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BATURDAY MORNING, JANUARY 5, 1876.

Local and Personal.

- Ladies coats, made to order at lowes.

-Beavers and Matalasses Cloths for ladies cloaks a specialty, at T. D. Clauss'.

-New styles of fall and winter boots, shoes and guiters, at T. D. Clauss', at lowest

-Many consumptives are now using Dr Frazier's Root Bitters and Cough Syrup with markable success. -Examine the printed label on this paper

and see how your subscription stands—if in-debted please remit. -Fall and winter styles of hats and caps,

for men and boys wear, at T. D. Clauss', at very lowest cash prices.

Pleasant as honey, the old folks like it, the young people like it and the babies cry for it—we mean Dr Frazier's Cough Syrup.

-Read and remember the wonderful, but true announcement A. J. Durling, proprie-tor of the People's Drug store, makes in

—Since the discovery of Dr. Williams's Indian Ointment there is certainly no ex-cuse for any one to suffer with the Piles. See Advertisement.

—Ben. Butler may handle his bricks ar-tistically, but David Ebbert, our popular livery man can beat him in handling the ribbons. Horses and carriages at all times ribbons. Horses and at very lowest rates.

—J. K. Rickert has still a few of those eli-gible 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.

-A large lot of Buffalo robes, horse blank--A large lot of Bullato robes, horse oftainsets, sleigh belis, children's sleids, cutlery and a lot of other goods suitable for holiday presents, very cheap for each at J. L. Gabel's, opposite the public square, Lehighton, Pa.

—We cannot understand why people will

apend dollars for trashy medicine, and swal-low quarts of wishy-washy stuff for colds, when Dr. Haas' Expectorant, which is a sure cure, can be had of any druggist at 25 and and 50 cents a bottle.

and 50 cents a bottle.

—A painful question. "What shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and put it in a savings bank?" The best return you can get far your money is to invest in a bottle of Dr. Coxe's Wild Cherry and Scnaka or Santonine Worm Syrap, Price 25 and 50 cents a bottle. 50 cents a bottle,

-A Bethlemite, who has been engaged of —A Bethlemite, who has seen engaged of late in putting up saur-kraut with sugar in-stead of salt, says that the dish thus prepared is superior to that made in the old-fashion-ed way, and, furthermore, whilst keeping just as long, has none of the smell the kraut has when prepared in the usual way.

-There is a remedy in use many long years, and tried by thousands with happy effects. It can have no superior, and has no equal for the prompt relief and cure of croup, coughs and colds. We allude to Pr. Coxe's

Wild Cherry and Seneka. Reader, try it.

—It is runnered that there will be a gener-—It is runnered that there will be a gener-al suspension of the coal production in the Schuyikill collieries, beginning to-day (4th inst.) and to lass two weeks. This action will be taken as a means of lessening the over supply of coal in market, and is the re-sult of a consultation among the individual operators. The report is said to originate from a trustworthy source and is probably true.

The chap that got off that crabbed piece — The chap that got off that cracees pieces of verse "Turn backward, turn backward, oh time, in thy flight," had doubtless been accustomed to taking Dr. Coxe's Wild Cherry and Seneka when a child, and consequently had no fears of croup or the whooping cough. 25 and 50 cents a bottle.

-A NEW VERSION OF AN OLD STORY Ben Franklin gave the people of his day a recipe for obtaining health, wealth, and wis-Ben Franklin gave the people of the day a recipe for obtaining health, wealth, and wis-dom. The present generation is not suppos-ed to be in want of wisdom, and would pre-fer happiness combined with health and wealth. The modern way to obtain all these is told in the advertisement of Bar-rick, Boller & Co., headed "Health and Hap-piness" in this paper. We cordially recom-mend our readers to the careful considera-tion of their advice. tion of their advice.

—T. D. Clanes, the tailor, is now receiving his fall and winter goods, such as finest cloths, cassimeres and vestings, which he is prepared to make up in the lakest styles at very lowest prices for each.

very lowest prices for cash.

