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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

President—Theodore Roosevelt,
Supreme Judge—John P. Elkin.
Congress—Hon. J. D. McJunkin,
State Senate—Hon. A. G. Williams,
Legislature—Hon. Thomas Hays,
Dr. W. R. Hockenberry,
District Attorney—Samuel Walker,
Clerk of Courts—L. E. Christley.

CURRENT EVENTS.

The events at Harrisburg, last week, were a "nine days wonder" and are already practically forgotten.

The three hundred and fifty-eight delegates had very little to say in the matter—the bosses did it all. Probably not two dozen of the delegates had a personal preferment for Supreme Judge, and so they went along, and the convention was harmonious, and everybody was happy. The idea of a general caucus was unique—a particularly "happy conception."

No part of the Republican party of this great nation is so utterly boss-ridden as is the party in Pennsylvania today.

The Census Bureau has discovered that the solid portion of the country contains almost eighty millions of inhabitants, while the "colonies" are good for about ten millions more. There are ninety millions of us at present, representing about every race, and shade and phase of humanity. We are growing at the rate of more than a million a year, so that we shall soon have the round hundred million.

Eighty millions of Americans working for a common cause is an event in the world's history. The truth is we are progressing so rapidly that we understand our own importance much less than do the nations of Europe and Asia. We mean to be good and to make others good, but some way or other, there is a feeling abroad that we are going to use the mere power which we have to the detriment of those who think that numbers and wealth and brains mean everything. At the end of this decade we shall probably be one hundred millions, and before the rising generation has quitted the sphere of activity we shall have become the leading nation of the Earth. This brings with it an obligation to make the average of citizenship the highest possible. We shall need all the intelligence and virtue there is possible in the coming years to steer the country in its proper path, and individual direction will be most potent in this regard.

Every thinking man, says the Philadelphia Inquirer, must have been impressed with the addresses which were made in this city last week concerning the tendencies and operations of the various financial institutions in this country. Twenty years ago the national banks were the natural and usual agencies for accomplishing various programs, and they did the work well, though hemmed about by limitations due to the Federal statute laws. Since that time the growth of trust companies, which are nothing but State banks organized with liberal charters, have taken away a large amount of the business from the normal institutions and individuals, and have changed the whole current of business effort.

There are forty five States which have laws more or less differing from each other as to the potentialities and powers included, and these have been used in one way or another to an extent that has confused the investor. The basis of all these institutions is that the Constitution guarantees to every State that all others shall respect its laws. This is, of course, subject to the larger provision that these State laws shall be subject and agreeable to the larger law which dominates the Constitution. Practically, it has meant that a few States, and notably New Jersey, have made laws which seem to protect the schemer and prevaricator. When certain men want to have a scheme put through they do not do it on their own account, but have some State chartered trust company undertake the work. Now, it is true in most cases this is normal and proper, but we have seen a number of important instances lately where the advantage has been to the promoter rather than to the investors.

That the arm of the law is very long, is demonstrated in the second conviction of Mrs. Botkin of San Francisco for the murder of two women in Delaware by sending them poisoned candy. The crime was conceived in iniquity, the result of jealousy and based on the hope of securing the man on whom the criminal had set her affections. There are two things to be learned from this case. One is that it is a difficult thing to commit a crime and go undetected, even at the distance of three thousand miles. The other is that those who receive through the mails edibles from persons unknown should be careful about eating them. It is the lowest possible crime to send poison in the shape of a gift.

During the past week some skirmishing has been done along the Yalu, but no battle has yet been fought and there is no telling when there will be. The Japanese are advancing northward, in three divisions of about a hundred thousand each; while the Russians are in force on the other side of the Yalu. The scouting parties of the two armies occasionally come in collision.

The Russians, also, have a large army at New Chang, where the railroad is close to the Gulf, and along the railroad to Port Arthur. The bad weather and worse roads are bettering their chances, and every day's delay enables them to increase their army and supplies.

