

THE BUTLER CITIZEN.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1906.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTE—All advertisers intending to make changes in their ads about notice of their intention to do so not later than 10 o'clock morning.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Administrator's notice, estate of R. N. Grant.

Executor's notice, estate of Robert Gibson.

Fury List for April Term.

Horses Wanted.

Farm for sale.

It is March.

Brain is to have a new bank.

Butler will have ball next summer.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday, the first day of lent.

The new Town Council will organize next Monday.

Boys get your kites ready and hunt up your marbles.

Measles signs are numerous and increasing in number.

Little robin red-breast put in his appearance last week.

The B. R. & P. has splendid engines. They are built in Dunkirk.

A clean brick is at present the greatest novelty on the streets of Butler.

The kick put up by the voters of Pennsylvania, last Fall, bore great fruit.

A hundred houses are being built in Butler, and double that number are needed.

Harmony voted to put in a water plant. Drill a well, don't use the water from the creek.

The March Quarter Sessions begin next Monday, and that will be a good day for the candidates.

Every election costs the county about three thousand dollars, and after this year, the primaries will cost the state about the same, for this county.

G. W. Amy and Thomas Lyons have bought a number of lots from Thomas Robinson on the South Side and will erect ten new houses.

Fresh eggs sold in the large towns at 14 cents, wholesale, last week, and cold storage at 10 to 12 a dozen.

The hens do move—when the weather is warm.

An oil-rate case is reported from Titusville. It was passed upon by the Interstate Commerce Commission, 17 years ago, then it went to the U. S. Courts, and is there yet.

Eight-hundred families or four-thousand people in all will have to move during the next few weeks to make room for the terminals of the Penna. R. in the heart of New York.

The Bessemer railroad is building abutments and foundations for double tracking their big iron bridge on the Bessemer place over the West Penn tracks and Lookout ave. to the fill on the Mckeckey flats.

Beginning May 1st the Bessemer will inaugurate a train service between Butler and East Pittsburg, two fast passenger trains, daily. East Pittsburg is on the main line of the P. R. R. and the city can be reached from there by either railroad or trolley.

Reports of a shooting affair on the farm of John Sticker in Muddy-creek twp. came to town, yesterday. A Mrs. Muser is said to have shot across the road at Mrs. Fryman, but did not hit her. The latter made an information in Prospect, and a constable was sent to make arrests.

A mail carrier tells the following story: A woman on his route desired to obtain a money order and he proceeded to fill out a blank application. He asked her the amount which was readily told, but her answer to the question, "Whom shall it be sent by?" almost took his breath, for the woman replied hastily, "Well, don't know as it's any of your business."

While Miss Olive Matthews, who leaves a neat mark on New Castle St. was on her way to her home on the hill, last Saturday night, carrying her receipts for the day in her chateleine bag, it was suddenly snatched from her, and she was pushed over and down the hill into the mud by a large and strong man, who escaped in the darkness. The incident occurred on Ridge Ave. and though Miss Matthews promptly gave the alarm, no trace of the man could be found. The bag contained about \$140.

A baby was born to a certain inmate on a certain Saturday morning. That evening the officers of the church waited on him with \$50 in cash. The next morning when the congregation assembled two was stood before the church door and one let the minister would thank God for the money first and the other he would thank Him for the baby. When the reverend gentleman arose to pray he said, "Lord we desire to thank thee for this timely savior," and the boys have not yet decided as to which was the winner.—Ex.

Fires.

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PERSONAL.

Braid Black is yet a sufferer from that carbuncle, and is under treatment.

High Connelly of Allegheny, formerly of Butler, took in License Court this week.

Miss Mary Rostenstein is attending the millinery openings in Cleveland this week.

Geo. W. Whitehill is attending the funeral of his brother, at Jamestown, N. Y., today.

J. J. Campbell, tax collector of Fairview twp. for ten years, was in town on business, Tuesday.

Dr. J. L. Christy of Connoquessing, Pa., will be a witness on the Aggers Case.

Col. Ed. McFarland of Charleroi attended the funeral of Joseph Clinton in Butler, last Sunday.

R. C. McClintock of the Western Press, Mercer, an old Butler type, visited friends here, last week.

Mrs. Joel L. Brown of West Penn St. who was operated on at the Hospital some time ago, is recovering.

Mrs. Susan Partridge, formerly of Zelienople, but lately at the County Home, is cutting her third set of teeth.

Geo. H. Day of Butler and Mills P. Ziegler of Zelienople were granted certificates as registered pharmacists at Harrisburg, Tuesday.

