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The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th, 1880.

Local and Personal.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscribers will please refer to the direction tabs on their papers, by so doing they will be able to see whether they are square on our books or not, thus:

John Fitzwilliam mar8 79

Shows that the subscription has been paid up till March 8th, 1879, and consequently there is one dollar due us on the present year, which you will please remit, or $1.25 will be charged if we have to send bill.

—Jeremiah Shifter fell from a scaffold in Hyde Park, Lackawanna county, on Saturday and received fatal injuries.

—The large iron ore mines near Ironton, Lehigh county, will soon be put in operation by Messrs. Aaron & Paul Balliet.

—The Berlin Iron Work, at Laurelton, Luzerne county, after a lengthy idleness, have been put in operation again.

☞Do not allow the Baby to languish and suffer, but use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup and check its suffering. For sale by all druggists Price 25 cents.

☞Look at the yellow direction tab on the first page and see how much you owe.

☞If you wanta nice smooth easy shave your hair cut or shampooing, go to Franz Roederer's Saloon, under the Exchange Hotel. He will fix you right, and don't you forget it.

—Harry Treibley, aged 17, while bathing in Tumbling Run, near Pottsville, Monday evening, was drowned. His body was recovered.

—At an early hour on Saturday morning the store of Mr. F. L. Crane, in Scranton, was entered by burglars and $400 worth of goods taken off.

☞Lewis Weiss, in the post-office building, this borough, has just made a large addition to his stock for the spring and summer trade, viz, a full line of stiff and soft felt hats of the latest and best styles, and a full line of gentlemen's, ladies' and children's boots, shoes and gaiters, all of which he is offering at the very lowest cash prices.

☞It seems impossible that Kendall's Spavin Cure should effect such wonderful cures but if you will try it you will doubt no longer. Read the advertisement.

—The population of Schuylkill county is 137,000, a gain of 17 per cent. since 1870.

☞H. H. Peters, agent, the popular merchant tailor, in the post office building, is now receiving and opening one of the largest and most fashionable stocks of cloths, cassimeres and suitings ever brought into Lehighton, and which he is prepared to make up in the latest fashion and most durable manner, at prices which actually defy competition. Call and examine goods and learn prices and be convinced.

☞Job printing of the finest description can be had at the CARBON ADVOCATE office at very low prices. Call and see samples.

☞See a wine cup in another column with a bunch of grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by all druggists.

☞WANTED, a girl, about 16 years of age, to assist with Housework. Apply at the CARBON ADVOCATE office, Lehighton, Pa.

—Legal cap, commercial note, and all other sizes and qualities of paper may be had at Luckenbach's stationery store, Mauch Chunk.

☞The medicines of DUNDAS DICK & Co. are unexcelled for elegance, purity, and reliability. Their Seidlitine Seidlitz Powders are as pleasant as Lemonade. Their Salt Capsules are world famous. See Advt. †

☞If your horse has a spavin use 'Kendall's Spavin Cure.' See the advertisement.

—The residence of Henry Uhler, in Forks township, Northampton county, was entered by thieves on Wednesday last and robbed of $8. They overlooked $250 that were near by in an old piece of calico.

—The Democrats representing the Luzerne portion of the Eleventh Congressional district met in convention at Hazleton on Saturday an nominated Dr. A. B. Fruit for Congress, with power to select his own conferees.

—It was discovered Wednesday of last week just in time to prevent an accident, that the slope rope in Laurel Hill Colliery, near Hazleton, had been tampered with. The owners of the colliery offer a reward of $250 for the parties perpetrating the outgage.

—The excursion in behalf of Zion's Reformed church of this place, on last Saturday, to Walnutport, netted the church a profit of about $60.

☞Pure wines and liquors, for sacramental and medicinal purposes, at H. E. Bohlen's Liquor Store, opposite the public square.

—Our friend Parker, of the Mahanoy *Tri-Weekly*, is very anxious that the Democratic and Republican papers should understand that the Greenback party is not dead. Oh, yes, bury it quickly.

—When an Ohio man goes into the woods for a couple of days, on a fishing excursion, the first question he asks on his return is: "Have I been nominated for any office while I was gone?" But our people generally ask for David Ebberts' popular livery, and go for a handsome team to take their wives and sweethearts a riding. Terms low.

☞At Dr. C. T. Horn's popular drug store, you can get any article usually kept by first-class druggists, at prices fully as low as the same articles can be purchased in the cities. Give him a call. *

—For the week ending on the 31st ult., there were 85,132 tons of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total for the season to that date of 2,730,804 tons, an increase, as compared with same date last year, of 16,833 tons.

—By an oversight our outside this week is dated August 3 instead of August 7, the error was discovered too late to make the correction.

