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REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.

Judges of the Superior Court,
JOHN J. HENDERSON,
THOMAS A. MORRISON.
State Treasurer,
W. L. MATHUES.
Auditor General,
W. P. SNYDER.
For Jury Commissioner,
A. O. EBERHART.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The greatest enterprise of international importance, that has been projected for many a year—the building of a ship-canal across the Isthmus of Panama—is being held up at present by the Colombian Congress. They have factions or parties there, as everywhere, playing for position, but there is little doubt that the gist of the matter is that they want more money, both from the United States and the French company that yet holds the concession. The completion of that canal would probably increase our trade with the western states of South America, and with the eastern states of Asia, but as it would be inimical to the interests of the great, trans-continental railroad companies of this country, opposition of all kinds from all sources can be expected.

The American Nation seems to take a great interest in the boat races, though perhaps that interest is forced upon them by the spacious accounts in the dailies. These two boats are mere racing machines, of no utility whatever; whereas the old "America," which won the cup, was a stout, two-masted, seagoing schooner, capable of carrying considerable of a cargo, safely and swiftly to any port on the planet.

The appearance of an American fleet in a Turkish harbor will probably be an object lesson to the Sultan's government, as to an offense against the Stars and Stripes. In dealing with Turkey this Nation has only to consult its own interests, while the European powers have to watch each other. England, for instance is so determined that Russia shall not obtain a port on the Mediterranean that she has been protecting Turkey for years, and the Massacres of Christians in Macedonia proceed without punishment.

President Roosevelt over-ruled Minister Conger's recommendation for the surrender of the Shanghai editors, and they are yet under the protection of the British and Japanese Consuls.

These Shanghai editors are reformers; that is they are men who perceive the superiority of Western civilization, and who understand that if the Chinese are to prosper, if they are to retain their place among the nations of the world, they must get out of the ruts in which they have been moving for centuries, and bring their institutions up to date. The Empress Dowager, who is still running things at Pekin, has no use for men of that kind, wanted to get hold of them, and made demands for their surrender, which were were referred to the Foreign Ministers at Pekin. Mr. Conger joined the French and Russian Ministers in the opinion that they ought to be given up. If the Empress and her party do not change their views, the partition of China will be an event of the near future.

A Chicago paper tells about a Kentucky [illegible] who has a three-gallon [illegible] of whisky which has been in his family for one hundred years. The Chicago imagination is something wonderful when it is stretched.

The New Ballots.

The new ballot to be used for the first time at the November elections will be much smaller than the former "blanket" and instead of all of the candidates for one party being under the party heading, the various candidates for each office will be under one head. For instance, under the head of State Treasurer appears the names of all the candidates, a cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicating a vote for that candidate. At the left of the ballot the names of the various parties appear, and to vote a straight party ticket it is only necessary to mark a cross after the party name. It is thought that the new ballots will be much easier to handle and count.

THERE is a stray pragraph floating throuh the air which attributes to Mr. Carnegie the intention of devoting some of his surplus wealth to the relief of widows in distress. It is stated that he has appointed a commission to investigate the subject, and to report upon the advisability of including the relief of widows among the objects of his beneficence.

THE way to have good roads is to build them. You can't make them by adopting long winded resolutions.—Warren Mail.

Here is a pointer to Butler county people who have for years been clamoring for good roads. If all the energy expended in Butler county in public meetings and in the drafting of resolutions and bills to be presented to the legislature within the past three years could be collected and applied to road construction it would build a macadamized thoroughfare of the latest improved pattern several miles in length.

IT appears that the building of bridges by the State is not in all cases a satisfactory to the counties benefitted. The State officials last week awarded a contract for building a bridge at Auburn, Schuylkill county, for $19,000. The county commisioners protest against such an expenditure, on the ground that the bridge will accommodate only a few persons, whose property can be bought for $12,000; and they propose that the State buy the land at this price and turn it into a State forest, instead of spending $19,000 for a bridge.

