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Election Notes.

The Tabulating Board finished counting, yesterday. The total number of votes cast in the county was 10,491.

The totals are as follows:

PRESIDENT.

Theodore Roosevelt, R	6596
Alton B. Parker, D	3183
Silas E Swallow, P	511
Eugene V. Debs, Socialist	87
Corregan, Socialist Labor	18

Tom Watson, the People's Party man, did not have Presidential Electors nominated in this state.

SUPREME JUDGE.

J. P. Elkin, R	5980
S. G. Thompson, D	2920
A. A. Stevens, P	392
G. W. Bacon, S	57
A. A. Grant, S. L	13

CONGRESS.

G. F. Huff, R	5898
C. M. Heineman, D	3068
C. D. Greenlee, P	410

Col. Huff's majority over Heineman, in the two counties is 11,723.

STATE SENATE.

G. W. McNees, R	5900
H. I Carnahan, D	2883

Senator McNees' majority over Carnahan in the district is 6,125.

ASSEMBLY.

Thomas Hays, R	5986
W. R. Hockenberry, R	5799
H. Seaton, D	3494
J. A. McCafferty, D	2807

CLERK OF COURTS.

L. E. Christley, R	6177
A. Eppinger, D	2838
T. B. White, P	399

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Samuel Walker, R	6103
J. R. Heninger, D	3374

The electoral vote, not including Maryland, stands 335 for Roosevelt, and 133 for Parker.

The Election—Some Figures.

The Presidential election is remarkable in the fact that President Roosevelt will have a larger majority of the popular vote than any candidate of modern times. It is estimated that it will reach two millions. But he will also probably have a larger majority of the Electoral vote than any candidate had in fifty years past. Without Maryland the Electoral vote stands 335 for Roosevelt and 133 for Parker, making 202 majority. Pierce over Scott in 1852 had 212 and Grant over Greeley in 1872 had 206. But neither of those cases was as fair a test of personal or party strength as that in the late election.

Heretofore on some occasions in our political history one Presidential candidate had a majority of the popular vote and another had a majority of the Electors. This may happen again and necessarily make trouble from the peculiar provisions of the National Constitution on the mode of choosing our Presidents. But before such trouble may arise it is probable the Constitution will be changed so as to make the Presidents elected by the popular vote, pure and simple.

POLITICAL.

One of the results of the late election is a movement in favor of changing the method of electing a President and Vice President. Railroads and wires have made it possible for every voter in the Nation to be promptly informed about everything and everybody, and there is no good reason why the popular vote should not control the matter, without regard to state lines; and that would do away with the cumbrous ballot and mixed results. At this writing it looks as though the electoral vote of Maryland would be divided this year. In '96 Bryan had one electoral vote in Kentucky, in 1880 the vote of California was split. In 1820 one elector chosen to vote for Monroe refused to do so and thereby deprived the latter of a unanimous election. In 1796 it was claimed that three men elected in the interest of Jefferson voted for Adams and thereby secured his election. There are at present probably five million men in this country eligible to the Presidency, any of whom can be chosen by the electors "elected" last Tuesday without violating the letter of the law.

"You did it," is what Gov-Elect Higgins wired to President Roosevelt; and there is no doubt but that the popular endorsement of the President's administration helped to pull through some of the local tickets; but besides this it must be recognized that many, perhaps a majority, of the Democrats, had no confidence in their party, this year, and the returns show that some of them did not go to the polls.

The official majority of Roosevelt over Parker in Butler county is 3413, and the unofficial in the state 494,712. The only Democratic districts in the county, now, are Summit, Lancaster, Jackson east, Clearfield and Harmony. The only Democratic counties in the state, now, are Columbia, Fulton, Greene, Monroe and Pike, none of which have large populations. The unofficial figures for Clarion county, the heretofore Democratic stronghold of this section are Roosevelt, 2740, Parker 2560.

For but the second time in its history Clarion Co. went Republican, this year. The other time was in 1875. That was in the zenith of the development of the petroleum resources in the county. There was only a county ticket to elect and more than half of the successful candidates were Republicans. The Democratic tidal wave of 1876 swept the county back into the Democratic ranks and in 1878 the hegira to McKean county had set in that carried the Republican votes away. Since then Clarion has been regarded as hopeless until the present victory shows that good may come out of the most unlikely places.

THE bronze statue of Frederick the Great, presented to this Nation by the present Emperor William, has been mounted on the grounds of the new War College in Washington, and will be unveiled with appropriate ceremonies, next Saturday.

THE Atlantic coast line from Florida to Maine was visited by a tremendous storm, last Sunday, the same travelling north and northeast.

All the telegraph and telephone systems of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston were interfered with, and between Philadelphia and New York all the wires were down.

Though the storm came from the south it brought snow, a foot of which fell at York, Pa.

Some twenty passenger steamers on the Atlantic are supposed to have been caught in the path of the gale, and bad news is expected. The railroads and coasting vessels also suffered.

