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—Easter Sunday—tomorrow.
—When are you going trout fishing?
—Woods' live pills cure liver complaint.
—Spears have been tramping through the past
few days.
—Garden seeds, fresh and pure, at Dur-
ling's drug store.
—Chow Jackson's Best Sweet Navy To-
bacco.
—The Bath railroad is to be extended
from the Wind Gap to Broadwing the com-
ing summer.
—Township officers are reminded that the
law requires them to publish their annual
statements in the newspapers.
—Parties going west can get tickets from
Bart, Seabolt, L. V. R. depot. 16-42
—For Sale—Eight shares of the Capital
stock of the 1st National Bank of Lehigh-
town. For further particulars apply at the Avoca-
te's office.

—A choice lot of Clover seed, and a lot of
Michigan White Pine Shingles and Floor-
ing, just received, and for sale cheap for cash,
at J. L. Gabel's hardware store. 10-5.
—You can find everything in the drug line
at the store of C. W. Lentz, Weisport.
—New and elegant assortment of wall
paper, just received at Dolon's Mauch Chunk
at prices defying competition. Paper hang-
ing a specialty.
—Watches put in first class order at Dol-
on's, Mauch Chunk.
—For beautiful designs in wall paper,
factory stationer, etc., call on E. F. Lucken-
bach, near the Broadway house, Mauch
Chunk. Lowest prices in Carbon County.
—H. H. Peters announces to his friends
and the citizens in general that he is now
receiving and opening his spring stock of
clothes, cassimere, vestings and suitings, and
that he is prepared to make up all classes of
clothing at prices never before known in this
section. "Cheapest, best and lowest
prices," is the motto of this house, and don't
you forget it. Store in Post-office building.
—Horses, Cows & Poultry—Food them
well, and give them German Horse and Cow
Powder to digest and assimilate what they
eat. 17-20
—Lewis Weiss is now receiving and open-
ing a new and elegant stock of hats, caps,
boots and shoes for spring and summer wear,
which he is prepared to sell at unprecedented
low prices. He respectfully invites an inspec-
tion of his stock being assured that
he can give full satisfaction.
—The Popular Western Ticket Agent, R.
O'Brien, will be at his office next Wednes-
day night. If you intend to go west, call
and see him, he will give you right, cheap
and quick.
—The Lehigh Zinc Co., of Friedensville, is
preparing to commence mining operations in
a new shaft in the near future. The mines
have been lying idle for some time.
—12 good house painters
wanted, apply to E. F. Lucken-
bach, Mauch Chunk.
—The shipments of coal via L. V. R.R.,
for the week ending the 31st inst., foot up
65,397 tons, and for the fourth to that date
1,114,889, an increase of 17,359 tons as com-
pared with same time last year.
—The store of David W. Howell, at Mar-
tin's Creek, Northampton county, was en-
tered by burglars on Monday night of last
week, and robbed of a large quantity of
goods.
—Allen C. Laros, who is in the Inmate
Asylum at Harrisburg, is studying short
hand, and converses rationally, which is
thought very queer conduct for a man too
crazy to be hung.
—The iron interests of Pennsylvania are
growing more and more prosperous. From
nearly all the iron regions we have news of
the starting up of the fires of furnaces, forges
and rolling mills.
—On Friday the 11th of March grand-
mother Wentz, the oldest person living in
Lehigh township, Northampton Co., celebra-
ted her ninetieth birthday. Her many rela-
tives and friends paid her a visit of respect
and love.
—John Arner, one of the oldest citizens of
Upper Merion, died on the 28th of March,
aged 88 years, less one day. He was a
weaver by trade, and so well preserved phy-
sically that he was able to follow his calling
until last summer.
—On the fourth page will be found a
double column advertisement of a special
inducement to subscribe to the ADVOCATE.
It will pay to read it, our word for that.
—Messrs. R. J. Youngkin, Leichter and
Rex, who left here for Minneapolis, Minn.,
on Thursday night of last week, inform us
that they arrived at that place on the morn-
ing of the 6th, and that before noon they
had all sorted work, and as far like their
new home.
—The respectable and law-abiding portion
of the people of Weisport complain of the
rowdian night on the streets, which disturbs
travellers from sleep, and at the orgies that
degenerate the Sabbath in that borough.
—Tuesday night a crowd of these rowdies
laid over the seats in front of Miller's feed
store, and took P. J. Kistler's wagon from
the shed, and endeavored to blockade the
post-office door with it. It is said that some
of these bohemian disturbers of the peace
are new boys to whom "intoxicants" should
not be sold. Measures are being inaugu-
rated to put a gag on this whole matter.
—A count, the first appearance of which
was noted thirty-three years ago, is proceed-
ing this way, and on April 10th, will be
nearest the earth, a trifling distance of sev-
enty-five million of miles then intervening
between the two bodies. It can now be de-
tected through a telescope.
—The new school organized Tuesday
evening with B. J. Knutz, the newly elected
Burgess, in the church. Hon. Wm. M.
Rappeler was re-elected Treasurer, Wm. Hill
was Treasurer, and Geo. Berthamer School
Commissioner.