—For the seven days ending on the 31st ult., there were shipped over the Lehigh and Susquehanna railroad 68,673 tons of coal, making a total to that date of 1,927,617 tons, a decrease, as compared with same time last year, of 292,751 tons.

—James Hunt, a brakeman on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, whose home is at Pittston, was run over by a freight train at Sugar Notch on Tuesday and was crushed to death.

—A mass of top coal in the Bellevue Colliery, near Scranton, gave way on Saturday, and a miner named John Kirkbride received severe injuries.

—A new, powerful, eight-wheeled engine numbered 344 and bearing the name Amazon, was turned out of the Weatherly shops last week, and was tested Saturday morning under the inspection of Master Mechanic Hofecker, the builder. The Amazon adds another to the many excellent locomotives turned out by Mr. Hofecker and reflects credit upon the Weatherly shops.

A VALUABLE PREMIUM!

We will present every person calling at this office and paying $1.00 for one year's subscription to the CARBON ADVOCATE, with a copy of Dr. J. B. KENDALL'S TREATISE ON THE HORSE, one of the most valuable books for Farmers and Horsemen ever published. The book is handsomely and profusely illustrated, and gives symptoms and treatment for the various diseases to which the horse is subject. Remember, for $1 you get the ADVOCATE for one year and a copy of the BOOK FREE! Now hand in your names and the dollar.

We have just received a limited number of KENDALL'S TREATISE ON THE HORSE AND HIS DISEASES, printed in German, which we will give to those paying one year in advance for the CARBON ADVOCATE.

WINFIELD SCOTT HANCOCK ILL SUCCEED HAYES!

—All the men employed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company unloading cars into the Morris canal shutes struck Monday afternoon for higher wages and were discharged. They were getting $1 25 per day.

—Mrs. Hannah Belford, relict of the late Judge Belford, of Mauch Chunk, died rather suddenly, after a few days of illness, on Thursday last, and was interred on Saturday. Mrs. Belford was born in 1810 in Mahoning township, this county, thus having reached the goodly promised age of "three score years and ten." She was married to the late Judge Belford, so well and favorably known in this section over half a century ago, in 1828, when Mauch Chunk and this county were little more than a wilderness. She had been a widow for some two years, her partner in life having died in 1878, leaving her in a comfortable condition so far as this world's goods is concerned. Mrs. Belford led an exemplary Christian life, was a prominent member of the Presbyterian church and will long be remembered for her many charitable and benevolent acts, always performed in keeping with the Scriptural injunction, "Let not thy right hand know what thy left hand doeth."

☞We have much pleasure in recommending Thermaline to our readers, as an absolute cure for Malaria. The manufacturers' name alone is a guarantee of it merit. It sells at 25 cents per box. For particulars see Advt.

—A meeting of the Carbon County Industrial Society will be held at the "Carbon House," this borough, on Saturday, the 28th inst.

—The next meeting of the Garfield and Arthur club, of this borough, will be held in Reber's Hall, on the evening of Saturday, 14th inst.

—Those interested, will bear in mind that the Evangelical camp-meeting commences in Linderman's woods, this borough, Friday next, the 13th inst.

—Don't you threaten a man with the loss of his situation unless he votes for your *favorite candidate*. It is a misdemeanor, punishable by fine and imprisonment, and don't you forget it.

—A vein of the Buck Mountain coal has been opened at Gowen Colliery, Luzerne county.

—General James B. Weaver, the Greenback candidate for President, has issued a circular appealing to the members of his party for "contributions of one dollar and upwards to aid in defraying the expenses of the campaign from now until November." Will he accept in gold or silver, or must the dollar be a *greenback?*

☞Women that have been given up by their dearest friends as beyond help, have been permanently cured by the use of LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND. It is a positive cure for all female complaints. Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for pamphlets. 37-2

—Tuesday night a singular accident occurred at Lester's Run, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. Somewhere above Lester's on the grade, 95 coal cars became detached from a train of 125. The detachment was unnoticed by the engineer until at Lester's where the runaway cars, which had acquired a fearful momentum, ran into the mutilated train. The shock threw twelve of the cars from the track and down a twenty-feet embankment, filling the yard of Mr. James Culvert's residence with coal and the fragments of badly wrecked cars. No one was injured.

—The regular weekly meeting of the Hancock and English Club will be held this (Friday) evening, at 7.30 o'clock, in Linderman's Hall. All persons favorable to the election of Gen. W. S. Hancock, are invited to attend.

☞Dr. J. A. Meyer, the popular dentist, has had over 20 years practice in his profession, and can be relied upon for good work and low prices. Office Broadway, Mauch Chunk.

Hancock and English.

All persons resident in Weissport and Franklin, favorable to the election of Hancock and English to the Presidency and vice Presidency, are requested to meet at the School House, in Weissport, this (Saturday) evening, 7th inst., at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of organizing a Hancock and English club. Rally! Rally!!

