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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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### The Congressional Mix.

At the meeting of the Republican County Committee of 1901, held on June 22, Messrs P. W. Lowry, N. B. Duncan, and Ira McJunkin were selected as a committee of three to meet with a similar committee from Westmoreland Co. for the purpose of adopting rules to govern the nomination of Congressional candidates for the new district.

The Republican County Committee of Westmoreland Co. also appointed three men, and the six met in Pittsburg several times, but could not agree, as the Butler men always insisted upon equal chances in the conference, notwithstanding the fact that Westmoreland Co. has nearly three times our population and more than double our Republican vote.

On March 18th, last, twenty-eight of the members of the County Committee, responded to Chairman McFarland's call to meet in Butler and

Resolved, that the powers of the Committee from this county be extended that they shall have full power to unanimously agree upon such rules as in their judgment are proper without referring their action to the County Committee for their approval.

And it is further resolved, That it is the judgment of this County Committee representing the Republicans of Butler county, that in any conferences or convention, called for the purpose of making a district nomination, equal representation with Westmoreland county is due to Butler county as a matter of right and justice.

Nearly three months passed, the Republican primary for this year was held, and the new County Committee met on June 9th, 1902, and in its resolutions endorsed Dr. Showalter as a "faithful and vigilant representative," and authorized him to appoint three conferees to meet a like number from Westmoreland Co. and nominate a candidate for Congress for this—the 22nd district of the state.

This action of the new County Committee was generally supposed to end the powers and duties of the Congressional Committee appointed in June of last year, and to make the Congressional nomination for this district a personal matter between Dr. Showalter and Col. Huff, but the Committee appointed to adopt methods, or make rules, governing the manner of the nomination, which, we understand, are insisted upon by both the State Committee and the Courts, did not take this view of it. They considered that their mission was not yet ended nor their commissions expired, and they met in Pittsburg some three weeks ago, and again last Tuesday, of both of which meetings Dr. Showalter was cognizant, and made no protest, and at the last meeting, adopted the following rules, which explain themselves.

We, the undersigned, members of committee appointed respectively by the Republican party, through its authorized representatives of the counties of Butler and Westmoreland, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to formulate rules and adopt a order for the choice of a candidate for Representative in the Congress of the United States for the Twenty-second district, composed of said counties, do hereby formulate, establish and adopt the following rules:

Rule 1. Thirteen who is selected as the choice of either of the said counties shall have the right to name representatives to meet in conference with the representatives so named by the other county, and neither county and the conference so formed shall have the final right to declare who shall be the candidate in said district for congress for the next ensuing term. At said conference each representative shall have no vote and the person receiving the majority of the votes shall be declared nominated.

The representation in said conference shall be based on the vote polled at the presidential election preceding, one representative being allotted to each county for every two thousand Republican votes and an additional representative for a fraction exceeding one thousand votes.

Rule 2. Neither of the said counties shall have more than three nominations in succession, either by the assent of the representatives from the other county, and neither of said counties shall have less than two nominations in every five, but may have more with the assent of the representatives from the other county.

Rule 3. The time and place of meeting of the said conference shall be fixed by the persons chosen as the candidates in each county; provided, however, that the first Saturday of September next year, and in case they fail to agree on that subject, then the chairman of the Republican State Central committee shall designate such time and place of meeting."

Witness our hands, this 26th day of August, A. D. 1902.

P. W. Lowry, N. B. Duncan, and Ira McJunkin.

Jesse C. Ogden, William C. Peoples and E. F. Bovard.

Though political conditions in this county have undergone a change during the past two months, the action of the committee came as a surprise, and Dr. Showalter promptly expressed his disappointment. He was at the hotel in which the meeting was held (the Duquesne) at the time, and made the following statement:

"I have been tricked, and I do not propose to acquiesce in the action of this conference. The men composing it from Butler, at least, had no authority to act. They were appointed by the County Committee that died with the expiration of the new one last June. I was not a party to this meeting, and do not propose to be bound by it.