Returns of Butler County, Election of Nov. 8, 1804, Official.

DISTRICTS.	President.		Supreme Judge.		Congress		State Senate		Assembly.				Clerk of Courts		District Att'y	
	Roosevelt, R.	Parker, D.	Elkins, R.	Thompson, D.	Huff, R.	Heineman, D.	McNees, R.	Carnahan, D.	Hays, R.	Hockenberry, R.	Seaton, D.	McCafferty, D.	Christley, R.	Eppinger, D.	Walker, R.	Heninger, D.
Adams N	82	52	77	48	82	48	75	50	73	66	73	47	85	45	82	51
Adams S	68	20	63	14	62	16	62	12	61	63	15	12	61	14	47	34
Allegheny	120	22	108	21	111	21	107	21	111	110	21	21	112	21	101	36
Buffalo	179	26	162	25	161	27	158	24	162	160	25	23	159	28	153	39
Butler twp. 1st pre	81	34	70	30	65	33	67	31	74	65	40	30	72	27	60	51
" 2d pre	69	47	64	46	63	49	65	45	67	60	50	45	68	43	58	57
" 3d pre	39	22	38	19	38	20	24	17	25	31	34	14	39	17	49	13
Brady	54	27	53	26	52	25	50	25	54	52	27	25	52	26	46	36
Clearfield	53	90	50	66	54	72	48	69	48	48	80	73	58	69	91	45
Clinton	136	16	129	9	130	9	127	9	130	128	10	10	130	10	126	13
Concord	185	41	159	34	160	32	160	28	161	158	37	32	157	35	155	41
Clay	193	32	176	28	174	27	174	28	179	176	28	27	174	28	170	38
Centre	121	35	115	31	115	32	112	31	114	115	34	32	118	30	118	32
Cherry N	52	15	44	19	45	17	43	17	45	37	22	18	52	14	41	26
Cherry S	92	14	84	14	85	15	83	14	86	82	18	9	88	12	82	20
Connoquenessing N	73	25	69	26	68	27	68	24	70	67	27	24	71	23	66	29
Connoquenessing S	49	27	44	25	44	24	45	23	45	43	28	26	48	21	38	35
Cranberry	96	57	95	50	95	50	94	49	90	87	62	56	93	53	87	62
Donegal	66	85	60	79	60	79	58	78	63	59	78	79	58	79	61	81
Fairview	196	33	184	29	181	30	181	31	182	185	30	31	186	27	181	35
Forward	105	77	96	76	94	77	96	75	97	95	82	78	96	77	91	91
Franklin	118	54	112	45	111	46	107	45	110	107	53	44	111	46	98	67
Jackson E	17	41	15	39	16	39	15	40	15	15	45	40	15	40	13	45
Jackson W	77	60	56	51	53	51	50	51	42	43	73	53	44	65	53	59
Jefferson	101	92	97	89	90	91	93	91	92	92	87	88	100	86	83	105
Lancaster	81	88	68	80	67	79	68	79	67	68	84	78	66	84	65	85
Middlesex	181	50	171	45	170	44	168	42	170	167	45	44	170	43	168	49
Marion	82	78	72	71	71	74	72	71	77	70	76	74	74	69	64	82
Muddycreek	109	85	98	33	100	32	96	31	98	85	44	30	95	36	79	56
Mercer	87	41	77	49	77	49	73	49	80	76	50	46	77	49	64	72
Oakland	82	65	77	65	77	65	77	65	76	75	67	65	77	65	73	69
Parker	108	8	102	8	102	8	102	11	104	103	11	13	101	8	95	21
Penn N	68	28	63	26	64	28	64	28	71	62	35	26	66	26	67	37
Penn S	128	36	121	33	124	31	122	32	121	119	32	34	125	30	111	51
Summit	46	123	39	118	40	119	38	118	39	36	120	115	40	117	47	115
Slipperyrock	135	72	119	56	119	58	117	57	122	147	53	45	125	55	115	71
Venango	74	73	57	58	57	59	57	57	57	55	60	60	63	57	54	68
Winfield 1st pre	140	52	132	45	132	46	130	43	132	131	46	45	132	44	134	44
" 2d pre	48	13	47	13	47	12	47	10	48	47	12	12	47	12	46	14
Washington N	81	27	71	21	74	25	69	23	70	71	27	24	73	24	69	30
" S	102	11	93	10	93	10	93	11	93	91	14	11	94	8	94	12
Worth	98	60	97	62	97	61	111	58	107	108	69	56	96	64	86	92
Butler 1st w. 1st pre	122	59	105	57	110	65	104	58	114	100	74	50	119	52	126	56
" 2d pre	187	53	125	46	109	68	123	48	123	120	73	46	121	51	136	59
Butler 2d w, 1st pre	134	54	109	47	108	53	108	44	108	97	63	44	134	26	129	38
" 2d pre	162	119	133	96	144	105	135	85	145	127	124	80	172	72	215	45
Butler 3d w, 1st pre	46	26	36	23	35	25	32	22	33	34	30	18	44	14	48	16
" 2d pre	141	85	129	83	123	81	131	77	126	113	116	64	150	62	172	54
" 3d pre	58	18	48	12	44	20	38	9	44	42	20	13	48	14	53	17
Butler 4th ward	237	132	218	121	174	174	218	120	210	205	161	106	250	95	301	65
Butler 5th w, 1st pre	213	102	195	105	198	103	199	98	207	199	122	88	222	83	226	96
" 2d pre	77	48	74	46	69	55	75	44	74	73	57	44	83	90	99	45
Bruin	70	8	68	8	68	9	71	8	75	72	9	7	70	8	63	27
Slipperyrock	110	38	98	43	96	42	106	38	99	133	46	24	105	36	98	54
Connoquenessing	32	11	27	9	21	14	20	14	21	21	20	11	29	11	16	23
Eau Claire	40	7	33	5	34	5	35	7	38	36	7	5	33	5	32	17
Harrisville	48	28	44	25	44	27	49	28	48	51	31	25	46	26	33	52
Prospect	53	16	53	16	55	15	54	16	56	52	18	16	54	15	37	35
Saxonburg	46	26	42	25	40	28	39	23	36	35	27	38	44	26	52	18
W. Sunbury	45	6	40	9	39	9	39	8	39	38	10	7	37	9	37	13
W. Liberty	28	14	28	11	27	12	28	13	27	30	12	13	27	12	27	16
Millerstown	151	70	141	60	147	56	144	62	151	134	76	58	142	62	149	66
Petrolia	55	18	51	17	51	17	49	22	58	49	22	19	50	19	50	28
Fairview	36	7	37	8	33	8	33	8	44	31	4	15	35	7	37	12
Karns City	34	30	29	29	30	28	30	29	33	31	30	27	29	30	31	33
Evans City	111	94	92	86	89	92	90	87	97	90	89	92	111	77	92	101
Harmony	42	48	40	46	38	43	33	48	32	30	70	49	13	80	38	56
Zelienople	121	110	105	97	96	100	99	100	67	54	179	85	88	124	100	117
Mars	120	48	108	42	105	45	108	48	106	97	64	42	112	41	88	83
Portersville	26	9	22	9	23	7	26	8	27	24	10	12	23	10	21	17
Valencia	29	4	26	4	27	4	26	4	26	26	6	4	26	5	25	6
Total	6596	3183	5980	2920	5898	3068	5900	2883	5986	5799	3494	2807	6177	2838	6103	3374