THE Pennsylvania Railroad, in order to provide for the future in the matter of railroad ties, is about to engage extensively in growing locust trees, and all its available farm land along the lines of the system adapted to such purposes is to be planted with the trees The company has for several years been experimenting with locust tree planting at different points. It has gone about it in a careful and scientific manner and the results so far obtained warrant undertaking the project on a broader and more extensive scale. Professor J. T. Rothrock, State Commissioner of Forestry, has been given complete supervision of the work. He has made a careful study of the matter, and no place is selected by him for planting the trees until after thorough investigation as to its adaptability, both as to climatic conditions and freedom from insects, which, in certain sections, are said to be a serious menace to these trees.

Dam-Burst and Flood.

A disastrous flood resulted from the breaking of the Boydstown dam early Friday morning. Rain began falling about Thursday noon and continued in almost a steady downpour for about twenty hours, the fall amounting to 3½ inches. About midnight John Vogel, Martin Heim and a Pittsburger who were on a turtle fishing expedition to Boydstown noticed that portions of the dam had commenced to give way. They sent word to Butler, Supt. Wright notified Mayor Kennedy and about 4:30 A. M., the fire whistle was sounded repeatedly and those living in all the lower sections of the town were warned to vacate their houses to escape the raging waters.

About 2:30 A. M. Frank Gormley and Will McBride, who were driving home from a well on which they are drilling near Coylesville, drove into the water which overflowed Kittanning street to a depth of six feet, and their team, a very fine span belonging to Gormly were swept away and drowned. The men managed to get to the McBride home, where Isaiah L. McBaide and wife From this point they were rescued by two men on a raft. The McBride family had fled to the old Palm machine shop. They also were rescued by the aid of a big raft formed by two telegragh poles and attached to a cable which was pulled by Mayor Kennedy and fifty men who had assembled to help him.

During the morning a Russian living in the Glynn flats got too frisky with the water and was swept out into the current, another Russian tied a rope about himself and swam after and seized the drowning man, and they were pulled ashore with the rope. Thirty minutes hard work were necessary to resuscitate the man.

In the afternoon John W. Miller, a riveter in the carworks, and three companions jumped into the abandoned channel around the Vogeley island to take a swim with their clothes on. They entered the water at a point where a large sewer pipe crosses the channel. The sewer pipe is used for a footwalk ordinarily. Miller was a good swimmer but he either took cramps or his feet became entangled in the roots of a tree, and he went down His nearest companion, the only man in a position to help him, fainted when he saw Miller sinking. The body was recovered in half an hour. Miller came to Butler last May. He was 25 years of age. His mother and brother live at Stoneyhill, Missouri. He boarded with John Defarey, also from Missouri, on Pillow street.

The dam washed out gradually or a terrible disaster would have occurred. First a row of stones on top went, then by pieces and chunks until the bottom was reached. The breech is about 140 feet long 26 feet (the heighth of the dam) in depth. Practically the whole dam will have to be rebuilt. In the meantime there will be no shortage of water.

A team of mules and a team of horses in Cornelius Bros. and Kelly's lumberyard stable were rescued by men wadding neck-deep into the stable and fastening ropes to the collars of the horses; they were then pulled ashore.

Scores of rats were killed by boys with clubs, stones and rifles at the garbage furnace after the rodents had been driven out by the water.

For a week before the flood the creek was filled with thousands of dead fish, principally suckers and chubs. Some of the suckers were fully 18 inches in length, and nearly every one was surprised at the number and size of our slaughtered finny denizens. The common report is that the fish were killed by ammonia or some other chemical drained into the creek from the ice-plant of the brewery. People living along the creek were almost driven from their homes by the stench arising from the decaying bodies and the matter became a common nuisance.

A GREAT railroad strike is said to be brewing.

AT Smilova, Turkey, last Friday, the Turks fought the rebellious Bulgarians, and killed a thousand of them.

A POTTSVILLE man has made arrangements to bring 25,000 negro girls from the South to work in Northern kitchens.

A MEMBER of the Missouri Legislature who took a $1000 bill as a bribe was convicted and fined $100. He got $900 in change.

DR. JAS. W. DICKSON of Allegheny is the latest reported Republican candidate for Sheriff of that county. Muehlbronner wouldn't take it.

