Society Meetings.

INFINITO CASTLE, No. 78, A. O. K. OF THE M. C. 2nd and 4th Monday of each month, in Reber's Hall, Lehighton, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. H. V. Morthimer, S. K. C.; S. R. Gilham, S. K. R. S.

GNADEN HUTTEN LODGE, No. 686, I. O. O. F. meets every Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock in Reber's Hall. Joseph Reigel, N. G.; N. B. Reber, Secretary.

OHO POCA TRIBE, No. 171, Imp. O. R. M., meet on Wednesday evening of each week, at 7:30 o'clock, in Public School Hall, Weissport, Pa. D. F. Rickert, S. S. R. Gilham, C. of R.

LEHIGHTON LODGE, No. 234 K. of P., meets on Friday evenings, in Reber's Hall, at 7:30 o'clock. Arch. Dick, C.C. T. R. Ratchff, K. of R. and S.

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☞ Parties receiving the ADVOCATE with a cross marked after their names will please remit the amount due for Subscription, or the extra 50 cents will be added to pay the expenses of collection. ☞

—Leave your measure with Laury & Peters, if you would look nice.

—20 cent wall paper at 18cts at the Central Drug Store, Leuckel's Building.

—For all kinds of job printing, at low prices, call at the ADVOCATE office.

—Lentz, the druggist, has just received a large and fine lot of chamois which he offers cheap

—The "fits" given at Laury & Peters', are unsurpassed by any other house in the county.

—C. W. Lentz, Central Drug store, Leuckel's building, is the place to find the choicest 5 cent cigar in town.

—The spring suits being gotten up by Laury & Peters, are fashionable and neat, while the price is within the reach of all.

—Flags and Centennial goods in choice variety at C. W. Lentz, Central Drug Store, Leuckel's Building.

—Mrs. S. E. Fatzinger announces to her lady friends that she has been to the city and purchased a new and fashionable stock of millinery goods, notions, &c. Goods made up in the latest fashion at very low prices.

—J. W. O'Neil, at the Lehighton Bakery, has newly and tastily fitted up his ice cream saloon and opened up his soda fountain, and is now prepared to supply our citizens with the finest flavors of ice cream and soda water day and evening.

DR. FITTLER'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY cures rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous and kidney diseases. DR. FITTLER'S PECTORAL SYRUP, infallible for coughs, colds and bronchitis. DR. FITTLER'S CORDIAL, CALISAYA, LINIMENT and VEGETABLE LIVER PILLS sold by C. W. Lentz, sole agent for Lehighton and Weissport. 2-1y

—J. K. Rickert has still a few of those eligible lots in Rickertstown to dispose of. If you feel like securing a good home call and see him He is also supplying flour, feed, lumber and coal at the lowest rates.

—ARE YOU TROUBLED with hoarseness or weak lungs, shortness of breath, or asthma? Thousands have been permanently cured by using Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka. For sale by every druggist & merchant in Lehigh, Northampton and Carbon Counties. 49-6m

—ARE YOUR CHILDREN SUBJECT TO THAT dangerous foe of childhood—CROUP OR COUGHS? Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka has been thoroughly tested, and never known to fail of effecting a complete and speedy cure when administered in time. Keep a bottle in your house. For sale by C. W Lentz, druggist, Lehighton. 49-6m.

—Head Quarters for Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.—Messrs. Laury & Peters are now receiving and offering for sale one of the largest and best selected stocks of mens' kip and calf boots, womens' and children's gaiters, shoes and rubbers ever brought into Lehighton, at prices which defy competition. Remember, if you want to buy cheap for cash, now is the time, and Laury & Peters' the place!

—DO YOU DESIRE SOUND LUNGS and a long life? Then do not neglect that cold, but procure a bottle of Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka at once. One fair trial will convince you of its great merits. Price 50 cents. For sale by A. J. Durling, and by druggists and merchants everywhere. 49-6m.

—Laury & Peters, the merchant tailors, call the attention of their customers and the public in general, to the fact that they have recently purchased the right for Lehighton and Weissport to make up the patent rubber bottoms for pantaloons, one of the best arrangements for keeping the bottoms of the pants in proper shape ever introduced. They have used it for the past 3 months and find it to give entire satisfaction.

—$35 cash will buy a silver mounted $65 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine. If you want call at the ADVOCATE office right off!