Improper Election Returns.

While the election board was in session Thursday, tabulating the vote, it was discovered that the returns of some 29 districts were not entirely in accordance with the legal requirements, in not including a list of the voters.

Judge Galbreath ordered Sheriff Gibson to summon the 29 boards, but as that would put the county to an expense of from $200 to $300 regarding returns that there is no probability of contests, he reconsidered the matter, and let it go.

The election board of Marion township, however, had to be sent for as they had enclosed one of last year's lists of voters instead of this years.

The law requires that one of the Lists of Voters be put in the box, and the other in the sealed envelope that is returned to Court or the Prothonotary.

WAR NOTES.

Conditions in Manchuria are practically the same as a week ago. The armies of Oyama and Kuropatkin remain facing each other along the Sakhe river, the Russians apparently afraid to attack, and the Japs not caring, as the advantage of delay is now with them. This deadlock may last all winter, and may be broken any day.

The Russians reported that Gen. Kuroki was killed by one of their shells a month ago.

At Port Arthur the Japs are working away at their parallels and mines, but there is no trustworthy news from the place.

The last heard of the Baltic Squadron was that part of it had put into a harbor on the island of Crete.

Reports, this week, indicate that the Japs are preparing to flank the Russians from their right; and from Port Arthur come reports of underground fighting—the Japs and Russians meeting in the tunnels and trenches under the forts.

The Russian Government has assented to the conditions under which the investigation into the North Sea outrage is to be conducted and the commission of inquiry will assemble at Paris as soon as the necessary arrangements can be perfected.

OIL NOTES.

The Market—On Thursday last the Standard advanced the price 4 cents, and it was $1.60.

Penn—Toomey & Wasson's 3d sand well on the Ben Powell is reported at 10 bbls., and their 100-foot well on the same farm is reported at 30 bbls.

Washington twp.—Hilliard Bros have a 10-bbl well on the Irvin Bell.

Marion—The new gasser on the W. A. Boyer. is said to be good for a million feet a day, and to be the largest gasser in the county. The owners expect to sell it to the Franklin Company for $10,000.

Chicora—A big gasser, estimated at 1000 pounds, has been struck on the Young.

Worth—A good well is reported on the I. F. Double farm, near the Muddycreek twp line, and supposed to be an extension of the Berea grit field.

Fairview twp.—A. Shearer & Son have just completed an 8-barrel well on the Denny heirs; and Jos. Byers & Co. are rigging up on the Rodgers heirs. A Philadelphia Co. intend drilling another well on the McElroy and Mays.