W. J. McLain of the Ideal Clothing Parlors, wife and daughter passed Sunday at the home Mrs. McLain's father, John Hoover of W. Shady.

County Commissioners Grossman, Siebert and Easley inspected the public buildings at Warren, Youngstown, Canton and Akron, Ohio, last week.

O. G. Meachling was elected Justice of the Peace for Jefferson twp. at the late election, and as Jefferson is a strongly Democratic township he is proud of his success.

Prince Pignatelli, of Italy was "skeptical about the use of life," and so he put a bullet through his head, on the morning of his wedding, and he died on his wedding day—last Thursday.

Tai Ann, empress of China, is frustrated, these days, they are finding sticks of dynamite and such things about the palace, and she is being guarded by eight men, with rifles, keep near her.

Charley Johnson, the tailor of Prospect, was elected High Constable at the late election, with 23 votes, the highest polled in that town. He has received his spring goods and is now ready to receive orders for 23 years.

Edwin Markham, the poet, has a choice set of cronies of his own, among whom are such men as Wm. D. Howells, Mark Twain and Brewster Matthews. His new poem, "The Hooping Heart," is attracting much attention.

Rev. Cronquist was honored with a birthday reception by the Bible classes of his church, last Thursday evening. He has passed his 65th milestone, and has served the Butler St. Mark's Lutheran congregation for 29 years.

"Grandmother Nigger," who passed away, last week, will be kindly remembered by many men and women of Butler. It was from her, in the latter Fifties and perhaps in the early Sixties, that we bought our candy and ice-cream.

Miss Ethel G. Searing, daughter of the late M. Searing, and Fred T. Fells, a son of Perry Fells, were married yesterday at Slippery Rock. Their wedding was to occur the first week in January, but two days before the date Fells, while at work as a line-man at Beaver Falls, was struck by a train and had a leg cut off, and a week or two later the prospective bride's father dropped dead.

"Pansylvania" Smith has added another lynch to his already large collection of the infamous things hurled at him on account of the name of his town. It is in the form of an express bill, and is a very interesting document. The clerk who made it out started to write the name of the town, but got tired and wrote in the name of the stager at the writing thereof.

"Pansy" followed by a scribble, and these words, "the name of that name is coming by freight."—Dispatch.

Governor Pennypacker was the central figure in the gathering of those who would have uniform divorce laws for the States of the Union. Inasmuch as he is the best advertised Governor in the country, everybody wanted to see him. The disappointment was great when the anxious ones beheld a nice-looking old gentleman, rather like an old man, but with a very different disposition. He expected to find him, they expected to see a pair of cowhide boots, and they expected to see a pair of horns when they were all down on the farm.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

Haverley's Minstrels.—March 6.

Haverley's Mastodon Minstrel with Billy Beatty as the chief funmaker will be the offering at the Majestic, Tuesday, March 6. It is claimed that the Haverley troupe is the best of the minstrel shows, and the new features added this year will undoubtedly tend to promote the popularity of the show to a greater degree than ever. Prices 25c-50c-75c-\$1.00.

Peggy From Paris.—March 7.

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LEGAL NEWS.

John M. Greer vs U. S. Express Co. appeal by deft. from judgment of \$9 rendered by Jos. Criswell, J. P.

Katherine Pfeifer vs P. & W. R. R. Co. trespass for \$1000 damages. The Pfeifer farm is passed over by the Water- rock twp., and since the construction of the railroad Mrs. Pfeifer has had a driveway under the trestle. Recently the company filled up her driveway and left her only a small space to drive through at one end of the trestle, which is very inconvenient. She claims an indefensible right to the driveway inasmuch as reason of having used it over 21 years.

A. O. Vessel vs J. Edelstein, appeal by deft. from judgment of \$20 rendered by J. N. Graham, J. P. of Evans City.

The W. D. Carpenter Co. vs Nicholas & Meachling, appeal by deft. from judgment of \$100, rendered by J. Keck, J. P.

F. H. Walker vs H. W. and J. J. Vogel, ex. r., attachment execution on goods of defts in hands of J. J. Vogel.

Ed Knauff vs Geo. W. Crove, appeal by deft. from judgment of \$98, rendered by H. N. Teeple, J. P.

In the case of C. J. Walker et al vs George Ray, a new trial was refused.

In the case of Annie Matony vs Noble Montgomery, a stated case in which the plaintiff sued for rentals on an oil lease in Doner twp., the Court filed an opinion giving judgment for the plaintiff for \$80, the amount claimed, and interest.

In the case of Com. vs Paul Milovitz, convicted of manslaughter, new trial was refused.

