The Carbon Advocate.

H. V. MORTHIMER, ... EDITOR

LEHIGHTON, PA.:

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 22, 1877.

Democratic Nominations.

STATE TICKET.

Supreme Judge—John Trunkey, Venango.
Auditor General—William B. Schell, Bedford.
State Treasurer—Amos H. Noyes, Clinton.

Republican Nominations.

STATE TICKET.

Supreme Judge—Jas. H. Stewart, Allegheny.
Auditor General—J. A. M. Passmore, Schuylkill.
State Treasurer—Wm. R. Hart, Montgomery.

—The Republican Delegate election will be held to-day (Saturday). The polls will be open at the Hotel of Thos. Mantz from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m. The Convention will be held in the Court House, at Mauch Chunk, on Wednesday the 26th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

—The State Convention of Greenbackers met Wednesday in Williamsport, adopted a platform, and nominated the following ticket: Judge of the Supreme Court, Benjamin S. Bentley, of Lycoming county; Auditor General, J. E. Emerson, of Beaver; State Treasurer, James L. Wright, of Philadelphia.

—Gold opened in the stock rooms, at Philadelphia, on Monday morning at 103¼, the closing price on Saturday, but soon dropped to 103, and after a bound up to the opening figure, settled again to 103, where it stood at noon. This is the lowest quotation of the precious metal since the suspension of specie payments in June, 1862. With gold at 103, the paper or greenback dollar is worth a bare trifle under 97 cents and 9 mills.

—Official returns from all the cities and towns in Main, except 14 small places, received in the office of the Kennebec Journal, show that the total vote was 101,451, the largest with one exception since 1860. Connor, Republican, received 53,665 votes: Williams, Democrat, 41,835; Munson, Greenbacker, 5188, and 763 were scattering. The Constitutional amendment limiting the franchise to those who have paid a poll tax within two years was defeated; that limiting the debts of corporations was carried.

—A courier has arrived at Bozeman, Montana, with an official despatch from General Sturgis. The latter reports that the Nez Perces flanked him and went to Clark's Fork; after two days' pursuit he overtook them on the Yellowstone, seven miles below the mouth of Clark's Fork, and fought them nearly a whole day. The result of the fight, which seems, as usual, to have been indecisive, was the killing of "a great many Indians, and some soldiers." The Crows captured 150 horses. The Nez Perces had burned a mill and several ranches,

—An eastern bound passenger train on the Union Pacific Railroad was robbed by thirteen masked men at Big Springs, a water station 160 miles east of Cheyenne, on Tuesday night. The robbers took possession of the station, destroyed the telegraphic instruments, compelled the agent to hang out a red light, boarded the train when it stopped, placed the train men and passengers under guard, and then robbed the express safe of about $65,000 and the passengers of about $1300 and several gold watches. They escaped northward. A reward of $10,000 is offered for their capture.

—The Democratic Delegate election takes place to-day (Saturday), at the Carbon House, this borough. The polls will be open from 2 o'clock till 7 p. m. The Convention will be held at the Court House, Mauch Chunk, on Monday, 24th inst. The only nomination to make is for District Attorney, for which position there are two aspirants: Peter J. Meehan, Esq., a rising and gentlemanly young lawyer, and the present incumbent of the office, E. R. Siewers, Esq. The effort to secure the Delegates from the several districts is very strenuous, and at this writing the prospects at the lower end are decidedly favorable for the nomination of Mr. Meehan, who is well and favorably known among our people.

—The New York Herald has received a despatch from its African explorer and correspondent, Henry M. Stanley. He had reached the western coast of Africa, having had a fearful journey, enduring great privations, fighting his way through and losing a large number of his men. He has solved one of the African problems, having proved by actual exploration that the Lualaba river and the Congo are identical. His journey through Africa was one of the most perilous and heroic on record. The last of his white assistants, Francis Pocock, an Englishman, was swept over the falls of the Massassa on the 3rd of June last. His faithful companion, Kalulu, was also lost.

—Potter's American Magazine is rapidly advancing to the front of American Monthlies. The October number is replete with evidences of progress, and shows that the publishers and editors are wide awake to the interests of the reading public. This periodical possesses a value and supplies a place which no other publication does, and being devoted chiefly to subjects of intrinsic worth and interest to American readers, the fostering of American talent, the improvement of American art, it should be in every American home.

We notice in each number new contributors of recognized ability. "The Writings of George Elliot—their Merit and Influence," by J. R. Haskins, is a paper of more than ordinary excellance. The leader, the fourth paper on "Civic and Scenic New England—Springfield as it Was and Is," will well compensate perusal, possessing as it does a semi-historical interest. Rev. William Hall gives us "The Ancient Sleepy Hollow Church on the Hudson;" Mrs. Elizabeth Oakes Smith supplies the third paper on "The Amazons of Mexico," a story strangely novel and fascinating. Following these "Bird Life" is most happily brought to view, and the subject liberally illustrated. "The Morristown Ghost;" "Science and Revelation;" "A Classic Mystery;" "Glimpses of the Pepsy Diary;" "Presentment," and "The Mysterious Promise," are also entertaining and instructive articles.

