

secluded himself for about two weeks. No particular cause is assigned.

Mr. Samuel Shoemaker, clerk in the L. V. freight department office, left on the 1st of Feb. He left in a very quiet way and but few knew where he went to and a few care less.

A laborer, by the name of Haas, was seriously injured on Monday p. m., on one of the railroads, while working on the gravel train. He was taken through town on a wagon accompanied by three assistants.

A crowd of men could have been seen going up street on Monday with kettles in hand, having been discharged, in consequence of the suspension in the coal region, until the 14th of March.

Jacob Booteman, a brakeman on the L. V. R. R., was accidentally killed while shifting cars at Penn Haven Junction, on Monday. His body was run over and severed in two.

Alex. Campbell, confined in jail as one of the principals in the murder of John P. Jones, has applied, through his counsel, to be released on a writ of habeas corpus. The Judge has been written to, but no day has been set for the hearing.

One of the prisoners now in jail awaiting trial, made a confession one day last week implicating others in the murder of Jones and Yost, whereupon, five persons were arrested and lodged in jail, viz: Alex. Campbell, Jas. Boyle, Jas. Rority, Hugh McGeehan, Jas. Carroll and Thos. Duffy. Only one of these has been lodged in our jail, Alex. Campbell. You will remember some time ago we gave an account of a shooting affray which occurred at Summit Hill, and was supposed to be a "Mollie" who was fired at. Well, this gentleman you also remember came to your office soon after and demanded to know who wrote the article, and saying at the same time that he was not a "Mollie," but that he was the only "Mollie," but assisted in the murder of officer Yost, of Tamaqua last July. The saying is true that when you tell a person the truth, as regards himself, he gets mad. This fellow got mad, went from Summit Hill to Lehighton to say he wasn't a "Mollie," when he knew he was lying at the time. That "Mollie" is now in jail at Pottsville and is Hugh McGeehan by name.

A very interesting case was tried before a board of Arbitrators, consisting of Wm. A. Rapsler, Ben. Yeager and Bealer, on Tuesday last. The case runs something as follows: Jas. Anthony, now dead, went to Thos. Beck, of Lockport, Northampton Co., with a certified list, signed by J. H. Siewers, the Prothonotary, of all the judgments against his property, and asked Beck to loan him \$2500 on the strength of it. Beck said he had no money to loan; whereupon Anthony replied you have money of Harsonan's. Beck asked Anthony whether the certificate was a correct one, to which Anthony replied, "Yes," as he had just gotten it from the Prothonotary, J. H. Siewers. Beck, however, was not satisfied but, in company with Anthony, took the next train for Mauch Chunk and called on Siewers to know whether the paper he gave Anthony, and which Beck showed him, was a correct copy of the claims against Anthony's property, to what Siewers replied it was. Beck thereupon loaned Anthony \$2500 of Harsonan's money, taking therefore a judgment note. Several years afterwards it was found that there existed a judgment against Anthony which was not certified to on the certificate. Beck neglected to issue execution on his judgment when due, but, like many other men, gave Anthony time to pay it, as he do doubt begged for time. Anthony in the meantime died and his property was sold by the Sheriff, on account of the judgment which was not certified to and being prior to that of Beck's. It followed that the judgment of Beck's was not fully reached. An action was afterwards instituted against J. H. Siewers for the balance, on the ground that he issued a certificate under his official seal, taking therefore pay, purporting to be a correct copy of all the claims in his office against Anthony, and on the strength of which Beck loaned the money. The arbitrators, Tuesday, at the conclusion of the arguments, rendered an award of no cause of action, and in favor of J. H. Siewers. The case will be appealed to understand.

**Packerton Dots.**  
Mr. J. W. Grant, of the Fairbank's Scale Works, of Philadelphia, was in town on Saturday.

The scale office at this place is about to undergo a complete change, it is to be renovated generally.

There is some talk of putting in a new scale at the Packerton shops.

John Welsh is about to erect an ice-house, between his residence and the forwarding office of the L. V. R. R. Co. He proposes supplying our people with ice next summer.

Several energetic Packertonians, among whom we may mention Mr. Lee Sillas as the most prominent, are about to organize an association to be known as the "Packerton Young Men's Christian Association and Bible Class," to meet for the first time on Friday evening, the 11th inst. This is indeed something much needed in this place, and much credit is due our worthy friends for their thoughtfulness in taking such a step. We understand Mr. Thos. Harleman is to take charge of the Bible class PERRYWINKLE.

