e Judge-John P. Elkin. ss-Hon. Geo. F. Huff. te-Hon. A. G. Willia -Hon. Thomas Hays, Dr. W. R. Hockenbe

Clerk of Courts-L. E. Christley.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH. The great parade arranged for nex Monday morning, and the fire works se cured for that night attest our never

ailing interest in the Fourth, and the nt patriotism of this community Next Monday will be the 128th anni versary of the Declaration of Independence, made by the colonial delegater assembled in the old hall in Philadel phia, July 4th, 1776, announcing to the world that the English colonies ranging the coast of the Atlantic had sev

until several years after that England acknowledged that independence, and atution was adopted and the first President elected, but the Fourth of July of 1776 was adopted as being the birthday of the Nation, and as such has been celebrated ever since, and always will be as long as the Nation holds to

Since that time the Nation has ac quired by conquest and purchase the great breadth of country extending to he Pacific, and has multiplied in num ers and increased in wealth faster tha any other of the present nations of the Earth, or any recorded in history. Part of this is due to the industry and inteligence of the Nation, part to the varied resources of this great country, and part to our system of self government.

The signers of the Declaration pledg-ed their lives, their fortunes and their sacred honor to the founding of a Nation based on liberty secured by law and he must indeed be a thoughtles rican who does not welcome each ing Fourth with patriotic joy and of the world—the day that marks the birth of the greatest republic our planet has ever known. The beginning of any ce to the world; but the birth ublic that in little more than a ary has grown from feeble overty to unexampled wealth and pro-erity is an event of most momenton gue and of every condition of life, for me way or another it touches and nences the minds of all civilized

e political principles, in just and al laws and in the substantial and oles, in just and Iteth a nation" is a truth that cerns statesmen and politicians quite much as professed moralists. It was unate for our country that the aders of the Republic were English people; that they brouge om over the sea the common England and the inborn impuls en, and that they based the nev the right of self-government.

THE vacancies in the President's cab-net caused by the resignations of Atelyou have been filled by the intment of Secretary Moody to be e Secretary of the Navy, and V. H. of Commerce and Labor.

At Chicago last Thursday, Roosevel and Fairbanks were made the Republi can nominees for President and Vice President, without opposition, and Géo. B. Cortelyou, now Secretary of ommerce and Labor, was chosen Stary of the National Committee. A lengthy "platform" was adopted

which very few people will take the dime to read, as the record of the party has become its platform, while the in-

Parker with his ear trumpet. Hearst with his pocket-book, and several others with their "booms." It will be a circus

For several days past a great battle has been expected between the Jap. and Russ. armies in Manchuria. near Hais railroad town, about 150 mile orth of Port Arthur, but the dispatches sterday had the Russians retreat-northward towards Liao-Yang her railroad town, about fifty miles to the north of Haicheng, and their

The country there consists of a series of mountain ranges, parallel with the railroad. The Russian army is retreating up the valley occupied by the railroad, with one Jap. army following ast trying to head them off, but withring distance of the first army I the Russians decide to make

The outposts of the two armies which number about 150,000 men each are continually coming in collision, and news of the great battle, which will robably decide the fate of Russia's mpire in Eastern Asia can be expected

Port Arthur invested on the land side, hile their fleet makes sure that none ian fleet tried to escape a few

nights ago, and met with losses which ake their escape from the port say

worse, civilians are going from bad to worse, civilians are being pressed into military service, that the price of provisions is rising to a prohibitive figure, that the supply of food is falling short that the supply of food is falling short and that the prevailing sentiment is one of great auxiety and depression. As the Russians were not prepared for the conflict which they provoked in any direction where the test has been applied, it is highly improbable that they were any better prepared at Port Arthur than they were found to be elsewhere.

