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—Watt's liver pills cure sick headaches.
—A man cannot be required to serve on a
jury more than once a year.
—Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy To-
bacco.

—Orders for printing, by mail, receive the
same attention as if they were made in
person.

—Martha Graver, of Catawissa, left on
Tuesday last week for Atchison, Kansas,
on a prospecting tour.

—A bill now before the Legislature pro-
vides for the annual election of a tax collector
in each borough and township.

—New tomatoes have made their appear-
ance in the Allegheney markets. Few, how-
ever, have stamps sufficient to invest.

—Lewis Weiss, at the post office store, has
reduced the price of his winter stock of
boots and shoes.

—You can find everything in the drug
line at the store of C. W. Lentz, Weisport,
fresh, pure and cheap.

—Head Tilghman Arner's new advertise-
ment in another column.

—Frank Rader, son of Mr. Ed. Rader, of
the Northwestern Hotel, left for the west
last Monday night.

—Do you know the fact that Lewis Weiss
is selling his stock of winter boots and shoes
at a great reduction.

—Nimrod Spawford, convicted of the
murder of John L. Lebanon, Pa., was
sentenced Monday to be hanged.

—Jacob Leckrone, aged 87, was suffocated
to death by coal gas in his room, at York,
Monday morning. His wife was uncon-
scious, but may recover.

—The best and cheapest boots and shoes
to be found in town are at Lewis Weiss' post
office building.

—Wm. Kauffert, aged 19, was killed by
being caught in the shafting of the Penn-
sylvania Agricultural Works, at York, Monday.

—Wall Paper at and below
Cost at C. W. Lentz's Drug
and Fancy store, Weisport.

—The amount of coal shipped over the
Lehigh Valley Railroad for the week end-
ing March 1st, was 66,828 tons, a decrease
of 152,313 tons so far on this year's business
as compared with same time last year.

—If you want a fashionable hat or cap
at T. D. Claus', and buy one for a small
amount of money.

—The Governor Tuesday nominated and
the State Senate confirmed Alfred Hand as
Judge of Lackawanna county, in place of
Stanton, resigned.

—Matthew Reed was killed and an un-
known Polander fatally injured by the
collision of an engine with one car at the
Lehigh Colliery No. 4, near Sheuandoal,
Tuesday afternoon.

—By an explosion of sulphur gas in the
Lower Rauche Creek Mines, near Puttville,
Tuesday six miners were badly burned, one
of whom, named Cron, is not expected to
survive.

—Four boats, schooners or cutters, of the
fleet, called on T. D. Claus. You will find
an immense stock to select from, at lower
prices than ever before offered.

—Workmen are engaged in repairing the
No. 1 furnace of the Thomas Iron Works,
Hokendauqua, and No. 3 furnace of the
Crane, Iron Works, Catawissa, preparatory
to putting them in blast.

—A large deposit of iron ore was recently
discovered on Reuben Follenberger's farm,
about a mile north of Tipton. Several
shafts were sunk to a depth about 40 feet,
and large rich veins struck.

—If you want shirts, neck wear, or any
other article in men's furnishing goods, call
on T. D. Claus, and he will supply you at
extraordinary low prices.

—A daring attempt was made to burgle
the store of Samuel Yost, at Bethlehem,
the other night. The noise made by the
thieves awakened the family, who got down
stairs in time to see three men run from the
store.

—Correction.—In the sheriff's sale adver-
tisement on 1st page for seized and taken into
execution as the property of Geo. Lindsey,
read taken into execution as the property
of The Carbon Iron Company, defendants,
and George Lindsey, terre tenant.

—Overcoats, latest styles and best material,
for a small amount of ready cash, at H. H.
Peters', Post office building, Lehigh.

—D. M. Zimmerman, Secretary and
Treasurer of the Camden & Atlantic R. R. Co.,
will please accept our thanks for com-
plimentary pass over that popular and well
managed road for the present year.

—76,236 tons of coal were shipped over
the L. & S. R. for the week ending Feb.
25, and for the year to date 473,113 tons,
an increase to same time last year of 229,724
tons.

—Thomas Balliet, a boy about 14 years of
age, resident in this borough, died on Fri-
day last of diphtheria, after an illness of
about three or four days. His funeral took
place Monday from the M. E. church.

—Mrs. Monahan, of this borough, mother
of Lieut. H. T. Monahan, of the U. S. N.,
was very ill during the past week,
with pleurisy.

—Lackawanna's retail prices are but a
trifle above the lowest wholesale prices of
Philadelphia and New York. His stock of
stationery of every variety is excellent. He
has also a splendid assortment of wall paper,
from the very best down to the cheapest.
Just step in and look at his goods. His
store is a few doors below the Broadway
House, Mauch Chunk.