"Ten days ago I had a conference with Col. Huff. He then agreed to name three conferees, and I was to select the number. He suggested that the committees representing the Republican county organization should meet and adopt the method. I told him that our old committee was legally dead. This meeting was held, however, and the committee men from my county have trimmed me.

"At my convention in June I was empowered by a unanimous vote to appoint three conferees to meet the number from Westmoreland. I will now do that, and pay no attention to the action of today's conference. Col. Huff, in the absence of any other legal rules, is empowered to name three conferees. He will have to do this if he wants to go into a conference with me.

"The nomination of a congressman in this district will in the end have to go to the State Committee. That body will have to name an umpire to decide the question. I believe that I am entitled to the nomination and that I am in a position to do more for the district by reason of long service in congress than Col. Huff. We are both eager to get the nomination and will make a determined fight."

On Friday night Col. Huff was quoted as follows:—

"I am quite content to accept the rules adopted at the Pittsburg meeting. The committees representing the Republican organizations of Butler and Westmoreland counties were regularly appointed. This is a new congressional district and it was necessary to have new rules. Neither Showalter or I can be recognized as the Republican candidate of the district unless we are nominated under rules made by the party.

"Mr. Showalter visited me at my home in Greensburg some time ago and asked me to consent to his nomination in the district. I told him I had no power to give him the nomination, pointing out the necessity of a rule being established before a nomination could be made. I said then that the committees representing the Republican organizations of the two counties were deliberating on a method of nomination and that I would cheerfully agree to abide by any legal rule adopted.

"We discussed various methods and among them was the old conferee system. I held that it was unfair, and to this Mr. Showalter assented. I have always been of the opinion that the popular vote plan is the only fair one. County lines in congressional districts should be eliminated and the candidates run in the entire district. If Westmoreland were to put up a bad man and Butler a good man, the latter would always get the majority.

"The committee representing Westmoreland county in the rules conference was not suggested by me, nor did I endeavor to shape its action. The committeemen are all representative Republicans and thoroughly capable of making party rules. They were regularly appointed. I had no knowledge of what rule was going to be adopted and would even have accepted the old conferee system if the conference had deemed it wise to provide that method of nominating.

"I will communicate with Mr. Showalter and ask him to agree upon a date for a district conference. I have not heard from him since the adoption of the rules. If he declines to proceed to a nomination under the method prescribed by the party, I am not prepared to say what I will do. His refusal probably would require the establishment of the validity of the rules. As this would involve a legal question which I have not inquired into, I cannot forecast my action."

On Monday Col. Huff named eight conferees, and if Dr Showalter will not meet him by Saturday—the last day for an amicable meeting under the rules adopted—he will probably call upon the State Chairman to fix a date, and if Showalter persists in refusing to meet him on the 8 to 3 basis provided for by the rules, his eight conferees will probably proceed to nominate him as the candidate for the district, and certify such nomination to the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

Then Dr. Showalter can appeal the matter to the Court of Dauphin county consisting of two judges and assigned by the Supreme Court to hear such cases.

The agreement, itself, is a very liberal one on the part of Westmoreland county—two terms out of the five, or four years out of the ten, (or decade provided by the Constitution for apportionments) is the best the Republicans of this county could possibly have hoped for, and likely more than this county would have received under the popular vote system, (the only proper method of making congressional nominations, no matter how the district is constituted) even if the wonderful "harmony" agreement between the leaders of Westmoreland were shattered.

At Pittsfield, Mass. yesterday a street car struck the carriage containing President Roosevelt, badly bruising him about the head, and killing a detective and the driver. Sec'y. Cortelyou was also injured.

### Congressman Showalter's Protest.

Philadelphia Press.

It appears that Congressman Showalter, of Butler county, refuses to be bound by the agreement on a method of making nominations in the Butler-Westmoreland district which was drawn up and signed by the representatives of the two counties last week. The agreement would make Mr. Showalter's nomination this year impossible.

It is doubtful if his individual objection is sufficient to upset what has been done, though he is Butler county's candidate for the district nomination. The agreement is the result of a conference of three representatives from each county appointed for the purpose by the party organizations in the respective counties. Their authority appears to have been sufficient, and as there were no existing rules in the district under which a nomination could be made, concurrence was plainly necessary. The agreement was unanimous, containing the signatures of all the representatives of both counties, and, while not the best in the world, is better than to do without one.