James Maizland an enterprising farmer of Butler County, Pennsylvania, has purchased 2,000 acres of the B. W. Peterson tract of land, in Wetzel county. He will begin the clearing of the land immediately; he expects to have it-ready for cultivation at the expiration of one year. The large acreage will be utilized as pasture for the sheep and cattle raising industry.—Smithheld, (W. Va.) Derrick.

WAR NOTES.

According to the cable dispatches the people of Japan were in a "frenzy of ight" last Saturday over Admiral Togo's last victory. The Russian fleet last Tuesday morning. He and his attempted to escape from Port Arthur driver had gone to the station to secure Thursday night, but were detected and a sample from a car-load of oats, that defeated. with the loss of another of had been shipped to him. They drove their battle ships with several hundred up to the car, which was standing on men while other vessels of their fleet the track, nearest the creek, and Mr. were disabled and driven back into the Boos held the somewhat excitable horse,

Togo was keeping his vessels out of sight, and his torpedo boats notified him by wireless telegraphy that the Boos upon his back, and though eye Russians were coming just after sundown. The Russian ships got under way, under a forced draft and started wagon ran over him no marks were on a dash to the south. Togo's fleet found upon his body. loomed up on the horizon, and cut off retreat of the Russian ships into

Port Arthur harbor and the battle was mediately, which caused the belief that on. It was almost dark when the first shot was fired. Like the sun rising addenly out of the sea came the flash troubling him for years. of a 12-inch gun, the roar awakened the echos for miles around. In a few minites the engagement became general. Dispatches from eye-witnesses of the

ngagement say it was one of the most agrificent spectacles of the war. Taken by surprise it was some minutes before the Russians got into action, and then from both squadrons tongues of Barbara Walter, and five daughters flame belched, followed by deafening reports which seemed to stir the ocean to its depth. Both squadrons were i motion, maneuvering cautionsly for advantage, describing circles through the ong swell of the sea and ouring forth orrents of fire at minute intervals. As vantage, describing circles through the

tral shaft of light which they threw a intervals darted a hissing shell. The torpedo boat practice of the Jap ansse is described as marvelous in it

ed into play and across the long spec

ngenuity and daring. The most thrilling gallantry was dis played. The Russians fought with a ourage and desperation born of repeated defeats, but their gun practice was bad, which accounts for the trifling damage which the Japanese ships sus ained during the engagement. Shells from the Russian ships constantly exploded in the air, or in the water, jus oo short of the mark, or just beyond the enemy's ships. Great geysers of water spurted up with each of these explosions and deep chasms were torn in the sea, in one of which an escaping

orpedo boat was almost engulfed. It was the torpedo boats of the Jap anese fleet that inflicted the greatest damage. A torpedo struck the Peresviet midway in the engagement and five minutes later with a roar like the exploding of a magazine she sank be neath the waves. A well placed shell struck the other battleship the name of which has not yet been ascertained, and put her out of commision. The cruise was hit by a torpedo and dissapeared to ward Port Arthur, apparently in Meanwhile the

are not the only guarantees of national growth and endurance. The real founmaller guns on the Japanese ships were lasted. The moon rose over the scene of the terrific struggle, and shed a blurred

and reddening face amid the smoke and flame of the conflict. Slowly the Russians backed away from the Japanese ships, describing great loops to keep out of range, and with difficulty making the entrance to Port Arthur.

THE war between the German and nes, and what is called the Europe is being poured into the U. S. THE late Republican National Con-

vention at Chicago was a young man's convention; very few of the old timers President Roosevelt's administration that it is a young man's administrati ent is not yet 45, the chair nan of the National Committee i ounger, the two new Cabinet officer are only barely past fifty, as is the candidate for Vice President. The other ecretaries are somewhat older in years out young in enthusiasm.