—The prospect of having better times in
putting more life into all classes of people.
—The rail mill of the Allentown Rolling
Mill resumed operations on Tuesday of last
week.
—Weisport is just now enjoying the pur-
suing weather, and the presence of a per-
sistent photographic gallery all at once.
—One of the most complete things imagin-
able is the new "spark catcher" over the
cupola of the Fort Allen Foundry.
—Our farmers and gardeners are now up
and doing, and their future prospect has
very much brightened within a week.
—Carriages for funerals, pleasure or busi-
ness at popular prices at the livery of David
Elbert, North street, this borough. A fine
stock of horses and an elegant lot of carriages
to select from.
—If you need a sewing machine of any of
the best makes, at from \$25 upwards, call
on John H. Papp, the popular agent, Sus-
quehanna street, Mauch Chunk.
—S. S. Smith, Esq., cashier of Linder-
man & Co's. bank, Mauch Chunk, has been
in town several days during the week in at-
tendance at the sale of T. D. Claus's prop-
erty.
—The Commissioners of Schuylkill coun-
ty are putting out five per cent. bonds to
take up a former indebtedness bearing six
per cent. of the new issue \$170,000 have
been taken since April.
—Arrangements are being perfected for a
grand recreation and entertainment to the
Grand Officers of the Grand Lodge of the In-
dependent Order of Old Fellows on the In-
dependent to Hazleton, on Thursday, the 24th
inst.
—Maj. H. W. Bardwell, postmaster at
Tunkhannock, who recently invented an
improved letter stamp, is in luck. The
Government has adopted his invention, and
offers as a reward by Mr. Bardwell upon
application to the department. He will
make a handsome royalty on the stamp.
—Pittston Gazette.
—The L. & S. R.R. Co., transported 527,
392 tons of coal over their road for the week
ending the 4th inst., making a total to date
of 888,422 tons, an increase of 47,404 tons
as compared with same time last year.
—A gentleman of Reading has been in
this county during the week buying and
transporting to that city the cinders from
the local pits in the vicinity. It is esti-
mated that he will take 150,000 tons of this
inferior debris from this end of the county,
10,000 tons from the Heimlich forge at
Little Gap, 3,000 tons at the old Laury
forge at Poles Pole, and 2,000 from a forge
near Kregsville. Four teams are engaged
in bringing the cinders to the railroad by
the way of Weisport and six others are carrying
it to Lehigh Gap. It is said the cinders not
only produce a superior quality of iron them-
selves, but also, when used in the iron
industry, they are found to be of great
benefit. The estimate is that there is
not less than \$5,730 clear profit in this
150,000 tons of old cinders which have
heretofore been considered worthless, but
now, to say nothing of the material value
which is thereby added to the iron interest.
Verily, this is a progressive age.
—Eighty men are now employed at the
Fermale Works, with day and night shifts
in operation.
—Ninety members have been dropped
from the rolls of the East Penn. Co. for non-
payment of dues, etc. The Burgess, who
takes place, says: "Unless the remaining mem-
bers are interested in the organization there
is a possibility of the company being mustered
out of service at the next inspection."
—The widow of the late Dr. H. O. Wil-
son, of Stratford, has opened a trimming
store in said place.
—No school director has a right to charge
for services, but in the case of the late
directors will give their services for good
of the cause. If the Auditors allow for such
work, it is a matter of course.
—The official term of all borough and
township officers, excepting school directors
and justices of the peace, commences on the
first Monday in April of each year. This
includes burgesses, councilmen, assessors,
judges and inspectors, clerks of the courts,
judges and clerks of the election on the
third Monday of February. The terms of
justices of the peace commences on the
first Monday in May, and of school di-
rectors on the first Monday in June.
—Mr. J. W. Meissner, son of Dr. Otto
Meissner, de'd., of Maunsping, who has for
some time been one of the clerks in the Le-
high Valley freight office at Mauch Chunk,
was last week appointed Lehigh Valley sta-
tion agent at the East Penn. Junction, near
Frank Horn, Pa. Mr. Meissner is a
young man of considerable executive ability,
and will make an active and efficient
official.
—The old Moravian burying ground in
Bethlehem, which heretofore has been open
to the public, is to be closed and locked
except on certain occasions. This course was
made necessary by the improper conduct of a
few shameless persons.
—The Evangelical church at Weisport
was crowded to the brim on Saturday last
week, the occasion being the anniversary of
the death of the late pastor, Rev. J. W. Meis-
ner. A large number of guests were present,
and the services were most impressive. In-
teresting addresses were made by the different
speakers on the occasion and the stirring
prayer songs were rendered fully in harmo-
ny with the addresses. At the conclusion,
the pledge was introduced by W. C. Weiss, Esq.,
and it was signed by 79 persons, several of
whom are men who have left the heavy and
blighting burden of intemperance, and are
now resolved to bear the cross bravely and
in its deadly grasp and lead reformed lives.
The meeting has produced a feeling of
certainty revival in Weisport, where there is
certainly a prolific field for labor, and an
outdoor temperance mass meeting is pro-
posed, to take place in May or June.
—On Saturday morning last there was
quite a commotion in No. 5 slope of the Le-
high & Wilkes-Barre Coal Co's mines at How-
er Brook caused by the discovery that No. 5
gangway was sinking down to No. 4. The
latter is a new slope sunk inside of No. 4.
In the lower level the miners drove the bread-
stove up close to No. 5 gangway. No steps
have yet been taken toward repairing the
gangway. About 22 men have been thrown
out of employment by the accident, as there
were about 16 men and a gangway farther
laboring, and at his work was beyond the
Mauch Chunk Gazette and Plover, of Mr.
Claus's failure, we give the following, from
the Hamilton Daily Bulletin of last Monday:
T. D. Claus, ex county treasurer of Carbon
county, who is engaged in the clothing
business at Lehigh, is a defaulter to the
amount of \$5,000. It is reported that when
he entered upon the office of county treas-
urer he was considerably involved in debt,
and that he had since endeavored to pay in
full the claims against him, but, owing to the
constant decline of the value of goods and
having a large and fine stock on hand his
liabilities were fully equal to his earnings. On
the 1st of March, he was compelled to re-
sign his office, and he is now in the hands
of a govt. That he is strictly honest, and
acted in good faith towards all with whom
he had business relations, is not doubted for
a moment. And his friends are confident
that by careful management in the disposi-
tion of his stock, his personal property and
real estate will cover all his liabilities and
enable him to take a fresh and successful
business start at an early day.