SO Extra copies of the Carron Advo-cate can be obtained at lukmann's News Agency, on Susquehanna street, Mauch Chunk. Price, Three cents.

—A GENTLE HINT.—In our style of climate, with its andden changes of tempera-ture,—rain, wind and sunshine often interture,—rain, wind and sunshine often inter-mingled in a single dny,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing consump-tion, hemorrhages, pueumonis, severe syughs, croup or any disease of the threat or lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your drugits success is simply wonderful, as your drug-gist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this con-winent. Sample bottles for trial, 1641 regular size, 75c. For sele by A. J. Durling.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Slatington National Bank will be held on Jan. 23rd.

—The election for Directors of the First National Bank, of this place, will take place on Tuesday next.

-Wilheim House and John Leffler were killed by falls of coal in Schuylkill county mines, on Saturday.

-Is your life worth 25 cents? If it is do at neglect a cough or cold. Use Dr. Bull's not neglect a cought or cold. Cough Byrup at once.

-There are twelve thousand tons of pig ron piled at the Keystone furnace at Glen ion's ready for the market.

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—In order to be disppy, it seems necessary
for some people to get drunk. This was so
New Years night, and the result was a
knock down and drag out.

—The trial of Joseph J. Malia, of Wilkes-Barre, for the murder of Michael Walsh, a year ago, resulted, on Saturday, in a verdict of murder in the second degree.

-Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is recommended all druggists as being a purely vegetable of reliable preparation for babies. Price 25 cents.

—Our carriers desire to return thanks to their patrons for the liberal manner in which they were remembered on New Year's they

-Keep your doors well secured against moonlight mechanics. These burgiarious scoundrels are prowling about for chances to enter houses for the purpose of robbery.

—The transfer books of the Reading Rall-road will be closed from January 5th (to-day) to 15th. This is done in order to prepare the voting list for the annual meeting January 14th

—Patrick Quinn, convicted of the murder of his wife, was sentenced at Pottsville Mon-day to imprisonment in the Eastern Peni-tentiary at hard labor for eleven years and six months.

—The Reading Railroad announces divi-dends of our dollar and fifty cents per share on the stock of the East Pennsylvania Railad and the East Mahanoy Kailroad, pay able January 15.

—One evening last week a Mahoning Valley lady presented her husband with triplets—two boys and one girl. The two boys died on the same evening and the girl two days after birth. -The Washington Cornet Band, of Nes-

ueshohing, paid our borough a visit on New Years' day, and discoursed some very fine music. They looked gay and happy in music. They looked ga-their handsome uniforms.

-Thomas Durkin was arrested in Wilkes Thomas Durkin was arrested in the charge Barre, on Saturday evening, on the charge of having been one of the gang of Molly Maguires who murdered Superintendent Smith at Jeansville, in 1863.

—A Pardee & Co., of Hazleton, and Coxe Brothers & Co., of Drifton, Pa., have agreed with their men to pay during the coming year when coal is above \$4 per ton at tide water, wages on the basis of 1875, and when below \$4, on the basis of 1877.

To-morrow (Sunday) at 10 a. m. Rev. G. L. Schaffer, of Parryville, will preach in the M. E. Church, of this berough. Evening services as usual. Revival meetings every evening (except Saturday) during the week.

—The Parryville iron worse or up next menth.—Allendown Democrat. The foregoing item is without foundation in truth. The works will not start up most truth, but the parties interested hope to be ... The Parryville iron works are to start nonth, but the parties interested he

—In consequence of a broken rail, a coal rain was thrown from the track at Stony reck, about three miles above Penn Haven unction, Taesday last, and one rum was badly hurt. The locomotive passed safely over the broken rail, but the tender was thrown off and the train badly wrecked.

Strikers Sentenced.