—Ladies and gentlemen in want of a neat fitting boot, shoe or gaiter, should leave their measure with T. A. Williams, next door to the "Carbon House," c Bank street.

—Farmers now would like a good, warm and bountiful rain.

—All goods guaranteed as represented at Lentz's drug store.

—The "centennial dress" is made of calico. Appropriate.

—Look at Nusbaum's popular announcement in another column.

—A fine assortment of pocket books at Lentz's drug store.

—Nothing makes a home so cheerful as white-washed out-buildings and fences.

—The St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal congregation of Hazleton have raised their pastor's salary to $1,400.

—For a toothpick, box of pills or a strenghtening plaster call at Lentz's drug store.

—The Port Carbon (Schuylkill Co.,) furnace was blown out last Saturday, and it is stated is in the hands of the Sheriff.

—John Stahler, a miner in the Mahanoy mines, was killed Monday morning last by a fall of coal.

—C. W. Lentz, the druggist, on Bank Street, will try to use you right.

—Quoit pitching and base ball now occupies the time and attention of our juveniles.

—Caustic soda, for soap making, at Lentz's drug store, for 12½ cents a pound.

—The skeleton of a man, supposed to have been murdered a year ago, was found on the mountain near Frackville, in Schuylkill county, Sunday. The skull was fractured and the nose broken.

—A large lot of Centennial baby carriages just received and for sale very cheap for cash at F. P. Semmel's Hardware store, Lehighton, Pa.

—Just now is a good time to go to David Ebbert's livery and hire one of his handsome "rigs" and view the delightful scenery of our valleys and mountains. Try it—terms low.

—Paper hanging, painting and glazing neatly done by Ed. Eisenhower. Orders left at the post-office, Lehighton, Pa., will receive prompt attention. Charges very moderate and satisfaction guaranteed. (24)

The mother of Rev. A. R. Horne, principal of the Keystone Normal School at Kutztown, died recently at her residence in Bucks county.

—Mr. G. L. Schreiber, of Coplay, is the owner of a four year old Percheron colt weighing 1500 pounds.

—If you want a nice glove go to T. D. Clauss' and select from his new and elegant stock of kid and Lisle thread gloves, just opened.

—One of the miniature engines of the Lehigh Valley Iron Co., at Coplay, heretofore used in pulling cinder cars, has gone to Philadelphia to do service there during the summer on the track of the West End Passenger Railway Co.

—Joseph Miller, a boatman, residing in Weissport, who has been sick since last fall, died on Monday night. He was about 55 years of age, and leaves a wife and several children to mourn his death.

—The new plaining mill of Yeakel, Birery & Co., in Weissport, will shortly be finished and ready to commence work. The large wheel arrived on Tuesday last.

—T. D. Clauss has just returned from the city with a beautiful stock of Centennial and other styles of neckties. Also, a full stock of gent's furnishing goods of the choicest quality. Call and see them.

—Sponges, perfumery and fancy soap for the summer toilet at Lentz's drug store.

—Feeling called upon to serenade his dear gazelle he borrowed an accordeon and, after getting so that he could squeeze a few doleful noises out of it, he posted himself under her window one night and began plaintively howling, "Oh, whisper what thou feelest!" She poked her head out of the window at the third line and said, "Oh, it's you, is it? I thought it was cats. And you want me to whisper how I feelest, hey? Well, I feelest tired, that's what. Been working a hard running sewing machine all day. Get me a 'Light-Running Domestic' and then I'll know you mean business."

—You may not be aware of the fact, but it is nevertheless true, that C. W. Lentz is paying out **SILVER** in change at his drug store, in Leuckel's Building.

—Patrick Kelly, charged with shooting John Conway, a miner, at Springbrook, Luzerne county, in January, 1874, was captured at Mahanoy City on Tuesday last. The shooting occurred during a drunken brawl.

—Do you want an elegant suit of clothes? If so call at the merchant tailoring establishment of T. D. Clauss, and examine his beautiful assortment of cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which he is now making up at **prices far below** any other house in the Valley, while the style of fit and workmanship is unsurpassed. Call and see his goods before you purchase elsewhere. There is no charge for showing goods. Also, a full line of ladies' and gentlemen's satchels.

—On Saturday last Messrs. Laury & Peters flung to the breeze an eighteen foot flag in front of their tailoring establishment. The first of a number to be "histed" during the next few days.

—A J. Durling's window is elaborately fixed up with "Centennial fixings."

