

THE BUTLER CITIZEN.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- GOVERNOR, Edwin S. Stuart.
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, Robert S. Murphy.
AUDITOR GENERAL, Robert K. Young.
SECRETARY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS, Henry Hoock.

POLITICAL.

Colonel W. E. Thompson of Allegheny county, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for State Senate...

The November election in this state will be held under the new election law and after that all of the members of all parties will be held on the same day.

The conferees to nominate a State Senate for the Mercer Crawford district will meet again at Connant Lake on September 30...

Silas A. Kline, of Greensburg, was selected as the Democratic nominee for Congress in the Westmoreland-Butler district...

Canals as Rate Regulators. In the field of transportation there is a decided revival of interest and activity...

The canal system of Great Britain is the other hand, has declined until it consists of a few inadequate and little related lines...

At the present time a royal commission is engaged in an inquiry into the canal system of the country...

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ACCIDENTS.

Chester Morrison fell from a scaffold at the Car Works, Saturday, and was killed and was taken to the Hospital.

Wm. Burford, a marine on the U. S. S. Dolphin, had an arm and part of a leg torn off by the explosion of a shell on the 1st inst. His home is in Chicago and he is now in the Navy Yard hospital at Brooklyn.

Engineer Leffler, formerly of Butler, was hurt by a collision at Akron, Ohio, and is now in the hospital there.

Geo. W. Brown, a Butler carpenter, had an ankle badly cut by an adze, on the 10th inst. near Milltown, last week.

Frank Kowalski, for five years paying teller of the Chicago bank, which failed on the 10th inst., was killed by a shell in his home, last Friday.

Maurice Leonard, a Butler R. F. D. carrier, under estimated the size and form of the Bonnie Brook, and he and his horse, wagon and mail pouch took a trip down stream.

A. K. Kelly was cut and bruised, and had a collar broken by a shell, on the 10th inst. near Milltown, last week.

Miss Myrtle Watson of Renfrew had her feet badly scalded, last week, by the upsetting of a boiler of hot water.

Hiram Abies and his delivery wagon came in contact with street car No. 17, last Friday night, near Wesley Point, a purper having charge of a well on the narrow escape from a horrible death.

He had lain down in the boiler house and had fallen asleep. He awoke feeling dazed from having inhaled escaping gas. He staggered toward an open window and fell out.

Wind had blown the fire out and the air was heavy with gas. Mrs. Abies was standing near the boiler door when the explosion occurred.

Through the door and landed 60 feet away. After regaining his feet, a glance toward the boiler showed the bell house in flames.

Pointing says that he still couldn't realize fully what had happened though he had seen the boiler burning and the structure turned off the gas.

By that time help had arrived and by hand fighting the derrick and belt house were saved. Some hands were burned and he suffered from the effects of inhaling gas.

The well is owned by S. J. Pontine. Oil and Gas Notes. The Market—Both agencies are paying \$1.50.

Butler twp.—Moser & Co's well on the Gruber, near McCalmont, in the oil field, is also a lost bit.

Penn.—The Phillips well on the Campbell is doing about 8 barrels. It didn't pan out as large as expected.

Oakland—Kelly & Co. have a ten bit well in the oil field, near the well of Kelly. No. 3 on the Neff was shot last week and started off at 70 bbls from the thirty-foot.

Clearfield—McKee & Co's well on the McKee is due this week. and Sheridan & Co. in the sand with a good showing.

Midnight Mechanics.

Burclars lately entered the house of John Covert of Franklin twp. at night and assaulted him and ransacked the house...

Raisley & Whitehead's grocery on Grove street was entered the other night, but the electric burglar-alarm made such a noise that the scared burglars ran away without leaving their address.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. J. C. Nicholas will return from New Castle this week, and there will be the usual services in Grace Lutheran church next Sunday.

Chancellor McCormick of the Western University of Pennsylvania is to preach in the First Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Rev. Roder of the First English Lutheran church is on a four weeks' vacation and will be preaching services in that church until Sunday, Sept. 24.