Ten men, who interferred with mining perations in Luzerne county, last August, have been convicted, and, on Thursday of last week, were sentenced as follows: John Gordon \$50 fine, costs and nine months in the county prison : Thomas Davis \$50 fine, costs county prison: Thomas Davis \$30 fine, costs and six months in prison; Wn. Scovill, John Clark and James O'Brian each \$10 fine, costs and ninety days in prison; Patrick Cassady and Owen Moran each \$25 fine, costs and six menths in prison; Resse Lloyd \$10 fine, costs and thirty days in prison; John Golden and James Specring each \$100 fine and the costs of prosecution.

ame off at the "Carbon House," in this borough, on New Year's evening. Among those present we noticed the following young Indies and gentlemen : Misses Sophia and Lizzie Yeager and Saliie Raudenbush, of Mauch Chunk; Misses Ida and Ella Clause, Emma Sayder, Aggie Hauk and Emma Bolienmayer, of Lehighton; Misses Salome and Sarah Werner, Yundt, O'Drina and Guth, of Weissport, and Miss Hibbler, of Packerton. The male sex were represented by Messes, Longshore, M'Clare, Mendenhall, Connor and Lutz, of Hagleton; Messes, O. A. and Frank Clauss, W. W. Reber, Seifert, Edinger, Bauer, and J. A. and E. W. Seiple, of Lehighton. The amusements of the evening were most enjoyable, and when the party broke up, "armain the wee sina' hours" of the norming, all expressed themselves as most highly delighted.

[Communicated.]

Explantion.

Explantion. The impression has somehow gone abroad in this community, that the pastor of the Packerton M. E. church was refused the use of the M. E. church of this place, and was, therefore, compelled to hold services in the Cemetery on a recent funeral occasion. Such is not the fact, and the purpose of this comis see the fact, that the purpose of this com-munication is to disabuse the public mind and set the Church right before the commu-nity. Without attempting to fix the res-possibility for the origination of this gross misrepresentation, I simply deny, in this public manner, that the church referred to, and of which I am pastor, was refused the above-manifolded party, and that the public may know the true state of the case I cause to be inserted herewith an exact cony of the to be inserted herowith an exact copy of the communication which I sent to the paster of the Packerton church in reference to the

REV. WHITTON,—Dear Bro., I am informed that you desire to hold a funeral service in our church to-morrow. You are entirely welcome to the church; but, as the chili-died of a disease which is highly contagious, I hear some of the people here think it is hardly prudent to take the corpse into the church for faar of the possible consequences. I have very little apprehension of danger, and yet I suggest, if it will be agreeable to the lamily, that you first proceed to the cometary and bury the child, and then come to the church and hold service, an order which is frequently observed in this part of the country. This is only a suggestion, I leave you to set on your judgment in the matter. Laurouro's, Pa., Dec. 26, 1877. you to set on your judgment in the matter. The church is at your service.

Yours fraternally, L. B. BROWN.

Letter from Mauch Chunk.

"MAUCH CHUNK, Jan. 3, 1878. In making my low to your readers on this 3d day of January, in the year of grace 1878 it may be proper to wish all of them " a happy New Year," and though the year just past may not have been a very prosperou ne with many of them, let us foudly indulge a hope for better days. Only hope, and it will matter little in the end whether our expectations shall be fealized or not, since we have the sweet consolation that he" who lives upon hopes," may expect to "die fasting;" and the latter fact, the fasting, will certainly render us more fit for the regions above. So what's the odds? To the young I would say: Go it while you're young, throw care to the dogs, and as for the rest—trust to luck and Providence. Never meet troubles halfway, for "sufficient unto the day is the heavil thereof." To the old I have nothing evil thereof." To the old I have nothing to say, as past experience must have taught them what to do. Let them continue in the path of duty, convinced that, no matter what fate may have in store for them the end will be the same, and one of these days, be it early or late, a kind I frovidence will graciously permit them to "shuffle off the mortal coil" and thereafter rost in peace. Never fret, as you may thereby add to the number of your days, and when the game's up, and you shall be called away, die laughing, if possible, and thus rob death of half his sting. So mote it be.