—Violent coughing racks the system and
brings on hemorrhage. Plomix Patent
coughs, brings rest and gives strength.
It tastes so pleasant that children cry for
it. 13-16

—Rev. Mr. Oram, pastor of the M. E.
church of this borough, will preach his fare-
well sermon to-morrow (Sunday), and will
leave for conference, which meets at Ger-
mansvorn on the 13th inst., on Tuesday
morning. We are sorry to learn that the
best gentlemen does not expect to return to
this charge. During his stay with us he has
made many warm friends, whose best wish
is he will take with him in his new field
of labor.

—A meeting of the School Directors of
this borough will be held at 7 o'clock on
Monday evening.

—Samuel Heberling is lying very ill at
his residence on South street, with Bright's
disease.

—Farmers and others will do well to read
H. A. Betts' coal advertisement in another
column of to-day's paper.

—Our young friend Wesley Wentz, of
Perryville, left for Cleveland, O., on Thurs-
day evening last, where he proposes to stay
till next fall. We wish him success.

—Proposals for carrying the mails three
times a week between the Lehigh post-office
and the Lehigh Valley depot, will be re-
ceived until the 14th inst. Proposals to be
addressed to Thos. J. Brady, Second Assis-
tant P. M. General, Washington, D. C.

—Rev. B. J. Snyder, the new pastor of
the Evangelical church of this borough will
preach to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 10
o'clock in German, and at 7 p. m. in Eng-
lish. Sunday School at 2 p. m. All are in-
vited.

—Many of the friends of Rev. B. D. Al-
bright express a sorrow that he has been re-
moved from the pastorate of the Evangelical
church to that of Meyersvorn, but tender
him their best wishes for success in his
new home.

—Did you ever? no never what never?
well, hardly ever! Well, several of our most
prominent citizens did last Thursday even-
ing visit Allegheney for the purpose of wit-
nessing the rendering of H. M. S. Pinard's
deed of gift, out of which, out of which, out of
doors all you can in good weather, and hire
your team at the popular livery of David
Ebbert, North street, this borough, and you
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—District Attorney E. R. Sewers and
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From the County Seat.

THE COUNTY FINANCER.—There has been
considerable misunderstanding in the minds
of many who have lightly read the County
Financial statement, recently published, as to
the real condition of the county's finances,
and certain "sneering" newspaper publishers
have not been slow in enlightening and fur-
ther assailing the public mind by means of
I would impress upon the public mind the im-
portant fact that the wily editors of these
journals are inspired by feelings of disappoin-
tment, and envy, and would therefore, with
prejudice publish statements, on the first
day of January, 1891, there was a balance on
the Treasurer's account in favor of the county
of \$22,000. This balance was made up of
the shape of arrears, taxes, moneys ex-
cess of one's and commissions, leaving actual
cash in hand, \$4,125. From this sum are to
be deducted the following immediate necessities
for cash, (estimated):

Cash in hand, \$4,125
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Interest on borrowed money, \$2,500
County expenses, \$1,000
State tax, \$1,000
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Total, \$13,125

Thus it is seen that unless some of the un-
paid taxes are returned, the county will be
obliged to borrow money with which to
pay the expenses of the approaching ad-
justment term of Court. With what, then, at
present can the county bond be paid? The
present administration, however, has taken
the precaution to liquidate the bond debt
out of the next two years, but the people have
thus far had good reasons to im-
pose implicit confidence in the discretion and
integrity of Mr. C. H. Kistler, and the people
are content to let these gentlemen manage
the county's affairs for the next two years,
with a conscientious guarantee that their
conduct will be in no manner abused. I am
authorized to say that the "sneering" edi-
tors of the journals, which one of the Mauch
Chunk papers has so deprecatingly faulted
the past few weeks in regard to making re-
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Arrest of a Fugitive from Justice.

About one and a half years ago, some
desperate one, one night burglariously en-
tered the house of Gabriel Shinkle, an old
gentleman living in Towaensing town-
ship, and forcibly took therefrom a trunk
containing some money, two watches,
and divers articles of value. The burglar,
at the same time assailed Mr. Shinkle, and
inflicted several severe wounds on his head,
he narrowly escaping with his life. A neigh-
bor named Joseph Otto and his son were
arrested on suspicion, who were tried at the
Jan'y term of Court, last year. At that trial,
Mr. Shinkle swore very positive that he re-
cognized Otto and son as two of the robbers,
but the rebutting evidence was so strong in
their favor, that the jury returned a verdict
of not guilty. In the meantime quite con-
siderable evidence had been unearthed by
District Attorney Sewers, implicating Alvin
H. Seigfried, and a brother and one Ed.
Christman, as the real guilty parties; but
they had made themselves scarce in these
parts. Some time since it transpired that
Christman had been arrested, tried, and con-
victed of a felony and lodged in Wilkes-Barre
jail. A warrant was issued by Mr. Sewers
for the arrest of Christman as soon as he
should be released from the jail, and he was
informed of this by the Sheriff of Luzerne
county. Christman, however, had been re-
leased from the jail, and had returned to
his home near the town of Mauch Chunk,
Pa. He was arrested by the Sheriff of Luzerne
county, and taken to the jail at Mauch
Chunk, where he was held until he could be
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