A FEW days ago the Sultan of Mo-\$20,000 in cash and a check for \$50,000, pesides a lot of prisoners from the bandit's tribe, whereupon he released Mr. erdicaris, who is a citizen of this untry, and also his step-son, Varley, who is a citizen of England. The mon Saltan's own treasury, as a punishment for not being able to govern his own

well treated by the brigand while his luropean governments allow such work all along the north coast of Africa, and he shores of the Black Sea; and it is out a few years since the overland trip from Malaga to Granada in Spain was fraught with the same danger, and the trip from Messina to Mt. Etna in Sicily is yet said to be dangerous on account

Middlesex Items. Wm. Pacoe is harvesting a fine crop

Robert Hezlep returned, last week, from a pleasant trip to Kansas where he was visiting his son, Earl.

John Burton, our supervisor, wa badly hurt by being kicked by a horse while working on the roads.

Miss Annabel Lefever attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harbi-son at Bakerstown, one evening, last Rev. W. W. Hall of Allegheny

preached a very interesting sermon in the M. E. church, last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fredley wer made happy by the arrival of a bounc-ing boy at their home.

Some of the young people of the neighborhood are anticipating a pleas ant trip to Alameda Park, July 4. Misses Irene Criner and Nellie Hezlep were delegates to the S. S. convention at Mars.

well sermon, last Sunday. to the Clin-ton U. P. congregation of which he had been pastor for many years.

Robert Trimble is helping to build a bridge in the township. L. Pricetown Pickups.

Curly Logan, the famous cattle er of Pennsylvania will be here in er of Pennsylvania will be here in Jun-to buy all cattle for sale in this section of the state.

George P. Maizland, a prominent merchant of Ekastown. Pa., will open a large general store near Pricetown for the accomodation of the men engaged to clear the land. His store will be open to the public in general. His ability and genial manner in dealing with the people is good.

Sudden Death of Jacob Boos

Jacob Boos, the well-known grocerynan of S. Main St., Butler, met with a sudden death at the B. & O. station, while the driver went into the car.

Something scared the horse, and he reared, turned, and ran throwing Mr. witnesses say that the horse's feet landed upon him and the wheels of the

He was lifted at once and carried to the platform, but he died almost im his death was due to the shock of the ccurrence, as his heart had been

He was born in Germany in 1835, came to this country in 1854; married a daughter of Jacob Walter, dec'd, and was for a time a partner in the milling firm of Walter & Boos. He opened the grocery store on his present location in 1881, and has been in that business ever since. He is survived by his wife, nee

Graduating Exercises. On Sunday evening Rev. E. Croner

Tuesday evening the Class of 1904 Butler High School, held their com night advanced search lights were callmencement exercises in the United Presbyterian church Rev. A R. Robinson opened with prayer. John R. Pillow delivered the salutatory and the mainder of the program was as

> Essay, "A Few Facts about Russia," Carrie Graham; essay, "A Glimpse of Japan," Elizabeth McKinley; "Song at Sunrise," Manney, Misses Larkin, Gal breath, Josie Graham, Nannie Graham, Kamerer and Schenck; artist, Edna V Kamerer and schence; artist, Edna V.
> Kamerer; prophet, Elizabeth Frazier;
> piano solo, selected, Emily H. Stem;
> cremation, H. Wilkins Boyd; chorus,
> "Little Boy Blue," Perkins, class; donor,
> Irene M. Galbreath; valedictory, Verna
> M. Iseman; "The Chase for Butterflies"
> Classiscon; presentation of diplomas."

M. Iseman; "The Chase for Butterflies" Clapisson; presentation of diplomas, A. W. McCollough; chorus, "Fisher Crew's Return. Veazie, class.

The church was handsomely decorated with flowers and colors.

There are seven boys and fifteen girls in the class, the roll being as follows:

H. Wilkins Boyd, Andrew Campbell, Julian C. Foster, Elizabeth Frazier, Irene M. Galbreath, Carrie Graham, James H. Graham, Nannie G. Graham, Josephine Graham, Verna M. Iseman, Edna V. Kamerer, Will C. Lardin, Ellen A. Larkin, Grace M. Leidecker, Elizabeth McKinley, Charles S. Orr, John R. Pillow, Carrie C. Reed, Ellen G. O'Connor, Etta E. Schenck, Jennie L. Stanley, Emily H. Stein.