In the equity case of H. C. Litzinger, who sought an injunction restraining Edward O'Donnell from operating a bowling alley adjoining the Litzinger dwelling in Chicago, the complaint was adjudged well taken and the injunction granted. The defendant filed an exception.

A surety of the peace case against David Lewis of Chicago, was settled by him paying the cost of the prosecution to keep the peace toward Wm. Newman.

In the case of F. X. Kohler vs Butler county, appeal by deft. from judgment of \$12000 rendered by the plaintiff.

Viewers Enos McDonald, Frank Clark, John Cramer, J. B. Martin, Wm. D. Howells and Brewster Matthews, Albert in the case of W. F. Book and W. A. R. E. Co. have filed a report awarding \$2000 damages for his land in Worth twp.

By a vote of 73 to 21 citizens of Harmony decided in favor of a town water works, and by a vote of 67 to 15 voters of the town to raise funds to build it.

Pat Benedetto has petitioned for naturalization.

David Lewis of Chicago was put in jail Saturday, on a charge of surety.

Janet Bell of Brady twp. is in jail on a charge of theft.

The McGuire Casket cases in Clarion county Court have again been postponed, this time on account of an attorney playing on both sides.

The DuBois Courier says that a man named Leiby of Butler is under arrest there for highway robbery.

Johann Hoch, convicted axicide, confessed assassin, and who, if but a fraction of the stories of crime that are told of him are true, was one of the greatest criminals this country ever knew, was hanged at Chicago, last Friday for poisoning his wife, Marie Weicker. Hoch had a death wish, and prayer on his life for the officers of the law who took his life, and save for the words "goodby," his last utterance was "I am innocent of the crime."

In the case of A. R. McDowell and W. A. Maires vs P. R. McCool the deft has filed reasons for granting a new trial.

In the condemnation proceedings on the Pittsburgh-Butler plank road an extension of 30 days to the time in which the vendors have to file their report was granted.

In the case of the Iron City Mfg. Co. vs Wm. Jeffrey and 27 other former employees, motion for a new trial was granted. The injunction restraining the defendants from interfering with the operation of the complainant's factory and its employees, was continued.

In the quo warranto proceedings seeking the removal of the School Directors of Forward twp. for closing the Glade school, the motion for a new trial was refused to oust the Board and discontinue the proceedings at the coat of the Forward twp. school district.

The exceptions of Mrs. Mary Eichen back to the report of viewers on the opening of Polk St. were dismissed, with the understanding that they be presented in an appeal from the report.

Robert L. Stapp has filed reasons for a new trial in his case against the South Penn Oil Co.

In the case of Mrs. Chas. McQuibson vs August Liddell, the plaintiff's motion to take off compulsory non-suit was refused.

In the case of Detweiler & Wetherall vs the Butler Land and Improvement Co., the Court filed an opinion directing judgment to be entered for the deft. The Land and Imp. Co. sold 30 acres at East Butler to the Eleanor Iron and Steel Co. on an article of agreement giving the Eleanor Co. an equitable title which was to be made perfect on the completion of their steel works. Detweiler & Wetherall furnished labor and material to the amount of \$1735 and entered a mechanics lien against the Eleanor Co. and the Land Co. On a jury trial a verdict for the amount claimed was rendered for the plaintiffs and the lien was reserved. In deciding these points the Court set aside the verdict and gives judgments for the defendants, that is, the Eleanor Co. and the Land Co. could not be improved out of their rights.

In the case of W. L. Martin vs John Hanel and J. M. Herdman, appeal brought to recover damages for a wrongful distress for rent and in which the Court directed a verdict for the defendants, an opinion was filed reversing the former ruling and granting a new trial.

In the case of Sarah J. Crowe et al vs C. Ziegler, H. B. Winger, W. J. Lark and A. C. Irwin, trustees of the M. E. Church at Mars, the plaintiffs motion for a new trial was refused. Mrs. Crowe had sued in ejectment to recover a lot sold "for church purposes only," and the verdict was for the defendants.

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In the case of Jacob Rowley vs H. B. Bowen, Judge Gallman filed an opinion granting deft's petition to judgment and admit him to a defence.

In the case of S. E. and Margaret Miller, advs of Jacob Miller of Calvary vs E. J. Miller, the deft has filed petitions to have two judgments aggregating \$500 opened so that a defence can be made.

In the case of E. J. and S. J. Walker and L. Esler vs Geo. Ray, to recover for opening a coal bank in Marion twp. in which a verdict was rendered for the deft, the pits motion for a new trial was refused.

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