

THE BUTLER CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 1905.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTE—All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads should notify us of their intention to do so not later than Monday morning.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

—The base ball season opens tomorrow.

—School closings and picnics this week.

—The Uvero plantation is said to be a fraud.

—There are quite a number of new boats in Butler.

—The pony show at Schenley Park opened last Sunday.

—Franklin street from E. Pearl to E. Clay is to be paved.

—Our March weather is coming in April—a fashion it has.

—Fine growing weather—the wheat and grass are booming.

—A case of spinal meningitis is reported from Evans City.

—I. O. O. F. entertainment in Y. M. C. A. hall, this evening.

—If you want your street paved this summer howl for it now.

—Base ball schedules—the world couldn't do without them.

—The planks on the plank road are being replaced by steel tracks.

—Somebody has been abusing our small-pox hospital in the woods.

—All our paved streets need a thorough cleaning and washing.

—The postoffice at Aspinwall was burglarized early Tuesday morning.

—This is Visitor's Day for the High and Grammar schools on McKean St.

—The County Commissioners will spend \$20,000 on new bridges this year.

—Crowds of women and girls, and some men attended the Millinery Openings.

—The new railroad from Queen Junction to New Castle is now under contract.

—The Bessemer cut on the Pfabe place in Clinton twp. is being widened for a double track.

—Our farmers are sowing oats this week; and all have a good word about the condition of the wheat.

—Butler's garbage will be hauled to a field up the creek and plowed under, until the new furnace is built.

—Centre twp. has applied for 5000 feet of state road, from the Butler twp. line to the forks at the old Shamor farm.

—The southern part of this county has enjoyed a hail storm, Monday evening, and some damage was done in Buffalo twp.

—It cost Butler county \$280 to investigate the deaths of Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Walker. The chemist's bill was \$200.

—It cost one man \$10 and costs, and two others \$5 each and costs, to have some fun on the Theatre train, a few nights ago.

—The Glove Factory wants a hundred girls at \$4 to \$9 a week; and a new and local company is thinking of starting up the old shirt factory.

—The medical profession has, as yet, discovered no remedy for cerebro-spinal meningitis, but several experiments are being made in different points of the world.

—The Western Union Telegraph Co. has added a foreign money transfer service to its domestic service and it is now possible to send money by wire to all parts of Europe and Cuba.

—A. G. Reed's Women's Relief Corps will serve supper this evening, from 7 to 8, in their hall at corner of Washington and Jefferson Sts. Supper 25 cents. A handsome quilt will be disposed of.

—C. Koch & Sons have moved their grocery to the room in the Duffy block, lately occupied by Goehring, and will begin tearing down for rebuilding immediately. Their new building is to be 3-story, three stories, and is to be completed by October 1st.

—This war is causing Americans to study geography. Very few people here where the China Sea is located; but Uncle Sam now owns part of the eastern boundary of it, and a big battle is expected to be fought on it any time.

—When a Japanese editor returns a manuscript he uses the most flattering language, informing the writer that "it is too good for his humble, insignificant paper; that its inclusion would set a standard which all other writers would despair of reaching; that many of them would consequently commit suicide, and that in view thereof it would not be advisable to use it."

—The Slippyrock mines, noted during the past few years for trouble which has prevailed there between the operators and workmen, are again closed down on account of a dispute. This time it is over the appointment of a checkweighman. The miners selected one of their number to see that all coal is properly weighed according to the state law. Superintendent Frank Eiler claims that the miners should give him a week's notice before putting a checkweighman on the tippie. When the checkweighman started to work he was ordered off the tippie. The pit company then ordered out all the miners.

—If farmers in this county would but interest enough in the road question to secure the State appropriation for good roads and would secure the improvements for sections of the highway reaching from their homes toward Butler they would be astonished to see how much more valuable their land would be if they ever wished to dispose of it. Their products, too, would cost far less to get to market and it would be done with less loss of time. Also the money spent for improvement would be largely, if not wholly paid out to the workers and store keepers of their vicinity, thus helping business.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Edith Snow of Kaylor was in town, Tuesday.

Isaac Matzland of Clinton twp. was town, Tuesday.

J. M. Day of Kansas City is home from the Oklahoma oil fields.

W. H. Say, Sr. of Jefferson twp. visited friends in Butler, Monday.

James Watson of Clinton twp. visited friends in Butler, Tuesday.

H. W. Biechone of Connoquessing was in town on business, Tuesday.

Wm. Miller of Butler twp. is recovering from a case of pneumonia.

Mrs. G. M. Campbell is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Beighley.