BY THE COMMITTEE.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for at the Lehighton post office, Aug. 2, 1880:

Auge, Mrs. A. M.	Leeds, Ella
Breiner, Benj.	Rau, Lewis
Cunfer, Josiah	Reigel, John
Darr, Chas. A.	Rhoads, Josie
Eberts, Amos	Rauch, E.
Eberts, John	Behrig, Lewis
Genesmer, Clarinda	Rusle, Wm.
Kern, Francis	Volkmar, R. Morris
	Wolf, John

Persons calling for any of the above letters will say "advertised."

T. J. SEIFERT, Asst. P. M.

Religious Notes.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, Weissport.—E. J. Miller, Pastor. German preaching at 10 o'clock a. m., by the Pastor. Sunday School at 2 p. m. English preaching at 7.30 p. m.

ZION'S REFORMED CHURCH, J. H. Hartman pastor. Preaching at 10 a. m., in German. Sunday school at 2 p m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m., in English.

M. E. CHURCH, J. P. Miller, pastor. 10:30 a. m., preaching, subject—"Little Lambs." 7:30 p. m., subject—"Little Foxes." Sunday school 2 p. m. All are welcome.

A woman who plays the sneak thief, and has thus far escaped detection, has made some extensive hauls in Bethlehem, Allentown and Easton.

The Coal Trade.

The anthracite coal trade proper is encouraging, and gradually improves from week to week. There is steadily more demand for coal, prices are fully maintained, and rather more coal is making. Confidence is generally strengthening, and it now seems pretty well assured that the coal trade for the remaining months of 1880 will be active, and will not only save the trade for the remainder of 1880 from loss or disaster but will carry it into another year greatly invigorated. The outlook for coal and iron is now good for both, and with the close of 1880 there is good reason to look for such results in the two great productions named as we have not had or dreamed of at any time in the past ten years. The anthracite coal trade is of immense value, and when fully worked through an entire year tells in huge proportions; the bulk of coal turned and its value in money cover astounding amounts. It is not only the coal and iron trades that just now are brightening up, but the condition of the situation of the Reading Railroad Company and of the coal and Iron Company, which in their close connection with the coal industries of the country, are closely in sympathy in whatever advantage results to either. We are glad to hear from a reliable source that indications of the untangling of the complications centering in the receivership promise an earlier and less difficult adjustment than was thought. We are not yet prepared to speak more in detail of this promising outlook alluded to, but purposes and objects are talked of and commented upon by parties who know whereof they speak that tend very much to brighten the future and encourage the hopes of those unfortunately involved in Reading's complications. Two or three years of full business will astonish the world with its wonderful earning capacity. We are credibly informed that the receivers of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company and of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company will soon be ready to make settlement for claims for supplies and materials furnished to the companies. It is believed that the adjustment will take the form of receiver's certificates, to be issued by directions of the court, and which, being a perfectly good security, will undoubtedly command a fair price and be a source of great relief to numerous creditors whose limited capital has been locked up by the suspension of the companies. The committee of the Schuylkill Coal Exchange have issued a circular to the effect that the anthracite coal interests have agreed to continue the suspension of coal mining in August, as follows: Stop work on the 5th, 6th, 7th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 26th, 27th, and 28th. To fully carry out the spirit of the agreement it is essential that the mining, hoisting, preparation and loading of coal during those days be entirely discontinued, and it is earnestly hoped that the above agreement for suspension will be carried out by every one in the most perfect good faith. The companies thus agree to continue the half time suspension during the month of August. There was a strong feeling in favor of a two weeks' total suspension, but a minority objection overruled this. Had it been adopted we think that its influence on buyers would have been much more marked. The public has witnessed much of half time work, and yet seen an abundant supply of coal, and it is still unwilling to believe that all wants cannot be supplied if the same policy be continued indefinitely. In this, however, there is likely to be some disappointment; but then there is the certainty that if the companies can secure the prevailing prices they will work full time. This to the ordinary mind would mean a production twice as large as is now being furnished. It will be found, however, that if the output on full time is increased 50 per cent. it will be large. The mines will not be able to do proportionately nearly as much, while it will be found that the lack of transportation facilities will act largely in curtailing. The *Coal Trade Journal*, in its encouraging comments, says the trade has not been marked by any special activity, yet. Coal still continues to be taken in sufficient quantity to prevent an unwieldy accumulation in first hands, while, except in some special varieties, the outspoken figures of the circulars are rather the exception than the rule as to prices. The fact cannot be concealed, however, that coal is not moved with sufficient freedom to secure the steady business which had been fondly hoped for. The general public, with the suspicions begotten of the experience of the past few years, still hesitates about laying in its winter supply; and many manufacturers and other consumers, with the same faith in their own judgment, are taking the chances as to prices later on. For this condition of mistrust the companies have only themselves to blame. In our judgment, the most direct way of giving emphasis to the trade is to cause a total suspension of mining in the entire anthracite region for at least two consecutive weeks during the month of August. With no coal coming forward for that period dealers would deplete their stocks and the coal now in first hands be set moving. Resumption would find us late in the season, with many gaps in stock to fill and a demand from the more remote points and shoat water places that cannot safely wait much longer. With this impetus the trade would probably start off with vigor. The public has the same access to coal statistics as the specialist, and it stands recorded that with the present system of half time work—which simply means that one or two of the companies have mined much less, and some nearly the same quantity, the net result being that, between them all, the market has had too much coal—the tonnage has come dangerously near to the overproduction of last year. In fact, the companies have been doing a very good six months' work and at prices far from unsatisfactory. The thought naturally suggests itself that, if during the first six months of the year over 10,000,000 tons were supplied to the market on half time work, there cannot be much fear of a coal famine if the rest of the year is worked full time. The situation needs the best care and attention.—*Ledger*, 2d inst.

