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LEHIGHTON, CARBON COUNTY, PENN'A, SATURDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 16, 1875.

Subscribers out of County, \$1.20.

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Furniture Warehouse.
Schwarz, Bank street, dealer in all kinds of Furniture. Coffins made to order.

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Special attention paid to Chronic Diseases.
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May be consulted in German. [July 24, 1875.]

J. F. NEWMAN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
No. 4 Dolan's Block,
MAUCH CHUNK, PA.
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GENERAL INSURANCE AGENT
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READING MUTUAL FIRE,
WYOMING FIRE,
POTTSVILLE FIRE,
LEHIGH FIRE, and the TRAVELERS' ACCIDENT INSURANCE.
Also Pennsylvania and Mutual Home Thief and Fire Insurance Company.
March 29, 1875. THOS. KEMERER.

THOMAS A. WILLIAMS,
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S
Fashionable
Boot and Shoe Maker,
Next to Leuckel's Block,
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Having commenced business, as above, I would respectfully announce to the citizens of Lehigh and vicinity that I am prepared to do all work in my line in the neatest and most substantial manner, at prices fully as low as the same work can be obtained in Philadelphia. A splendid assortment of CHILDREN'S and MEN'S WEAR of the best materials on hand. A trial is solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.
July 4, 1874.

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PICTURES TAKEN IN ANY WEATHER.
CHILDREN'S LIKENESSES
A specialty.
PATRONAGE SOLICITED,
And satisfaction
Guaranteed. [Jan 9-75]

Singer Sewing Machine
AGENCY,
A. CARTER & SON,
July 27-ml MAUCH CHUNK.

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OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE,
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FRED. WAGNER, Proprietor.

This House has recently been fitted up in an elegant manner, where Ladies and Gentlemen will be supplied with

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.
OF ELEGANT ROOMS FOR THE USE OF GUESTS. TERMS MODERATE.
July 10, 1875-ml

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AGENCY,
Send for Illustrated Catalogue and Price List to
A. CARTER & SON,
July 17-ml MAUCH CHUNK

Railroad Guide.

NORTH PENNA. RAILROAD.
Passengers for Philadelphia will leave Lehigh-
ton as follows:
7:47 a.m. via L. & S. " " 11:15 a. m.
7:59 a.m. via L. & S. " " 11:27 a. m.
11:52 a. m. via L. & S. " " 2:29 p. m.
2:27 p.m. via L. & S. " " 5:51 p. m.
4:47 p.m. via L. & S. " " 8:21 p. m.
4:44 p.m. via L. & S. " " 8:20 p. m.
7:58 p.m. via L. & S. " " 10:59 p. m.
Returning, leave depot at Jerks and a suc-
cessful St. Phila., at 7:30, 8:30 and 9:45 a. m.; 2:10,
3:45 and 5:15 p. m.
From Lehigh to Phila., 7:25.
June 5, 1875. ELLIS CLARK, Agent.

CENTRAL R. OF N. J.
BRIDGE & SUSQUEHANNA DIVISION.
All Rail Route to Long Branch.
PASSENGER STATION IN NEW YORK FOOT
OF LIBERTY ST., N. E.
Time Table of May 31, 1875.

Trains leave Lehigh as follows:
For New York, Easton, etc., at 7:47, 11:07 a. m.,
2:26, 4:47 p. m.
For Philadelphia, 7:47, 11:07 a. m., 2:26, 4:47,
7:17 p. m.
For Mauch Chunk at 10:20 a. m., 1:14, 5:38, and
9:12 p. m.
For Wilkes-Barre and Scranton at 10:20 a. m., 1:14
p. m.

Returning—Leave New York, from station Cen-
tral Railroad of New Jersey, foot of Liberty
street, North River, at 5:30, 9:15 a. m., 12:45,
4:15 p. m.
Leave Philadelphia, from Depot North Penn's
R.R., at 7:00, 9:45 a. m., 2:10, p. m.
Leave Easton at 8:40, 11:45 a. m., 3:55 and
8:15 p. m.
Leave Mauch Chunk at 7:40, 11:00 a. m., 2:30 and
4:47, 7:10 p. m.