AT a suburban street-car station in Chicago, early last Sunday morning, three men shot and killed two employees, wounded two others, broke open the door of the inner office with a sledge hammer, secured three-thousand dollars and walked away.

THE following is the ticket nominated by the State Democratic convention at Harrisburg yesterday: Auditor General Arthur G. Dewalt of Lehigh county, State Treasurer, Joel G. Hill of Wayne county, Judges of Superior court, Calvin Rayburn of Armstrong and John A. Ward of Philadelphia.

WORD was received at Washington, last Thursday, of the assassination of the U. S. vice-Consul at Beyrut, Syria, and our European squad ron was immediately ordered to proceed to that harbor, but the State Department received word, Friday, that though an attempt had been made on the Consul's life, he had escaped. Disorder seems to reign in Beirut, which is under Turkish dominion, and our fleet will probably continue its journey from Ville Franche, France, to that point, and scare the Turks into behaving themselves.

Concord Notes.

The Boydstown dam which supplies Butler with water bursted the other day. It bursted about the middle and cut a channel through about 70 feet wide and down to bottom. Below the dam there was a man and team drowned also three men barely escaping.

The friends and neighbors of Turner Wick gathered at his house with well filled baskets and they divided up and ate dinner and all went home happy.

Al Litzenburg is having a nice time replacing his bridge which the flood took away.

The bridge at Troutman which was taken away by the water is being replaced with a new one.

Dale Barnhart is moving to Prospect, and E. Hutchison is filling his vacancy at Greece City.

Lloyd Redick is on the sick list with the grip.

They are hauling coal on the Western Allegheny R. R. already.

The oil companies are locating many new wells in this vicinity.

Philip Klingensmith of Pittsburg is visiting friends here.

Picnics and Reunions.

Sept. 7th—Labor Day Celebration at Alameda.

Sept. 7-12—Lawrence Co. Fair and Dog Show at Cascade Park.

Sept. 8 and 9—Centennial celebration at the old stone church at Scrubgrass, of which Rev. Coulter was pastor for 44 years.

Sept. 8, 9, 10—C. M. B. A. Convention in Butler, with banquet in Armory Hall on the evening of the tenth.

Sept. 9, 10, 11—Oilmen's Carnival at Alameda.

Sept. 9—Indiana Fair.

The McCall reunion was held last Thursday on the Painter homestead, between Euclid and Sunbury. Regardless of rain about 400 people were present and the big barn, wagon sheds and house were thrown open for shelter. The Eau Claire band furnished music Roy Painter delivered the address of welcome and Attorneys Thompson Baker and J. M. Painter and Howard I. Painter made addresses. J. M. Painter was elected chairman and Mrs Elmer McCall, secretary, for next year.

Letter From the County Superintendent.

Vacation days have rolled around. School days are here again.

Next Monday morning the school bells will call the boys and girls back to work. I wish that I could emphasize the importance of this call. I want to say to the boys and girls of Butler County that they have no other opportunity so valuable. nor no other privilege so great as is to be found in our public school system. Our great state freely gives of her own money nearly six millions of dollars every year and says this is to help educate the boys and girls, whether rich or poor, white or black, exalted or lowly. And when she goes one step further and says I expect all children to attend these schools and secure this education, she does the wisest thing both for herself and for her children. Any state which fails to do this is courting her own downfall, because progress and civilization rest upon christian education.

Children need a better education today than ever before. The world is demanding from it's laborers more and more every year. Harder tests, finer work, more advanced ideas are taking the places of usefulness, and we are looking to our schools for all this progress and improvement.

The day has passed by when main strength takes the place of brains. Culture wins, whilst ignorance loses. It is with this fact before us that I earnestly request you school children to do your very best work this year in school. Make it the best year you ever attended. To do this you must start to school at the first of the term and go regularly to its close, for poor attendance kills the progress of any school.

Make up your mind at the first of the term that you are in school to work, that is what schools aim to teach. "There is no excellence without great labor." It is work that counts everywhere. Work begets discipline, discipline makes character, and character makes the man everytime.