Mrs. Jas. Matzland of Clinton twp. and her son, Carl Martin of Thorn Creek, last Sunday.

Rev. R. G. Ferguson, President of Westminster College has resigned, and will retire in June.

Mrs. H. Q. Walker of Wilkinsburg is visiting at the home of her husband's parents, W. Pearl St.

Ed. Hay of Clinton twp. lately purchased a fine driving mare from Wm. Kennel of Thorn Creek.

John Patton of Oakland twp. and D. M. Arner of Washington twp. visited friends in Butler, Saturday.

S. C. Moore of Clinton twp. took sick in Butler, last week, and went home. He is reported as being seriously ill.

Mrs. M. A. Croft and son of Lancaster twp. visited friends in Butler, yesterday. Mr. Croft has been seriously ill of pneumonia.

Teddy Hames of Rimersburg was in town, yesterday, looking happy—the Court of Records granted him a divorce, the day after.

J. Clyde Andre, son of P. C. Andre of Butler, and Miss Lillian M. Haley were married at Ingram, last week, and will reside at Crafton.

Lawrence Goldinger of Donegal twp. was excused from duty as a jurymen, this week, on account of the accident to his father, Daniel Goldinger.

Rev. R. A. Elmer of Wilmington, Del., gives a reason for people not attending church that there are "too many sinners saved in the pulpits."

H. C. Prick of Pittsburgh has offered the old cathedral lot, opposite his big building to the city for a new City Hall, provided the city cuts down the hump.

Prof. V. A. Green of W. Snubury visited in Butler, Monday. The Spring Term of the Academy began Monday last week with fifty-eight pupils.

J. V. Ritts and daughter returned from a trip to Seattle, San Francisco and Los Angeles, last week. Mr. Ritts was well pleased with Seattle, but not so much with the other cities.

A. G. Williams of Butler, and J. S. Keister of Kester, have been summoned for the Grand Jury; and Eli Graham and T. L. Rumberger of Butler, and C. F. Ely of Evans City, the petty jury of the next U. S. District Court of Pittsburgh.

W. H. DeArme and wife have returned from a trip to the west. Mr. DeArme was more favorably impressed with Denver and Los Angeles than any other two places he was in. He was in Seattle and San Francisco during the rainy season, and thought them too wet. At San Francisco, one night, their hotel was shaken by an earthquake five times, and they left next morning.

Teddy, down in Texas, feels his oats again.

With its dragging chain; Frances round among the boys like a whole in spring.

Teddy, down in Texas, is the whole blamed thing.—Ex.

—Nice new freight cars were demolished in a West Penn wreck at Dilks last evening.

—Doubt's special offerings for Easter are set forth in this paper, and should be read by all the ladies.

—The triennial election of a County Superintendent of Public Schools will occur in this town on Tuesday, May 2nd.

S. Oram, a Lyndora merchant, has been held for court on a charge of selling cigarettes to minors, John Moran and Ed. McQuaide, aged 16 and 17 years respectively.

Arnelo Geko, an Enclid Italian, is in jail on a charge of conspiracy made against him by Leonard DeFoggi.

A charter for the Butler and Coyleville Telephone Co. has been recorded.

Monday morning Judge Galbreath refused the application of W. P. Brown for a private detective's license because the Court was not satisfied that a private detective agency was necessary and no bond in the sum of \$1000 was given, which is a necessary prerequisite.

W. A. McCormick of Chicago has been arrested on a charge of conspiracy made against him by J. G. Patterson of Butler. The two others had taken a number of cases jointly in Allegheny Co. and Patterson alleges McCormick sold them to the Manufacturers Light & Heat Co. of Pittsburgh and kept the money.

Three or four young men raised a big disturbance on a Bessemer train between Butler and Queen Junction, Saturday, S. Armbruster, one of them, was fined \$10 and costs and Justice Maxwell.

Judge J. Sharp Wilson of Beaver is assisting Judge Galbreath.

Dr. R. S. Keator, graduate of the Baltimore Medical College, has located in Butler.

Thomas Campbell and James Gallagher of Kaylor were each fined \$10 and costs for acting disorderly on a Bessemer passenger train.

Alex Savorecky of Bredinville was arrested Sunday for beating his wife, which he is said to have done every day.

At New Castle, last Thursday, Judge Porter granted 34 licenses and refused 46. Among those refused was Chris Walker, the one who sold on the Wal-laces. At Ellwood two licenses were granted, one to the Hotel Oliver and one to a man named Marzengo, lately from Evans City. All the "Synthetic Bars" in New Castle were refused. An amusing feature the late license courts was the offer of a Union-town man to close his bar during church services, if granted a license.

A verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree was found by the jury of the Circuit court, at Queen Junction, W. Va., against Mrs. Sarah Jane Legg, charged with killing her husband at Fredale in 1904. The killing remained a mystery for almost a year, when evidence was found that resulted in Mrs. Legg's arrest.

E. Mack Whippo, the Pittsburg dealer in stocks, was brought from St. Louis on a charge of embezzlement proffered by Lena C. Nelson, a domestic servant, who was charged with the case for Miss Nelson and several other women, went to St. Louis for him.

A process has been issued for the arrest of Owen Critchlow, who plead guilty to a charge of larceny proffered against him by L. N. Barry of Evans City. Sentences were suspended on his good behavior, but lately he is said to have been doing more stealing. He will be called for sentence in June.

Frank Kinbrew, the negro who did the shooting on Fairground Ave. and Jefferson St., Monday night was arrested last night at McKean Socks.

August Doerr of Jefferson twp. was fined \$10 and costs and ordered to pay \$200 on a misdemeanor charge.

John Orr has been appointed constable of Mercer twp. vice F. F. Bovard.

The Guaranty S & T Co has been appointed guardian of the minor children of John and Mary Esau.

P. W. Lowry has been appointed auditor in the estate of Newton Garvin.

LEGAL NEWS.

NEW SUITS.

Kate Green vs Nicholas Green of Butler, petition for divorce for cruelty. The parties were married in 1897.

Pearl Manny vs Wm J. Manny of Butler, petition for divorce, alleging cruel and barbarous treatment.

Martha Jane Kerr vs Jos. Fick ejectment for 70 acres in Slipperyrock twp. bounded west by Robert McFate and north by the Lewis Patterson place.

Matthew J. Robertson vs Stephen and Jos. Markwell, Mrs. Maria O. Connor et al. judgment for 36 acres in Concord tw. and a lot and store building at Greece city.

When the calendar was called over Monday morning the following cases were marked settled: Sarah Weisenstein vs Ada Kellerman; Denninger Bros. vs. Walhville; Carl G. Goucher vs. Younkis, and J. M. Brown vs. Sarah Pottus.

The case of Wm. Stroup and wife vs. Fairview was continued on account of the recent illness of Attorney McQuiston.

The case of Thos. Wilkinson vs. Evans Mfg. Co. was continued.

Jas. Leason vs L. C. Sloan was continued until May 5.

In the case of the Ltna Mfg Co vs W. B. Enos, the Court directed a verdict for the deft. for a gas engine in dispute.

The assumpsit case of Elizabeth and Rachel Love vs. Harry, Morris and Clarence Love, for which a large part of Clinton township population was in attendance on Tuesday morning while the jury was being called.

The James Walker mentioned as being appointed guardian of several Anderson and John children last week was a case of Mercer township and not of Clinton twp.

The cases of S. W. Stickley vs L. C. Wick and F. R. Lewis vs L. C. Wick were continued on account of the illness of Mr. Wick, who has been laid up with a sprained knee.

In the case of Elmer Grindler vs Alexander Pollock, called for trial Wednesday morning, the plaintiff failing to appear, Judge Wilson, specially presiding ordered its continuance at plaintiff's expense to the next term of the court, the trial list again until the costs are paid.

COURT DECISIONS.

In the case of W. F. Smith vs Butler Brewing Co. the Court refused to show why defendant's appeal from judgment of Justice of the Peace should not be stricken off.

Theodore Schenck to E. J. Kanerler lot in Stehle Place for \$2450.

Anthony A. Boser to Joseph Wise 108 acres in Butler twp for \$5000.

Thomas M. and James R. Pierce to H. J. Smith lots on Erie St. for \$1300.

John Kelly to John Buckley lot in Bruin for \$100.

C. P. McDaniel to Geo. W. Cusley 18 acres in Worth for \$1300, also 30 acres in Worth for \$1500.

Finley Hosack to David M. Hosack 46 acres in Allegheny for \$1200.

William Wimer to Kate Lauten lot in Zelienople for \$1800.

Harriet Nickle to Elmer Fox lot in Evans City for \$300.

H. S. Danbensen and E. H. Adams, et al. to Edward R. Turner 85 acres in Parker for \$2500.

J. C. Renfrew to W. H. Fisher and Harry Coe lot in Renfrew for \$300.

J. C. Renfrew to W. H. Fisher lot in Renfrew for \$100.

Florence and Walter Duncan to Lavinia Campbell lot in Fairview for \$300.