The late increase in the number of boarders at Raudenbush's Hotel, on West Broadway, causes business to be quite brisk at that

ers at Raudenbush's Hotel, on West Broad-way, causes business to be quite brisk at that establishment. The latest arrival is that of Thomas Durkin, who was geobled up at Wilkes Barre on last Monday, and, brought here by officer Peeler, was committed as an accomplica in the George K. Smith murder. He is the third individual under arrest for complicity in this murder and a facet by He is the third individual under arrest for-complicity in this nursier, and a fourth is expected to arrive shortly. At the District Attorney's office all is life and activity, and a motley crowd of coal and fron police, wit-nesses, etc., may always be found in attend-ance, and I may safety assert that what Mr. Sewers doesn't know about the Smith case by this time isn't worth knowing. There is, however, no likelihood that these new Mollie cases will be reached before April or June term.

District Attorney Siewers, now occupying an office in Major Kleiz's building, on Broadway, has certainly the most cosy place of any of the legal fraternity in town. And for

any of the legal frateraity in town. And for convenience it is not excelled.

The near approach of Court causes quite a stir among the legal profession, all of whom appear to be full of business.

Now that the holidays are over, and men have again settled down to business and sobriety, the streets of the "Switzsrland" again look quiet and deserted as usual, but again look quiet and deserted as usum, our January term of Court is expected to change all this, and hotel proprietors are of good cheer in anticipation of a good average inr-vest of filthy lucre. What indeed would Mauch Chunk be were it not the county

Mauch Chunk be were it not the county town? Oh, dear!
But little is heard of the doings of Thes. P. Fisher, and if the reporters will only let him alone, he would probably make his exit as quietly as "any other man." But, will they? There's the rab, and we shall probably yet get such a surfeit of Fisher, between this and the 20th of February, as we have never had before. The letter when ave never had before. The better p would be to exclude the checky craft a

The suspense is ever, and we all know now of a certainty that, unless the Leingh Valley R.R. Co. should revoke the negative vote given at Wednesday's meeting of the carrying companies the preject of a combi-nation will be abandoned, and individual nation will be abundaned, and individual operators left to weather the storm as less they can. Indeed things appear to have arrived at such a pass that all faith in the present practicability of a combination, as attempted, may as well be abandoned. The flat has gone both, and individual enterprise will naturally be the first to suffer. And if prospects are discouraging to the individual operators, they are anything but encouraging to the holders of coal stacks, who know

ing to the helders of coal stocks, who know only too well that once fairly entered into the strife it will engulf all in a common rain. The resumption by the Lebigh Coal and Nay. Co. of their Summit Hill and Nesque-honing mines and the conal, is very favor-ably regarded by the former employees of that old corporation. Whether this change of employers will eventually benefit them as or employers will eventually benefit them as much as anticipated remains to be seen; but "Give me the old Lehigh Campany!" is just now an expression indulged in by most of their former employees, who are longing for the realization of the project as ardently as the hungry Jews in the desert may be sup-posed to have longed for the flesh-posts of Egypt. And here I will colse.

Explosion in a Coal Mine.