—The first Centennial excursion ticket, from Lehighton to Philadelphia, via L. V. RR. was purchased by Adam Buckman, the popular carriage builder, of this borough, on Monday morning last.

—Sunday afternoon, April 30th, we had quite a severe snow storm, and during the night ice formed one fourth of an inch in thickness.

—A collision occurred between two passenger trains on the Tamaqua branch of the C. R. R. of N. J., on Monday morning last. Both engines were badly mashed, but none of the passengers were hurt, although some of them were badly scared.

—Tempting bargains at the CHEAP CASH STORE of J. T. Nusbaum & Son.

—The Pennsylvania railroad company announces a quarterly dividend of two per cent., payable on the 29th inst.

—The Catawissa railway company announces a semi-annual dividend of three and a half per cent. on the preferred stock payable on the 5th inst.

—We visited the store of D. Bock & Co., opposite the L. & S. depot, on Thursday forenoon, and found Mr. Mellose, the gentlemanly supervisor of the business, fresh and genial in his manners. He exhibited to us a large variety of the goods offering at that store and gave us a list of his prices which upon comparison we find to be fully as low as the lowest. This firm is doing a strictly cash business and consequently offer great inducements to purchasers. Read their large advertisement and then give them a call.

—Deputy Sheriff Wm. Butler was in town Thursday, and stopped in to see us. He informed us that Sheriff Breneiser is slowly improving in health.

—The trial of McGeeghan, Boyle, Carroll, Roarty and Duffy, for the murder of Policeman Yost, began Thursday at Pottsville. The court-house was crowded with spectators. Over 200 witnesses have been summoned. At the time of adjournment of the Court only one juror was secured.

Big Creek Items.

—Candidates are getting more numerous.

—Read the notice to fishermen, in another column.

—Singing school is now taking the place of Spelling Bees.

—Garden works are being pushed along quite rapidly in this section.

—Our farmers are preparing the ground preparatory to the planting of corn.

—The swallows have made their appearance—although not in very large numbers.

—Our roads are in a very good condition for travel at the present time of writing.

—The days are still increasing in length and afford more hours for work and less for sleep.

—A new singing school will be opened shortly, at Solt's. All wishing to avail themselves of the opportunity will please make a note of this.

—The singing school, at Pine Run, "busted" on Saturday evening last, and ceased to exist just before the snow storm came on.

—Ladies should not put off securing their flower and garden seeds any longer. They can be had at W. E. Kemerer's store.

—Mr. Paul Solt, of this place, is rapidly hurrying his house towards completion. He has increased from 1 1-2 story to two stories in height.

—I am pleased to note that the wife of our esteemed friend, W. E. Kemerer, of this place, who was seriously indisposed for the past three weeks, has improved her condition considerably, and is now able again to be about her work as usual.

—It is not the man who pretends to own the greatest amount of property, and at the same time drive a kind of horse jockeying business that is the most respected, man generally believes him self greater than he is, and is esteemed less than he is worth—Selah.

—Quite an unexpected snow storm occurred at this place on Sunday afternoon, and on Sunday night it froze so hard that ice was formed upon water where it was standing in still places. Fears are entertained by many that the fruit crop may have suffered therefrom. However, I hope it may not be so, and that we may have an abundant crop again this year is the earnest wish of REVERE.

—Mr. J. R. Giffin, agent for the nursery of S. T. Magee, of Montandon, Northumberland county, delivered a large number of trees at this place last week. They were the finest, and best looking trees delivered at this place for a number of years. Mr. Giffin will find no difficulty in taking new orders, as the trees he sold our farmers, give greatest satisfaction, and even speak for themselves.

—There will be preaching at Snyder's, this (Saturday) evening, and to-morrow. (Sunday), 10 a. m., in the church at Solt's. REVERE.

Big Creek, May 2.

$500.00.

$500 in new **SILVER** coin just received from the Philadelphia mint, which will be given as change instead of currency to all who may desire it, at A. J. DURLING'S drug store. Headquarters for pure, reliable drugs, medicines, wall paper and fancy goods in Lehighton.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Lehighton Post Office, May 4th, 1876:

J. Appenzeller	Miller, R Levi
Biegel, Al	Rice, Emma V
Bellersonder, A J	Snyder, Lelia
Ebert Hannah	Steigerwalt, Lewis
Gauck Johan, German	Snyder, Franklin S
Hade Landy	Smith, Monda R
Haus, Aaron	Thomas, John
Grum, Nathan	Wray, H H

Persons calling for any of the above letters will please say they are "advertised in the CARBON ADVOCATE." H. H. Peters, P. M.