For further particulars, see Time Tables at the
Stations.
PASSENGERS FOR LONG BRANCH CHANGE
CARS AT ELIZABETH.
H. P. BALDWIN, Gen. Passenger Agent.
July 4, 1874.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD,
PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R.R. DIVISION.

Summer Time Table.
On and after SUNDAY, MAY 23rd, 1875, the
Trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Divi-
sion will run as follows:

WESTWARD.
FAST LINE leaves New York
Philadelphia 12:55 p.m.
Baltimore 1:30 p.m.
Harrisburg 2:00 p.m.
arr. at Williamsport 2:55 p.m.
Lock Haven 3:20 p.m.
Belmont 3:45 p.m.
New York 4:25 p.m.
Philadelphia 11:55 p.m.
Baltimore 11:25 p.m.
Harrisburg 10:55 p.m.
Williamsport 10:25 p.m.
Lock Haven 9:55 p.m.
Belmont 9:25 p.m.
New York 8:26 p.m.

ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia
11:55 p.m.
Baltimore 11:25 p.m.
Harrisburg 10:55 p.m.
Williamsport 10:25 p.m.
Lock Haven 9:55 p.m.
Belmont 9:25 p.m.
New York 8:26 p.m.

NIAGARA EX. leaves Philadelphia
7:40 a.m.
Harrisburg 8:15 a.m.
arr. at Williamsport 9:10 a.m.
Lock Haven 9:40 a.m.
Belmont 10:10 a.m.
New York 11:00 a.m.

ELMIRA MAIL leaves Philadelphia
8:00 a.m.
Harrisburg 8:30 a.m.
arr. at Williamsport 9:25 a.m.
Lock Haven 9:55 a.m.
Belmont 10:25 a.m.
New York 11:15 a.m.

EASTWARD.
PHILADELPHIA leaves Lock Haven
7:45 a.m.
arr. at Harrisburg 8:15 a.m.
Philadelphia 8:30 p.m.
New York 9:15 p.m.
Baltimore 9:45 p.m.
Lock Haven 10:15 p.m.
Williamsport 10:45 p.m.
Belmont 11:15 p.m.
New York 12:05 p.m.

ERIE MAIL leaves Erie
1:20 p.m.
Belmont 1:50 p.m.
Lock Haven 2:20 p.m.
Harrisburg 2:50 p.m.
arr. at Philadelphia 3:25 p.m.
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BUY IT! TRY IT!—THE INDIA RUBBER PLASTERS for a Weak Back, DURLING has them. May 9

Plotts' Star Organs
Are as perfect parlor organs as are manufac-
tured. Correspondence solicited with circulars,
specimens and the trade. Address, EDWARD
PLOTTS, Washington, N. J.

LOOK BEAUTIFUL—LOOK ROSEY!—A bot-
tle of DURLING'S ROSE GLYCERINE for
Roughness of the SKIN, CHAPPED HANDS,
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COMBINES EVERY IMPROVEMENT
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WHY, OH WHY will you suffer with that
COUGH or COLIC when you may be im-
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POUND SYRUP of TAR WILD CHERRY
and HORSERADISH. May 9.

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ity are all united in testifying that at A. J.
DURLING'S Drug and Family Medicine Store,
PURE, FRESH and UNADULTERATED MEDICINES
can always be found. May 9.

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AGENTS WANTED! (Male or Female), to
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STOVES!!

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Would respectfully
announce to his
friends and the pub-
lic in general, that
he has opened a first-class

Livery & Sale Stable,
and that he can furnish Horses, Buggies and
Carriages of the best description, for pleasure,
business or FUNERAL PURPOSES, at very
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**Elegant Parlor Suits,
Handsome Bedroom Sets,
Selling very Cheap for Cash.**

Examine before purchasing elsewhere.
Having had an experience of twenty years in
the

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Business, I am prepared to furnish all kinds of
COFFINS and CASKETS on short notice, and
attend to all business in this line in such a
manner as will give entire satisfaction, on very
reasonable terms. Patronage solicited.
March 27, '71. THEO. KEMERER

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Millinery Goods & Notions!