to Friday of last week a terrible explosion took place in the Stanton mine, located about one mile east of Wilkes-Barre, the results of which have greater significance than usual, in that the majority of those injured are mine officials and men widely known and highly respected. It appears that John T. Griffith, inside superintendent at the mine, entered the colliery at half-past 11 o'clock accom-panied by Richard Roderick, the mine boss Lewis S. Jones, mine boss of the Eurnitz col-liery, and a party of miners. They went to a distant part of the colliery to prosecute certain labors, and upon entering one of the chamilees the open lights carried on the heads of the leading men of the party came in con-tact with a countity of reason and unstantie. tact with a quantity of gas and instantly a terrific explosion followed. The force was so great as to be felt out of deers. It overturn-ed many rods of the small railroad leading along the gangway to the shaft and used for taking out coal from the chambers. Every man of the party was knowled flown. Su-man of the party was knowled flown. Suman of the party was knecked down. Su-perintendent Griffish was hurled many feet backward, and when taken up was found badly bruised and terribly burned about the face and breast. Lewis S. Jones, bess of the face and breast. Lewis S. Jones, bess of the Empire, was in a similar condition; Roderick was horribly burned in the face and hand; a miner named Path, Kerrighm received burnes which may prove fafal; John Tredinnick was burned inwardly and died on Saturday; Thomas Malla was burned on the face and hands and is thought nortally njursel; Peter Stump was seriously burned on head, hands and lace—his hair was burned on head, hands and lace—his hair was burned on head, hands and lace—his hair was burned entirely off. A party of mine surveyors were going through the mine at the time, and were all thrown down by the force of the explosion, although quite distant from its immediate locality. The distruction in the vicinity of the disaster was intueness, and he vicinity of the disaster was immense, and the wonder is that any of the parties in that part of the mine escaped alive.

Weissport Items. —The revival services in Rev. J. K. Kneer's church, of Weiseport, are thus far remarkably good.

-Lately both of the preachers of Weiss-ort had good donations through the hands

Lately both of the preachers of Weissport had good denations through the hands of surprise parties.

On Sanday (to-morrow) Rev. S. Neitz of Reading will preach in the Evangelical church, of Weissport. The services at 19 a, m. will be German. At 1:45 p. m. the school will have its session. At 3 p. m. there will be communion. At 7 p. m. there will be English presching.

Murder and Suicide.

The village of Ferndale, near Catasauqua was Tuesday night the scene of a terribly letermined murder, followed by the suicide determined nurder, followed by the suicide of the assassin. The village is composed of some forty or fifty dwellings, owned by the Catasavana Manufacturing Company, whose rolling mill gives employment to most of the inhabitants. In the mill was a young mannamed John Haddock, a Welshman by birth and a puddler by trade. He was twenty-two years old, steady, industrious, and a leader in the social pleasures of the young people of the place, and had long been attentive to a very quiet, pretty girl living in the village, named hizaic Davis. For some days past Lizzie has been endeavoring to pressude village, named hizzie Davis. For some days past Lizzie has bein endeavoring to pernande him to cease calling upon her. This Haddeck attributed to the presence of a young man from the ceal mines who was visiting Ferndale, but had paid her no special attention. Haddeck became very jealous and threatened Lizzie, some days since, saying he would kill her if she did not marry him, to which threat she neid to be a second he would kill her if she did not marry him, to which threat she paid no heed except to laugh at it. Tuesday night, a little before nine o'clock. Haddock called upon Lazie, whom he found temporarily alone at the house of a relative. What occurred during the brief moments of his call no mortal knows. Two shots were heard by the neighbors, but, being attributed to New Year carousal, no special attention was paid to them. Fifteen minutes later a cry of "Murder!" was heard coming from the home of young Haddock. When the neighbors reached the house they were told by his agonized mother that John came in a few moments previously, asked for a light, went up stairs, and immediately after a shot was heard. The body of the young man was found on the stairway landing quite dead. He had thrown himself upon his back on the floor, deliberately pressed the pistol against his breast and fixed directly into his He had thrown himself upon his back on the floor, deliberately pressed the pistod against his breast and fired directly into his heart. His collar was found at his side. On it he had written "Forgive me, mother." Just after this William Davis, the cousin of Litzie Davis, on entering his house found semething obstructing the door. Having forced an entrance he found Litzie lying in a peol of blood. Being picked up tenderly she gave one or two gasps and died. She had been shed directly behind the ear and had fallon, apparently without a struggle, to the floor. Then the murderer had prescedthe floor. Then the murderer had proceeds ed to the kitchen, found the carving knife, and, returning to the prestrate girl, inflicted gash after gash until his jealous vengeation was satisfied. He then fled to his home, a was satisfied. He then field to his home, as before narrated. The murderer's overcoal and necktic were found on the floor, near the body of the murdered girl. The carving knife lay on the kitchen table, covered with blood. So to two families the new year comes in with sorrow and tears and shame.