Church Dedication.

On Sunday, the 21st of May, there will be dedicated to the worship of God, the newly erected "Mission Church," of the Evangelican Association, at Lehighton. Various strange preachers are expected to participate in the exercises on the occasion. Bishop Bowman will preach in the German language at 10 o'clock a. m., Rev. S. Neitz at 2 o'clock p. m., after which an English address will follow, and at 7:20 o'clock Bishop Bowman will preach in the English language, after which the communion of the Lord's Supper will be administered. The christian community is cordially invited to participate in the exercises on the occasion, without respect of person. J. C. BLIEM.

Jimmy Kerrigan.

As everything pertaining to the "Mellies," and to that "broth av a boy" Jimmy Kerrigan, in particular, is anxiously looked for and read, we reproduce, from the columns of the Shenandoah Evening Herald, the following account of Jimmy's trip to and appearance in Pottsville on Monday morning last:

A ripple excitement was caused Monday morning by the circulation of a report that Kerrigan had been brought to town, and since the resort had been corroborated James has become the favorite topic of conversation. Jimmy is a very mysterious individual—at least that is the general opinion. Now you see him, and now you don't—a good seat like the one at that spend the most of its time in gymnastic feats. At a quarter past three o'clock Monday morning Captain Peeler, of the Coal and Iron police, Deputy Sheriff Samuel Snyder, and Kerrigan quietly emerged from Mauch Chunk jail, and proceeded in the direction of the Lehigh depot. The sidewalks were shunned by the music three, who did not care about disturbing the slumbers of the placid, but easily excited, borough. Reaching the depot just in time to catch the fast express three o'clock train, the travelers embarked, and they arrived at Mount Carbon a few minutes before nine o'clock. Allowing the train to proceed, the three waited for a conveyance that had been hired to carry them to Pottsville, and Jimmy, who did not know what arrangements had been made, but making a shrewd guess, said: "Are you going to give me another carriage ride?" being answered in the affirmative, he looked at the crowd that had assembled and smiled patronizingly, and seemed as happy as a lark. Ten minutes' drive brought them to the jail, which James entered, and in which he now remains. He never looked better—or, in fact, as well—as his life as he did Monday morning. A new suit—coat, pants, vest, and hat—was purchased for him a few days ago, and to see the way in which he conducts himself when he has donned a high toggery is enough to kill a misanthropic man with envy to think that one who has gone through so much trouble as Jimmy has could possibly be so light-hearted. As Jimmy is so precious, it is nothing more than right that he should be well taken care of, and some of his friends think so much of him that they are afraid the change of climate may affect his health. We think however, that fears on this head are groundless and that condiment more care is necessary to prevent the culprit from laying himself up with dyspepsia, or something of that sort.

The Coal Trade.

The anthracite coal trade continues in the same discouraging position as for the past month. There is a superabundance of coal on the market, and yet the supply increases from week to week. Operators in the Lehigh region have decided to suspend operations for twelve days, beginning on the 30 of May. This suspension is attributed by the *Engineering and Mining Journal* to the fact that the Lehigh Valley railroad has exceeded by more than double its allotment of shipment to tidewater for the month of April. The company was remonstrated with by the combination carrying companies, which resulted in the suspension of production as stated. The Lehigh Valley Company is not directly a member of the combination, hence cannot be fined for excessive tonnage. Work at the Schuylkill mines continues quite slack, though the shipments of coal the past week were increased over those of the previous week. But the coal outlook, it cannot be denied, is at present quite discouraging.—*Ledger, May 1.*

The following table shows the quantity of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley Railroad for the week ending April 29th, 1876 and for the year as compared with the same time last year:

Regions From.	Week.	Year
Wyoming	37,451 04	446,035 01
Hazleton	55 604 03	532,019 13
Upper Lehigh	99 11	492 07
Beaver Meadow	14, 41 15	197,590 14
Mahanoy	7,.77 14	148,031 03
Mauch Chunk	25 01	2,459 17
Total	95 455 08	1,319,156 15
Last Year	31,189 18	756,872 15
Increase	64,3.8 10	562,286 03
Decrease		

REPORT OF COAL transported over Lehigh & Susquehanna Division, Central R. R. of New Jersey—week ending April 29, 1876.