Strike Notes.

Judge Stevens of Ouray, Colorado, on Monday, declared Adjt. Gen. Sherman M. Bell and Capt. Bulkeley Wells to be in contempt of court for not complying with the writ of habeas corpus which required the officers to bring before the court Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, whom they are holding in confinement at Telluride. The court ordered Sheriff Corbett to arrest the two officers. Judge Stevens severely criticised the course of Gov. James H. Peabody and the military authorities, saying they appeared to be in insurrection against the court.

Frank Johnston, a Swede glassworker employed at H. C. Frye & Co.'s glass plant at North Rochester, was fatally shot, Monday, while walking down the Fort Wayne railroad tracks near the Miller brick works, in Rochester township. He died at the Beaver County General hospital. Joseph Finler, a special officer employed at the Rochester Tumbler works, since the strike, is in the Beaver jail charged with the killing.

The official vote in Indiana county, for judge, was—Telford, 3631; Cunningham, 3687; White, 385. The Messenger ridicules the "sad, sad wail" that White "wafterd over Western Pennsylvania."

Catapulting Son Dick.

The Congressmen who attended the state convention at Harrisburg, last week, took a lot of stories back to Washington, which a newspaper correspondent condenses as follows:—

"If Senator Quay had not disposed of John P. Elkin by putting him on the Supreme Court bench his plan to make his son, Richard, his own successor and Senator Penrose the head of the State organization would have been placed in great jeopardy. The powerful Pennsylvania railroad and Standard Oil influences would have been indifferent, if not hostile, toward it.

The Pennsylvania and the Standard, several weeks ago, served final notice on the Senator that he would have to dispose of the Indiana county man so as to keep him out of the Gubernatorial race two years hence. He made himself obnoxious to the big corporations while a member of the Stone administration, and President Cassatt is said to have told Senator Quay that so long as he lived Elkin could not be Governor, and that if Quay permitted him so to organize the party as to get a nomination he and his friends would fight the Quay organization.

The older Senator's solicitude for his son and Senator Penrose is what brought him into a mood for accepting the solution which will result in the elimination of Elkin, the only man who had a following that could make trouble for him in the Western part of the state.

District Attorney Holland of the Eastern district, who holds Montgomery county in his hand all the time, is to be disposed of in the same manner by having him appointed additional Judge in the Eastern district under the law passed at this session. Holland is feared because he is of an independent mind and has shown that he can do valiently in a fight with the State organization. He and Elkin are to go into retirement the same way John Stewart went.

Then everything will be prepared for the election or appointment of Richard Quay, Senator Penrose having set up the legislative tickets in the counties of the state so that when they meet next winter the wishes of Quay will be carried out to the smallest detail."

Changing Bed of Creek.

EDITOR CITIZEN:—The recent floods in the Connoquenessing at this place, and the damage done by same, have naturally called the attention of our citizens to the matter and to the remedy if any can be found. In former years the floods in our creek might come and go and no particular harm be done. But now the beautiful valley west of the old town is filled with residences, factories and work shops, which may be overflowed every year, and hence the demand for a remedy is pressing. The Borough, as a municipality, could not be held liable for damage as the matter stands at present, and therefore the great need for action.

The remedy most generally spoken of is a change in the channel of the creek, commencing at the dam of the Walter Mill and passing westward between the tracks of the two railroads until the creek was again struck at a hillside a short distance below and south of the second Bessemer bridge crossing the Connoquenessing at that point. But to take that route would require a far greater amount of excavation and expense that would be necessary, for the reason that the ground is higher there by at least fifteen feet, than it is a short distance north of the Bessemer track. Besides it is hardly supposable that the railroads could or would allow the new creek channel to be run between their tracks, as the space between them is quite narrow for some distance. High stone walls and much masonry would also be necessary there. So that channel would seem to be impracticable and too expensive.