It provides for a conference composed of 11 conferees, one for each 2,000 Republican votes cast at the preceding Presidential election. This gives Westmoreland eight members and Butler three. If the eight members from Westmoreland act together, it, of course, secures the nomination to that county, which presents Col. George F. Huff. But the agreement provides that neither county shall have the nomination more than three times out of five without the consent of the other county. This provides for rotation, upon which so many of the counties insist, without regard to public interests.

To this Congressman Showalter opposes his own demand for three conferees from each county, which would inevitably lead to a deadlock and a final nomination by the chairman of the State Committee. The whole matter, however, has been clearly taken out of the Butler county candidate's control by the action of the party organization. There is reason to believe that the agreement is satisfactory to the Republicans of Butler county generally, as they are assured the nomination twice in five times, which is rather more than the proportion of their votes as compared with Westmoreland's.

The difficulties attending the adoption of rules for making district nominations show the importance of taking action at a time when the personal interests of candidates are not involved. If the agreement in the Butler-Westmoreland district had been made a year ago, immediately after the reapportionment, there would have been no candidate in nomination in either county to make a protest.

### Death of Prof. Taylor.

A dispatch from Emlenton, dated last Friday, said: With the sound of lively airs played on the piano by one of his pupils in his ears, Samuel B. Taylor, a well-known musician, passed away this morning at his home near Tan Claire. Professor Taylor was 60 years old, and widely known in this vicinity. He was a musician all his life. He had been ill for some time. When dying he requested one of his pupils to play a number of lively pieces on the piano. The pupil complied, and several of the selections were of Professor Taylor's own composition. Professor Taylor died before the airs were concluded.

## POLITICAL.

Last week Sec'y Grout refused to certify the indorsement of a nomination by the Citizens party of Allegheny Co. of the Republican state ticket for the reason that the party is not a State or National party and has no right to nominate any but candidates for local offices.

Chairman Quay announced last Thursday that President Roosevelt would make two speeches in this state—one at Philadelphia and one at Pittsburg.

A new political party, having for its object ballot reform, personal registration, the adoption of the referendum, etc., was organized in Allegheny Co., last week, under the name of "Ballot Reform Party."

### Harmony and Zelienople.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stuart of Allegheny visited relatives in Harmony for a week.

Mrs. Sarah Moore and children of Ben Avon, left for home Friday after visiting with Mrs. Sue Fiedler at Harmony for ten days.

Josephus Boyer and wife from Illinois visited Levi Boyer and family at Harmony last week.

Edward Salbi of Harmony has been sick for a week with heart trouble.

Abraham Beighley left for a week's visit with his daughter Mrs. Jacob Singleloupe and family at Salem Ohio.

Dr. Harry Barnhart and wife of Pittsburg visited Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Barnhart at Harmony on Sunday.

Mrs. Passavant and Miss Emma Passavant of Zelienople and Misses Virginia Ziegler and Ida Latshaw of Harmony returned home Sunday evening from a ten days visit with friends at Millerstown, Perry County.

L. R. Whyte supervising architect for a Pittsburg construction company called on friends in Harmony Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Laura Haine of Avalon is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodenbaugh at Harmony this week.

The Harmony and Zelienople public schools opened Monday. Prof. Baker at Zelienople and Prof. Dunbart at Harmony are new principals.

The summer boarding houses in and near Harmony which have been filled with boarders for six weeks are vacant once again. The season was cool for summer outings.

The movement on foot in Harmony and Zelinople for establishing an Academy has been declared off, and instead a joint high-school project has been launched, a joint meeting of the school boards of the two towns has been called for Tuesday evening when the advisability of a joint high school will be discussed. There is no doubt but that some time the project will materialize in this needed institution.

### A Surprise Party.

On Saturday, Aug. 30, 1902, friends and neighbors of Isaiah McCall of Clinton twp., numbering between three and four hundred, met at his home to celebrate his 59th birthday. His children were all present except one, who on account of distance could not get there. Tables were erected in the barn and were filled from the baskets brought for the occasion. It is needless to say that all did justice to this part of the program. Elmer Bartley entertained the guests with his phonograph.