A Brutal Outrage.

On Monday morning between 1 and 3 o'clock a fiendish outrage was committed by three boat men at Glendon. They boarded a canal boat and entered the cabin, in which were sleeping Mr. and Mrs. Bloevert and a driver boy. At the point of the pistol Bloevert was driven upon the deck with the boy, and one of the ruffians kept guard over them while the other villians outraged Mrs. Bloevert. These wretches changed guard over Bloevert and the boy three times, and each time the assault upon the unfortunate woman was repeated. Their conduct was brutal in the extreme, and when they left the boat, just before day-break, their victim was more dead than alive. Next morning police officers captured the leader, a rough, burly fellow named Morris, while he was sleeping under a tree near the Glendon furnace. He is a well-known Paterson rough, and the officers had some trouble with him. He was handcuffed and committed to jail, having admitted his guilt. Another of the men, named Lilley, from Newark, N. J., was caught and was identified by Mrs. Bloevert. The other escaped to New Jersey. Mrs. Bloevert is a bright, intelligent woman of attractive appearance, and is sorely distressed in mind in consequence of this brutal outrage.

Education in Mahoning Valley.

EDITOR CARBON ADVOCATE:—It is now almost four years since Prof. T. M. Balliet first started the select school at the Centre Square school house. It had been tried in different parts of the valley, by other persons, before to start select schools on somewhat similar basis, but always proved unsuccessful. When Prof. Balliet started out with his school, having but few scholars, the people of the vicinity looked upon it as being foolish, and laughed at the idea. The scholars were known by different nicknames, and the school house was called a losing place for those who did not care to work, little thinking that those who attended the school worked harder than those who called them by various nicknames and laughed at them when they passed the streets. But time has passed; the school has continued to press forward in its noble work, heeding little what the ignorant had to say about it. After few years its energetic founder was called away to fill another and a higher position, and in his stead was placed a man fully as competent and as much interested in the educational work as he was. The school increased, both in number of students and in its curriculum of studies. To-day its results are seen. The people no longer think that it is a disgrace to the valley, but look up to it as being an honor to their community. They are fully convinced by the closing exercises that were held at the end of each term, and the work its students have accomplished, that they were not idling away their time as they thought, but that they have worked hard and improved their time by studying till their midnight lamps burned dim. The fall term opened last Monday, with quite a rush of students—more students have already reported than ever before, and still there are some expected. There are at present in attendance students from different parts of Carbon, Lehigh and Schuylkill counties. Among them are three who have this spring passed the examination for sophomore class at Franklin and Marshall College; one holds a diploma of the Kutztown State Normal School, and quite a number of teachers who are gradually preparing themselves for college, all of whom have laid their foundations within its walls. For the first few terms there were no ladies present, now they constitute almost one-half of our number. So we see, instead of going backward, as was predicted by some, it is gradually advancing, "onward and upward," and we fully believe that the day is not far distant when you will behold within its place a building with high walls and towers pointing towards the skies.

FROM A STUDENT.

July 30, 1880.

For the CARBON ADVOCATE.

"Evils of Gossip."

I have known a country society which withered away to nothing under the dry rot of gossip. Friendships, once as firm as granite, dissolved to jelly, and then away to water, only because of this. Love, that promised a future as enduring as heaven, and as staple as truth, evaporated into a morning mist, that turned to a day's long tears, only because of this. A father and son were set foot to foot with the fiery breath of anger that would never cool again between them, only because of this. A husband and his young wife, each straining at the hated lash, which, in the beginning, had been the golden bondage of a good, blessed love, sat mournfully by the side of the grave, where all their love and joy lay buried, and only because of this. I have seen faith transformed to mean doubt; hope give place to grim despair, and charity take upon itself the features of black malevolence, all because of the fell words of scandal, and the magic mutterings of gossip. Great crimes work great wrongs, and the deeper tragedies of life spring from its larger passions But woeful and most melancholy are the uncatalogued tragedies that issue from gossip and detraction; most mournful the shipwreck often made of noble natures and lovely lives by the bitter winds and dead salt water of slander. So easy to say, yet so hard to refute—throwing blame on the innocent, and punishing them as guilty, if unable to pluck out the strings they never see, and to silence words they never heard. Gossips and slander are the deadliest and cruellest weapons man has for his brother's hart.