A better channel can be had by commencing shortly below dam, at a point in the creek known as the fording, and opposite the lower end of Brewery lot and Negley avenue. The ground there is low bottom, and continues such until it reaches a higher or second bottom on which is the Roessing and other property. Then passing along Negley ave., or a little south of it, until it reaches Roessing ground and thence continuing west along or near the Bessemer track to about the garbage stack and then on along Bessemer to the creek at said Bessemer bridge over the same. This route would be almost straight. The earth obtained from the higher part of it would be more than sufficient to make the embankments that will be necessary in any new channel that may be made. The bridge referred to could be lengthened to say double its present length so that new channel could safely enter the old one there; and from there on down would only be the Lead Works, the Car Works and Lyndora exposed to high water in any event. They doubtless would be glad to then protect themselves, having had all danger from future floods shut off above them. The damages also on this route would be less than any other, not more than half a dozen owners of land being effected in its construction.

The project of changing the channel of the creek is one full of interest. The enterprise has about it a novelty that creates a lively feeling in all our people. If carried out it will be a kind of little Panama canal to Butler, not just uniting two oceans, but shortening by at least half a mile the now tortuous and winding ways of the old Connoquenessing. And in this connection it may not be known to many of our present citizens that this is not the first effort to change the bed of the creek. The late Judge John Bredin did actually change its bed, about sixty years ago. The creek before then wound away west to Fairground avenue, near to Stamm property. He cut its channel this side of where Sullivan's Run enters the creek, thus forming what is now known as Vogeley's Island. He made but a small channel at first, leaving time and the natural current to do the rest, with the result as we now see it.

We notice a meeting of citizens has been held on the subject and, as others may be held, these few observations are thrown out in the hope of doing some good in the matter. J. H. N.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The House, on Monday, passed the emergency river and harbor bill, but appropriated no money for improving either the Ohio or Delaware.

Senator Burton of Kansas, arrived in Washington, last Friday, but did not enter the Senate Chamber.

WAR NOTES.

The latest figures for the Russian army collecting in Manchuria are 450,000. Ten thousand Cossacks were said to be patrolling the Yalu.

At Tokio the Japs were rejoicing that the ice was moving out of the Yalu, as they realize that every day's delay increases the Russian forces.

The Russian navy continues to meet with disaster. Yesterday the battleship, Petropavlovsk, struck one of their own mines in the outer harbor of Port Arthur, was blown up, and turned over, drowning seven hundred men. The news created great excitement in St. Petersburg. The Petropavlovsk, which had twice previously been reported damaged in Japanese attacks on Port Arthur, was a first-class battleship of 10,960 tons displacement and 14,213 indicated horse power. She was 367½ ft long, had 60 ft beam, and her armored belt was of about 16 inches of steel with 10 inches of steel armor on her turrets. Her armament consisted of 4 12-inch, 12 6-inch, 34 smaller guns and six torpedo tubes. The complement of the Petropavlovsk when fully manned was 700 men. She was built at St. Petersburg and was completed in 1898.

OIL NOTES.

The market—Both agencies cut 3 cents, Friday, and the price was $1.65.

Winfield—Lang Bros. are drilling a well on the G. S. Armstrong.

Donegal—Waltman & Co are drilling on the Waltman farm.

Eberhart & Co. have started their No. 2 Eberhart.

Concord—The Home Co. has located on the A. L. Brown a fourth mile south of the Rubber Co's 3-sand well, and the South Penn is drilling to the north of it

Ohio—Upper Sandusky has a new gusher that is doing about 2000 bbls a day.

Kansas—A lot of Methodist ministers have organized an oil company and will drill Kansas. They have not yet located their well or secured a lease, but they hope, by faith and prayer, to strike it very rich. They will learn, however, when their money is all gone that drilling for oil is by no means a sure thing—even for Methodist ministers.