Packerton Christian Association.

At the last stated meeting of the Packer ton Christian Association, an address delivered by Mr. Mr. Ebson, followed by cading of the Budget by the Editor, Mr. W. L. Stiles. It was then unanimously resolved by the Association that the Editorial be published in the Carron Advocate. C. C. Gersel, Sec'y.

Entronias.

A few short hours and we shall bid farewell to another year—another year of our life will be gone—all its joys all its sorrows, all that we have done, or said, will have possed into the inspection room of the Hereafter, into the hands of the Recording Angle, who will enter with the exactness of Justice for and against us, as the case may be. What changes have occurred during the year? and as we look back how vividly year? and as we look back how vividly everything is pictured to our mind; in pameamic view we see it—is it pleasant, is it satisfactory, have we done well, have we honored ear manhood, have we honored the one above, have we done all the good we could, have we sought to elevate mankind—than elevating ourselves, have we been just in all our dealings, have we been inest in all our interesurss with each other; have we been teathful, have we been charitable, have we lived a Bie of love, have we kept in view the Golden Maxin, can we claim His sympathy—because of our sympathy for each other, have we cared for these who are in trouble or sorrow, are we respected because each other, have we cared for those who are in trouble or sorrow, are we respected because of our life, each one of us know? There is a transcript of the record above left in each of our hearts. As an Association we meet for the last time this year, have we done what we could, have we availed ourselves of the opportunities presented? The life of this Association is in the hands of its members—if kept healthy, it will live and grow; if not, it will find and die.

The influence that these meetings have may not seem to be important; yet how little we know what impressions are made. We have gathered here, from time to time—the old and young—our doors are open to

the old and young—our doors are open to all, to the little ones—" God bless them?" How much there is for each one of us to do in our journey through life for them, how often are they neglected, how often are we annoyed by them ? And yet it is not right. amtoyed by them? And yet it is not right. To me there is nothing of God's wast creation so beautiful, so lovable, as the little girl. They are God's earthly Angels. How we should love and care for them: how careful we should be to educate them aright, for from these come women, "God's best gift to man." The miss, the maiden, the wife, the mother—Man's guardian from the cradle to the grave. Let us cherish these little ones, never pass them without a smile and a word of cheer, they notice and remember it.

To night, we miss the bright, happy face of one who was word to meet with us. No

of one who was word to meet with us. No more will we hear her clear ringing laugh— no naive will we hear her sweet voice as she oined in the singing; is he has leß us, he voice is now in time with the redeemed ones in the Association above. She belongs to the Augul choir " over there;" her wish to the sun Augul is gratified. "Twas a fitting into to call her house—Christmas morning, allowed because of the "Babe of Bethlehanceved occasion of the "Bance of Berni-hem," "Suffer little children to come unto Me." She has gone to sit and live in the Mansons of Love, and, as we drop a tear, let it be one of joy, that another redeemed one has entered the land of rest.

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Voices of, music lovingty greet.

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Accidenta.