J. E. McCutcheon to Wm. Leithold lot on Elm St. for \$1000.

Jas. Hoffman to J. P. Donlag 4 acres in Mercer for \$400.

S. C. Coulter adm'x to T. M. Drexel 108 acres in Slipperyrock for \$2700.

M. D. Maxwell to W. H. Wilson same for \$2750.

Haunab Bailey to W. J. Crumline 110 acres in Middlesex for \$3000.

Finley J. Dodds to Chas. Frieht lot in Butler for \$2450.

Sarah Crowl to Jennie Hilliard 16 acres in Washington twp for \$150.

Geo. Schenck to F. J. Dillon lot in West End for \$200.

Evangeline Peters to C. N. Boyd lot on N. McKean St. for \$2500.

Campbell Acres to Henderson Watson lot in Cherry for \$50.

Annie Woodley to H. H. Campbell 11 acres in Allegheny for \$125.

R. C. Stoughton to J. E. McCormick 15 acres in Clay for \$800.

Cephas McLauglin to Elinor F. Fulmer 10 acres in Fairview for \$500.

Frank Kohler to Andrew Konjate lot in Lyndora for \$2000.

Henry Behm to Mary A. Clayton property in Jackson for \$700.

Jas. Duggs to Salinda C. Behn property in Jackson for \$2000.

Jas. Duggs to Mary A. Clayton property in Evans City for \$2500.

J. M. Porter to W. A. Porter, 70 acres in Marion for \$1050.

Elizabeth Love et al. to Wm. H. Love et al. interest in 150 acres in Clinton for \$1000.

S. S. McNally and W. M. Starr to Southern Oil Co one-fourth interest in 410 acres of leases with wells, etc., on the Walker, J. H. Thompson, G. D. Kaner and Baner in Concord, the Double farm in Clay and the A. H. Starr farm in Penn twp with nine wells, the production sold at the rate of \$1400 a barrel.

Margaret Kyle to Thompson Kyle, quit claim to 218 acres in Clay for \$1.

Andrew Sproell to Amanda J. Pizer lot in Slipperyrock for \$1300.

JUDGMENTS AGGREGATING \$14000 HAVE BEEN ENTERED AGAINST THE WAHL BROTHERS AND OTHERS OF BUTLER CITY. THE CITIZEN'S BANK OF EVANS CITY IS THE PRINCIPAL CREDITOR.

At Portland, Oregon, Tuesday, Senator Mitchell's attorney entered a plea of not guilty for him in three of the cases against him.

A bunch of Butler people went to Clarion, Tuesday, to attend the hearing in the McGraws' boiler case. The Citizens Bank of Evans City is the principal creditor.

A mortgage of the Clark Coal & Coke Co. to the Guaranty Title and Trust Co. of Pittsburgh on coal lands in Butler and Armstrong counties was recorded at 12 o'clock on Tuesday.

Supervisors J. N. McClung, J. Renick and Walter Pollock of Centre twp. have petitioned for paving 5000 feet of the Butler and Mercer place under the State Road Law.

A decree made by Judge J. Sharp Wilson was entered in the Recorder's office yesterday which recites that on Dec. 18, 1901, David McElvain and Andrew W. Smith, et al. in contract with which McElvain leased to Wm. H. Brown 36 acres in Evans City for \$100 per annum, payable quarterly in advance, as \$1300, as McElvain lived, and at his death his heirs were to deliver a deed on payment of \$7500. Wahl and his co. have petitioned for each ton of coal mined from the premises and screened over a one and one-fourth inch screen, fifty cents a month for each bushel for the year, and to pay all taxes. In the Army fire of Nov. 20, 1903, the premises were destroyed by fire, and the court decreed that the deed was made by Judge Wilson after hearing of a suit brought by Wm. H. Brown, et al. against the Citizens Bank of Evans City, which Wahl had assigned his rights.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS.

John McLaughlin and wife, Laura, to M. A. Enrick lot on Wallina Ave. for \$1500.

Albert Ruff to Fred L. Krause lot on Fulton St. for \$500.

T. G. Pollard to Mary B. Brown lot on Cleveland St. for \$1200.

Park View Land Co. to Ida Lizenberg lot in Butler twp for \$1000.

F. C. Lee to J. C. Miller lot in Valencia for \$700.

John and William Martin to Theodore Young 36 acres in Clay for \$750.

John J. Reiter heirs to Charles W. Reiter lot on North St. for \$1000.

John Miller had an arm broken, and Joe Thomas had a leg crushed at the Car Works, this week.