As the term advances, and your work becomes hard for you and you think your teacher is cross and demands too much work, don't become discouraged, but just brace up and remember that "There are no gains without pains."

Teachers seldom scold without thinking it is for your benefit to do so. Pupils, be so polite and kind and obedient and diligent and true, that teachers will be ashamed to scold.

Boys and girls do your part well. Respect your teacher everytime. Obey her commands, heed her advice, accept her love, appreciate her interest in you, show back your interest in her, do in all school work as she directs, and I tell you that your school days will then be both pleasant and profitable.

Parents, we look to you for your kind co-operation in this work.

It is for the benefit of your boys and girls that our schools are maintained. I well know that at this time of the year you need your children's help at home, but I also know that your children need to be in school In a few more years they will be the men and the women upon whom will rest the cares and the trials and the possibilities of life.

Will they be ready for this work awaiting them if they have not had the training? Do you want your children to go into life unprepared and unlearned, or do you not not rather desire to have them ready to think and to do?

"Knowledge is power and power is strength." Send your children to school that they may get this power and strength even if you can't give them one acre of ground or one dollar when you are to pass away.

If your school is to prosper it must have your sympathy, your support, and your children.

Visit your school often and see what is being done in it, and what is not being done. Why do parents not visit their schools oftener than they do? Who will answer this? Is it not possible, parent, to find one hour each year which you can give to your school?

Try it this year and see if you can not do so The teachers want to see you. They like to feel that they have some real friends too. Parents, meet your teachers. Invite them into your homes; interest yourselves in them, and they will take an interest in you.

It is also the parents' duty to help discipline the school. This can be done by the parent clearly teaching his children that they must obey the teacher in all things. Disobedience at school ought to mean disobedience at home.

A kind word from parent to child along this line often prevents much trouble in school work. We too often hear that old complaint of "partiality" — that charge that says, "he whips our children for spite," or "because we are poor."

That charge may be true sometimes, but certainly not often. Is it reasonable or natural to think that a teacher would do this intentionally and thus insure their own failure? Is it not mostly true that the so called "unjustly punished child" is disobedient, or insolent, or badly spoiled?

Teachers do make mistakes sometimes, but it is always a far more fatal mistake for the parent to tell his children so. This only invites more trouble.

The teacher's work is a difficult one. The cares and the trials and the responsibilities belonging to the work are many. They need all the help and encouragement we can give them. With this a live, earnest teacher can do good school work; but without it no teacher can do herself nor her pupils justice.

"In union there is strength." With this thought in mind I here kindly request all officers and patrons of our schools to give them your best and truest service, and thus help along a cause which may truly be called the strong foundation of our government.

Yours very truly,
HOWARD I. PAINTER.

Bruin Notes.

Fred Fletcher had his finger smashed one day last week while working in the machine shop.

Wilbur Snow moved his family to the Speechley oil field.

Tom Kelly is rejoicing over the arrival of a fine boy at his place.

Roy Black and wife came home from the West Virginia oil fields. Roy has accepted a position from the South Penn Oil Co. in the Speechley district.
H. J.

The World's Largest Harvester.

Last year there was in operation in the San Fernando valley of California the largest combined harvester in the world. It consisted of a traction engine capable of hauling 75 tons and which takes the place of 60 horses; a header or mowing machine which cuts a 36-foot swath, and a complete threshing machine. The header and threshing machine are run by a separate 30-horse-power engine getting its steam from the same boiler as the threshing engine. The drive wheels of this monster traction engine are eight feet in diameter, with wheels 48 inches wide, on which are ridges an inch and a half high. It can average three and a half miles an hour in good grain. The thresher has a capacity of 100 acres a day. Eight men are employed on the thresher. The grain is threshed clean and finally carried to a bin, from which it is sacked. When 12 sacks have been filled they are allowed to slide off the cart to the ground.

This huge machine will work equally well on level or hilly country, having sufficient power to take a 20 per cent grade without difficulty. It is 66 feet long, half as wide, and weighs more than 100 tons. Oil is used as fuel. This harvester has been successfully used for shelling peas and beans as well as grain. It is purely a California production.—Ex.