Renfrew—Ray & Rader have a good gasser on the Smith heirs; Black & Co's well on the Hartman is doing about 10 barrels.

Connoquenessing—Hall & Plaisted's well on the L. Rader is being drilled deeper. Saylor & Co. have a rig up on the L. Rader.

Oakland—Vance, Frantz & Kennedy, last week, brought in a hundred foot well on the Ollie Trimbur farm which is doing 8 or 10 barrels a day. Two or three dry holes were drilled on the place when it was the property of Jos. Saylor.

A Birthday Party.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was that given at the home of Mrs. H C. Keasy. Carbon Black, Nov. 12, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Keasy. The dinner, which was served from 5 to 8, was handsomely arranged, and served by the hostess, Mrs Keasy and niece, Miss Rebecca Burtner.

Mrs. Keasy was the recipient of many beautiful pieces of chinaware.

The following Butler ladies were present: Mrs D. McCrea, Mrs. W. McQuistion, Mrs. J E. Burtner, Mrs. P. Grinder, Mrs. J. A. Richey, Misses Lizzie and Ella Balph.

The Cabbage Snake.

What is called the "Cabbage Snake" has made its appearance in Northern climates; and one of them was lately discovered in a head of cabbage grown in the garden of Andrew Carr in Concord township. It was about eighteen inches in length, white in color, was jointed, and showed signs of life.

Regarding this snake an exchange says: "The recently discovered cabbage snake which has caused a number of deaths in the South has made its appearance in the North near Hazelton, Pa. Mrs. James Shisher made the discovery while making her winter's supply of kraut. The serpent is over a foot in length and is white in color, although under a glass it shows uniform green spots. Certain species of adders nest in cabbage heads and it is supposed that the cabbage snake is a partially developed adder.

CONGRESS will assemble on the first Monday of December.

ACCIDENTS.

Samuel Gallagher, who was burned at the same time and place as was Paul Gillespie, died last Saturday.

Harry Elder of Clarion county, who had been working for John Boringer of Forward twp. was found dead in the orchard, last Wednesday. His death was due to liver trouble.

While Hugh Park of Middlesex twp, was in Pittsburg, with a load of hay, a few days ago, the rear end of his wagon was struck and demolished by a street car.

Near Harrisville station, Monday, an Italian attempted to thaw out some frozen sticks of dynamite. An explosion followed, and he was blown to pieces. The dynamite is used in the limestone quarry. Some other men standing near the house, were thrown to the ground, but none seriously injured. The Italian took the dynamite sticks to his house, laid them before the fire, and sat there watching them until they exploded, and though he was blown to pieces, ten sticks in his pocket and forty more in the room did not explode, and though the end of the building was wrecked a boy and girl in it were not seriously injured.

Harry Elder was found dead near Evans City, some days ago. His death was due to heart failure.

George Rockenstein was thrown from his wagon to the paving of Mifflin St, Monday evening, by a collision, and badly bruised.

Fred Hawes, a Bessie Engineer, fell from his engine at Maharg, Monday, and fractured several ribs.

NOTICE.

Whereas my wife, Bertha Emily Wagner, has left my bed and board, without just cause or provocation, notice is hereby given to all persons not to trust or harbor her on my account, as I will pay no bills of her contracting.

HENRY A. WAGNER,
Saxonburg, Pa.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that W. J. Leonberg, committee of Thomas Graham, lunatic, now deceased, has filed his first and final account at M's D, No. 2, Sept. Term. 1886, and that the same will be presented to Court for confirmation on the first Monday of December next.

JNO. C. CLARK, Prothy.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that J. Harvey Bell, committee of Christian Stoner, lunatic, has filed his second partial account at No. 41. March Term, 1903, and that the same will be presented to Court for confirmation on the first Monday of December next

JOHN C CLARK, Prothy.

Auditor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin county, to distribute the balance in the hands of Harry A. Stauffer, Receiver of the Standard Trust Company, of Butler, Pennsylvania, will sit for the purposes of his appointment at the offices of Williams & Mitchell, No. 110 East Diamond street, Butler, Penn'a, on Wednesday, November 23d 1904, at two o'clock P. M., when and where all persons interested may attend if they see proper.

FRANK P. SNODGRASS,
Auditor.

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DEATHS.

CRAWFORD—At his home in Valencia, Nov. 9, 1904, James Crawford, aged 50 years.

McCLAFFERTY—At his home in Butler. Nov. 10, 1904, Daniel McClafferty, aged 29 years.

WILSON—At her home in Valencia, November 10, 1904, Mrs. Susan Naser Wilson, widow of W. F. Wilson, aged 65 years.

GARDNER—At the home of H. H. Gardner in Butler, November 18, 1904, Mrs. W. L. Gardner of Allegheny, aged 37 years.

SHERIDAN—At Mars, November 12, 1904, infant child of Frank Sheridan.