CHURCH NOTES. Communion was held in the United Pres. Church Sunday. Sixteen new nembers were received.

Four members were received in Grace Lutheran Church, Sunday at their communion services. The Butler County Sabbath So

Association at their convention at Mars ast week re-elected the following offi-

cers.

President, Rev. W. J. Grimes, Connoquenessing; Vice President, Prof. R. S. Penfield, Chicora; Recording Secretary, Miss Sadie B. Hamilton, Renfrew, R. D.; Treasurer, R. F. McMeekin, Chicora; Superintendent of Home Department, Mrs. H. C. Welsh, Renfrew, R. D.; Superintendent Primary Work, Miss Flora B. Walley, Bruin; Superintendent Normal Work, Rev. Hugh Leith-Zellenople.

U. P., congregations, last Sunday, ar after officiating at the funeral of Jo Burton, yesterday, left with his family for New Wilmington, which will be their future home.

The members of Shiloh had a meet-ing in the church a few evenings ago, at which ice cream and cake were serv-ed, and showed their good will for their contor and his wife by presenting them

ed, and showed their good will for their pastor and his wife, by presenting them with a handsome chair and fine drugget for their new home. Rev. Cooper has been a citizen of Butler and vicinity, and an earnest and conscientious laborer in his chosen calling for many years he leaves this community with the good will of all.

The Fourteenth Annual Christian Endeavor Convention will be held at Mars, July 20 & 21. The work of the Christian Endeavor movement is a country.

The two men were captured at a country house near Tangier, and were well treated by the brigand while his priscners, but it is remarkable that the European governments allow such work

Christian Endeavor movement is a work that is attracting attention over all the civilized world. The Union of Butler County is composed of all the C. E. Societies in the County, with a membership of about 1309, and the work of 1306 young people is not to be over-looked or neglected.

The members of Mrs. John H. McConnell's Sunday School class will give a social at her home on W. Penn St., to

OIL NOTES.

The Market-Both agences are ye

Penn twp.—In the new field several wells are in the sand. Toomy & Wasson's No. 3, on the Powell is doing 35 bbls. natural; the Appalachian Co's No. 1 has been shot and is estimated at 50 bbls. The Hazelwood Co. is drilling on the Weible. Keefer & Co. on the Strain' and Craig & Co. on the Edgar.

Slipperyrock-A Pittsburg Co. had ocated a well on the Dan. Roenigh

Speechly—The South Penn's No. 13 on the Henry Kuhn is doing 6 bbls. Monday the South Penn struck the sand in the No. 15 A. W. Starr and their No. 3, J. H. Thompson. Both wells are showing for about ten barrels per day. The South Penn last week drilled their No. 8, A. W. Starr, from the Fourth down to the Speechley and the Fourth down to the Speechley and it is doing 6 barrels a day. T. P. Trout-man's No. 9, on the T. P. Troutman farm, an old fourth sand well has been drilled into the Speechly and is dry. Pine Tract-The Pure Oil Company barrels per day.

Callery-The Associated Producers Company has completed their No. 25 on the Newton Garvin farm and will have Little Creek-Oliver Oil Co. has com

pleted their No. 6 on the Campbell Mc Donald farm and have a 10 barrel well Muddycreek—The Mt. Pelee Co. has small producer on the J. Forrester. Evans City—The Forest No. 8, on the W. H. May is reported good for 8 bbls.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

DEATHS.

FORCHT—At his home in Butler, June 24, 1994, Henry Forcht, formerly of Summit township, aged 61 years.

Mr. Forcht was and old and good soldier. He has lived in Butler for some years but has been an invalid for fourteen years, and has been paralyzed for the past four or five years. He was

for the past four or five years. He was buried with military honors, Monday. He is survived by his wife and several MORRISON—At her Lome in Valencia, June 22, 1904, Mrs. Ellen Robb, wife of David M. Morrison, aged 60 years.