The 16th annual convention of the Butler county Agricultural Union will be held in the Middlesex Presbyterian church on the 29th and 30th of this month.

Rev. H. K. Shaour, pastor of the English Lutheran church at Middle Lane, has been elected to the office of pastor of the First Presbyterian church.

Prof. O. E. Bartel wife and son Donald had returned to their home at Mantua, Ohio, after a two weeks' visit to Mrs. Bartel's parents.

Miss Sina Shaner of Philadelphia is spending the week at the home of Mrs. Sina Shaner of Butler.

Fifteen or twenty five people attended the merchants' picnic at Cascade Park, last week.

A. W. Shannon and son Clifford of Butler, Franklin twp., were in town Saturday evening, shopping and chatting with old friends.

The new pavement epidemic is spreading in Butler. Wm. Grady and Mattie Hehl are laying cement walks in front of their respective properties.

Mrs. James McGowan has probably the largest flock of chickens in the county. When she calls them about the trough, she counts one hundred and fifty.

Mrs. Bookha has a very fine garden this summer and is raising some prize squashes. She takes her marketing to Butler once a week and sells No. 1 goods.

Kathleen Moore and Edna Aiken, two Butler lassies, were the guests of Irene Shanor, last week, and took Irene home along to get acquainted with them.

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DEATHS.

GIBSON—At his home in Donegal twp. Aug. 10, 1906, Alfred J. son of Walter, aged 3 years.

MCCOY—At the Butler Hospital, Aug. 10, 1906, Robert, son of Mrs. Alice F. McCoy, aged 10 years.

PALMER—At Parker, Aug. 10, 1906, Geo. W. Palmer, aged 89 years.

KUHN—Aug. 11, 1906, Florence, infant daughter of Chas. Kuhn of Butler twp., aged 3 years.

CRACK—At the County Home, Aug. 9, 1906, Mrs. Jane Crack, aged 65 years.

WESTLAKE—At the home of her daughter Mrs. J. G. Runkle, in Butler, Aug. 11, 1906, Mrs. Nancy Westlake, aged 78 years.

BROWNLEE—August 11, 1906, infant son of W. Brownlee, of Butler.

DUNN—In Butler, August 14, 1906, John Dunn, aged 70 years.

BEIGHLEY—At her home in Butler, Aug. 13, 1906, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of H. J. Beighley, aged 59 years.

McALLISTER—At the residence in Butler of her sister, Mrs. Hozne Greenberg, Rev. Shanor has been passing the Middlesex church, last week.

Mr. Eliza McKee, 91 years old, died at the home of her son, R. B. McKee, in Freeport, last Saturday night.

Mrs. Caroline Williams, 39 years old, died at her home in Butler, last Thursday.

The body of M. A. Greig, son of Robert Greig, arrived in Butler, last Friday morning.

Mrs. Pearl Mary Teresa Craigie (John Oliver Hobbes), the authoress and dramatist, died in her sleep.

Mrs. Arthur McCandless of Pittsburg was the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Myers, last week.

School in Franklin township will be taught by the following teachers: Howard McCandless, Hill, Ralph Mackley, Hickory, Grace, Grace, Ridge, Everett Stamm, M. Chestnut, Miss McBride, Dick, G. P. Weigle, Mile Run, Mrs. Pollock, independent.

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MINOT LEDGE LIGHTHOUSE.

The First one Was Swept Away With Its Goods. The first lighthouse on Minot's ledge was built in 1848.

It was an octagonal tower resting on the tops of eight wrought iron piles eight inches in diameter and sixty feet high.

On the 14th of that month, two keepers being in the lighthouse, an easterly gale set in, steadily increasing in force.

People on shore, and no doubt the keepers themselves, watched the heavy sea sweep harshly against the tower.

On the 15th, however, the wind and sea greatly increased, and the waves were higher than ever.