From the County Seat.

HYMNICAL.—Mr. L. Edmond Klotz, only
son of Hon. Robert Klotz, will be united in
the holy bonds of matrimony, in Bethlehem,
next Thursday, to Miss Emma Laubach, one
of Bethlehem's fair daughters. About the
middle of next month, District Attorney,
E. E. Bowers will lead to the altar Miss
Lillian Yeager, daughter of Benj. Yeager,
Esq., deceased. These two matrimonial
events are creating quite a flutter in society
here. May both gentlemen enjoy long,
prosperous and happy lives with the respec-
tive partners whom they have selected as
helpmates in the battle of life.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—George Goodhart, a
brakeman on No. 74 train, Lehigh Valley
Railroad, had one of his feet very badly
crushed by one of the wheels of the train
passing over it, on Thursday. The accident
occurred near Packerton. Mr. Goodhart has
a wife and two children living in East
Mauch Chunk, where he was taken after
the accident. It is believed that the foot, by
proper care, can be saved from amputation,
although the bones were badly crushed.

NOT THE FELLOW.—Chief of Police Kirk-
patrick, of San Francisco, Cal., has sent Dis-
trict Attorney Seawick a photograph and
description of a criminal in jail in that city,
whom he believes to be Patrick Joyce, the
photograph bears some resemblance to one
of the noted criminals at large implicated in
the late murders in the coal regions of Car-
bon county. A careful examination of the
two pictures, however, shows that Peter
Joyce is a much younger man than the fel-
low who is wanted here.

IS GENERAL.—Gen. John D. Bertolotto
has moved into one of the residences in the
brick row, opposite the county jail.

—Geo. Esser, Esq., has returned home after
a business trip to the West. He is looking
unusually well and cheerful.

—J. J. Murray, shoe dealer, has moved into
F. C. Kline's old stand, corner of Sus-
quehanna and Race streets.

—The Onoko Bank has made rapid im-
provement recently under the instruction of
Prof. Vananda. The Professor is also at
present directing the orchestra which will
furnish the instrumental music for the
celebrated cantata of the "Haymakers," to
be rendered here shortly.

—At the first meeting and organization of
the new Borough Council last Saturday
evening, Thomas Crellin, Esq., was elected
Burgess, Fred. Bertolotto was elected Sec-
retary, and Charles Albright, Treasurer.
John Painter was appointed High Con-
stable, Harry Brelsford and James Walker,
police-men, and Nathan Fegley, Clerk at the
market.