Shipped from	Total week. tons. cwt.	To date. tons. cwt.
Wyoming	39,9 3 09	360,744 14
Upper Lehigh	7,3.5 17	66,816 10
Beaver Meadow	9,182 11	112,492 12
Hazleton	4,555 18	154 6 14
Mauch Chunk	15,550 19	109,159 04
Hazardville	854 18	19,817 49
N. York P. & G. B. C.		3 674 03
Total	83,194 05	631,52 06
Previously reported	501,4 8 01	
Total to date	731,529 06	
Same time last year	186,4 8 06	
Increase	445,1.2 00	
Decrease		

Metuchen Tribe, No 232, Imp. O. of R. M.

On Thursday evening last a tribe of this Order was inaugurated in this place, under the above title, by G. S, Geo. W. Kreamer, and G. K. of R., Andrew J. Baker, of Philadelphia, assisted by D. G. S. Morrow, and a number of the members of the Mauch Chunk and Weissport Tribes. The following named persons were duly elected and installed officers for the ensuing term:

Prophet—P. S., Arch. Dick
Sachem—H. V. Morthimer.
S. Sag.—W. K. Bensinger.
J. Sag.—H. R. Kindler.
K. of R.—S. R. Gilham.
K. of W.—Phaon Clauss.
Rep.—P. S., A. W. Eaches.

The Tribe having thus been fully inaugurated, were very ably addressed by Mr. Geo. W. Kreamer, and Andrew J. Baker, of Philadelphia, D. G. S. Morrow, of Mauch Chunk, and others, upon the duties of its officers and members, when the meeting adjourned until Saturday evening, May 13, at 8 o'clock, at which time the regular meeting will be held.

The officers of the Grand Lodge left for Philadelphia on the early train Friday morning, expressing themselves highly pleased with the prospects of the Tribe's becoming a success.

Post Mortem Examination.

The protracted illness of Joseph Miller, of Weissport, terminated in death on Tuesday morning at three a. m. The cause of his sickness being somewhat obscure, his dying request was, that a post mortem examination of his body should be made by his attending physician. The friends of the deceased having given their consent to the proposed examination, Dr. Zern, assisted by D. S. Grossman, proceeded to investigate the nature of his disease. The Dr's opinion and also the opinion of Dr. Leader, of White Haven, was, that the patient was suffering from cancer of the stomach; this diagnosis was confirmed by the examination. The cancer originated in the stomach, affected almost its entire length and also extended to the liver and pancreas, forming adhesions with these organs. During the last few weeks of his life, Mr. Miller's sufferings were very great. Fortunately for humanity, comparately few persons are afflicted with this terrible disease.

Obituary.

On the 26th of April, Sarah Krum, consort of Lewis Krum, of Lehighton, aged 23 years and 24 days. Her remains were consigned to the grave in West Penn, on Sunday last, attended by a large funeral procession from the residence of the deceased to the place of interment, manifesting, thereby, their high esteem and kind regard of the bereaved family. The American Mechanics, in a body, attended the interment and wore the badge of mourning, as an idication of condolence. A large congregation was assembled at the church before the funeral had arrived, so that it was almost impossible for the relatives and friends to obtain entrance. The occasion was improved by Rev. J. C. Bliem, on Rev. 14th chapter, 13th verse, who delivered an effective sermon, to a deeply moved and interested congregation. The services were concluded by Rev. E. Bats, of Reading, with the Evangelical rite of interment.

The Nesquehoning Explosion.

The following is the finding of the jury to investigate the late explosion at Nesquehoning:

"We, the jurors, find that Thomas Shields, Hugh Coffield, and James McGloven came to their death on the morning of April 12, 1876, by an explosion of gas or fire damp, in west twenty-eight feet gangway, near the heading or face of slope No. 3, Nesquehoning mines, worked by the Lehigh and Susquehanna coal company. We believe the gas was ignited by a naked light being brought in contact with the sulphur on the heads, or in the hands of one or more of the workmen (unknown to the jury) employed in said west twenty-eight feet gangway, in which was a violation of the law and of the rules established by the company. No blame rests on any of the parties concerned, save only a want of proper precaution on the part of the workmen employed in that part of the mine."