McKEE-At her home in Pittsburg, June 23, 1904, Mrs. Marg. Jane Beers McKee, formerly of Adams township. aged 50 years. CHRISTIE—At his home in Butler, June 25, 1904. Elmer, son of William Christie, aged 30 years.

WEIHER—At her home in Pittsburg, June 23, 1904, Mrs. Annie, widow of C. F. Weiher, formerly of Saxonburg. BURTON-At his home in Penn twp., June 27, 1904, John P., son W. J. June 27, 1904, John P., son W. J. Burton, aged 33 years. Mr. Burton had been an invalid for ome months. He leaves a wife, nee Dodds, and three sons.

ROENIG—At her home in Butler, June 27, 1904, Mabel, infant daughter of Geo. Roenig. CUMBERLAND—At his home in Concord township. June 28, 1904, John Cumberland, aged 90 years.
He was born in Concord and passed his entire life there. He was the father of J. H. and Thomas Cumberland of Butler.

CONNERS—At his home in Washington, Pa., June 25, 1904. Patrick Connors, formerly of this county, aged 46

VOULLETT-At her home at Herman, June 26, 1904, Mary Noullett, aged 22 RATEL-At his home on Lincoln St, June 28, 1904, Harry Kratel, son George Kratel, aged 5 months. The child's mother died of typhoic KRATEL -- At her home on the Plank

Road, June 28, 1904, Bertha, wife of Andrew J. Kratel, in her 26th year. She was an aunt of little Harry Kratel VARNUM-At Erie, Pa., June 26, 1904 ounty, aged 85 years.

EYTH-June 28, 1904, infant daughte

Col. J.H. Bingham, Secretary of Agiculture died suddenly at Delta, Ohi ast night. He was also Chairman of the government board of the St. Laui

CAPT. GEORGE W. FLEEGER. CAPT GEORGE W. FLEEGER.

Capt. Fleeger, than whom Butler contained no more respected citizen, died at his home on East Pearl street, early last Saturday morning, at the age of 65 years; and was buried with military honors, in the North Cemetery, Tuesday afternoon. He was an honest man, a good citizen, a brave soldier and—"None knew him but to love him, None named him but to praise." His death was due to a general collapse, particularly of his nervous system, though he was confined to his bed for but a few days.

its practice with Geo. A. Black, ec'd., served in the Legislature in 1871

His funeral was held Tuesday after noon, the services being at his home of E. Fulton St. Rey. W. E. Oller preach ed the funeral sermon. His remain were laid in the North Cemetery. Previous to the funeral a meeting the Bar was held in honor of the men ory of Capt. Fleeger. John H. Negle-versided, and array propriets. M. Greer, J. W. Conlter, W. C. Findle Judge Galbreath, W. D. Brandon, M. Wise and W. H. H. Riddle.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice of Decree of Gourt. To all whom it may concern. Notice is hereby given that on the of Common Pleas of Butler County, Pa at M. S. D. Ng. 3. June Term, 1994 Made a decree changing the name of Harvey Pierce Kiester to Harvey Pierce

JOHN C. CLARK, Prothonotary DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership known as H. Bauder. Ziegler & Co., Millers and Dealers in Flour, Feed and Grain, has this day, June 6, 1904, been dissolved by mutual consent, Harry H. Ziegler retiring. The business will be carried on as usual by H. Bauder and son. Thanking our patrons for past patronage, we solicit a continuance of same.