**Important Decision.**  
It will no doubt be interesting to farmers and others living along the line of railroads to know that the Supreme Court has affirmed the judgment of the Common Pleas Court of Northampton county in a case where Abraham Hendrickson obtained a verdict against the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company for burning his barn, the fire being kindled by sparks from a passing engine. The main point of the defense was that the weather was extremely dry, and the roof of the barn was in a rickety, rickety condition, which was argued as contributory negligence on the part of the owner. The court held that this point was unavailing, and sustained the judgment of the Lower court for damages.

### Out of Service.

At a regular stated meeting of Lehigh Hook & Ladder Co., of this borough, held on Monday evening last, the following resolution, declaring the company out of active service until sufficient money is raised to pay off its indebtedness, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we look up all our apparatus until sufficient money is contributed to enable us to pay off the balance of indebtedness, and that this resolution be published in the CARBON ADVOCATE.

The amount due by the Company for the "Little Giant" is \$40.00. A very small amount truly, but yet small as it appears, it has proved impossible for the Trustees to raise it by voluntary contributions among our citizens. There is upon the subscription books almost enough to pay this little balance, but the parties who have placed their names for the amount seem to think they had done well enough by subscribing a certain sum without paying it. And therefore have the company very wisely determined to go out of active service till they can clear themselves from debt.

### List of Petit Jurors

For Adjourned Court of Quarter Sessions to be held February 21, 1876.

Ammon Arner, machinist, Mahoning.  
Lewis Administrator, auction keeper, Mauch Chunk.  
David Arner, laborer, Lehighton.  
E. P. Berman, merchant, East Penn.  
John Berman, manufacturer, Mauch Chunk borough.  
Simon Beckhart, justice, E. Mauch Chunk bor.  
John F. Bickel, justice, Lehigh Township.  
Robert Calvin, carpenter, Mauch Chunk bor.  
Butte, Corright, laborer, E. Mauch Chunk bor.  
Phon Chas. G. Smith, Lehighton.  
Adam Easch, carpenter, Franklin Township.  
W. W. Kadio, bar tender, Waverly.  
John E. Kadio, bar tender, Waverly.  
W. E. Frable, shoemaker, Mauch Chunk bor.  
H. F. Greenzwilg, carpenter, Townshenning.  
John G. Harman, farmer, Summit Hill.  
R. F. Hoag, miller, Lehighton.  
Joseph Haverman, farmer, East Penn.  
E. H. Kripp, cooper, Summit Hill.  
High Woods, merchant, Mauch Chunk bor.  
John Oshorn, blacksmith.  
Christian Oshorn, laborer, East Penn.  
Owen Rohrig, painter, Lehighton.  
John Ricker, farmer, Summit Hill.  
H. H. Sill, burgess, Mauch Chunk.  
Thos. Shaffer, farmer, East Penn.  
Reid, Seifus, sawyer, Penn. Bor.  
Solomon Sot, butcher, Franklin.  
John Solomon, carpenter, East Mauch Chunk.  
David Tabor, merchant.  
John H. Weiss, inn keeper, Townshenning.  
Henry Wilford, boiler maker, Summit Hill.  
Wm. W. W. blacksmith, Packerton.  
Thos. Ziegenfuss, mason, Franklin.

### Another New Stock.

E. H. Rhodes announces to his friends and the people in general that he has just received another invoice of groceries and provisions. Among which he invites special attention to the following:

Maasroot, a choice article, per lb 25 cts.  
Turkey Prunes, also and fresh " 10 cts.  
Pork Sops, 5 cakes for 25 cts.  
Clerken Honey, 5 cakes for 25 cts.  
Baldwin's Tomato Catsup, per bottle 25 cts.  
Rivastack Honey, per package 25 cts.  
Cherry, 100 lbs, per pound 25 cts.  
And all other articles equally cheap, and guaranteed of best quality. A trial is invited. Store, opposite Carbon Advocate office.

### Public Sales.

Bills for the following sales have been printed at this office during the past few days:

February 26, at 1 p. m., on the premises, Beaver Run, the real estate of Elias Shive, dec'd.  
February 26, at 1 o'clock p. m., the real estate of Louis Franz, dec'd, in East Penn. Twp.  
February 26, at 1 o'clock p. m., the real estate of Joseph Kook, dec'd, in Franklin township.  
February 28, at 2 p. m., on the premises in the Borough of Lehigh, the real estate of Jas. Montz, dec'd, see advertisement.  
March 4th, at 1 o'clock p. m., the real estate of Samuel Shive, dec'd, in Mauch Chunk Twp.