A TERRIBLE plague—a fever that burns people alive—is reported from the vicinity of Santiago, Cuba.

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is the New and Better Breakfast Food, so different from all others that it pleases everybody. Get a package to-day at your grocers.

THE GRAINES PURE FOOD CO., LE ROY, N. Y.

DEATHS

RILEY—At her home in Butler, Sept. 1, 1903, Mrs. Wm. Riley, aged 36 years.

GILFILLAN—At his home in Butler, September 2, 1903, Robt. G. Gilfillan, aged 77 years.

STOOPS—At her home in Washington twp., Aug. 28, 1903, Mrs. Phillip Stoops, aged about 65 years.

BLAKELEY—At her home in Adams twp., Aug. 27, 1903, Mrs. Wm. Blakeley, nee Susan Stewart, aged about 60 years.

Mrs. Blakely died suddenly. Her husband and two children survive her.

WESTERMAN—At his home in Chicora, Sept. 1, 1903, Charles J. Westerman, aged about 45 years.

The deceased was one of the well-known firm of Westerman Bros., and was well thought of by his fellow townsmen. He had been ill seven weeks. His wife and one son survive him.

Obituary.

Mrs. Eliza Hays, aged 84 years, sister of Mrs. Berkimer, mother of Undertaker M. A. Berkimer, died, Tuesday, at her home in Rochester, Pa.

Word came to the County Commissioners, yesterday morning of the death of Casper Gerlach at Warren Hospital. Caspar was about fifty years of age, and was committed to the hospital in October of 1897. He leaves a family.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to extend their thanks to their friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy during the sickness and death of their daughter and sister.

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Such vast profusion of elegant Fall dress stuffs was never shown so early.

Choosing now gives you choice of the best patterns.

Prices of important financial interest.

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Solid color Bedford Cords with embroidered self color polka spots, $1.00 goods, 35c—29 inches wide.

Fine all wool, Silk Stripe Albatross, 35c for genuinely 50c goods—all solid colors with same color cords—lights and darks.

Exquisitely stylish Scotch Tweeds for dressy fall gowns—most stunning, yet quiet, effects, $1.25 a yard—56 inches wide.

We're more than glad to have you send for samples of these or any other goods—we'll send you such variety as you're sure to see what you want, and you'll find low prices that will surprise you.

Be sure to mark your letter B. C. 34 and state clearly about color, style, and price you want to pay.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Elizabeth B. Wiley, dec'd., late of Clinton twp., Butler Co., Pa., all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment, and any having claims against the same to present them duly authenticated for settlement to

JOHN WILEY, Adm'r.,
W. D. BRANDON, Saxonburg, Pa.
Attorney, 9-3-03

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John Wiley, Sr., dec'd., late of Clinton twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted the undersigned, all persons knowning 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

THOS. WILEY, } Ex'rs.
JOHN WILEY, }
W. D. BRANDON, Saxonburg, Pa.
Attorney. 9-3-03

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary in the estate of James W. Park, dec'd., late of Middlesex township, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to, and all having bills against same will present them duly authenticated for payment to

REUBEN W. PARK, Ex'r.,
R. F. D. 24, Valencia, Pa.
W. D. BRANDON, Att'y. 7-9-03

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Charles S. Lowry, dec'd., late of Butler, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to the said estate will make immediate payment, and all having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for payment to

JOHN F. LOWRY, Adm'r.,
425 N. Washington St., Butler, Pa.
P. W. LOWRY, Att'y. 7-9-03

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Whereas letters testamentary on the estate of Dr. J. W. F. Moore, late of Butler, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make prompt settlement and those having claims against the estate will present the same duly authenticated for settlement to

FRANK H. MURPHY, Executor,
Younkin's Bldg, Butler, Pa.
June 30th, 1903.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF PAUL TROUTMAN, DEC'D.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Paul Troutman, deceased, late of the borough of Butler, Butler county, Pa., have been granted to Henry N. Troutman of Butler, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands against said estate are requested to make the same known without delay.