Texas Firewater—Texas is to the front with another remarkable phenomenon of nature. Not content with having the biggest oil wells in the country, and wells that produce hot salt water in large and small quantities, the Lone Star State now presents something entirely new in a well that spouts fire water. It is not the kind of firewater that is sold over our bars, but a water that is actually inflammable. This new discovery is located near Toyah, Texas, and the owner says that while boring a well for water on his ranch he struck a flow which partly filled the well. When the water was brought to the surface and came in contact with the drilling outfit, it set fire to the timbers and burned them up. Exhaustive experiments were made with the water and in every instance it set fire to the wood and other inflammable substances with which it was placed in contact. It also quickly dissolved or ate up the iron casing of the well.—Derrick.

Arbor Day.

Last Friday was Arbor Day. Friday, the 22d, will be another. These dates were officially fixed by Governor Pennypacker and the State Forestry Commission. Every year hundreds of thousands of trees are felled from our hillsides, and every year the floods are more violent and disastrous in time of rain and the land is more dry and arid in time of drought, because there are not enough trees to hold adequate moisture in the ground and to prevent the soil being washed into the stream beds. The only remedy is to grow and plant trees to replace our devastated forests. The climate of the Mississippi valley has been materially improved because of once treeless prairies are now covered with orchards. The once rich hills of Spain and Palestine are comparatively barren, because they used up their trees, and neglected tree culture. Plant trees. He who makes two blades of grass to grow where but one grew before is a benefactor to his kind. Systematic and intelligent tree culture for both fruit and lumber, is a necessity for our future agricultural prosperity and will prove a paying investment far beyond all expectation.

Our schools are to be commended for the observance they make of Arbor Day. Every boy or girl who plants and cares for a tree builds a monument more lasting than houses or marble shafts.

Sarversville.

The Hall and Kelly schools, Buffalo township, held their closing picnic at the Kelly school house, Wednesday, April 6. Over one hundred people were present and enjoyed a bountiful dinner prepared by the ladies of the neighborhood. In the afternoon a program consisting of recitations and songs by the pupils of the two schools was listened to by the appreciative audience. After which remarks were made by Prof. Painter, Co. Supt.; Rev. Beighey, Rev. Townsand, Mr. McFarland and Mr. Curtis Hockenberry, the Hall teacher. Miss Daisy Rainsey, the teacher of the Kelly school reports the following five pupils as not having missed a day of school during the term: Florence Campbell, Bertha Wickline, Emma Dempsey, Jessel Drane and Robert Reed. Two pupils of the Hall school have also a record of perfect attendance: Jessie Atkinson and Glenn Atkinson. R

Ivywood.

There was a party held on Saturday evening at Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morrison's in honor of their daughter, Lillian, at which they played many games. They all seemed to enjoy themselves, lunch was served.

Miss Edna Bartley is visiting relatives in town.

Robert Miller has moved from Ivywood to the Kennedy farm.

Mrs. King and Mrs. Charles Morrison of Wilkensburg are guests of Mrs. C. W. Morrison.

The school at Rocky Run closed on Tuesday. A.

A Farewell Party.

At their home in Middlesex township, Thursday, March 31, Mr. and Mrs. David Lefever entertained about thirty young friends of their daughter Anabel, who left for school the following Saturday. The guests began to arrive about 8 o'clock and after all got fairly well acquainted they began to amuse themselves by playing games and music. At the usual hour a very delicious lunch was served to which all did ample justice. So royally were these guests entertained and so thoroughly did they enjoy themselves that almost before they knew it they discovered that they had played into the wee small hours of morning.

After this discovery was made all bade each other good-night and returned to their happy homes feeling that they had had a pleasant time together.

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DEATHS.

SAY—At her home in Oakland twp., April 7, 1904, Mrs. Carrie Moore, wife of W. H. Say, aged 23 years.

SHEARER—At her home in Summit twp., April 9, 1904, Annie Shearer, aged 4 years.

FOREMAN — At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kellogg, at Sugar Grove, Wisconsin, Feb. 21, 1904, Mrs. Elizabeth Bortmas Foreman, a native of Concord twp., aged 96 years.