DICK—At her home in Greensburg, November 10. 1904 Mrs. Eliza, widow of Rev. J. N. Dick.

HUDSON—At his home near Parker, November 6, 1904, John Hudson, aged 82 years

BLAIR—At his home in Cranberry township, October 26, 1904, Joseph F. Blair.

WALKER—At Tarentum, November 14. 1904, Mrs Sarah Walker, aged 75 years, formerly of Ekastown.

MARTIN—At her home near Mars, November 12. 1904. Gertrude, daughter of J. C. (Mont) Martin.

Gertrude's death was caused by typhoid, and a younger brother is critically ill of same disease.

WELLNER—At his home in Butler, November 16. 1904, J. W. Wellner, aged 65 years.

WICK—At the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, Nov. 1904, Alfred Wick of Butler, aged 67 years.

Mr. Wick voted in Butler, Tuesday morning, and then took the train for Pittsburg, where he entered the Mercy Hospital for the purpose of undergoing an operation for a local trouble. The operation was performed Thursday afternoon, and his death followed shortly after from heart failure, or general collapse, as he did not awake from the stupor produced by the anesthetics.

He was born in Clay twp., moved to Butler some thirty years ago, was proprietor of the Wick House for several years, and afterwards engaged in the oil business, in which he was successful.

His funeral, Monday afternoon, was largely attended.

His wife, nee Mechling, five daughters and one son survive him.

Obituary.

Mrs Martha Boggs Johnston, aged 83 years, died at Elizabeth, Pa., yesterday. She was born in Evans City.

Public Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between Mack Burton and D. C. Burton, under the firm name of D. C. Burton & Bro., was dissolved on the 15th day of October, 1904, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said D. C. Burton and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to the said D. C. Burton for payment.

MACK BURTON, R. F. D. 22,
D. C. BURTON, R. F. D. 21.
Saxonburg, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of John Ward, dec'd., late of Parker township. Butler County, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

D. L. HUTCHISON, Adm'r.,
R. F. D. 72, Petrolia, Pa.
H. H. GOUCHER, Att'y. 11-3-04

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Martha Amberson, dec'd., late of Forward twp., Butler Co., Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons having claims against said estate will present same duly authenticated, and all persons indebted to same will make prompt settlement.

W. H. BUHL,
Executor.
LEV. McQUISTION,
J. C. VANDERLIN,
JOHN H WILSON,
Attys. for Executors. 10-27-04

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

By virtue of sundry writs of Ven. Ex., Fi. Fa., Lev. Fa., &c., issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Butler Co., Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Butler, Pa. on

Friday, the 2d day of December,

A. D. 1904, at 1 o.clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

E. D. No. 8, Dec. Term, 1904. W. B. Purvis, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Annie J. Walker and John H. Walker, of in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Middlesex township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of S. G. Purvis & Co., east by lands of Deuble, south by lands of M. Bowsers, and west by lands formerly of Michael Stepp now Frank Stevien; containing fifty acres, more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Annie J. Walker and John H. Walker at the suit of H. H. Goucher for use of C. E. Shannon.

E. D. No. 1, Dec. Term, 1904. H. H. Goucher, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Charles Hilliard, of, in and to all that certain piece or tract of land, situated in Washington township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Isaiah Meals, east by lands of John M. Thompson, south by lands of R. O. and Alfred Shira, and west by lands of William M. Shira; having thereon one cottage house and stable and other outbuilding; containing 160 acres, more or less. June 5th, an inquisition held and property condemned.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Charles Hilliard at the suit of Archibald S. Cannon.

E. D. No. 28, Dec. Term, 1904, George B. White, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Simon Pikur, of, in and to all that certain piece or lot of land, situated in Butler township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Bredin ave., east by lot No. 120 in Joseph Bredin.s plan of lots, south by an alley, and west by lot No. 118 in said plan of lots; being 40 feet front by 140 feet back and having erected thereon a two story frame dwelling house of five rooms and outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Simon Pikur at the suit of Joseph B. Bredin.

E. D. No. 43, Dec. Term, 1904. A. T. Black, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Joseph Collingwood, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Clay township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by Jacob Wolford heirs, east by lands of Stevenson, south by lands of now or formerly of James Herron heirs, and west by lands now or formerly of George Miller; no buildings, containing 27 acres, more or less, about one-half cleared and balance in small timber and under-brush, and all under laid with coal. Being the same land conveyed to the said Joseph Collingwood by deed from James R. Campbell and wife, dated July 3rd, 1889, recorded in deed book 111, page 205.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Joseph Collingwood at the suit of W. J. Breaden, Ex'r of Hannah Hockenberry, dec'd,

Friday, the 9th day of December

A. D. 1904, at one o'clock. P. M., the following described property, to-wit:

E. D. No. 46, Dec. Term, 1904. W. D. Brandon, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of Alfred Hulings and Charles M. Hulings, Adm'rs of the estate of the said Alfred Hulings, dec'd., John Kelly served as tere tenant, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Allegheny township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Rodgers and Clements Gibson, east by Martinsburg road, south by M. S. Adams and Thompson and Campbell heirs, and west by Andrew Campbell, et al; containing fifty-nine (59) acres and eighty-six (86) perches, more or less, having thereon erected a two story board, frame house, frame barn and outbuildings, and mostly cleared.

