

THE CITIZEN.

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Must Elect A Clerk.

The death of Wm. P. Turner, Clerk of the Court of Butler county...

WASHINGTON.

A great constitutional issue was raised Thursday in the House of Representatives on the occasion of its first session in the twentieth century.

The issue was precipitated quite unexpectedly. The leaders had been told that the report of the committee should be taken up...

The resolution carried a sensation. It was a surprise even to several of the Republican leaders. The leaders of the Democratic side fought in vain to head off the resolution with points of order...

Re-apportionment was discussed in the House of Representatives last night...

When Congress met in December inquiry among Republican Representatives from Pennsylvania showed that all of them except Mr. Shively, of Venango, and Mr. Showalter, of Butler...

By a majority of 61 the House, Tuesday, adopted the Burleigh bill...

One objection to both appointment bills now before the House is that under each Louisiana gains a member and this is strengthened as far as the Burleigh bill is concerned...

In general I am opposed to the principle of subsidies, said Thos. W. Phillips lately. The ship subsidy bill is now before Congress...

Equal rights to all special privileges to none. This is the motto which legislators cannot depart without, causing great discontent, injustice and often disaster...

The ship subsidy is of great moment to all citizens of America. It involves the payment of \$9,000,000 for the period of 20 years...

The history of many of these men, corporations and trusts is well known and the methods by which they gained their great wealth are still better known...

However the mere payment of \$180,000,000 to the few millionaires is far from the worst feature of the bill...

The last 40 years has produced or called to the front two classes of men. The political boss and the commercial or business boss...

It is as absurd to call the commercial boss a business man as it is to call the political boss a statesman. The methods of both are similar...

A CENTURY OF PROGRESS.

The wonderful progress of this Nation, during the past hundred years has been presented to more significantly than by comparing the receipts and expenses of the National Treasury today with those of 1800.

For the year ending June 30, 1900 they were as follows: RECEIPTS. From Internal Revenue...

EXPENDITURES. Civil and miscellaneous... \$85,342,411.97. Navy establishment... 134,771,378.28.

Dr. Swallow in the last issue of his 'Pennsylvania Methodist' goes for Senator Washburn in this way:

Senator Washburn, elected to the United States Senate from the Crawford district two years ago by the Democrats...

There are conditions where an honest man would lead a man to change his course of conduct, but these do not exist in the case of Senator Washburn...

It is a sad reflection that the only preacher in the Senate should thus be brought into the arena of controversy...

Before the Senate adjourned on Wednesday last, W. E. Smiley was re-elected Chief Clerk and Senator Cummings was selected as teller on the part of the Senate to conduct the election of U. S. Senator.

The Governor's message was read in both Houses that morning...

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Prospect and Eccentricities.

Cross your legs and read this. Auditors McGowan and Sechler are at the County seat at present, casting up the money affairs of Butler county for 1900.

Miss Mollie English, one of the efficient helpers at the poor farm, was home during the holidays and took her sister Sadie back here to help Supt. Granger.

The L. O. T. M. held their first annual session since their organization in the L. O. F. hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 7, 1901.

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DEATHS.

ROBINSON—At Parker, January 8, 1901, W. D. Robinson, aged 80 years. BOOK—At his home in Slippery Rock...

MCCHESENEY—Jan 8, 1901, Dorothy, infant daughter of Frank McCheesney and Mrs. J. G. Myers in Butler, Jan. 8, 1901.

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Concord Township.

Harry Fithian is bounding the drill in a new well for Claude Mastlund on the Reed Hill property west of Troutman.

The case of Madison vs. Curry has been amicably settled without injury to the feelings of either party.

Whooping cough seems to be epidemic at present.

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Jury List for January Term

List of names drawn from the property wheel this 27th day of November, 1900 to serve as jurors during the January term of court commencing the second Monday of January, 1901...

Conway C. B. Butler 1st ward farmer. Caldwell James B. Jefferson twp farmer. Chrysler John, Slippery Rock twp farmer.

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Professional Cards, G. H. McADAMS, M. D., EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT.

HAPPY MOTHERS

Whose Strength Equals Their Love.

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