After dinner we were called to order and E. O. Thompson elected Chairman and Thos. A. Hay, Sec. Speeches were called for and the following responded: Messrs Francis Anderson (father-in-law of Mr. McCall), Wm. McKibben, McCarthy, Robert Tuttle and J. D. Harbison. They all spoke in the highest terms of Mr. McCall as a friend and neighbor, also the value of an occasion like this in bringing together friends and neighbors. Mr. Harbison in closing his remarks presented Mr. McCall in behalf of the children a valuable present. Numerous other presents were given by friends.

Mr. McCall was called on and said "his heart was too full to speak but in a few words thanked his friends for their good will and kind remembrances."

The audience was then entertained by songs and recitations which were well rendered and much appreciated. After which the assembly, with the exception of some who stayed to witness a ball game between Irwynood and Fleckenville, dispersed to their homes well pleased with the day and wishing their host many happy returns of his birthday.

SEE.

### A Pleasant Wedding Anniversary

There was a large reunion held in Buffalo twp. near Sandy Lick Station at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Stepp in honor of their twenty second wedding anniversary, all the neighbors for miles around and a large number of relations attended. There were several short and elegant addresses among which you would find Mr. G. F. Bailey, Mr. G. W. Cramer, Mr. Sam A. Wise, Mr. W. W. Harbison, Mr. W. S. Hutchison, Mrs. Beatley, Mr. Harvey Wise, Mrs. Davidson and others. A recitation was very creditably rendered by Miss Gertie Patterson. An elegant dinner was served and the crowd adjourned. The young folks came back in the evening and spent a very pleasant time. There were in all 185 guests. Mr. and Mrs. Stepp were the recipients of many useful as well as ornamental presents. It would not be making it too strong by saying that never in the remembrance of the oldest inhabitants was such a grand time gotten of. It will be remembered by all who attended and especially by Mr. and Mrs. Stepp.

THOS. KINSEY,
ALICE KEPPLE,
ZETTA BARTLEY,
Secs.

Mt. Pelee, Martinique (Haiti), was in almost constant eruption last week, and a village that had escaped the previous eruption was destroyed, with a thousand people. The accounts state that the whole northern end of the island has now been devastated. In the Pacific ocean an island owned by the Japs was lately totally devastated, and everybody on it perished.


## Here's a Good Thing

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Mrs. E. C. Goettler, Treasurer of No. 257 Elm St., Butler, Pa., says: "I like Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills because they did what other medicines could not. They gave me strength of nerves and cured the old weak spells I used to have, mornings—they gave me rest and sleep at night. Today I feel full of energy, strength and ambition. I sleep and eat well and am only too glad to say so. Mr. D. H. Waller, Druggist, I must thank for calling my attention to them."

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## OIL NOTES.

The Market—Both agencies are paying $1.20.

Centre—H. Bickel of McKean Co. has purchased W. W. Hendrix interest in two wells near Unstiba station. The two wells are now making 9½ bbls. from the 100-foot.

Montgomery Field—Fisher, O'Brien & Co. within the last two weeks brought in three good wells, No. 6, Isaworth, 40 barrels; No. 4, Porter, 15 barrels; No. 1 John Schwab, 40 barrels. They have a well due on the Hunter this week which is almost sure to be good.

Specially—There are about 25 wells drilling in the Specialty field at present. During the past week the South Penn Oil Co. struck a 7-bbl. well on the J. S. Campbell farm and the Southern a 25 barrel well on the Wm. Starr heirs farm.

Saturday evening lightning struck and demolished a rig of T. W. Phillips No. 2, J. B. Kuhn and struck and burned a tank and 40 barrels of oil on the J. S. Campbell.

Ben Claire—Bunny & Murrin have completed their No. 4, J. B. McJunkin farm, and have a small well in the second sand. John Wagner has a new 8 barrel well on the Parks farm.

Butler—Duff Bros. have a well nearly completed in the 30-foot on the Samuel Kelly farm.