The Editorial departments are specially attractive, giving us "A Curious Legend;" "A Strangely Beautiful Custom;" "The Eccentricities of Genius;" "The Trade Problem;" "Capital and Labor;" "Book Reviews;" "Art in the Elder World;" "The Delights and Labors of Literature," "Electrical Influences," and the "Transmission of Heat."

The number concludes with a most agreeable intellectual and moral desert on "The Home Circle," "The Witchery of Manners," and kindred subjects, in which are mingled instruction, wit and humor.

The broad, open pages, clear type, choice matter, variety of subjects, and profuse illustrations make this periodical one of our most welcome visitors. Published by JOHN E. POTTER, & Co., Philadelphia.

—Virginia's experiment with bell punches as collector of taxes on the liquor traffic promises good results in the collection of a large fund with which to meet the interest on the public debt, and this is apparently its whole purpose. An obvious improvement would be to make a punch which should register an effective warning to the would-be drinker not to drink to excess. The direct revenues of the State might be reduced by such a moral agent set up in every tavern and bar-room, but the expenses of penitentiaries and almhouses would also be greatly reduced, and in the end the State would be better off. The chief defect of the law requiring the registering of drinks is that it has been adopted solely for the purpose of collecting a heavy tax, and not for such a purpose as is effected by a good license law—a limitation of the liquor traffic.

—The Philadelphia Times, in discussing the labor problem says: "In this country net increase of values each year is only about four or five per cent., and each net earnings per capita only about $18. Therefore every man that has saved more than eighteen dollars from his year's work has passed the line that divides the laborer and the capitalist, and is to be reckoned as one of the latter class. There are many inducements to this course which are wanting in the older countries. There the rate of interest varies from one-and-a-half to three per cent., here it is from four to six. The laborer gets only ten to twenty-five per cent. more than in the Old Country, but as soon as he begins to save his surplus earnings and become a capitalist these surplus earnings multiply twice as fast as they would abroad. If he were to go a step further and live as he used to in Wales or Ireland these net earnings might be vastly increased. To keep our expenses always below our income is a lesson that we all need to learn, but it seems as if the workingmen ought to require less instruction, for it is taught him every day of his life."

Washington Letter.

From our Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 10, 1877.

Among the most conspicuous improvements that have been going on in this city, during the past 3 or 4 months, are the placing in position of the new Naval Mounment and the great Bartholdi Fountain. The former is of white marble—two female figures, one weeping upon the shoulder of the other—what it represents does not appear, but it is unanimously declared a beautiful thing. Some say it means "Peace" others "Victory," but none seem to know positively. For my own part I frankly confess that it has no meaning for me. It is situated at the entrance to the Capitol grounds and the terminus of Pennsylvania Avenue which is the great thoroughfare of the city running from the Capitol to the White House on a straight line. The Botanical Gardens are only separated from the Capitol grounds by a street and it is there that our great Centennial fountain is placed. It is not yet quite in running order as neither the rock work at its base nor the bronze is all in position but very little now remains to be done. I don't know its exact height, but the basin surrounding it is 75 feet in dimeter. A very magnificent wall is also being constructed along the foot of the western park of the Capitol. It is to be on blue gneiss, red granite and buff sandstone, and just opposite the entrance to the Botanical Gardens will be erected a drinking fountain of the same materials, handsomely carved and to be supplied with spring water from the hill above.

Work has been going on also inside the Capitol building, in both Halls of Congress and in the Supreme Court Room, the ventilating and heating apparatus changed, new boilers put in, new furnishings, etc. The driveways outside have been concreted and are smooth and hard, and all things show that the summer has not been spent in idleness on Capitol Hill.

Last Friday was a great gala day in Fremont Ohio. The President, Secretary McCrary, Chief Justice Waite, General Phil Sheridan, and many other noteables were there and were received with every testimony of welcome. President Hayes, as President of the Society of Veterans called the meeting to order to elect new officers, but when he was placed in nomination declined, saying, "I am a one term man, you know." He was overruled, however, and re-elected. When Sheridan was called upon for a speech, he said he could give the old regiment a good drill but couldn't give it a good speech. A letter was read from Gen. Crook which said he should have been there had he not been ordered after Joseph. Gen. Crook is a warm personal friend of the President and his family. The little Hayes boy who died was named George Crook, after the General.