The Poor House and Farm. A meeting of the Poor House Commis-oners was held in Reber's Hall, December sioners was held in Reber's Hall, Becember 29, 1877, at 2 o'clock p. m., Commissioners present; Daniel Olewine, of Lehighton Borough, (chairman); John Craig, of Lower Towamensing, tewnship; Francis Yundt, of Weissport borough; James D. Balliet, of East Penn township; John W. Reed, of Penn Forest township; Dennis Bowman, of Penn Forest township; Dennis Bowman, of Parryville borough (secretary); J. Thompson McDaniel, of Mahoning township; Paul Kresge, of Towamensing township; J. K. Rickert, of Frankin township; and J. S. Hawk, of Kidder township; on motion minutes of last meeting read and adopted. The Commissioners report that they have minutes of last meeting read and adopted. The Commissioners report that they have spent several days in viewing and examining farms and unimproved land, to find a mit-nble location for the proposed Poor House and Farm; and have offers from several parties of their property, to wit; Farm of Paul Buck, in Townmensing township, Cornelius Snyder, Towamensing twp., Reuben Steinler and Jacob Smith, Towamensing twp., F. P. Semmel of Mahouinstan, Falsen, Fal twp., F. P. Semmel, of Mahoning twp., Edwin Reed, for unimproved land in Penn Forest twp., Adam D. Christman, in Penn Forest twp., Rapsher and Craig for unimproved land in Penn Forest twp., Class Deppse, for farm in Frunklin twp., Samuel W. Meckes, for farm, etc., in Penn Forest twp. After these several offers were received, it was, on motion, resolved, That in voting for a location the majority of votes of the Commissioners voting shall govern; a motion was then made to take a vote whether to accept an improved farm or unimproved tract of land for the location, which motion was withdrawn before a vote was taken. It was then suggested that the Commissioners, before finally deciding on any one place, view several more places, namely; the Deppse twp., F. P. Semmel, of Mahoning twp., Edwi fore finally deciding on any one place, view several more places, namely; the Deppee farm, Cornelius Suyder farm, and the F. P. Semmel farm, which was agreed to and Tuesday January 1, 1878, named for that purpose. On motion adjourned to meet again at this place, (Reber's Hall), Tuesday, January 1, 1878, in the afternoon, after having visited the places above named. Adjourned, D. Bauman, See'y.

January I.1878, 2 closk p. m.—A meeting of the Poor House Commissioners was held at Reber's Hall, at Lebighton, pursuant to adjournment. Members of Commission present: Daniel Clewine (chairman), John Cruig, Francis Yundt, Jas. D. Balliet, J. W. Resd, Dennis Bauman (sec'y), J. Thomson McDaniel, Paul Kresge, and J. K. Rickert, (Kidder not represented.) An additional offer of a farm in East Penn twp., was made by Amos Heigel. It was then resolved that a list be made out of each property offered for said location, and that each Commissioner present rescord his vote for such place sioner present record his vote for such place as he may prefer. The result of which was

For the Rapsher & Craig property in Penn For the F. P. Semmel property in Mahon-

ing, I vote.
For the Amos Reigel property in East

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The majority of votes cast were for the Rapsher & Craig property, which was then declared to be the location fixed by the Commissioners. On motion, the Commissioners requested that the matter be left to a vote of the people of the proposed district at the next Township elections. On motion, Dennis Bauman, John Craig and Francis Yundt are a committee to have a survey and draft made of the property. Adjourned.

D. Bauman, Sec'y.

Meeting of Coal Carriers-No Com-bination yet Formed.

The adjourned meeting of the representatives of the great coal carrying and coal producing interests took place at Philadel-phia. Wednesday, and another effect was made to some to an agreement. The con-sultation was a long one, beginning at noon sultation was a long one, beginning at noon and lasting, with an adjournment for lunch, until haif-past six in the evening; but in spite of its length it was not conclusive in its action, and the combination is not yet an accomplished fact. The gentlemen present were the following:—Thomas Dickson, Delaware and Hodson Canal Company; Samuel Slean, Delaware Lackawanna and Western Haifroid; George A. H. Hoyt, Pennsylvania Coal Company; Thomas A. Scott, A. J. Cassatt, Isane Wister, Pennsylvania Rallroid; F. S. Lathrop, E. W. Clarke, Scott, A. J. Cassatt, Isaac Wister, Pennsyl-yania Bailroad; F.S. Lathrop, E. W. Carke, New Jersey Central, Lehigh Navigation Company and Wilkes-Barre Coal and Iron Company and Wilkes-Barre Coal and Fron Company; E. P. Wilbur, Dr. Linderman, individual operators on the Lehigh Valley Railroad; F. B. Gowen, Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; John E. Graefi, of indi-vidual Schuykkill operators. The proceedings of the moeting, as they were furnished to the press, are as follows: The committee of five reported the full details of the tomage of each interest, and of the approach, and properly assigned to the

