. Kersting, G. N. Wilson, H. Voegele, D. Kugel, F. Voegele, Wm. Fulton, L. Beahm, H. Frishkorn, H. Marburger, G. Geohering, F. Zinkhorn, C. Marburger.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS.

Hunting is strictly forbidden on the farms of the Bauman heirs and John Graff, near Saxonburg; and anybody found hunting on these farms will be prosecuted.

NOTICE.

Hunting is strictly forbidden on the Humphreys, (or old Judge Story) farm in Parker township near Bruin and all such trespassers will be prosecuted.

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DEALER IN

LUMBER.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of George J. Mangold, } No. 1247, in Bankruptcy. Bankrupt.

To the creditors of George J. Mangold, of Butler in the county of Butler and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 24th day of November, A. D. 1900, the said George J. Mangold was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of J. W. Hutchison, referee in bankruptcy, No. 114 N. W. Diamond, Butler, Pa., on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

November 27th, 1900.

J. W. HUTCHISON,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, in Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Charles Thompson, } No. 1179, in Bankruptcy Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Charles Thompson, of Lyndwood, in the county of Butler and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1900, the said Charles Thompson was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of J. W. Hutchison, Referee in Bankruptcy, No. 114 N. W. Diamond, Butler, Pa., on the 10th day of Dec., A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

November 24th, 1900.

J. W. HUTCHISON,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Notice.

OFFICE OF THE SHARON RAILWAY, Sharon, Pennsylvania, November 21, 1900.

By resolution of the Board of The Sharon Railway, adopted at a meeting held on the 20th day of November, 1900, a meeting of the stockholders of said company is called to be held at the office of said company in Sharon, Pennsylvania, on Saturday, the 22d day of December, A. D. 1900, between the hours of 2 and 3 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard time, for the purpose of considering and taking action upon an agreement made and entered into by and between the Board of Directors of the New Castle and Shenango Valley Railroad Company and the Board of The Sharon Railway, under date of the 20th day of November, A. D. 1900, for the merger and consolidation of said New Castle and Shenango Valley Railroad Company into and with said The Sharon Railway, forming one corporation under the corporate name of said The Sharon Railway, and the approval, ratification and adoption or rejection of said agreement.

JNO. H. DYNES, Secretary.

ROAD REPORTS.

Notice is hereby given that the following roads have been confirmed by the Court and will be presented at term first Saturday of Dec. Court, 1900, being the 8th day of said month, and if no exception is filed they will be confirmed absolutely:

R. D. No. 1, September sessions, 1900: In re. petition of the citizens of Jackson township for a road to lead from a point at the intersection of Mickem and Mars streets in Zelienople borough, and to end at a point on the west side of Greene Lane twelve feet north of the road from Zelienople to Beaver. May 21st, 1900, viewers were appointed by the Court, who on August 29th, filed their report in favor of the proposed road. No damages assessed. September 8th, 1900, approved and fix width of road at 33 feet, notice to be given according to the rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 3, September sessions, 1900: In re. petition of citizens of Clinton township for a change of the Butler and Pittsburg road, to be changed so as to begin at a point where said Butler and Pittsburg road intersects the Pughtown road at the north boundry line of lands of John F. Jack, and to end at a point where said road crosses the south boundry line of the lands of said John F. Jack. May 21st, viewers were appointed by the Court, who on August 6th, 1900, filed their report approving of the proposed change and supplying the road as desired by the petitioners. No damages assessed. September 8th, 1900, approved and fix width of road at 33 feet. Notice to be given according to rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 4, September sessions, 1900: In re. petition of citizens of Clinton township for the vacation, change and supply of the road known as the Pughtown road. June 10, 1900, viewers were appointed by the Court, who on September 3rd, 1900, filed their report stating that in the opinion of the viewers that the present road is in as good a location as could be had, and that by widening the same to 33 feet, and by proper care in remodelling the road would be made a better road than the location proposed by the petitioners, &c. No damages assessed. September 8th, 1900, approved and fix width of road at 33 feet. Notice to be given according to rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

R. D. No. 5, September sessions, 1900: In re. petition of citizens of Brady township for vacation, change and supply of a part of a public road leading from the county road in said township, beginning at a point near property road in said township, beginning at a point near the barn of Amos Watson, and ending at a point near the bridge. June 2nd, 1900, viewers were appointed by the Court, who on August 29th, 1900, filed their report in favor of the petition. Damages in the sum of $100.00 assessed to Thos. and M. McCurdy. September 8th, 1900, approved and fix width of road at 33 feet. Notice to be given according to rules of Court.

BY THE COURT.

Certified from the record this 5th day of November, 1900.

WILLIAM P. TURNER,
Clerk Q. S.

WIDOW'S APPRAISEMENTS.

The following widow's appraisements of personal property and real estate set apart for the benefit of the widows of decedents are filed in the office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court of Butler County, viz:

Widow of Wm. Snyder, personal prop'y		$300 00
" " Perry J. Brown,	"	300 00
" " Samuel Park,	"	300 00
" " Charles Langbein,	"	300 00
" " Martin Armstrong,	"	300 00
" " John C. Clark,	"	300 00
" " Michael Gallagher,	"	299 75
" " Simon Barrickman,	"	216 95
" " J. M. Wolford,	"	259 65
" " W. P. Farren,	"	221 75
" " Paul Kiester,	"	287 55
" " John W. Lytle, real estate,		100 00
" " John Collins, money from sale of real estate,		300 00

All persons interested in the above appraisements will take notice that they will be presented for confirmation to the Orphans Court of Butler county, Pa., on Saturday, the 8th day of Dec., A. D., 1900, and if no exceptions be filed they will be confirmed absolutely.