ARTHURS—At his home in Pittsburg, April —— 1904, John M. Arthurs, formerly of Butler.

METZ—At her home in Forward twp., March 27, 1904, Mary Amelia, daughter of F. W. Metz.

MILLEN—At her home in Allegheny, April —— 1904, Mrs. Sarah McElree, wife of Rev. J. R. Millen, aged 39 years.

PARTRIDGE—In Zelienople, April 1, 1904, Richard Partridge, in his 30th year.

SPITHALER—At her home in Forward twp., March 31, 1904, Mrs. Martin Spithaler, nee Goehring, aged 37 years.

McGINNIS—At her home, in Butler, April 11, 1904, Mrs. Josephine, wife of W. C. McGinnis aged 50 years.

WILLIAMS—At his home in Venango twp, April 1, 1904, John Williams, in his 93d year.

He was born in Scrubgrass twp., Venango county, Feb. 13, 1812, and is survived by three sons and three daughters. His wife died seven years ago.

McLAUGHLIN—At her home in Venango twp., April 8, 1904, Miss Cicely McLaughlin, in her 94th year.

VANDLING—At her home in Allegheny, April 12, 1904, Miss Sue Vandling, formerly of Connoquenessing township, aged 26 years.

STEVENSON—At her home in Penn twp., April 11, 1904, Mrs. D. L. Stevenson, aged 55 years.

COLGIN—At the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. H. Cooper, in Emlenton, April 6, 1904, James L. Colgin, in his 86th year.

Mr. Colgin was born in Kittanning, May 31, 1818; was a carpenter by trade, was married to Hannah M. Redick in 1843 and for many years lived on a farm in Allegheny twp., this county.

Of his five children but two—Samuel L and Mrs. Cooper—survive him. His wife died some years ago, as did also his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Kiskaddon of Butler, and since the death of his wife he has lived with Mrs. Cooper. He was stricken by paralysis several years ago, which for a man of his former physical strength was a great affliction, but he bore it patiently.

Mr. Colgin was a good citizen—one of nature's noblemen, and he will be kindly remembered by all who knew him.

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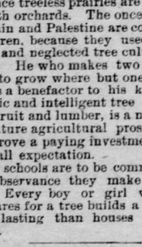

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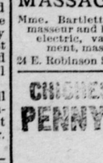
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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

In the matter of George G. Roneymus. } No. 2456, In Bankruptcy.

At the City of Pittsburgh, in said District, this 11th day of April, 1904.

Western District of Pennsylvania, ss:

Whereas, a petition was on the 11th day of April, 1904, filed herein for an adjudication of bankruptcy against George G. Roneymus and it appearing therefrom that said bankrupt is not within the district and that personal service of the subpoena herein cannot be made on him.

Now, on petition of Joseph B. Bredin, Attorney for petitioners, it is ordered: That service of such subpoena be made by publication of this order together with said subpoena in the BUTLER CITIZEN, a newspaper published at Butler, Pa., once a week for two consecutive weeks, the last of said publications to be made on the 21st of April, 1904, and by mailing a copy of this order and said petition and subpoena to the last known place of abode of the said George G. Roneymus, at Harmony, Penn'a, on or before the first publication.

The said subpoena to be made returnable ten days after the last publication of said notice as herein provided.

PER CURIAM.

From the record:
WM. T. LINDSEY, Clerk. [SEAL]

SUBPOENA TO ALLEGED BANKRUPT.

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

In the mater of George G. Roneymus, Against whom a Petition for Adjudication in Bankruptcy has been filed. } No. 2456, In Bankruptcy.

United States of America, Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss:

To George G. Roneymus in said District, Greeting:

For certain causes offered before the District Court of the United States of America within and for the Western District of Pennsylvania, as a Court of Bankruptcy.