details of the tournage of each interest, and of the aggregate, and properly assigned to the respective companies such tournage as were duplicated on the return of more than one company, but reported no distribution of tournage. The report was accepted, and, a motion being made that the tournage of the last five years be taken as a basis of distri-lation, the following interests voted in the affirmative:—Lohigh Valley, Pennselvania Railroad Company, New Jersey Central, Pennsylvania Coal Company, Delaware and Hudson Canal Company; and in the nega-tive, the Philabelphia and Reading and the belaware, Lackawauma and Western. The vote not being unanimous a motion v as

tive, the Philadelphin and Reading and the Belaware, Lackawauna and Western. The rote into being unanimous a motion v as made that the results of ten years' production be made the besis of the allotment, apon which the following voted in the afformative;—Philadelphia and Reading, Pennsylvania Coala Company, Delaware and Bradson Canal Company; and in the negrity the Central of New Jersey, the Pennsylvania Raffroad Company; the Lehigh Valley and the Delaware, Lauckawania and Western.

Judge Lathrop suggested the following as a compromise of, the basis of 20,00,000 tons a per anium as built shipment:—Philadelphia and Reading, twenty-eight and three-quarters per cent; dentral of New Jersey, thirteen and ope-quarter per cent; Delaware, Lackawania and Western, twelve and three-quarters per cent; Delaware, Lackawania and Western, twelve and three-quarters per cent; Pennsylvania Raffroad Company, seven and three-quarters per cent; Pennsylvania Raffroad Company, salven and three-quarters per cent; Pennsylvania Raffroad Company, shall be chargeable to the latier. This allotment was accepted by all the interests represented except the Lehigh Valley operators, who voted against it, Dr. Linderman stating that he thought it militia to those whom he represented.

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ing dijourned and dir, with the understand-ing that if requested by the representatives of the Lehigh Valley operators within forty-eight hours, it will again convene at the call of the chairman, Mr. Dickson. It is not likely the Lehigh men will come in, and the combination is, therefore, as far from being formed as ever.

MARRIED.

Andreas—Gomeen.—On the 23rd ult., by Rev. A. Bartholmnew, Mr. Levi Andreas, of East Penn, this county, and Miss Sarah Gombert, of West Penn, Schuylkill co. Horrstan-Pronumuses.—On the 20th ult., by the same, Mr. Jerome Hoffman and Miss Sally Frohnheiser, both of East Penn,

REISHARDT—SOWDEN.—At Ironton, Lehigh county, Pa., by Rev. Jas. A. Little, pastor of Hokemdasqua Church, W. E. Reinhardt, of Shamokin, and Miss A. T. Sowden, of Ironton, Penn's.

DIED.

FRANTZ.—On the 2nd ult., in West Penn, George Frantz, aged 58 years, I mouth and 19 days.

ERRITS.—On the 3rd ult., at Bloomingdale, Birdla Eurene, son of William and Anna Eberts, aged 5 years, 5 mcs. and 10 days. BENIGOTS.—On the 17th ult., in East Penn,

Basibays.—On the 17th dit, in East Fran, Nathan Jonas, son of William and Adeline Benigoff, aged 7 months and 25 days. Hausen.—On the 19th olt., in West Penn, Gideon, son of Isaac and Elizabeth Hauser, aged 31 years, 3 months and 3 days.

WERR .- On the 21st ult., in East Penn, Wm. Alfred, son of Cyrus and Mary A. Wehr, aged 9 years, 1 month and 16 days.

Schellhammer,—On the 21st uit., in West Penn, Dan'l Schellhammer, aged 91 years, 10 months and 10 days.

Konnen.—On the 28th ult., in West Penn, Mary, wife of Elias Kocher, aged 28 years.

Special Notices.

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