"TOM."

A Falsehood Nailed.

SELINSGROVE, Pa., July 31.—*Editor Patriot:*—The following appeared in the Harrisburg *Telegraph* of July 27.

Not for Hancock by a Large Majority.

From the Scranton *Republican*.

At a reunion of Twenty-eighth and One hundred and forty-seventh regiments, Pennsylvania volunteers and Knapp's battery held on the 20th inst., at Mauch Chunk, at which there were present two hundred and sixteen veterans of said organization, a vote was taken at the banquet, resulting: Garfield, 114; Hancock, 2. Hon. Robert Klotz, democratic member of congress from the Carbon district, presided at the banquet, and retired early, after the good things were disposed of, to figure up the percentage of the soldiers vote for Hancock. Evidently the veterans are not to be caught with Democratic chaff.

In justice to the many democrats who attended that reunion, I would say that this article is untrue from beginning to end. There were not present more than about one hundred veterans. There was no vote taken on presidential candidates. Col. Jas. Fitzpatrick presided and not Col. Klotz. Politics were not mentioned. The company of which I was a member was represented there by seven members, and five of the seven are Hancock men. And judging from the applause given by the veterans after the reading of letters by the secretary from Garfield and Hancock, I think the association will in November next give Hancock five out of seven votes cast by the above association.

Respectfully,

M. S. SENSOYER,

Late of Co. G, 147th Reg't.

In Memoriam.

Rev. Christian G. Eichenberg was the son of Peter and Wilhelmena Eichenberg. He was born on the 16th day of Dec. A. D. 1816, in Germany, in Rirfeln Kreis Schaumburg, Kurfurstenthu, Hessen. He was baptized by Rev. Patri, a pastor of the Reformed Church. He was confirmed as a member of the Reformed Church in his his 14th year. He studied in Germany, came to America in his 27th year. Shortly after he was ordained to the office of the holy ministry by the East Pennsylvania Class of the Reformed Church, in the United States. He was married to Mary Ann Achenback, from Plainfield, Northampton Co., Pa., at Easton, June 24th, 1848, by Rev. M. Harpel. He died of some sort of abdominal affection—tumor in the bowels it is supposed. Shortly before he died he said "I am glad!" He told his wife to read the 466th hymn of the Reformed hymn book in German. He died on the 12th of June, at 4 p. m., aged 63 years, 5 months, and 26 days. His funeral text was 1 Tim. 3; 14 15. Rev. Eichenberg did work for three men. He was a farmer, a business man and a minister. He never had a day of rest—a Sabbath like other men. He never took the minister's Sabbath—Monday—as a day of rest. He was never idle, always busy. Besides his farm and business cares, he studied a good deal. He was a good sermonizer and preacher, especially in his younger days. He could expound and explain Scripture. His sense of right was greatly developed, which was ready at all times to resist unrighteousness and dishonesty. He was a man who was straight forward is and *from* the pulpit. *Laborer, rest in peace.*

J. E. FREEMAN.

Weissport Items.

—On Saturday evening the democrats will hold a meeting at the public school house for the purpose of organizing a Hancock and English Club. All are invited to be present. Addresses will be delivered by prominent speakers, among whom will be our fellow townsman, Hon. J. G. Zern, and others. At the same time the veterans will meet for the purpose of organizing a Hancock Veteran Association. The latter body is to be composed of old soldiers from Lehighton, Weissport, Franklin, Mahoning, Packerton, East Penn, Parryville, and vivinity. Let all those who desire to vote for Hancock and English be present

—The *Carbon Herald* continues to improve in spiciness.

—Mr. J. W. Gilham, a soldier who fought through the war, from beginning to end, is the most energetic Hancock man we have on this side the river. There are two more ex-union soldiers who have heretofore been somewhat reticent, who have come to the fixed determination of supporting the hero of Gettysburg. Still they come.

—Examination of teachers took place on Tuesday, at the East Weissport school house. Only one person—Miss Julia Christman—was examined, and certificate granted.

—What has become of the aspirants for the District Attorneyship?

—A. F. Snyder, an energetic young business man, of this place, intends attending the Millersville State Normal School during the coming winter.

—Miss Mary Smith returned from Ocean Grove last Friday evening.