That night was one of keen anxiety, for the gale still increased, and when at times the tower could be seen through the clouds of spray.

At 4 o'clock that afternoon an ominous proof of the fury of the waves and their power to reach the tower, a platform which had been built between the piles only seven feet below the floor of the keepers' room.

The rigging and sea, which were sixty feet high, would reach ten feet higher, for if so the house and the keepers were doomed.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

Notices hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on Thursday, Sept. 13, 1906, by E. W. Dewey, John Day, William Criswell, W. J. Horgan and William G. Stern...

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Notice to Bridge Builders.

The County Commissioners in their office in Butler, Pa., will, until noon August 24, 1906, receive sealed bids on the following bridge work:

No. 1. North City bridge over Buffalo Creek in Clearfield twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway, with sufficient strength to carry concrete roadway.

No. 2. Lander bridge over Little Bull Creek in Clinton twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 3. Fenelon bridge over Buffalo Creek in Clearfield twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway, with sufficient strength to carry concrete roadway.

No. 4. Muller bridge over Strawberry Creek in Venango twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 5. Frazier Mill bridge over Thorn Creek in Jefferson twp., repairs to substructure and steel superstructure with plank roadway.

No. 6. Perry bridge over branch of Glade Run in Adams twp., concrete substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 7. Bridge over Bear Creek in Fairview twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 8. Miller bridge over Strawberry Creek in Venango twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 9. Wick Station bridge over branch of Slipperyrock creek in Slipperyrock twp., masonry substructure and steel superstructure, plank roadway.

No. 10. Hilliard bridge in Washington twp., masonry substructure.

Plans and specifications giving full information are in file in our office.

Bids are invited upon reinforced concrete arch construction for all of these bridges, such bids to be accompanied by sufficient detailed drawings to explain the same.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish bonds giving full completion of the same.

WILLIAM SIBBERT, COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

WM. WALKER, CHAS. A. McELVAIN, REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, OIL PROPERTIES, LOANS, BOTH PHONES.

WM. B. BRICKER, Bivory and Feed Stable.

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Fabrics and textures include all the beautiful novelty plaids and checks in the richest lines and colorings.

When you visit the Big Butler Fair don't fail to visit Butler's only Specialty Store for women's misses, children's and infants' practical Tailor-made garments.

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Mrs. J. E. ZIMMERMAN.

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If you want a sanitary floor covering for your kitchen buy Linoleum.

They are easily kept clean and will last longer than carpet and look better.

New line at 60c, 75c and 90c a square yard.

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Strong durable and easily kept clean. A new one in your bedroom is a good investment.

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If you want a good, comfortable bed you must have the right kind of a mattress.

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Hammer Pure Paints. Hammer Pure Paints are the best for all purposes. They are easy to use and give a long-lasting finish.

Henry Biehl. People's Phone 464, 122 N. Main St., Butler, Pa.

STRAW HATS AND PANTALONS -2 PRICE. All lines of straws including the Knox and Imperial in this sale.

Columbia Graphophone. With this guarantee you don't guess, you know which is best.

Kerr & Brown. 212 S. Main St. New Drug Store Now Open.

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Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Mohairs, Broadcloths, Panamas and Grey Mixed Shirts all new styles.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Silk Petticoats, worth \$3.00, at 2.98.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. All Lawn Waists that formerly sold at \$1.00, now 75c.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Table Linens and Napkins. Table Linen, 60 inches wide, Bleached and Cream, formerly sold for 25c, now 20c.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Umbrellas and Parasols. Ladies' Plain and Colored Umbrellas.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Lace and Ruffled Curtains. Lace and Ruffled Curtains, worth 75c and 85c, at 60c.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. Corsets and Hose. Broken Lots in such famous Corsets as C. B. & G. and W. B., at 60c.

Ladies' Walking Skirts and Petticoats. All \$3.00 and \$4.00 Trimmed Hats at 98c.

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