Russia—According to the U. S. Consul at Batum, Russia, a well in the Bibi-Eibat field produced, when first struck, 180,000 barrels a day and it continued flowing until it produced over 2,000,000 barrels, when it stopped. Another big well was struck in the Romani district, which produced nearly 1,000,000 barrels in December and was still flowing about 25,000 barrels a day up to January 31, the date of the consul's latest information. Such a strike in the United States would mean millions to the fortunate owner of the well. But it seems it is not so in Russia. On this point the consul says:

"I think it is sufficiently interesting to mention that it is generally believed that the owners of the big well which produced more than 2,000,000 barrels in a little more than thirty days lost money by it. Without explanation, this seems impossible. The fact is that the well is on government territory, leased at a fixed royalty of 5 kopeks (2.5 cents) per pood (36.112 pounds), and the owners of the well realized very little above that figure for their production. Furthermore, they were compelled to pay heavy damages to neighboring property owners and to owners to property in the village, more than a mile away, as part of the time the well was flowing there was a high wind blowing, which carried the oil over the village, and, it is said, the owners of the well must pay for repainting about all the houses in the village. One-fourth to one-half a kopeck per pood does not go far toward damages of this sort. I must add that this was not the first time the village mentioned was damaged by a flowing well, as some years ago a well was struck in the Bibi-Eibat field which acted in the same manner, the wind carrying a spray of oil to the outskirts of Baku, about two and a half miles, and deluging the village which lies between Bibi-Eibat and Baku. The newspapers stated at the time that the owner of the well had to pay damages amounting to $50,000, as he had to pay for repainting the entire village, including a fine Russian church."

AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION PROPOSED TO THE CITIZENS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THEIR APPROVAL OR REJECTION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. PUBLISHED BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN PURSUANCE OF ARTICLE XVIII OF THE CONSTITUTION.

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to section ten of article one of the Constitution, so that a discharge of a jury for failure to agree or other necessary cause shall not work an acquittal.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following be proposed as an amendment to the Constitution; that is to say, that section ten of article one, which reads as follows:

"No person shall, for any indictable offense, be proceeded against criminally by information, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia, when in actual service, in time of war or public danger, or by leave of the court for oppression or misdemeanor in office. No person shall, for the same offense, be twice put in jeopardy of life or limb; nor shall private property be taken or applied to public use, without authority of law and without just compensation being first made or secured."

be amended so as to read as follows:

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A true copy of the Joint Resolution.

W. W. GREIST,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in accordance with the provisions of the eighteenth article thereof.

Amendment.

Add at the end of section seven, article three, the following words: "Bills below it shall be introduced in the General Assembly and proposed special or local law shall have been first submitted to a popular vote at a general or special election in the locality or localities to be affected by a question under an order of the court of common pleas of the respective county after hearing and application granted, and shall have been approved by a majority of the voters at such election: Provided, That no such election shall be held until the decree of court authorizing the same shall have been advertised for at least thirty (30) days in the locality or localities affected, in such manner as the court may direct."

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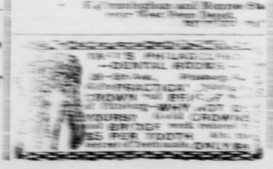



## DEATHS.

COCHRAN—At her home in Cranberry township, August 24, 1902, Mrs. H. J. Cochran, in her 60th year.

KENNEDY—At his home in Butler, August 29, 1902, John Kennedy, aged 62 years.

He was born in Winfield township, served in the 105th during the civil war, and has since lived in Butler. His wife, four sons and two daughters survive him.

JOHNSON—At her home in Centre Cr. twp., Aug. 31, 1902, Mrs. Sarah J. Johnson, aged 81 years.

She was the mother of C. C. and Thornley of Centre twp., J. H. of W. Sunbury and Mrs. Austin Campbell of Connoquenessing twp.

PRYOR—At her home in W. Sunbury, Aug. 31, 1902, Grace, daughter of H. Pryor.

KRISS—Aug. 31, 1902, infant son of Allen and Maggie Lauer Kress of Allegheny, in his 22 year.