Application for Charter. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by Albert L. Reiber, Thomas J. Shnfflin John Younkins, Marion Henshaw, and John V. Ritts to the Governor of Pennsylvania, on the 18th day of July 1904, under the pro-visions of an act of Assembly, entitled visions of an act of Assembly, entitle
"An Act to provide for the incorporafion and regulation of certain coprorations", approved the 29th day of April
A. D. 1874, and the supplements theretfor a charter for an intended corporation
the control of the cont for a charter for an intended corporation to be called the Peoples Telephone Company of Butler, the character and object of which is the constructing, maintaining and leasing telephone and telegraph lines, in and through the county of Butler, State of Pennsylvania, for the private use of individuals, firms corporation, municipal and

firms, corporations, municipal and otherwise, for general business, and for police, fire alarm and messenger business, and for these purposes to have possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its symplements. nd its supplements.
CLARENCE WALKER ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. In re estate of Geo. E. Miller, dec'd, late of Butler Borough, Pa
Whereas, letters of Adm'n Cum
Testamento Annexo in above estate
have been issued by the Register of
Wills, to the undersigned, all persons

debted to said estate are requested to comptly pay, and any having claims ill present them properly proved for OLIVER R. MILLER, Adm'r C. T. A. W. C. FINDLEY, Att'y.

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M. C. WAGNE REV. W. A. MONKS, Ex'r., JAS. B. McJunkin, Att'y. 6-2:

Report of the Condition of the Farmers' National Bank,

at Butler, in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business, June 9, 1904. 24 218 9

5 000 ( 654 113 34 al stock paid in.....ided profits, less expenses

and belief. E. W. BINGHAM, Cashier. -Attest: JOHN YOUNKINS, HENRY MILLER, Directors. C. N. BOYD, thed and sworn to before me this 14th

ny of June, 1904. 30. D. Marshell, Notary Public Commission expires May 5, 1905. DISSOLUTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that th

ween Henry B. McKinney and John Kohlmeyer, under the firm name of the utler Engine Works, Limited, was dislived on the 24th day of June, 1904, by all debts owing to

payment.
The business is to be carried in the firm name as usual by the said Henry B. McKinney.
HENRY B. McKinney.
JOHN H. KOHLMEYER.
June 29th, 1904.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE of Caspar Eyth of Butler.

O'NEAL—At his home on Wayne St.,
Butler, June 29, '04, John M. O'Neal
formerly of Great Belt, age about 67
years. He was born in Worthington
and conducted a store in Great Belt
for fifteen years. He was a partner
in the firm of W. P. Gormley & Co
His wife and four daughters survive
him.

Notice 3.

Administration on the estate of Parker
township, Butler county, Pa., have been
garanted 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
3-10-6 ESTATE OF WATSON E. DUNKLE, DEC'I P. O. Box 163, Parkers Landing, Pa. A. T. Black, Attorney. 3-10-03

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE Letters of administration, C. T. A., or the estate of Catharine A. Dunn, dec'd. late of Franklin tp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate will make immed ate payment and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement to John M. Dunn. Adm'r., R. F. D. 10, Butler, Pa.

J. D. McJunkin, Att'y

Receiver's Notice. system. though he was confined to his bed for but a few days.

He was born in Centre township, March 13, 1839, was the third son of Peter and Mary Rider Fleeger; taught school at the age of 16, enlisted in the Dickson Guards, organized at West Sunbury in 1861, and served in the Army of Virginia during the entire war, excepting when he was a prisoner.

After his return from the war he read law and for a time was associated in its practice with Geo. A. Black. dent Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of said county; that I have ac-cepted said appointment, and have en tered upon my duties as receiver afore-

net Normal Work, Rev. Hugh Leith Zeilenople.

Executive Committee—Hon. A. M. (and also Mercer and Crawford.) in Condition Doublett, Chairman, Renfrew, R. D.; Mr. J. H. Sutton, Butler: Mr. W. H. Painter, Bruin: Mr. A. C. Irwine, Mars: Corresponding Secretary, Miss Mina E. Waldron, Evans City, Pa.

Rev. Barlow of the Episcopal church of Butler preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening, and has moved to Cambridge, Md.