We Command, and Strictly Enjoin You, laying all other matters aside and notwithstanding any excuse, that you personally appear before our said District Court, to be holden at Pittsburgh, in said District, on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1904, to answer a petition filed by Jacob Schott, et al, in our said Court, praying that you may be adjudged a Bankrupt; and to do further and receive that which our said District Court shall consider in this behalf. And this you are in no wise to omit, under the pains and penalties of what may befall thereon.

Witness, the Honorable Joseph Buffington, Judge of said court, and the seal thereof, at Pittsburgh, this 11th day of April, A. D. 1904.

WM. T. LINDSEY, Clerk, [SEAL]

MEMORANDUM: Sec. 18 (b) The Bankrupt, or any creditor, may appear and plead to the Petition within five days after the return day, or within such further time as the Court may allow.

NOTICE TO HEIRS!

BUTLER COUNTY, ss:

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to Martin L. Gibson, High Sheriff of Butler county, Pennsylvania, Greeting:

Whereas, At an Orphan's Court held at Butler, in and for said county, on the 19th day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four, before the Honorable Judge thereof, the Petition of Edith Shull for rule on heirs was presented, setting forth, that the said Henry Shull died on the —— day of —— A. D., intestate, leaving to survive him a widow, Ida Shull of West Sunbury, Butler Co., Pa., and children, as follows:—Sheridan Shull, residence unknown; Harry Shull, of West Sunbury boro, Butler Co., Pa.; Mosseim Shull, of West Sunbury boro., Butler Co., Pa., Etta Shull, intermarried with Andrew Bush of East Smethport, McKean Co., Pa.; Laura Shull, intermarried with Wm. Phell, of 974 Liberty St., Allegheny City, Pa.; and Lizzie Shull, of West Sunbury boro, Butler Co., Pa.; all of whom are aged more than 21 years. That the said Perry Shull died on the —— day of —— A. D., intestate, leaving to survive him a widow, Susan Shull, of 28 Scotswood avenue, Elmira, New York; W. D. Shull, of 241 Gregg St., Elmira, N. Y.; J. P. Shull, of 236 Eighth St., Beaver Falls, Pa.; and Annis Shull, intermarried with —— Braade, of 210 Lorraine Place, Pittsburg, Pa., all of whom are aged more than 21 years, and John Shull, who died intestate, leaving to survive him a widow, —— Shull, of No. 19, Bank St., Salem, Ohio, and now known as Mrs. Robert Stuart, and one daughter, Bertha, of No. 19 Bank St., Salem, Ohio, aged 15 years. That the said John G. Shull died on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1902, intestate, leaving to survive him an only daughter, Edith Shull, who is aged more than 21 years and is your petitioner herein, of West Sunbury boro, Butler county, Pa. That the said Sarah Shull, is intermarried with A. N. Bryson, and lives at Wellsville, N. Y. That the above named are all of the heirs and legal representatives of said decedent, Mrs. Jemimah Shull. And there are no other persons interested. This rule on heirs to accept or refuse premises, or show cause why the same should not be sold, etc., partition of premises having been made and Sheriff's inquest returned.

These are therefore to command you, the said heirs at law and all parties interested to be and appear before the said Judge at an Orphan's Court to be held at Butler, for the said county of Butler, on the sixth day of June, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the —— noon of said day, to show cause why the premises should not be sold at the valuation, or heirs to accept or refuse the same, and to submit to such other orders and decrees as the said Court shall make touching the premises.

Witness the Honorable James M. Galbreath, President of our said Court, the 24th day of March, A. D. 1904.

GEORGE M. GRAHAM,
Clerk of Courts.

Mechanics Lien.

George Walter & Sons, vs. W. J. Powell, owner or reputed owner and W. J. Powell, Contractor. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Butler County at M. L. D. No. 2, June Term, 1904. Book 7, Page 89.