The Williamsport Fire.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., April 29.—About ten o'clock last night an incendiary fire was started in the heart of the lumber district and in one of the most dangerous localities. The flame steadily increased. The flame shot up rapidly and at eleven o'clock it had developed sufficiently to show that a serious conflagration was threatened. By 12 o'clock the whole city was illuminated and the bells were sounded. Milton, twenty-five miles distant, Mayor Starkweather, after a hurried consultation with the chief and foreman of the fire department, at once decided to ask assistance from a score and he immediately telegraphed to Lock Haven, Sunbury and Watsontown.

The fire was started on the extreme northwestern corner of the ground occupied by Ransted & Flynn. By the time the steamers and hose carts arrived the flames had gained a headway that could not have been checked by four times as many steamers as our fire department consists of. For a long time the firemen worked upon the piles of lumber belonging to Ransted & Flynn. Tremendous but fruitless efforts were made to bar its progress at Maynard street, the dividing line between Ransted & Flynn's piling ground and that used by Maynard & Co. The flames swept fiercely across Maynard street and licked up the high piles of lumber in spite of the immense amount of water that was thrown upon them. After vainly striving to confine the flames to the piles then burning the firemen took up a position on Maynard street leading into the new bridge. Here a space of thirty feet intervened between the piles and it was thought that by placing boards endways against the piles on the lower side of the street the course of the fire might be checked. To this point the firemen directed their attention, and for about twenty minutes struggled manfully with varying success, and were then compelled to abandon their position and fly for their lives, as the surging billows bounded over the vacate space and capped up the piles in the lower side of the street. One position after another was taken only to be abandoned as the dreadful enemy swept forward. After the fire reached the lumber piles belonging to G. W. Maynard & Co's mill it seemed as if nothing but a want of fuel would suffice to check it. A large amount of lumber on the north side of the railroad was now in imminent peril. But by a providential change in the wind it was saved. Every hope of checking the fire west of Campbell street was abandoned, and at twelve o'clock there were acres of burning lumber. Fortunately the wind, which changed to the south at twelve o'clock, had not changed up to one o'clock. Piles of lumber in every direction apparently were on fire. As it approached the canal, where the Williamsport furniture company had a number of piles of valuable lumber, men went to work at saving as much as possible by pitching it into the canal. But the time allowed them for this work was very brief, and they were compelled to retreat without accomplishing a great deal. Onward to Campbell street the flames swept, and here there was nothing for them to feed upon, the open space being sufficient to prevent them leaping to the lumber on the east side. At two o'clock the Lock Haven engine company arrived and at once hurried to the scene, but were too late to render any assistance, as at that hour the fire had spent its strength and was under control. At about the same time the Watsontown and Sunbury fire companies arrived. It is estimated that 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet of pine lumber were burned. The heaviest losers are Herdic & Maynard, about 3,000,000 feet; Ransted & Flynn, several million; Thos. Tozier, 1,000,000; Hubbard & Manner, 200,000; and 100,000 shingles belonging to an Elmira firm. The loss is pretty well covered by insurance.

The latest estimates place the total loss at about $125,000. The principal losers are Herdic & Maynard, $50,000; insured for $32,500. Ransted & Flynn, $25,000; insured for $22,500. Thos. Tozier, $12,000; insured for $7,000. Hubbard & Manner, $8,000; insured for $5,000. L. Holden, of Elmira, $400, fully covered by insurance. There is also a loss of about $10,000 in damaged railroad tracks belonging to the Catawissa railroad and the lumber yard.

A Desperado's Crimes.

HONESDALE, Pa., May 1.—George Kent, who was arrested some three weeks ago and lodged in jail in this place, on charge of attempting to burn the village of Forest Mills, is a desperate criminal. During the past ten years he has been a terror to this section. He was first arrested for alleged murder of his wife. He escaped punishment by a mysterious disappearance of the remains of his wife, which had been exhumed for analysis. All the parties who were active in causing his arrest for the murder afterward suffered by the burning of their mills, barns, and other buildings. Kent was afterward arrested for the commission of several highway robberies and burglaries in the western part of the county, but escaped from his captors on the way to jail. For a year he eluded the officers and hovered about in the woods, burning saw mills, barn buildings, and other property. To escape the consequences of his revenge, the parties seeking his punishment settled with him, and he again made his appearance.