HENRY N. TROUTMAN,
Administrator,
A. T. BLACK, Attorney. Butler, Pa.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that Thomas H. Greer, Trustee in the partition proceedings of Rachael Wagner, deceased, has filed in the Office of the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for Butler county, his final account as Trustee of the estate of Rachael Wagner, and that the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance to the Judge of the Orphans' Court on the 12th day of September, 1903.

GEORGE M. GRAHAM,
Clerk of the O. C.

Jury List for September Term.

List of names drawn from the proper jury wheel on the this, the 25th day of July, 1903, to serve as grand jurors at a regular term of court commencing on the first Monday of September, the same being the 7th day of said month:

Allen Anthony, Butler 5th wd, detective
Adams Harry, Slipperyrock tp, farmer
Boehm John, Jackson twp, farmer
Brown Peter P, Sunbury boro, saddler
Banks Thomas, Fairview twp, farmer
Cabel James, Clearfield twp, farmer
Christley A W, Slipperyrock borough, merchant
Dunbar Solomon, Forward tp, farmer
Dunlap W P, Marion twp, farmer
Fennell Jacob R, Clearfield twp, pumper
Ferguson Hazel, Eau Claire boro, farmer
Flinner Jacob, Connoquen'g tp, farmer
Heyl G A, Karns City, miner
Lloyd Geo, Adams twp, farmer
Murtland W W, Fairview twp, farmer
Marshall Thomas, Mars boro, farmer
Sutton John, Allegheny twp, farmer
Shannon D F, Harmony boro, rig-builder
Stevenson J T, Franklin twp, farmer
Smith F D, Middlesex twp, minister
Thomas P W, Connoquenes'g tp, farmer
Vanderlin W W, Cranberry tp, farmer
Wise Jacob L, Penn twp, farmer
White E S, Butler 4th wd. minister

A list of names drawn from the proper jury wheel to serve as petit jurors at a regular term of court commencing on the second Monday of September, 1903, the same being the fourteenth day of said month:

Ayers John, Butler 4th wd, mail-carrier
Armstrong Warren, Cherry tp, farmer
Byers William J, Fairview tp, farmer
Burtner John N, Jefferson tp, farmer,
Banidauf George, Summit tp, farmer
Boggs D B, Butler 3d wd, carpenter
Cooper Joseph, Worth tp, farmer
Critchlow J C, Forward twp, farmer
Craig J E, Mars boro, merchant
Campbell Jno B, Slipperyrock tp, farmer
Christy Isaac, Concord twp, farmer
Dingler August, Centre twp, farmer
Duncan Nelson, Zelienople boro, oilman
Divener Charles, Donegal twp,
Eichert J A, Evans City boro, farmer
Grime Henry Winfield twp, farmer
Graham R H, Butler 5th wd. driller
Hyle Henry, Franklin tp, farmer
Hass John G, Buffalo twp, farmer
Harper Cyrus, Cranberry tp, farmer
Henshaw W H, Zelienople boro, shoemaker
Hazlett James, Allegheny tp, farmer
Harbison John D, Clinton tp, farmer
Harbison Robert H, Penn tp, farmer
Herr Albert J, Butler 5th wd, printer
Keogler Herman, Jefferson tp, farmer
Heck, George F, Butler 5th wd, tailor
Kaltenbaugh H, Connoquen'g tp, farmer
Love Robert M, Clinton tp, farmer
Lang William, Jefferson tp, farmer
Maxwell J J, Fairview twp, farmer
McCollough Henry, Oakland tp, farmer
McGeary W B, Butler 3rd wd, farmer
Meals George W, Washington tp, farmer
Reigher Daniel, Centre tp, farmer,
Sarver Al, Butler tp, farmer
Stillwagon Len, Slipperyrock tp, farmer
Smathers A H, Evans City boro, farmer
Seaton E A, Venango twp, farmer
Shaffer John F, Franklin tp, farmer
Shaner Al, Franklin tp, farmer
Tilman Christian, Adams tp, farmer
Thorn A D, Connoquenessing tp, farmer
Tasker George, Mars boro, oil-producer
Wickenhagen Gus, Butler 1st ward, musician
Welch Frank, Jefferson tp, farmer
Whitmire Henry, Butler 4th wd, farmer
Vandike Joseph, Marion tp, farmer