### The Coal Trade.

The following table shows the quantity of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley Railroad for the week ending Feb. 20, 1876, and for the year compared with the same time last year:

Regions From	Week.	Year.
Hazleton	24,908 07	25,501 05
Upper Lehigh	1,218 05	1,218 05
Beaver Meadow	8,180 09	8,209 08
Mahoning	4,202 04	57,010 04
Mauch Chunk	67 03	840 17
Total	34,575 18	68,992 18
Last Year	25,501 05	44,467 03
Increase	31,708 15	225,120 15

**REPORT OF COAL TRANSPORTED OVER LEHIGH & SUSQUEHANNA DIVISION, CENTRAL R. R. OF NEW JERSEY—week ending Feb. 20, 1876.**

Shipped from	Tons, cwt.	Tons, cwt.
Worming	1,601 15	1,601 15
Upper Lehigh	3,611 05	24,528 16
Beaver Meadow	6,723 15	65,723 12
Mauch Chunk	111 05	111 05
Hazleton	5,858 03	53,029 14
Hazletonville		3,674 07
N. York F. & G. R. Co.		3,674 07
Total	34,226 07	235,078 11
Previously reported	206,522 04	
Total to date	240,748 11	
Same time last year	67,723 06	
Increase	173,025 05	
Decrease		

Daring a performance by public school children for a charitable purpose, in Robinson's Opera House, at Cincinnati, on Saturday afternoon, a fire broke out, which was caused by a fall alarm of fire. Nearly 600 children occupied the stage, and the auditorium was densely crowded, chiefly by women and children. A cry of fire was raised as the result of some colored fire flashed across the stage; it was re-echoed from the foot of the gallery, and a panic was made for the street. Women and children were crushed and trampled upon in the press, and ten or eleven children were killed and a number injured, some of whom may not recover. It is said the alarm was started by some mischievous boy in the gallery.

### MARRIED.

DUGAN—GALLAGHER.—On Sunday evening, the 6th inst., by Rev. Father Bunce, Mr. Hugh Dugan to Miss Maggie Gallagher, both of Mauch Chunk.

### DIED.

MILLER.—At Upper Mauch Chunk, on Sunday, January 30th, Mary Ann, infant daughter of Henry and Sophia Miller, aged 6 months and 14 days.

MITCHELL.—In Mauch Chunk, on Saturday, the 5th inst., Mr. Benjamin Mitchell, in the 44th year of his age.

MITCHELL.—In Mauch Chunk, on Saturday, the 5th inst., Miss Ann Sherlock, aged 49 years.

NEESLEY.—At Summit Hill, on the 1st inst., wife of William Nesley.

**Closing Prices of DEHAVEN & TOWNSEND, Stock, Government and Gold 40 South Third Street, Philadelphia, Feb. 19th 1876.**