FIRES.

A big stable located on Fairground Ave. and owned by C. Duffy, and containing several tons of hay and straw owned by Max Zeeb, and a restaurant and residence building owned by Geo. Varnum were destroyed by fire last Thursday evening, entailing a loss of two or three thousand, partially covered by insurance.

The fire ignited in the restaurant building, then spread by colored people who were said to have upset a stove during a squabble.

The barn of Thomas Jamison of Fairview twp. was struck by lightning and destroyed by fire, with all its contents, Monday afternoon. The loss is at least \$2000.

The barn of H. Baldwin in Bowers was destroyed by fire last Saturday night. Some boys playing in the barn, are supposed to have accidentally set it on fire.

Three tanks, containing four tons of oil, were exploded in the Stanley Moorehead farm, near Karns City, and owned by the Producers and Refiner's Oil Co. were struck by lightning, Monday night. The pumpstation was saved by hard work and a dam built across the creek prevented the burning oil from reaching the tanks. The fire kept the people of the town up nearly all night.

ACCIDENTS.

Mary Cohn, aged 4 years was knocked over by a buggy last Saturday but not seriously injured.

Daniel Goldinger of Donegal tw. had a leg broken last Wednesday. He was being taken in a motor at the time he fell, and the board he was standing on slipped, and he fell to the steps.

The rear wall of the new (old) building on East Conningham street, which collapsed during the storm of last Monday, noon.

During the storm of last Monday noon Miss Urphart of Any Ave. had a narrow escape from a serious accident. She was hurrying down Clay St. to her home, at the time, when she was struck by the door of a trolley car. The door was hurled across the street by the high wind. The door merely touched her head, and stunned her, but she was taken to the grocery store, and a physician called for.

John Kummer, of the Wayne St. meat market, had a thumb badly cut while sharpening knives.

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SCHOOL NOTES.

The Butler School Board has added a year to the High School course, making it four years in all, or thirteen years to go through the Butler Schools.

All the school building of Butler are being repaired by a machine-effect outfit, and no more outsiders, until more buildings can be erected.

PUBLIC SALES.

April 18—D. M. Arner, near North Washington, 10 1/2 acres, farming implements, grain, hay, etc.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

"Evaluating Devil's Auction" April 14. Among the many novelties offered by Manager Charles H. Yale for the coming season which marks the twenty-third edition of the "Evaluating Devil's Auction," is the introduction in the first act of this famous spectacle, of a new spectacular, panoramic effect entitled "The Inferno," which depicts in a series of weird and awe inspiring stage pictures the journey of a lost soul to Hell.

Matinee and Night Saturday, April 15. "Caught in the Web" is the play that is to appear at the opera house Saturday night, headed by Mr. Jean Barry, and also Amy Shaber, an accomplished company of exceptionally clever people. "Caught in the Web" is not the great play ever written. It is a detective play—one that deals with the human side of humanity. It does not repudiate the scientific method of the police, but it tells the story of people who live.

Lord Chumley—April 17.

FOR SALE.

Three horses on Plank Road, \$1550, \$1450 and \$1250.

Best frontage on West St., \$1500, 5-roomed house, Ely St., \$1350.

15-roomed house, West St., \$3000.

Two excellent modern 3-roomed houses, paved street \$4000 each.

Six-roomed house, Bluff St., \$1500.

Nine-roomed house, Millin St., \$2500, \$1850 and \$1050.

Ten-roomed house, Clay St., \$3000.

Three lots in West End, \$2300, \$1850 and \$1050.

21 acres in Summit twp.

E. H. NEBLEY, S. W. Diamond.

GLADIOLAS.

Choice Gladiolus, for sale at 20 cts. a dozen, by mail. Address E. J. HEYRICH, Butler, Pa.

Beef and Iron Wine.

In "Lord Chumley" which will be presented by Mrs. H. C. De Mille at the Majestic, Monday, April 17, we see the artistic temperament running through three acts of opera mania. The play which was the joint production of H. De Mille and David Belasco is recognized throughout the English speaking world as one of the happiest comedies ever written.

"The Real Widow Brown"—Apr. 19. The mistaken identity of a captivated widow furnishes the theme for a consistent and well planned plot in the reigning farcial success "The Real Widow Brown."

The Alvin—Pittsburg.

"The Holy City"—Next week. This sublime drama will be given at the New Alvin Theatre next week in a sublime, spectacular manner, depicting everything heretofore seen in a Pittsburgh stage. A great scenic production that pictures the Jerusalem of almost 2000 years ago with all the vivid