—Mr. A. H. Tobias, of Mauch Chunk, was in town on Tuesday afternoon, on business.

—Mr. Eugene Everitt, one of our worthy school directors, is one of the rising young men of the day. He is energetic and persevering, and, of course, he is a Hancock man.

—Those ladies who had made Weissport their summer residence, took their final leave on Monday forenoon for Philadelphia.

ARCHIE.

Audenried Dots.

—An unusually severe thunder storm passed over our place on Monday last. The electric current paid a short visit at the house of Gideon Davis, and also at the Honey Brook machine shop. But little damage done.

—The base ball fever is spreading again, and the prospects look promising for the usual number of sprained ankles, broken fingers, etc. The Keystones, of Honey Brook, have organized fifty strong, while a club is already in a flourishing condition in Yorktown.

—The young men of Beaver Brook are organizing an athletic club.

—A great number of our people are anxiously awaiting the result of Dr. Tanner's fast. Should he be successful, and prove to the world that eating is only a habit—and a bad one—this world will be a happy one, as water is plenty and very cheap.

—A lodge of the Junior Sons of America has been launched forth on the placid waters of society here. We wish our young men success.

—The re-dedication ceremonies at the Presbyterian church on Sunday, were very imposing. Rev. D. J. Waller, of Bloomsburg delivered a very able sermon. His style and delivery, were such that the audience were held, as it were, spell-bound. The singing by the Song Bird Troupe, of Beaver Meadow, was acknowledged by all present to have been superb.

—Quite a number of our people visited East Mahanoy camp meeting on Sunday. We are informed by those who attended that the best of order was preserved, and not even the "weed" allowed to be sold on the grounds.

—A Garfield and Arthur club was organized here on Saturday evening. Hosack Hall was filled to overflowing with citizens, who came to hear the issues of the day discussed by Wright and Troutman, Esqs., of Hazleton. Both speakers did well, and as a result of their labor thirty-six "stalwarts" signed the roll.

Beaver Meadow Notes.

—There is a great deal of uneasiness among the miners in this region over the prospects of having only half work again for August.

—The tax collectors have put in their appearance again in this township. The people say they are a greater annoyance by far than the census enumerators.

—John B. Tweedie, a resident of this place for the last forty years, has concluded at last to take out his naturalization papers. What his politics are, we are unable to say.

—Frank Wear, who has been unable to work for over a year, was very low last week.

—Charles Brittain, Sr., is trying to get up a Garfield club, but no go as yet. We say, try again, old man.

—Quoit playing has been supplanted by alley ball playing among the sports of our neighborhood, and is, as far as our opinion goes, a much better game.

—It is a great question among gossipers to know what countryman Dr. Tanner is. Some one remarked that he is an Englishman. "No Sir," said another, "an Englishman would die in three day without his bread and beef."

—The potato crop promises to be very large in this neighborhood this year. Many families expect to raise from one to two hundred bushels each.

—The Song Bird Troupe wish to return their sincere thanks to the people of Audenried for kindness and favors bestowed upon them Sunday last, and feel it a great pleasure to sing before such an appreciative audience.

Camp Fire.

Wm. Lazarus Post, G. A. R., of Audenried, will hold a "camp fire" at that place on Saturday, August 21st. A general invitation is extended to the citizens to attend the Encampment and assist in the exercises, which, they believe, will tend to keep alive in the public mind the days gone by, and teach the young of our country, patriotism and devotion to country. The exercises will consist of drills, guard mount, dress parade, sham battle, court martials, songs, speeches, and other camp sports such as blanket tossing, foot racing, quoit pitching, etc., etc. Army rations, such as bean soup, hard tack, onions and salt, bacon broiled at a wood fire and all of the well known fare of old soldiers will be on hand. The principal feature in the sports will be a "foot race" for the championship of the mountain. A splendid dancing pavilion, with good music in attendance, will all be provided. The committee, comprised of the following well-known gentlemen, is a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be left undone which would, in any way, add to the success of the camp-fire: C. F. Falls, R. C. Russell, H. C. Taylor, Dr. S. Lazarus and Thos. Daugherty. The cause is a worthy one and should be well patronized by the loyal and patriotic people of that section.—*Bulletin.*

Wild Creek Items.

—A Sample Case.—A great many persons laugh at the idea that bed drainage is the cause of very many diseases. They laugh because they are ignorant.

—Boys and Small Fruits.—Boys on farms, like boys in other places, want spending money and are often sorely troubled to obtain it. They scarcely like to ask their parents for money to buy things that please their fancy, and they have few opportunities to work out, for when neighboring farmers wish to have help there is plenty of work on life farms where they belong. Their best chance to earn money appears to be in cultivating some crops at home that require small capital to start in, a small amount of land for its production, but which produces a considerable amount of money. The small fruits are excellent this respect. They may be set out at times when the soil is too wet to be of good advantage, and may be cultivated at odd hours when there is little to do in the fields. They require but a small amount of land, and produces more money from an acre than any farm crop.