—Dr. Frick, of East Mauch Chunk, has
been suffering with erysipelas, but is recov-
ering.

—John Brighton has returned from Col-
orado, without locating in business there.

—Mr. J. Campbell was married in marriage
to Lillian Miller, Esq. Mr. Campbell officiating
on Sunday evening.

—Decorations Day will be observed with
the usual exercises this year.

—There is more repairing and general fit-
ting up, preparing for the summer business
than has been done for many years, every-
where. These indications point to a general
business revival, and through a bright
spring and summer. Everybody who has
any business to do, should get ready now.
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Albrightville Items.

—Harris' mother—the iron age.
—A matter of course—apple sauce.
—William H. George returned home from
his pleasure trip Monday. He had been
about four weeks.

—Mr. Owen H. Silliman, of Kunkelstown,
paid us a flying visit one day last week.

—Mr. Joseph Serfas left Tuesday morn-
ing for Plymouth Meeting, Montgomery
county, on a visit to his son-in-law, Wm.
Wagner, Esq., who formerly resided in Le-
high town. He expects to be absent about two
weeks.

—George Eckhardt, formerly of this place,
now of Goulders, Monroe county, is here
on a visit. He is looking as gay and hap-
py as ever. He will return to his home in
a few days.

—Paul Eckhardt, of Mud Run, took pos-
session of the Pine Grove House on the 1st
inst. He succeeds Peter L. Honer who
formerly kept the house, and there is no
doubt that Mr. Eckhardt will do well in his
new home. He is a young man of good
talents and one of the most energetic young
men in this section of the county and is the
right man in the right place. We all wish
him success in his new home. He has a
new house on the 1st, and Samuel Beer moved
into the white house vacated by Tom. Serfas.
P. L. Honer moved into the house
vacated by William Hussemann, and Wm.
Hussemann moved in his deceased brother's
house.

—August Hussemann has opened a win-
ter-green distillery in the rear end of Henry
J. Deppay's saw and grist mill, and contem-
plates running the business to its fullest ca-
pacity.

—Penrose Walk, of Pine Run, moved to
a business trip to the West. He is looking
unusually well and cheerful.

—Constable H. G. Deppay returned home
from his visit to the lower end of the coun-
ty on Monday last week, and was very
much pleased with his trip.

—Luella S. Kibler, of the Hunters' Ho-
tel, is rusticated at Paul Eckhardt's at
present.

—"Mercury" will please accept thanks
for favors shown me while on a visit to the
lower end of the county. DURLIX.

Our Parryville Budget.

—This week we have a very gratifying
item to contribute—Monday, the starting of
our public works. At a meeting of the mem-
bers of the Carbon Iron and Pipe Company,
held here on Friday last, H. Cooper, Esq., of
Allentown, was chosen superintendent. G.
W. Bowman of our borough resumed charge
of the works, as look-keeper; a Mr. Serfas
of Newton has been going on for some time
past. As only about a dozen hands were
employed on Monday, the vast multi-
tude moved away sad and disappointed. On
Thursday, the force was slightly increased,
but the number will not be greatly augmented
until No. 1 furnace goes into blast, which
will be about the 1st of May.

—H. Cooper, Esq., the Superintendent,
moved into town on Tuesday, and is getting
comfortably domiciled in his new quarters.
He is already very friendly and courteous
to our people by his affable and courteous
manner.

—We learn that the dinner served to the
members of the Company on Friday last at
the Gold Eagle was first-class, in every re-
spect, thus reflecting much credit upon the
new host and hostess.

—The music of hammer and saw and the
movements of men about the furnace fore-
ground reminds us of Parryville in its former
days. Since the village blacksmith will bring
in his horse and wagon with the puffing
and rattling of his locomotive, in the near
future, will complete the melody of "labor's
song."

—B. F. Connor, for some time past en-
gaged in New York, is in town this week,
accompanied by his young bride Miss Mat-
thea Connor. They have returned to their
home, and we are glad to greet him as a
beneficial and congratulatory both upon the
felicitous event. ANNACON.

East Penn Dots.

—The continued cold weather has been
discouraging to our farmers.

—The remains of Mr. George Smith, of Le-
high, who died in the station here, were
buried on Monday. The remains were follow-
ed to the grave by a large concourse of relatives
and friends. May he rest in peace.

—Mr. T. W. Steigewald has secured the
second place in the contest for the new
work on his new farm. Mr. P. is a first class
mechanic.

—Mr. Alfred Westman and wife visited
Rushen Peters on Sunday last.

—Mr. Owen Smith was on a business trip
to Stratford last Thursday.

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to Stratford last Thursday.