ALSO—All that other certain piece, parcel and tract of land, situated in the township, county and state aforesaid, adjoining the tract above mentioned and described but separated therefrom by the Martinsburg road, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by lands of Nicholas Wally, et al, on the east by lands of M. S. Adams and Tinsman, known as the Wally tract, on the south by lands of M S Adams and Campbell heirs and on the west by the Martinsburg road and containing sixty (69) acres and one hundred and fifty-nine (159) perches, more or less, mostly cleared, orchard thereon, said two described pieces, parcels and tracts of land being the same that were granted and conveyed unto Alfred Hulings, the above named mortgagor by A, C. Kepler and wife by their deed dated Oct, 30th, 1887, and of record in the recorders office in and for Butler Co., Pa., in Deed Book 51, page 118, together with all and singular the buildings and improvements, streets, lanes, alleys, passages-ways, waters, water-courses, rights liberties, privileges, hereditaments and appurtenants, whatsoever thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversions and remainers thereof.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Alfred Hulings and Charles H. Hulings, Adm'r of the estate of the said Alfred Hulings, dec'd., John Kelly, served as tere tenant, at the suit of John Forcht, for use of Butler Savings and Trust Company.

E. D. No. 49. Dec. Term, 1904. Christley & Thompson, Attorney.

All the right, title, interest and claim of I. N. Hoon, of, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in Butler township, Butler county, Pa., bounded as follows, to-wit. Beginning at the northwest corner; thence by lands of A. Lemon, north 89 deg east fifty-seven and one-half perches to a post; thence by Lane south 34 deg east ten perches to a post; thence by Lane north 88½ east fifty-five and one-tenth rods to a post; thence by land of Pearce south 7¼ deg 97 1-10 perches to a post; thence by lands of James Tracy south 89 deg 98½ perches to a post; thence north ¾ deg west 160½ perches to the place of beginning; containing 67 acres and 60 perches; having thereon a brick house and barn and outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of I. N. Hoon at the suit of Robert Girrard, administrator of H. N. Hoon.

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

1. When the plaintiff or other lien creditor becomes the purchaser, the costs on the writ must be paid, and a list of the liens, including mortgage searches on the property sold together with such lien creditor's receipt* for the amount of the proceeds of the sale or such portion thereof as he may claim, must be furnished the Sheriff.
2. All bids must be paid in full.
3. All sales not settled immediately will be continued until one o'clock, P. M., of the next day at which time all property not settled for will again be put up and sold at the expense and risk of the person to whom first sold.

*See Purdon's Digest, 9th edition, page 446, and Smith's Forms, page 384.

MARTIN L. GIBSON, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Butler, Pa., Nov. 10, 1904.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Letters testamentary on the estate of J. W. Monks, dec'd., late of Middlesex 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 settlement to

REV. W. A. MONKS. Ex'r.,
JAS. B McJUNKIN, Att'y. 6-23-04

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. 8-10-04

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Letters of administration on the estate of Lyman Hilliard, dec'd, late of Washington twp, Butler county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment, and any having claims against said estate will present them duly authenticated for settlement to

CHALMERS HILLIARD.
R. F. D. 49, West Sunbury, Pa.

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 indebted to said estate are requested to promptly pay, and any having claims will present them properly proved for payment.

OLIVER R. MILLER,
Adm'r C. T. A.
W. C. FINDLEY, Att'y.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of William James Patterson, deceased, late of Slipperyrock borough, Butler county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make prompt payment and those having claims against the estate will present the same duly authenticated for settlement to

ELLEN M. PATTERSON, Ex'r.,
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Receiver's Sale.

The undersigned, as Receiver of the Lyndora Supply Company, of the Village of Lyndora, Township of Butler, County of Butler, Pennsylvania, as per order of Court of Common Pleas, of said County of Butler, dated October 3rd, 1904, and filed at M's. D., No. 14, June Term, 1904, will expose to sale at public outcry, on the premises in the Village of Lyndora, Township of Butler, County and State aforesaid, on

Wednesday, November 30, 1904,

at two o'clock P. M., all the right, title, interest and claim of the Lyndora Supply Company, of Lyndora, Township of Butler, County and State aforesaid, of, in an to the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain piece, parcel and lot of land situate in the Village of Lyndora, Township of Butler, County of Butler, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the point of intersection of the west line of Standard avenue and the north line of Bessemer avenue; thence in a westerly direction sixty feet along the northerly line of Bessemer avenue to the line between lots No. 394 and 393; thence in a northerly direction one hundred and ten feet along lot No 395 to an alley; thence in an easterly direction sixty feet along said alley to Standard Ave.; thence in a southerly direction one hundred and ten feet along said Standard avenue to Bessemer avenue the place of beginning; and being lot No. 394, in the Lyndora Land and Improvement Company plan of lots, recorded in the office for the Recording of Deeds in and for the County of Butler, in Plan Book No. 2, page 1; excepting and reserving thereout and therefrom all the coal, oil, gas, and any and all minerals in or under the above described tract of land, as reserved by said Lyndora Land and Improvement Company in their deed dated October 21st, 1902, recorded in Deed Book 216, page 93, to said Lyndora Supply Company; having erected thereon a large two story frame store building.