MRS. E. FATH,
Two Doors below the M. K. Church, Lehigh, Pa.
desires to call the attention of Ladies to the
fact that she is now OPENING a very large
stock of FALL and WINTER STYLES of

MILLINERY GOODS
Comprising
HATS, BONNETS,
TRIMMINGS and NOTIONS,
Together with a large assortment of KEPPER
PERFORATED MOTTOS, P. M. N. G.
STRAW, SWITCHES, HAIR GOODS, &c.
Prices as low as elsewhere, and work and
goods warranted. An inspection invited.
Sept 11-ml at 21 & FAIR.

The Murder at the Elms.

About ten or twelve years since I was practicing law at the village of Freeman, then containing ten or twelve hundred inhabitants.

The great man of Freeman was Ralph Newcomb, who resided on his estate, "The Elms," about a mile from the village, and who owned, in addition to the paper factory, a large amount of real estate, in and around the village.

A generous, good-hearted man was Ralph Newcomb, as was proven by his adopting his nephew, James Fairweather, when the boy's father died, leaving him an orphan of ten years of age, destitute and almost penniless. This was twenty years before the time of which this sketch treats.

And Ralph Newcomb was a young man then, and he had just commenced rearing the immense fortune which, at fifty years of age, he was possessed of.

And this made his adoption of the orphan more noble than if he had a large sum of money which he did not know how to dispose of.

The boy grew up in the house of his uncle, and when he arrived at a suitable age he was sent away to school; and, when prepared, was sent to college. Here James acquired some bad habits. He became a member of a secret club, composed of students of the college, and, in their company he learned to drink and gamble.

For a considerable time this did not reach the ears of his uncle, but, finally, Ralph heard of it, and as soon as his business would permit took the cars for Rutherford, the city where the college was situated. Arriving there, he repaired to the institution, and had a long and friendly talk with his nephew, which ended in the young man promising to abstain from his evil habits and resign his position as a member of the secret society.

But, alas! the temptation was too strong. For several days he did not touch a card or drink a drop of spirituous liquor. Nor did he enter the mysterious precincts of the club. But, finally, in an unguarded moment, one of his former companions induced him to take a glass of wine. This aroused, with renewed vigor, the appetite which the young man had succeeded in partially quenching, and glass after glass of the stimulant was consumed. Then, winking to each other in congratulation of their success, his "brothers" of the club led their half-crazed comrade to the club room, and producing the cards the play began. Rendered more and more reckless by repeated draughts of fiery brandy, young Fairweather staked heavily, and almost invariably lost, and, consequently, when he arose from the table he was over ten thousand dollars in debt to his friends.

The next morning Fairweather awoke with a dull, heavy pain in his head, the result of his dissipation, and as he gradually recollected the proceedings of the evening before, and the large amount which he owed to his companions, he bowed his head in despair of ever being able to break from the chains that bound him. And was soon convinced that his creditors were resolved to have the last cent of his indebtedness to them. They were angry with him for leaving their society, and had taken this method of revenge.

Also, hoping by it to induce him to resign them. And as soon as it was ascertained that young Fairweather was awake, his creditors came into the room and demanded the amounts due them. He informed them that he did not have near that amount of money, and had no means of procuring it.

"Write and ask your uncle for it. He will not refuse you," said one.

"I will not ask him for money to pay my gambling debts, after breaking my promise to him," answered the unhappy young man.

"If you do not we will," said another. "And we will not represent your offense in a mild light, we can assure you."

James saw that they were in earnest; and unless he succeeded in raising the money which they claimed, they would make application to his uncle for it, and would undoubtedly, greatly exaggerate his offense. So he arose, and informing them that he would get the money for them in one way or another, went to the principal and asked and obtained leave of absence, and then started by the first train for Freeman. This was the tenth of the month. On the morning of the ele