Shortly afterward he waylaid the adopted daughter of a wealthy farmer in the woods of Salem township as she was returning from school and assaulted her. Complaint was made against Kent, and he was arrested, indicted, and admitted to bail. The week before his trial there was a spelling school in the district school house in Salem. The only witness against Kent was the girl he had outraged. She left home about dark to attend the spelling school. She has never been seen or heard of since. Kent was arrested on charge of killing her, but no evidence could be brought warranting his detention. Kent has since been in custody on charge of rape, burglary, arson and attempted murder, but managed to escape punishment in every case.

He recently appeared in the manufacturing village of Forest Mills, near the Luzerne county line. Incendiary fires have been prevalent in that section ever since, and although Kent was believed to be the incendiary, the fear of him was so great that no measures were taken by the sufferers to have him punished. A number of disastrous conflagrations occured in the city of Scranton during the past winter, and all of unconbted incendiary origin, and since the arrest of Kent for the Forest Mills outrage, it is said that circumstances pointing to him as the incendiary have been discovered.

Kent was discharged from the employ of the Forest Mills Manufacturing Company some months ago. The dwellings of certain employees were burned soon after. Three weeks ago a German living at the mills revealed to the superintendent late at night a plot of Kent's for destroying the entire village. Investigation showed that kerosene oil and other inflammable stuff had been placed about the factories and many of the dwellings and was ready for the torch. The doors of a house occupied by one of the foremen and his family had been fastened with chains, so that they could not be opened from the inside.

Kent would have been lynched if the incensed operatives had found him, but he escaped to the woods. He was captured a few days afterward by officers, and lodged in jail in Honesdale, and it was believed that he was at last to meet his deserts. On Saturday evening last, however, he escaped from the jail by rushing suddenly by the Sheriff, who had entered his cell with his rations. He reached the street, and escaped in the darkness.

Honesdale, Pa., May 2.—George Kent, who broke jail in this place on Saturday night, was found under a haystack in a field at Indian Orchard, four miles below this place, yesterday afternoon. He was brought back to his quarters, and will be tried this week.

HARRISBURG, May 4.—The members have commenced packing up their documents, etc., in order to be prepared for their departure as soon as possible after the adjournment. In the House the scenes of some few winters ago are being re-enacted, and some of the members amuse themselves throwing paper balls, files of bills, etc., around the room, notwithstanding the request of the Speaker to demean themselves in a manner becoming the dignity of members of the House of Representative. The usual subscriptions are being made in both branches by the members, for the purchase of suitable testimonials of esteem for the presiding officers and members. Senate bill No. 21, known as the Boom bill, is now in the hands of the Governor awaiting his signature or veto. No effort will be spared by the friends of the bill to secure its approval, and as the Senate, by its action in authorizing its presiding officers to sign it.

—John Coghlin, Treasurer of Mahanoy township, in Schuylkill county, was convicted on Saturday of forgery and embezzlement.

—Hon. Henry Rawl assumed the duties of State Treasurer Monday, Mr. Mackey retiring.

DIED,

REBER—In this borough, on Tuesday, the 2d inst., Mary Agnes, daughter of Dr. N. B. and Rebecca Reber, aged 3 years, 2 months and 17 days, after a sickness of only 24 hours. The disease being a malignant form of cerebro spinal meningitis.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (saturday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the parents residence to the M. E. Church and thence to the Lehighton cemetery.

Closing Prices of DEHAVEN & TOWNSEND, Stock, Government and Gold Brokers, 40 South Third Street, Philadelphia, May 4th 1875.

U. S. 6's '81	22¾	bid	22½	asked
U. S. 5-20's, 1865	14½	bid	14¾	asked
U. S. 5-20's, 1865—J. & J.	16¾	bid	17	asked
U. S. 5-20's 1867	21	bid	21¼	asked
U. S. 5-20's, 1868	22½	bid	22¾	asked
U. S. 10-40's	18¾	bid	18¾	asked
U. S. currency, 6's	26	bid	28¾	asked
U. S. 5's 1881, now	17¾	bid	17¾	asked
Called 5-20's	14½		14¾	asked
Pennsylvania R. R.	52¾	bid	52¾	asked
Phila & Reading R. R.	49	bid	49¼	asked
Lehigh Valley R. R.	58	bid	58¼	asked
Lehigh Coal & Nav. Co.	46¼	bid	46¼	asked
United Companies of N. J.	134¼	bid	135	asked
Oil Creek & Alt. Val. R. R.	10¾	bid	10¾	asked
Phila. & Erie R. R.	18	bid	18¼	asked
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