GILLAND—At her home near Tolbaccia, Aug. 30, 1902, Miss Angela Gilland, aged about 30 years.

MEITZ—At her home near Callery, Aug. 30, 1902, Miss Pearl, daughter of Simon Meitz, aged 23 years.

PORTER—At her house in Allegheny county, Aug. —, 1902, Mrs. Margaret Cramer, wife of Washington Porter, aged about 70 years.

YOUNG—At his home in Fairview twp., Aug. 31, 1902, Hugh Young, aged 78 years.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

### COMMITTEE'S NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that W. S. Waldron, committee of Samuel Graham, lunatic, late of Butler township, has filed his first and final account in the office of the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county, Pa., at No. D. No. 31 Sept. Term, 1888, and the same will be presented to said Court for confirmation and allowance on Saturday, September 6, 1902.

JAMES M. McCOLLOUGH,
Prothonotary.

Prothonotary's Office, June 25, 1902.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Rev. Samuel Kerr, D. D., dec'd., late of Harrisville boro, Butler Co., 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

J. M. GALBREATH, } Ex'rs.
J. D. McJUNKIN, }
Butler, Pa.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of administration on the estate of Clara J. Graham, dec'd., late of Butler borough, 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

WILSON W. GRAHAM, Adm'r.,
Butler, Pa.

J. D. McJUNKIN, Att'y.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Catharine A. Shaffer, dec'd., late of Franklin twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment and those having claims against the estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

ISRAEL SHAFFER, } Ex'rs,
M. D. FAIR, }
ISLE P. O., Butler Co., Pa.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration cum testamento annexo, having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Margaret M. McCaw, late of the borough of Mars, Butler county, Pa., deceased, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any person or persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same duly authenticated for settlement to

T. W. McCAW,
Administrator, No. 1773 Perrysville Ave.,
Allegheny City, Pa.

H. H. GOUCHER, Attorney.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Henry Feigel, a supposed decedent, late of Butler, Butler Co., 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

CLEMENTE STATE BANK & TRUST CO.,
Butler, Pa.

J. W. HUTCHISON, Att'y.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Mrs. Annabel Pifer, dec'd., late of Concord twp., Butler Co., 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

A. P. CORNMAN, Ex'r.
Hooker, Butler Co., Pa.

S. F. & A. L. BOWSER, Att'ys.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Robt. C. Wilson, dec'd., late of Venango twp., Butler, Pa., all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make forthwith and pay such indebtedness and any having claims against the same will please present them duly authenticated for settlement to

J. A. WILSON, Attorney,
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45 S. Main St. Butler PA


AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE for public sewerage for that part of Monroe street in Butler borough, Pa., beginning at the first alley south of East Pearl street, thence extending along Monroe street to the south side of East Penn street, and determining the manner of payment of the cost thereof.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to the Town Council of Butler borough for the public sewerage of that part of Monroe street beginning at the first alley south of East Pearl street, thence extending along Monroe street to the south side of East Penn street, which petition has been signed by a majority of the property owners representing a majority of the feet frontage upon that part of Monroe street proposed to be sewered, as required by Act of Assembly, approved May 25th, 1901, relating to the sewerage of streets in boroughs, therefore,

Section 1. The Burgess and Town Council of Butler borough do ordain and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, that a system of public sewerage being necessary for the disposal of waste water and other sewerage matter for that part of Monroe street lying and between the first alley south of East Pearl street and the south side of East Penn street, which part of Monroe street is a public street of said borough regularly laid out, opened and used as a public street, shall be and hereby is adopted and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the City Engineer, and that the plans or plans in and along said part of said street where sewer mains or drains are proposed to be laid, shall be laid according to said plans and specifications.

Section 2. The cost and expense of sewering said part of said street shall be assessed upon, collected from and paid by the properties adjoining, adjacent to or abutting on the line of said sewer so to be constructed, or the owners thereof, in such proportions as may seem just and equitable, as provided by Act of Assembly approved May 13th, 1889.

Ordained and enacted in Council this 2nd day of September, 1902.

DANIEL YOUNKINS,
President of Town Council.