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Rev. W. J. Cooper preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening, and his sisters, Mrs. J. Turner Wick, mother of Mrs. Jacobs, and Miss the oil country and Albert of Concord; and Mrs. Harrison Wick of Butler are yet living.

Rev. W. J. Cooper preached his farewell sermon last Sunday and, after officiating at the funeral of John differed ficiating at the funeral of John last Sunday and, after officiating at the funeral of John last Sunday and, after officiating at the funeral of John last Sunday are last Sunday and, after officiating at the funeral of John last Sunday are last Sunday and last Sunday are last Sunday and last Sunday evening, and here of the Legislature in 1871 and represented this country. (and laso Mercer and Crawford.) in Congress in 1884 and 1885.

He is survived by his wife; and by a foster daughter, Mrs. Rev. Jacobs. He is survived by and the Legislature in 1871 and represented this country. (and also Mercer and Crawford.) in Congression state of the Country and have en the suit of the sunday and all persons who are indebted to said company to make payment to said Receiver, and all persons having any legal claim against members of the A. G. Reed Post, G. Of his brothers, Nelson who follows the city of the Country.

make proof of the same, in the manne provided by law, and present the same to the undersigned within six month from the date bereof, or be debarred from coming in upon the fund.

ROBERT B. LEAN,
Receiver from Lyndora Supply Co.,
Lyndora, Pa., April 25th, 1904
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The Butler County National Bank

Statement of Condition at Close of Business Thursday, June 9, 1904.

OF BUTLER, PENNSYLVANIA.

LIABILITIES. Loans - - - - \$1,886,732.99 Capital - - - - \$ 300,000,00 United States Bonds - - 100,000.00 Surplus and Profits -335,817.20 100,000.00 2,002,958.73 Cash and due from banks - 571,066.32

## Dividend Paid January 1, 1904, \$10,000.00

Interest paid on time deposits, subject to withdrawal at any time without notice.

Safe Deposit Boxes for Rent-"THE VERY BEST."

We take pleasure in calling your attention to the above statement and respectfully solicit your business.

LESLIE P. HAZLETT, President. J. V. RITTS, Vice President. T. P. MIFFLIN, Vice President.

\$2,738,775.93

RESOURCES.

Banking House and other

Real Estate - - - -

INO. G. McMarlin, Cashier. ALBERT C. KRUG, Asst. Cashier. W. S. BLAKSLEE, Asst. Cashier.

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Bedford Springs Hotel and Baths, Opens June 18 - - Capacity, 500.

Special Rates for June and September. LARGEST RESORT HOTEL IN PENNSYLVANIA.

\$100,000 spent in improvements the past season. New and magnificent Bath House. New office and lobby, ball room, dining room, billiard-room, buffet, rooms en suite with private bath. New kitchen building. Heating and Electric plants. Electric bells. Finest nine-hole Golf course in the State. Golf, Tennis, Bowling, Bathing, Horseback Riding and Driving.

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W. H. KUHN,
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Thin Wash Fabrics. We now have suitable weather for thin materials, but the backward season has caused prices to tumble. You can ge great bargains now in all kinds of wash goods.

New Belts, Ribbons, etc. We show the newest things in belts, ribbons, waist sets, buckles, brooches, etc., at lowest prices.

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this sale until July 4 with from 25 to 50 per cent. discount on all lines of goods. This will give many of the late buyers a grand opportunity to buy high grade clothing at this wonderful discount. Our stock consists of Men's, Boys' and

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FARMS FOR SALE.

The undersigned, acting under a power of attorney from the heirs of George Maizland, dec'd., late of Clinton twp., Butler Co., Pa.; offers at private sale the farm lately occupied by the decedent, located two miles southwest of Saxonburg and one mile from the Bessemer railroad station of Bartley, containing

162 i-2 acres, with good buildings, and considered one of the best farms in the township. Also another farm of 130 acres

in same township, with good buildings and in a good state of cultivation, and adjoining farms with an oil production from the Third sand.

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