To day the Louisville Exposition opens, and the President is there with all his cabinet ministers except Sherman, who is the sole representative of the administration now in this city. He might have been with his fellows, but for the fact that his house here is in the hands of the carpenters and painters, who may not be left without superintendence. Secretary Schurz returns to the capital to-morrow morning, while the other five cabinet members will accompany the President to Chattanooga, Nashville, Knoxville and Richmond, arriving in Washington on or about the 25th. Mrs. Hayes, two Misses Evarts and several others help to make up the Presidential party.

A portion of the President's reception at Richmond will be right musical. It is to take place in the State House, and the children of the city public schools are to be seated in one gallery and will sing a national air or two, and another gallery is to be occupied by the colored collegiates and students of the colored schools, who will chant at him some of their own sweet melodies. RICHARD.

New Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having been appointed, by the Orphans' court of Carbon County, Auditor to make distribution of the funds in the hands of Theodore Hetzenruck, Administrator of the Estate of Bernard McGinness, dec'd, will attend to the duties of his appointment at the Office of Allen Craig, Esq., in Mauch Chunk, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1877, at 9 o'clock A. M., when and where all parties interested may attend. F. P. LONGSTREET,
Sept. 22, 1877-w4 Auditor.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of VEN EX. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Mauch Chunk on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1877,

at One o'clock P. M., All that certain

TRACT OR PIECE OF LAND,

situate in Franklin Township, in the County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stone, thence by land of Daniel Krum south thirty-three degrees, east one hundred and one perches to the middle of the Pohopoco Creek; thence up in said Creek north seventy one degrees, east six perches; thence north fifty-three and a half degrees, east six perches; thence north thirteen and a quarter degrees, east ten perches; thence by other land of said Daniel Seil north thirty-two and a half degrees, west forty-five perches to a stone in the middle of a public road leading from Marin Iron works towards Lowry's Forge north fifty nine degrees, east two perches; thence by land of said Daniel Seil north thirty-three degrees, west fifty seven perches to a stone; thence by the same south fifty-seven degrees, west twenty two perches and eight-tenths to the place of beginning, containing

FOURTEEN ACRES and TEN PERCHES,

more or less.

The Improvements thereon consist of a Two-story BRICK DWELLING HOUSE with Basement twenty-three by twenty-eight feet, Swiss Barn thirty by forty-five feet, Pig sty twelve by twenty-three feet, and other outbuildings.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Joseph Greensweig, and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 27, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon county and to me directed, there will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, Mauch Chunk, Carbon county, State of Pennsylvania, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8th, 1877,

at ONE o'clock p. m., the following real estate, described as follows, to wit:

All that certain

LOT OR PIECE OF LAND,

situate in East Penn township, Carbon county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a stone, thence by land of William J. Smith south sixty-seven degrees, west eleven perches to a stone; thence by the same north twenty-three degrees, west 7 perches to a stone in the public road leading from West Pennsville to Schaefer's corner; thence along said road south sixty-seven degrees, west one perch to a stone in said road; thence by land of William J. Smith north twenty-three degrees, west eighteen perches to a stone; thence north sixty-seven degrees, east twelve perches to a stone in a public road leading from Lehighton to Pennsville; thence in and along said road south twenty-three degrees east twenty-five perches to the place of beginning, containing one acre and one hundred and thirty-three perches strict measure.

The improvements thereon consist of a large

TWO-STORY HOTEL BUILDING,

thirty-two feet deep by fifty feet in front, to which is attached a TWO-STORY FRAME KITCHEN twenty by twenty-two feet. On the first floor and in the same building of the hotel is a good sized STORE ROOM well adapted for the merchandile business, and also a warehouse attached fourteen by sixteen feet.

There are also TWO LARGE STABLES adjacent to the property and belonging to it, one is thirty-five by forty-two feet in dimensions, and the other forty-six by forty-one feet. Also a WAGON HOUSE nine by fourteen feet, pig sty ten by fifteen feet and other outbuildings.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Henry Nothstein, and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 22, 1877.

New Advertisements.

PROPOSALS

Will be received by the Overseers of the Poor of Lehighton Borough, until MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 24th, 1877 at 8 o'clock, for MEDICAL ATTENDANCE at the Borough Poor House. Proposals to be for Attendance and Medicine at a monthly rate, for Six Months.

VAL. SCHWARTZ,
H. V. MORTHIMER,
Sept. 22, 1877-w1 Overseers.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that letters of Administration upon the estate of Aquila Reed, late of the Borough of Weissport, Carbon county, Pa., dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them duly authenticated for settlement, to

HENRY HOYER, Administrator,
Weissport, Sept. 22, 1877-w3*

SALE OF STANDS, &c.

Notice is hereby given, that the CARBON COUNTY INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY will sell the stands and privileges for the coming Fair, on Monday, OCTOBER 1st, 1877, at THREE P. M., on the Fair Grounds, to the highest bidder. This affords a rare chance to persons desiring a profitable business during the Fair.