Attest:
H. E. COULTER,
Secretary Council.

The above and foregoing ordinance approved of by me this 3rd day of September, A. D. 1902.

I. G. SMITH, Burgess.

### Jury Lists for Sept. Term.

List of names drawn from the proper jury wheel on this the 21st day of July 1902 to serve as petit jurors at a regular term of court commencing on the second Monday of September 1902 the same being the 8th day of said month.

Adams Harry, Slipperyrock tp, farmer,
Alexander James, Brady tp, farmer,
Bedillion William, Middlesex tp, J of P,
Beighley Conrad, Connoq. tp, farmer,
Baker George K, Butler 5wd, ——,
Bryson John, Mars Boro, Laborer,
Bish C P, Connoq boro, producer,
Caster John, Brady twp, farmer,
Campbell Samuel, Evans City, laborer,
Campbell Cyrus, Butler 5th w, driller,
Cronenwett Ernest, Butler 5th w, clerk,
Clark Henry J, Concord twp, farmer,
Donaldson Isaiah, Butler 1st w, constable,
Davidson A W, Butler 2d w, merchant,
Davis Morgan, Butler 5th w, gent,
Englehart Phil, Jefferson twp, farmer,
Easley G F, Buffalo twp, J. of P,
Graham Oliver, Butler 4th w,
Hemphill Samuel, Clinton twp, farmer,
Heselgesser Earl, Winfield twp, farmer,
Hosack S M, Allegheny twp, farmer,
Hoover John, Donegal twp, farmer,
Herold Fred, Centre twp, farmer,
Hummel Jerry, Cherry twp, farmer,
Jack Wm, Middlesex twp, farmer,
Jamison Clark, Venango twp, farmer,
Keister J B, Slipperyrock twp, farmer,
Leslie Samuel A, Middlesex twp, farmer,
McCall Allen, Franklin twp, farmer,
McCurry Andrew, Cherry twp, farmer,
Mitchell Wm J, Butler 3d w, watchman,
Milheim Geo, Centre twp, farmer,
Pisor W H, Worth twp, farmer,
Peffer Titus, Lancaster twp, farmer,
Pisor J D, Worth twp, teacher,
Reiger Andrew, Centre twp, farmer,
Rhinesmalt H F, Jefferson tp, pumper,
Stein Frank, Oakland twp, farmer,
Sarver J N, Buffalo twp, farmer,
Snyder Wm, Clinton twp, farmer,
Spithaler Fred, Connoq. twp, farmer,
Sutton D H, Butler 1st w, agent,
Spangler Wm, Butler 3d w, baker,
Say E F, Brain, farmer,
Stewart Leonard, Cherry twp, farmer,
Stepp Geo, Middlesex twp, farmer,
Tinker Charles, Mercer twp, farmer,
Welsh Geo, Jackson twp, farmer.

### REGISTER'S NOTICES

The Register hereby gives notice that the following accounts of executors, administrators and guardians have been filed in this office according to law, and will be presented to the Orphans' Court for confirmation and allowance on Saturday, the 6th day of September, 1902, at 9 a. m. of said day:

1. Final account of John F. Cetley, executor of Jos. Cetley, late of Clearfield twp.
2. Final account of Isabella Jones, administratrix of Jane Shannon, late of Prospect, Butler Co.
3. Final and distribution account of Alexander Schilling, executor of John G. Schilling, late of Forward twp.
4. Final account of J. A. McGowan, executor of Tracy A. Wetzel, late of Prospect boro.
5. Final account of W. H. Brandon, executor of Hannah M. Roberts, late of Butler township.
6. Final account of Edwin Meeder, executor of Michael J. Berlinstiehler, late of Cherry township.
7. Final account of Conrad Sieber, administrator of Caroline Sieber, late of Butler boro.
8. Final account of John C. Gerlitz, and Henry W. Lutz, executors of William Gerlitz, late of Summit twp.
9. Final account of W. H. Curtis, executor of Robert T. McCall, late of Franklin twp.
10. Final account of W. C. Myers, executor of Martha Lightfoot, late of Jefferson twp.
11. Final account of Samuel H. Bower, executor of Susanna Bower, late of Fairview twp.
12. Final account of H. C. Sennet, trustee in partition of the real estate of Christian and Christian Scott, late of Summitt twp.
13. Final account of George A. Stauffer, administrator of Josephine Reinhold, late of St. Louis, Mo.
14. Final account of G. F. Sauer, guardian of Richard Westerman, minor child of Henry L. Westerman, late of Millerstown.
15. Final account of Jennette A. Roe, administrator of Albert H. Roe, late of Butler.
16. Final account of George Barron, executor of Samuel McCormell, late of Worth twp.
17. Final account of Jacob J. Fleck, administrator of the estate of William Michael, late of Lancaster twp.
18. Final account of B. L. Bettenberg, trustee of the estate of Mary Overt, late of Adams twp.
19. Final account of Lewis H. Ekert, executor of Mary E. Ekert, late of Adams twp.
20. First partial account of James William, administrator of Jane Williams, late of the estate of Francis Wallace, late of Slippery twp.
21. Final account of W. H. H. Robinson, executor of Jane Robinson, late of Brady twp.
22. Final account of Sarah E. Shaffer, late of Middlesex twp.
23. Final account of Geo. B. Reiber, administrator of Geo. Reiber, late of Millerstown.
24. First and partial account of Martin L. Bowser, administrator of W. A. Bowser, late of Millerstown.
25. Final account of William C. Fleck, administrator of William Fleck, late of Clearfield twp.
26. Final account of Stephen Cunningham, guardian of Mary Grace Nye, minor child of Henry Nye and Caroline Nye, late of Summit twp.
27. First and final account of J. D. Brandon, guardian of Sarah Margaret Gross, minor child of Robert and Mary A. Gross, late of Clearfield twp.
28. Final account of Mary E. Bitner, administrator of Henry Butler, late of Butler twp.
29. Final account of A. Stewart, executor of Martin Stewart, late of Slippery twp.
30. Final account of Jos. Kennedy, administrator of Leonard Hulstein, late of Oakland twp.
31. Final account of Jno. M. Porter, administrator, D. B. N., of Philip B. Porter, late of Clearfield twp.
32. Final account of J. M. Holbrook, executor of Wm. Holbrook, late of Rev. George B. Wenzel, D. D., late of Gettysburg.
33. Final account of Jno. P. Kennedy, executor of Peter Kennedy, late of Middlesex township.
34. Final account of Rudolph G. Williams, administrator of Rev. S. J. Chew, late of Butler boro.
35. Final account of Charles Zeiner, administrator of Margaret Zeiner, late of Jackson twp.
36. Final account of Susan Wilson, administrator of Jonathan Wilson, late of Jackson twp.
37. Final account of John Beatenbach, executor of Henry Beatenbach, late of Summit township.
38. Final account of William Deiter, administrator of Edward N. Deiter, late of Millerstown.
39. Final account of S. M. Bailey, administrator of Maria J. Bailey, late of Harrisburg.
40. First and final account of Jno. Bell, trustee of Joseph Bell, late of Butler boro.
41. Final account of Martin L. Stewart and William S. Stewart, executors of the estate of S. Walker Stewart, late of Butler Boro.

W. H. ROBB, Register.


## I. S. McJUNKIN

Insurance and Real Estate Agent.

119 E. JEFFERSON.

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## SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of writs of Vend. Ex., Fi. Fa., Levy Fa., Ven. Ex., 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 5th day of Sept., 1902,**

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

All the right, title, interest and claim of the defendants, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Butler township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by public road; on the east by lands of McDowell; on the south by lands of Robert Miller; on the west by lands of C. N. Meals, containing 35 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a two story frame house, barn, chicken house and other buildings, and good orchard thereon.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Jas. Hartman, at the suit of Geo. Wolfinger for use of Leonard Brothers.

TERMS OF SALE—The following must be strictly complied with when property is stricken down:

1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditor becomes the purchaser, the costs on the writ must be paid in full on the day of sale, or the property must be put up again and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom it was stricken down.

See Purdon's Digest, 9th edition, page 446,