Horse SALE ON

Monday, September 7th, 1903,

We will sell at public auction at 10 o'clock, a. m., at WISE & GRAHAM'S STABLE, in BUTLER, PA., without reserve and regardless of cost 40 HEAD OF HORSES. These are choice bred horses selected by a very competent judge, and the opportunity given you of buying them in your home town, and at YOUR OWN PRICE, is an inducement of vital importance. You all know that for the past four years horses have been advancing $25 a head each year. Next year they will be much scarcer and higher, and the man who buys, rears and conditions these horses for market, is bound to make very large profits—profits far in excess of that made on any other live stock. All who want first-class horses and colts should attend this sale.

Butler, Sept. 7; Zelienople, Sept. 8; Portersville, Sept. 10; Harlansburg, Sept. 11; Wilmington, Sept. 12—40 head of Horses and Colts to be sold at each place.

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Elaborate Preparations for an Enormous Attendance on Labor Day, Monday, September 7th.

Night and day almost for ten months past the NEW EXPOSITION management has been active in planning for the coming season of 46 days that begins on Wednesday, September 2nd, and closes on Saturday, October 24.

High musical possibilities have practically been exhausted at enormous cost in the engagement of *Creatore, Sousa, Damrosch, the Fadettes* and *Vessella*, together with a dazzling array of instrumental and vocal soloists. Eleven special attractions have been sifted with minutest care out of a heaped up collection that desired entrance, and only those selected that could offer the largest measure of amusement, entertainment and edification. Exhibits and displays are all new and novel, numbering 150 all told and representing an investment of $500,000.

Improvements and innovations might be tolled off at length, but sufficient is the statement that never before in the 14 years of the EXPOSITION'S existence have preliminaries been so exactingly worked out, nor the management been so confident of the unqualified, even enthusiastic, approval by its Surburban clientele of results achieved in their behalf.

Suburbanites will be accorded every consideration that reason can dictate, since they have been the EXPOSITION'S most loyal supporters. For their convenience the railroads will arrange regular excursions each week at the one fare rate, with prospects of special excursions at intervals.

So much for general features of the NEW EXPOSITION'S coming season. But special object of this article is to direct attention to the fact that the EXPOSITION will be in full swing on Labor Day, Monday, September 7, with *Creatore*, the volcanic wonder, as musical attraction. If there were nothing else to be seen or heard in Pittsburg on Labor Day but *Creatore*, time and money were well expended in a trip to the great Steel City. A Western Editor, who had heard bands and orchestras galore for 20 years, and had been absolutely unmoved by their music, consented reluctantly with a friend to hear *Creatore*, who so thrilled and stirred him that he wrote these breezy descriptive words:

"*Creatore* starts the band in a mild, entreating way. A simple uplifting of the arms. Then suddenly, with a wild shake of his shaggy head, he springs across the stage with the ferocity of a wounded lion. Crash! Bang! And a grand volume of sound chokes the hall from pit to dome. Then he doubles up like a question mark, and, with glaring eyes and grating teeth, with outstretched prompting finger, he creeps stealthily around, the very picture of hate and malice personified. Suddenly a wild leap into the air, and with his long hair standing straight up, he lands stiff-legged, like a bucking bronco. Now he leans over the row of music stands, and smiles the smile of a lover—pleading, supplicating, entreating, caressing, with outstretched hands, piercing the air with his baton like a fencing master. Almost to his knees, he begs, he demands, he whirls around with waving arms. He laughs, he cries, he sings, he hisses through his clenched teeth. He feels the music with every fibre. Now it is the rushing winds; now the mad plunging of galloping horses; now the booming of the surf on the bleak rocks, and now the birds singing in the treetops or the sound of angel's wings. He throws up his hands like an Aztec at prayer. A wild burst of melody and all is over. He bows and smiles, then goes behind the scenes and combs his hair."

Attendance upon a *Creatore* concert with its soul-stirring, nerve-twanging music, will be a *Labor Day Souvenir* cherishable for years to come.

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