—Wintergreen oil is now $2.25 per lb.

—August has 5 Sundays this year.

—Trout fishing season is now over, and hunting time will soon be on hand.

—A dance was held at the residence of Harrison Berger last Saturday evening. A number of ladies and gentlemen were present who, seemingly, enjoyed themselves very much. JOE.

Letter from Long Branch.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

Our Washington Correspondent's Airing at Long Branch.—What the "wild waves are saying.—Amusement for rich and poor, young and old.—How and where to find your friends, etc., etc.

LONG BRANCH, N. J. July 30, 1880.

Everybody is supremely happy at Long Branch. The sojourners are happy because the glorious water gives them an opportunity to enjoy the sea shore to its fullest extent. The water is in a superb condition for bathing, and every advantage is taken of plunging into the glorious breakers that dash over the sandy shores. The hotel keepers are happy because their homes are absolutely full and running over. Did I say they were happy? I err, for they are really unhappy, because their accommodations are so limited that even cots will not supply the demand of the somnolent patrons who throng the corridors and people the verandas. Col. Leland, our host of the "Ocean," was heard to utter an extract from "Pinafore" that begins with a great big D, because he kept so diminutive a place, as though a cool thousand wasn't enough for any one man to lodge, feed, and otherwise entertain. The hackmen are happy because they *fare* well just at the present juncture. The principal ambition of a great many of the visitors is apparently, as soon as they land, to get into a vehicle of some sort or other, it does not matter what, and to ride up and down the avenue, fronting the beach, and then they go home and say that they have had a splendid time at Long Branch. The proprietors of the great pier are happy because the boats carried down from New York loaded to repletion and in order to get ashore a disbursement of 10 cents has to be made before it can be accomplished, and so they are getting rich. In fact everybody seems to be happy, and it is a good thing to have it so. The "Ocean" is at the democratic end of the town, while further south it is considered more aristocratic, as there are some cottages located there occupied by swell people. One of the most beautiful of these places is owned by the President of Adams' Express Co. It is my ideal of a summer residence, and he knows just how to appreciate it. General Grant also has a cottage, not far distant, but it is rented this year to some other people. The various hotels seem to have little coteries formed by people from particular places. Should you desire to find a Philadelphian, you can safely get tidings of him by going to Howland's Hotel. At the West End the Baltimore ladies are most likely to congregate. At the "Ocean" Western and Southern people find a residence suited to their tastes. It is the gayest of all the hotels and the ladies say the hops are perfectly lovely. There are found some of the most charming of Southern daughters, full of bright, sparkling, vivacious wit, whose very motion is grace personified. There are some terrific flirtations engendered by the near proximity of the sea, and in their endeavors to interpret the language of the wild waves, many a Romeo and Juliet have found their affinities. I picked up a crumpled bit of paper upon which were inscribed these lines evidently showing that some one had a bad attack:

On thy fair hand this glove may rest,
Oft times, and oft again;
But ever within this lonely breast
Will I, this sentiment retain:
Of love for thee.

And when life's ritful dream is o'er,
Though in another sphere,
With forms angelic, I may soar,
My spirit will be forever here
To worship thee.

Long Branch was at one period the Mecca of New York excursionists, Coney Island, however, has drawn off a great portion of the people who believe in cheap excursions. Therefore the class of people are as a rule more orderly and less obtrusive than in former days, making it a more agreeable resort to such as prefer a quiet sojourn at the seaside.

AUGUST.

LIST OF PATENTS

Granted by the United States to citizens of this State, for the week ending Aug 3, 1880, furnished for the CARBON ADVOCATE, from the Law and Patent office of J. McC. PERKINS, 809 L Street, Washington, D. C.

W E Hartmann, and A. Raymond, Philadelphia, friction clutches for machinery.

J. H. Irwin, Morton, domestic oven for lamp stoves.

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F. Jarecki, service box for gas and water pipes.

C. T. Leopold, assignor to Lloyd, Supplee & Walton, Philadelphia, meat cutter.

J. Pfleger, assignor of ¼ interest to S. Kessler, Philadelphia, cloth measuring machine.

E. E. Tassey, McKeensport, siphon propeller pump.

G. Trump, assignor of ¼ intercst to C. H. Carstens, Driftwood, pitcher.

G Hayes, Girardville, compound for preparing the wicks or matches of miners' squibs.

STATE NEWS.

Crawford county contains 7,256 farms.

The wheat crop of Clarion county is reported to be the largest ever housed there.

The wheat crop of Mercer county will be one-third larger this year than ever before.