J. A. HOM, President.
W. M. RARSHER, Secretary. Sept. 15-w3

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *fieri facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon county and to me directed, there will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, Carbon county, State of Pennsylvania, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1st, 1877,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following real estate, described as follows, to wit:

All that certain

TRACT OR PIECE OF LAND,

situate in the township of Mahoning, Carbon county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a chestnut, thence by land of Nathan Frantz north seventy-seven degrees, east seventeen perches to a stone, thence north and one fourth degrees east seventy-two and one-half perches to a stone thence north eighty one degrees, east thirty-two perches and three tenths to a stone; thence north sixty seven degrees, east twenty four perches to a stone; thence by land of Benjamin Green south fifty degrees, thirty six perches to a stone, thence south twenty-two degrees, east thirty-one perches to a stone; thence by land of Philip Gomecart south fifty degrees, west forty two perches to a stone, thence south twenty two degrees, east twelve and one fourth perches to a black oak; thence south 58 degrees, west thirty-four perches to a stone; thence by land of John Freyman north fifty-one degrees, west two perches to a chestnut, thence north thirty-one degrees, west fifty perches to the place of beginning, containing

FIFTY-FIVE ACRES,

thirty-one perches, be the same more or less. The improvements thereon are a

TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE,

nineteen by twenty-three feet, stone kitchen attached one and one half stories, eleven by twenty-three feet; Swiss barn twenty-eight by forty-four feet, and other outbuildings.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of James Gombert and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 15th 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1877,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following real estate, described as follows, to wit:

All that certain

LOT OR PIECE OF GROUND,

situate in the borough of Lehighton, Carbon county, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post in a public road leading from Lehighton to Tamaqua, thence by land of Aaron Hartz north four degrees, west two hundred and thirty one feet to a post; thence by land of L. W. Graver south eighty seven degrees east sixty feet to a post; thence by the same south four degrees east two hundred and ten feet to a post in said road; thence in and along said road south eighty degrees, west fifty-six feet or thereabouts to the beginning containing twelve thousand one hundred square feet.

The improvements are one two-story frame dwelling house, with basement 27x21, double porch 54x22, and other out-buildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Owen Ebbert, and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 15, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of a writ of *levaria facias* issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon County and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, in the Court House in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, Carbon County, Pennsylvania, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1st, 1877,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described Real Estate, to wit:

All that certain

LOT OR PIECE OF GROUND,

situate in Mahoning Township, Carbon county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows: On the north by land of Nathan Rosenoid; on the east by land of Jacob Cramer; on the south by land of Nathan Mertz; and on the west by land of Frederick Remmlus, containing

NINE ACRES,

more or less. The Buildings situate on said Ground on the east side of a public road leading from the house of Nathan Mertz to Beaver Lake, a dwelling House, 25 by 32 feet, with necessary machinery.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Martin Scherer, and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 15, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1877,

at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following real estate, described as follows, to wit:

All the following described

TRACT OR PIECE OF LAND

with the improvements, situate in Mahoning township, County of Carbon and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a stone, thence by land of Thomas McDanel, south thirty-three degrees, east sixteen perches and five-tenths to a stone; thence south forty five degrees, east thirty-two perches and five-tenths to a stone; thence south forty-two and one-half degrees, east six seven perches and two-tenths to a stone; thence by land of Charles Leibenough and David Neihart, south seventy degrees, west thirty-one and four-tenths perches to a stone; thence south fifty-two degrees, west twenty perches and eight-tenths to a stone; thence by land of Nathan Moser, north thirty eight degrees west forty-five perches and seven tenths to a white oak; thence north forty-one and one half degrees, west twenty six perches to a stone; thence north twenty-nine degrees, west twenty-five perches and six-tenths to a fence post; thence by land of Charles Brodt north twenty degrees, west twenty nine perches to a stone nearly in the middle of the road; thence north seventy-nine and one fourth degrees, east twenty perches to a stone; thence north eighty-seven and one-half degrees, east seventeen perches and two tenths to the place of beginning, containing

THIRTY-THREE ACRES AND FIFTY PERCHES,

strict measure.

—ALSO,—

Another Tract or Parcel of

LAND,

Bounded on the north by a public road; on the west by lands of Leonard Chatman; on the north by lands of Michael Gerber, and on the east by lands of Nathan Heinsmith, containing

FIVE ACRES,

more or less.

The improvements thereon consist of a frame dwelling house 28x20½ feet, out-kitchen 11x18 feet, one barn 2 x35 feet, wagon house 12x14 feet, and other out-buildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Samuel Moser and to be sold by

J. W. RAUDENBUSH, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Sept. 15, 1877.

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We have just opened one of the largest and most ample stocks of Fancy & Staple Dry Goods ever brought to town, which we offer at prices never before heard of.

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JOHN BIERY.

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H. V. MORTHIMER,
Lehighton, Penna.

August 11, 1877.