To W. J. POWELL,

SIR:—You are hereby notified that we have filed on the 11th day of April, 1904, in the Court of Common Pleas of Butler county at Machanics Lien Docket No. 2, June Term, 1904, found in book 7, page 89, as above stated a mechanics lien against you as owner or reputed owner also as contractor for material furnished you in the erection and construction of a three story brick building situate on McCool Ave., in the 3rd Ward of the Borough of Butler, Butler County, Penn'a. This therefore is to notify you of the fact of filing the same as above stated at No. 2, June Term, 1904, the said mechanics lien having been filed on the 11th day of April, 1904.

Yours &c.,
GEO. WALTER & SONS.

NOTICE.

P. B. Broughton and C. A. Davis, partners trading as P. B. Broughton and Company, vs. W. J. Powell, owner. } M. L. D No. 11, March Term, 1904.

To W. J. Powell, Owner:

You are hereby notified that on the 5th day of March, 1904, in the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co, Pa, at Mechanic's Lien Docket No 7, page 177, and at M. L. D No 11, March Term, 1904, a Mechanic's Lien was filed against you as owner of the property hereinafter described, by P. B. Broughton and C. A. Davis, partners trading as P. B. Broughton and Company.

The property against which said lien was filed being bounded and described as follows: All that certain piece, parcel and lot of land situated in the Third ward of the Borough of Butler, County of Butler and State of Pennsylvania, and which is bounded and described as follows:—on the north by other lands of said W. J. Powell; on the east by lot of Charles C Reeder; on the south by McCool avenue, and on the west by other land of said W. J. Powell. Having a frontage of sixty-two and one-half feet on said McCool avenue and extending northwardly thence preserving the same width sixty-nine and 90-100 feet to other lands of W. J. Powell, being lots No 6 and 62, and the eastern half of lot No 70, in a plan of lots laid out by John E Cavanaugh, in the borough of Butler, county of Butler and state of Pennsylvania. Said plan being recorded in Plan Book No 2, of said county, on page 2, and which were conveyed interalia by John E Cavanaugh and wife to said W. J Powell, by deed dated September 1, 1903, and recorded in said county of Butler, in Deed Book No 223, page 47. The house or structure erected upon said lot and against which this lien is filed, being a three story brick and stone dwelling house, containing twenty-eight rooms with paper roof, said house or building being forty-eight feet long and forty-eight feet wide, with four chimneys, not plastered as yet, with a stone wall and cellar under building, and no porches as yet.

P. B. BROUGHTON & CO.,
Per P. B. Broughton.
Frank H. Murphy
Attorney.
March 12, 1904.

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JNO. C. MOORE, Ex'r.,
of Daniel Heck, dec'd.,
Slippery Rock, Pa.
J. D. MCJUNKIN, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WATSON E. DUNKLE, DEC'D.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Watson E. Dunkle, deceased, late of Parker township, Butler county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against said estate, are requested to make the same known without delay.

MEAD W. DUNKLE, Adm'r.,
P. O. Box 163, Parkers Landing, Pa.
A. T. BLACK, Attorney. 3-10-04

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between E. G. Sproull and J. A. Sproull, under the firm name of Sproull Bros., at Anandale Station, Butler county, Pa., was dissolved by mutual consent, on Saturday, March 12th, 1904, and that the books of the former firm have been placed in the hands of John F. McCoy, of Anandale, for settlement and collection, to whom all debtors will make their payment, and all creditors present their claims.

E. G. SPROULL,
J. A. SPROULL.

JOHN F. MCCOY,
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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of John E. Byers, M.D., dec'd, late of Butler boro., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted 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

M. KATE BYERS, Executrix,
No. 207 S. Washington St.,
H. H. GOUCHER, Butler, Pa.
Att'y. 2-25-04

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary in the estate of James R. Robertson, dec'd., late of Oakland 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 for payment to

MRS. FANNIE E. ROBERTSON, Ex'x.,
R. F. D. 78, Chicora, Pa.
J. D. MCJUNKIN, Att'y. 2-18-04

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Letters of administration having been granted to the undersigned on the estate of Henry Knauff, dec'd., late of Cranberry, 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

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