The Misses Bertolet, aged 82 years, are twin sisters residing in East Perkiomen, Montgomery county.

Hon. Lin Bartholmew is spoken of for the Republican Congressional nomination in Schuylkill county.

Daniel Reeder, of Pricetown, Berks county, is 91 years old, and works with the farm hands every day.

Mrs. Weaver, of Catasauqua, who is 90 years of age, frequently walks to Bethlehem to church.

A lot of counterfeiters' materials were discovered at the depot in Bradford on Friday directed to a counterfeiter recently convicted at Erie.

The Coroner's jury in the case of the late mining disaster at Shenandoah rendered a verdict that the victims were smothered by carbonic oxide.

Fifty Swedes were put to work in the Jamestown (Mercer county) iron ore mines on Saturday. The mines have a capacity of seventy five tons a day.

Two veins of coal, 40 feet each in thickness, have been discovered in Bear Ridge colliery, near Mahanoy Plane. They will yield largely for some time.

Small shipments of wool from Washington county to Lowell, Mass., are being made.

Proof Positive.

"What everybody says must be true," therefore it is proof positive that Kendall's Spavin Cure will cure spavins, splints, curbs and all unnatural enlargements and will remove the bunch without blistering. Read their advertisement, for the remedy is having an unprecedented sale which is entirely on its merits. Is now sold by nearly if not all druggists. Remember the name is Kendall's Spavin Cure.

A New Treatment.

The Golden Elixer of Life. Wonderful Cures.

If you have Consumption, and would know that your cough can be made loose and easy—Hectic Fever and Night Sweats checked in 24 hours; Inflammation taken out of the Lungs and air passages at once; that you can be made to gain 3 to 5 pounds of healthy flesh per week; if you have any Chronic Disease, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Heart Disease, Liver Complaint, Nervous Debility, Seminal Weakness or Spermatorrhoea, loss of sexual power in either sex from any cause; if you have any form of nervous weakness, losing flesh or wasting away, and would know of an immediat relief and certain cure for many of the severest cases in a short time, a new method with new agents to fatten everybody, invigorate and make strong and healthy the most hopeless cases, cut this out and write at once for particulars to B. S. DISPENSARY, Berrien Springs, Mich. July 17 y1

Lehighton Markets

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Flour, per sack	$6 25
Corn, per bushel	70
Rye, per bushel	65
Mixed Chop, per cwt	1 40
Middlings, per cwt	1 40
Bran, per cwt	1 10
Butter, per pound	20
Eggs, per dozen	16
Ham, per pound	12
Lard, per pound	10
Shoulders, per pound	8
Potatoes, per bushel	70

Closing prices of DELIVEN & TOWNSEND, Stock, Government and Gold, 40 South Third Street, Phila., August 5, 1880.

U. S. 6's 1881	104¾	bid	105 asked
U. S. Currency, 6's	124	bid	asked
U. S. 5's, 1881, new	102½	bid	103 asked
U. S. 4½'s, new	110¾	bid	111 asked
U. S. 4's, new	109	bid	109¼ asked
Pennsylvania R. R.	54¼	bid	54¾ asked
Phila. & Reading R. R.	19	bid	19 asked
Lehigh Valley R. R.	55¼	bid	55¾ asked
Lehigh Coal & Nav. Co.	21	bid	21¼ asked
United Companies of N. J.	93	bid	125 asked
Northern Central R. R.	29¼	bid	29¾ asked
Hestonville Pass. R. R. Co	21	bid	22 asked
Pitts. Tit. & Buff. R. R. Co.	12¼	bid	11¾ asked
Central Transportation Co.	48	bid	49 asked
Northern Pacific Com.	55¼	bid	55¾ asked
" " Pref'd.	56¼	bid	57 asked
North Pennsylvania R. R.	49	bid	53 asked
Philadelphia & Erie R. R.	13	bid	15¼ asked
Silver. (Trades.)	89½	bid	89¾ asked

MARRIED.

WALCK—REX.—On the 10th ult., by Rev. A. Bartholomew, Mr. George W. Welck, of Lehighton, and Miss Mira Ann Rex, of Mahoning.

MARKEL—WALCK.—On the 15th ult., by the same, Mr. Chas. W. Markel, of Parryville, and Miss Amelia Agnes Walck, of Lehighton.

BECK—FRANTZ.—On the 24th ult., Mr. Chas. O. Beck and Miss Amanda Frantz, both of Lehighton.

REHRIG—KNAPPENBERGER.—On the 30th ult., by the same, Mr. George Rehrig, of East Penn, and Miss Mary Ann Knappenberger, of Lower Towamensing.

DETRICH—RINE.—On the 31st ultimo, by the same, Mr Allen Detrich, of West Penn, and Miss Mary E. Rine, of Walker, Schuylkill Co.

GARRISON—HARTZ.—At the