ALSO—All that certain other piece parcel and lot of land situate in the said Village of Lyndora, Township of Butler, County of Butler, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at the northwesterly corner of Penn avenue and Standard avenue in said Plan; thence extending westwardly along the northerly line of Penn avenue a distance of sixty feet to the easterly line of lot No. 229, in said plan; thence extending northwardly along the said easterly line of lot No. 229, a distance of one hundred and ten feet to the southerly line of a sixteen foot alley in said plan; thence extending eastwardly along the southerly line of said sixteen foot alley a distance of sixty feet to the westerly line of Standard avenue; and thence extending southwardly along the westerly line of Standard avenue a distance of one hundred and ten feet to the northerly line of Penn avenue at the place of beginning; excepting thereout and therefrom all the coal, oil, gas and any and all minerals in or under the above described tract of land, as reserved by said Lyndora Land and Improvement Company in their deed conveying said property; and being lot No. 230, in said Lyndora Land and Improvement Company's plan of lots; having erected thereon a one story frame store building.

Both of the aforesaid mentioned and described lots of land are subject to a mortgage indebtedness of twelve thousand dollars and interest thereon.

Sale made subject to the aforesaid mortgage now on both of the aforesaid lots.

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Terms of Sale—Cash.

ROBERT B. LEAN,
Receiver for Lyndora Supply Company.
FRANK H. MURPHY, Attorney.
Butler, Pa., November 1st, 1904,

Trustee's Sale.

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

In the matter of Charles Bertram Hoffman, Bankrupt. } No. 2591, in Bankruptcy.

The undersigned, Trustee of Charles Bertram Hoffman, Bankrupt, will offer at public sale, free and discharged of all liens on

Wednesday, November 23, 1904,

at one o'clock P. M., at the Court House in Butler, Butler county, Pa., the following described real estate:

All that certain lot, No. 135, or piece of ground situated in the John R. Cavanaugh plan of lots in the Third Ward of the Borough of Butler, County of Butler, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwesterly corner of lot No. 134 and McCool avenue; thence southwardly sixty-nine (69 70-100) feet to a line; thence westerly twenty-five (25) feet to the corner of lot No. 136; thence northwardly sixty-nine (69 70-100) feet to McCool avenue; thence easterly along McCool avenue twenty-five (25) feet to the place of beginning; said lot having thereon erected a two story frame dwelling house with slate roof, containing nine rooms and bath room.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent. of the purchase price at time of sale, and the balance on confirmation of sale by the Court.

JOHN H. JACKSON,
Trustee of estate of Charles Bertram Hoffman, Bankrupt,

REGISTER'S NOTICES.

The Register hereby gives notice that the following accounts of executors, administrators and guardians have been filed in his office according to law, and will be presented to Court for confirmation and allowance on Saturday, the 10th day of December, 1904, at 9 A. M., of said day:

1. Final account of L. P. Hazlett, executor of Margaret Witte, late of Forward twp.
2. Final account of Thos. and John Wiley, executors of John Wiley, late of Clinton twp.
3. Partial account of John F. McCoy and Harry N. Christly, executors of John Nelson, dec'd., late of Cherry twp.
4. First, final and distribution account of Robert D. Sefton, one of the executors of John Glasgow, late of Clinton twp.
5. First and final account of R. J. Grossman, administrator of Malinda Grossman, late of Cherry twp.
6. Final account of Alice V. Plugh, administratrix, of Jacob F. Plugh, late of Franklin township.
7. Account of Mrs. Catherine Wilson, executor of John I. Wilson, late of Butler twp.
8. Account of Joanna Beach, administratrix, of Joseph Doty, late of Butler Co., Pa.
9. First and final account of B. W. Irvine, guardian of Perry E. Fowler, minor child of Perry Fowler, late of Butler Co., dec'd.
10. First and final account of B. W. Irvine, guardian of Marie H. Fowler, minor child of Perry Fowler, late of Butler county, dec'd.
11. First and final account of William Gallagher, administrator of Joseph Gallagher, late of Jefferson township.
12. Final account of Edward Dambach, administrator of H. W. Dambach, late of Evans City.
13. Final account of Ada Z. Snyder, administratrix, of R. K. Snyder, late of Butler borough.
14. Final account of F. P. Critchlow, guardian of Blanche Cratty nee Kelly, minor child of Ellen Kelly, dec'd, late of Franklin township.
15. Final account of John Stoops, executor of William P. Morris, late of Washington township.
16. Seventh account of J. M. McBurney, trustee of George A. Wenzel, D. D., late of Butler Co., Pa.
17. Final and distribution account of Frank Clutton, administrator of Margaret Clutton, late of Brady township, dec'd.
18. Final account of Jos. H. Studebaker, executor of Shepler Boston, late of Muddycreek township.
19. Final and distribution account of Robert S. Harbison and Mary H. Harbison, executors of Catharine Harbison, late of Middlesex township.
20. Final account of P. P. Brown, Trustee of Mrs. Jemimah Shull, late of West Sunbury, Pa.
21. Account of L. C. Fisher, administrator of Mrs. Louisa Fisher, late of Summit twp.
22. Final account of H. S. McClymonds, guardian of Charles E. Meinhart, minor child of John J. Meinhart, dec'd., late of Renfrew, Butler Co., Pa.
23. Final account of W. J. Kildoo and Alfred Kildoo, executors of James Kildoo, late of Clay township.
24. Final account of A. W. Shannon, executor of Robert McKinnis, dec'd., late of Franklin township.
25. Final account of Fred Glace, guardian of Flora Glace, minor child of Mathias Glace, dec'd., late of Butler, Pa.
26. Final account of Fred Glace, guardian of Clarence Glace, minor child of Mathias Glace, late of Butler, Pa.
27. Final account of John C. Moore, Esq., executor of Daniel Heck, late of Centre township, dec'd.
28. Final account of Helen L. Gercken, administratrix of Charles H. Gercken, late of Centre township, dec'd.
29. Final account of Harry E. Conn and J. H. Wick, administrators of John T. Wick, late of Concord township.
30. Final account of Oliver R. Miller, administrator, C. T. A. of George E. Miller, late of Butler borough.
31. Second and final account of Robert McKee and James Little, executors of James Beers, late of Adams twp., Butler Co., Pa.
32. First, final and distribution account of John N. Allison, administrator of Amos Michael, late of Centre twp., Butler Co., Pa.
33. Final account of Wm. Logan, guardian of Inez Logan, minor child of J. R. and Emma Logan, dec'd, late of Middlesex township.
34. First and final account of Henry E. Dambach, and C. F. Dambach, executors (guardians) of Henry Dambach, late of Zelienople, Pa.
35. First and final account of Louisa Park and Edward Brown, executors of John B. Park, late of Adams township.
36. First and final account (as to personal estate) of O. W. Fisk, and Mrs. Susan E. Amy, executors of Chas. W. Fisk, late of Mars borough, Pa.
37. First and final account of John A. Burk, administrator of John Burk, late of Venango township,
38. Account of J. F. Howenstein, administrator of George Howenstein, late of Middlesex township.
39. Final account of R. E. Kirkpatrick, administrator of W. C. Kennedy, late of Adams township.
40. First and final account of D. M. Thompson, executor of L. N. Thompson, late of Fairview township.
41. First and final account of J. B. Kennedy and Mrs. Maud Bupp, administrators of Frederick Bupp, late of Lancaster twp.
42. Second and final account of Frank H. Murphy, executor of Dr. J. W. F. Moore, late of Butler borough, Pa.
43. Final account of Catherine Ritzert and Albert Ritzert, administrators of John Ritzert, late of Donegal township.
44. Final account of W. L. Kaufman, executor of John Kaufman, dec'd., late of Adams township.
45. First partial account of F. C. Ralston, executor of Elizabeth Gilkey, dec'd., late of Slipperyrock twp.
46. Final account of W. N. Davison, guardian of Laura Gertrude Davison, minor child of Milton R. Davison, dec'd., late of Adams township.
47. Final account of Norman C. Davison, guardian of Norman C. Davison, minor child of Milton R. Davison, dec'd., late of Adams township.
48. Final account of Magdalena Fiedler, executor of Daniel Fiedler, dec'd., late of Jackson township.
49. Final account of Guaranty Safe Deposit & Trust Co., guardian of J. C. McMurtry, minor child of Josiah McMurtry, late of Butler Co., Pa.

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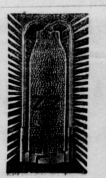

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Immediately after killing some one, however, the murderer must undergo six days of "purification," which are marked by various uncanny rites. He first washes himself and his weapon and seats himself upon a stage in the sight of the whole town, but nevertheless unnoticed by all. During this time he must eat nothing except roasted bananas, the pulp of which he bites out and the rest he throws away. On the third day he has so far purified himself that his friends entertain him at a feast, and on the fourth day he decks himself with all the ornaments of his home and parades up and down the village. After being thoroughly admired he walks down to a river, and, standing with feet wide apart, he lets all the boys who want to become great men swim through his legs. On the next day at dawn he jumps from bed and yells out of the window at the top of his lungs. His shout is supposed to scare away the ghost of his victim. On the following day he returns to his wife, who has spurned him up to this time, and is once more installed as the respected lord of his household.—New York Tribune.

Snakes In the Water.

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