U. S. 5's 1881	23 1/2 bid	22 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1882	14 1/2 bid	14 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1883	14 1/2 bid	14 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1884	17 1/2 bid	17 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1885	19 1/2 bid	19 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1886	21 1/2 bid	21 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1887	23 1/2 bid	23 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1888	25 1/2 bid	25 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1889	27 1/2 bid	27 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1890	29 1/2 bid	29 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1891	31 1/2 bid	31 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1892	33 1/2 bid	33 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1893	35 1/2 bid	35 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1894	37 1/2 bid	37 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1895	39 1/2 bid	39 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1896	41 1/2 bid	41 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1897	43 1/2 bid	43 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1898	45 1/2 bid	45 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1899	47 1/2 bid	47 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1900	49 1/2 bid	49 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1901	51 1/2 bid	51 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1902	53 1/2 bid	53 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1903	55 1/2 bid	55 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1904	57 1/2 bid	57 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1905	59 1/2 bid	59 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1906	61 1/2 bid	61 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1907	63 1/2 bid	63 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1908	65 1/2 bid	65 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1909	67 1/2 bid	67 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1910	69 1/2 bid	69 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1911	71 1/2 bid	71 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1912	73 1/2 bid	73 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1913	75 1/2 bid	75 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1914	77 1/2 bid	77 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1915	79 1/2 bid	79 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1916	81 1/2 bid	81 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1917	83 1/2 bid	83 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1918	85 1/2 bid	85 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1919	87 1/2 bid	87 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1920	89 1/2 bid	89 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1921	91 1/2 bid	91 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1922	93 1/2 bid	93 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1923	95 1/2 bid	95 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1924	97 1/2 bid	97 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1925	99 1/2 bid	99 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1926	101 1/2 bid	101 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1927	103 1/2 bid	103 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1928	105 1/2 bid	105 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1929	107 1/2 bid	107 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1930	109 1/2 bid	109 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1931	111 1/2 bid	111 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1932	113 1/2 bid	113 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1933	115 1/2 bid	115 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1934	117 1/2 bid	117 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1935	119 1/2 bid	119 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1936	121 1/2 bid	121 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1937	123 1/2 bid	123 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1938	125 1/2 bid	125 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1939	127 1/2 bid	127 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1940	129 1/2 bid	129 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1941	131 1/2 bid	131 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1942	133 1/2 bid	133 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1943	135 1/2 bid	135 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1944	137 1/2 bid	137 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1945	139 1/2 bid	139 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1946	141 1/2 bid	141 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1947	143 1/2 bid	143 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1948	145 1/2 bid	145 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1949	147 1/2 bid	147 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1950	149 1/2 bid	149 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1951	151 1/2 bid	151 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1952	153 1/2 bid	153 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1953	155 1/2 bid	155 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1954	157 1/2 bid	157 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1955	159 1/2 bid	159 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1956	161 1/2 bid	161 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1957	163 1/2 bid	163 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1958	165 1/2 bid	165 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1959	167 1/2 bid	167 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1960	169 1/2 bid	169 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1961	171 1/2 bid	171 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1962	173 1/2 bid	173 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1963	175 1/2 bid	175 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1964	177 1/2 bid	177 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1965	179 1/2 bid	179 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1966	181 1/2 bid	181 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1967	183 1/2 bid	183 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1968	185 1/2 bid	185 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1969	187 1/2 bid	187 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1970	189 1/2 bid	189 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1971	191 1/2 bid	191 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1972	193 1/2 bid	193 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1973	195 1/2 bid	195 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1974	197 1/2 bid	197 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1975	199 1/2 bid	199 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1976	201 1/2 bid	201 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1977	203 1/2 bid	203 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1978	205 1/2 bid	205 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1979	207 1/2 bid	207 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1980	209 1/2 bid	209 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1981	211 1/2 bid	211 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1982	213 1/2 bid	213 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1983	215 1/2 bid	215 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1984	217 1/2 bid	217 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1985	219 1/2 bid	219 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1986	221 1/2 bid	221 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1987	223 1/2 bid	223 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1988	225 1/2 bid	225 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1989	227 1/2 bid	227 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1990	229 1/2 bid	229 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1991	231 1/2 bid	231 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1992	233 1/2 bid	233 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1993	235 1/2 bid	235 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1994	237 1/2 bid	237 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1995	239 1/2 bid	239 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1996	241 1/2 bid	241 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1997	243 1/2 bid	243 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1998	245 1/2 bid	245 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 1999	247 1/2 bid	247 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2000	249 1/2 bid	249 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2001	251 1/2 bid	251 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2002	253 1/2 bid	253 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2003	255 1/2 bid	255 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2004	257 1/2 bid	257 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2005	259 1/2 bid	259 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2006	261 1/2 bid	261 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2007	263 1/2 bid	263 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2008	265 1/2 bid	265 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2009	267 1/2 bid	267 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2010	269 1/2 bid	269 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2011	271 1/2 bid	271 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2012	273 1/2 bid	273 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2013	275 1/2 bid	275 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2014	277 1/2 bid	277 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2015	279 1/2 bid	279 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2016	281 1/2 bid	281 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2017	283 1/2 bid	283 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2018	285 1/2 bid	285 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2019	287 1/2 bid	287 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2020	289 1/2 bid	289 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2021	291 1/2 bid	291 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2022	293 1/2 bid	293 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2023	295 1/2 bid	295 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2024	297 1/2 bid	297 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2025	299 1/2 bid	299 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2026	301 1/2 bid	301 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2027	303 1/2 bid	303 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2028	305 1/2 bid	305 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2029	307 1/2 bid	307 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2030	309 1/2 bid	309 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2031	311 1/2 bid	311 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2032	313 1/2 bid	313 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2033	315 1/2 bid	315 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2034	317 1/2 bid	317 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2035	319 1/2 bid	319 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2036	321 1/2 bid	321 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2037	323 1/2 bid	323 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2038	325 1/2 bid	325 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2039	327 1/2 bid	327 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2040	329 1/2 bid	329 1/2 asked
U. S. 5's 2041	331 1/2 bid	331