WILLIAM P. TURNER, Clerk O. C.
Clerk's office, November 5th, 1900.

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By virtue of sundry writs of Ven. Ex., Fi. Fa., Lev. Fa., &c., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Butler, Pa., on

Friday, the 30th day of Nov., A. D. 1900,

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

E. D. No. 35, December Term, 1900. Cornelius & Son, Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of George A. Timblin, of, in and to all that certain piece or lot of ground, situated in Butler Borough, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by an alley, east by an alley, south by West street, west by lot of W. H. Shiring, having frontage of 60 feet on West street and extending back by parallel lines 156 feet to an alley and having theron erected a two story frame dwelling house, frame carpenter shop and other outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of George A. Timblin at the suit of Union Dime Loan Association.

E. D. No. 86, Sept. Term, 1900. Levi M. Wise, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Margaret Guepner of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Cranberry twp., Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Henry Knauff, east by lands of William Frishcorn and H. Kleber, south by lands of George E. Meeder and on the west by lands of Henry Knauff, containing fifty acres, more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Margaret Guepner at the suit of Anna Lawal.

E. D. No. 63 and 75, Dec. Term, 1900. W. H. Lusk, J. M. Galbreath, and Painter & Painter, Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Old Harmony Pickle Company, a corporation et. al., of, in and to all that certain lot or tract of ground, situated in Butler twp., Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning in the middle of a public road on the line between James Bredin's land and lands of Pittsburg, Bessemer and Lake Erie Railroad Company, formerly owned by said Bredin; thence by the middle of said public road north eleven degrees west thirty-one perches; thence by lands of said Bredin south eighty-seven degrees east twenty-two and one-half perches to point now occupied by fence of Fair Grounds; thence by other lands of said Bredin, south eleven degrees east twenty and one-fourth perches to line of land conveyed by said Bredin to railroad company aforementioned; thence by lands of said railroad company south sixty-three and one-half degrees west four and one-half perches south sixty-four and three-fourths deg. west, six perches and south sixty-six degrees west twelve perches to place of beginning; and containing three and one-half acres strict measure, and having thereon erected a two story frame building 80 by 160 feet erected on a stone foundation and having a corrugated iron roof.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Old Harmony Pickle Company, a corporation et. al., at the suit of William D. Beatty, et al.

E. D. No. 37, Dec. Term, 1900. W. A. & F. J. Forquer Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of E. T. Sasse, of, in and to all that certain lot or parcel of land, situated in Mars borough, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Water street, east the right-of-way of the Pittsburg and Western railway Co., thence along said right-of-way, south 15¼ degrees west 155 feet to W. J. Gilliland, thence along said lot of W. J. Gilland north 75¼ degrees west 165 feet to a stake, thence along said street north 14½ degrees west 50 feet to a lot of W. J. Gilliland, thence along said lot south 75¼ degrees east 165 feet to the place of beginning and having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house, stable and other out buildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of E. T. Sasse, at the suit of Wm. M. Masters.

E. D. No. 46, December Term 1900. Ralston & Greer, Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of C. C. Taylor and Ida C. Taylor of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Butler township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at North West corner at a stone and running from thence by lands of James Clark 89½ degrees East 71 1-10 perches to a cherry stump, thence by lands of William Hines and George Gibson South one and one fourth degrees east 152 and 4-10 perches to a post and maple, thence by lands of J. W. Taggart south 88¾ degrees west 72 and 5-10 perches to a stone, thence by lands of same 1¾ degrees east 154 and 7-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing 68 acres and 136 perches strict measure.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of C. C. and Ida C. Taylor, at the suit of W. H. Groves.

E. D. No. 29, December Term, 1900. William A. Mitchell, Attorneys.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Mrs. E. L. Forest and E. L. Forest of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Middlesex twp., Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by U. P. Parsonage, east by Edward Brown, south by Charles Truver and Mrs. Leslie and on the west by Plank Road; containing 2 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a 2 story frame dwelling house and frame barn, and other outbuildings, one producing oil well, and three tenement houses.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Mrs. E. L. Forest and E. L. Forest at the suit of H. B. McKinney

E. D. No. 52, December Term, 1900. A. M. Christley, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of A. L. Staples, of, in and to all that certain tract of land, situated in Adams twp., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on line of John Kauffman and corner of James Watters formerly, now John Kauffman; thence north 87¾ degrees east by lands of James Watters formerly now owned by John Kauffman, and Oliver C. Watters 128 6-10 perches to a post or stone; thence by lands of Rahiser and Milton Marberger formerly now owned by George Marberger and John Clark, south 1½ degrees west 46 1-10 perches to a post; thence south 75¼ degrees west 84½ perches by lands of Samuel Staples to a post; thence by lands of John Kauffman north 30½ degrees west 60 7-10 perches to the place of beginning; containing 35 acres, more or less, with small dwelling house, frame barn, spring-house and other outbuildings thereon erected.

ALSO—Of, in and to all that certain lot of land, situated in Callery Jct., Butler Co., Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post 20 feet from the west line of the