CHRISTMAS ATTRACTIONS

—AT THE—

"Original Cheap Cash Store."

We display this season the Largest, Most Complete and Finest Stock of

HOLIDAY GOODS,

both Useful and Ornamental, that we have ever exhibited. Out of our marvelous assortment almost every taste can be gratified and every want supplied. We cannot begin to enumerate them in detail, but out of the many may name—

Jewelry, Silverware Toilet & Shaving Sets, Comb and Baby Sets,
Mirrors, Plush Novelties, Perfumery.
Odor Cases, Odor Stands, Toilet Soaps,
Papeteries, Purses, Pocket Books,
Flat Leather and Plush Bags, Cigar Cases,
Gents' Pocket Cases, Combs and Brushes,
China Goods, Glassware, Lamps,
Luminous Match Safes, Shawls, Skirts,
Jackets, Hosiery, Gloves, Leggings,
Handkerchiefs in Fancy Boxes,
Silk Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties,
Boots, Shoes, Slippers, &c., &c.

N.B.—The Store will be Open till 10 o'clock to-night and on Monday evening.

J. T. NUSBAUM,

Opp. Public Square, Bank Street, Lehighton, Pa. June 9, 1883-1y.

The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1883.

—SPECIAL NOTICE.—Persons making payments to this office by money orders or postal notes will please make them payable at the WEISSPORT POST OFFICE, as the Lehighton office is NOT a money order office

Our Neighborhood in Brief.

—The miser sinks his neighbor,
And the neighbor sinks the poor,
And the poor man doomed to labor
Spurns the beggar from his door;
And thus the world is preying,
The strong upon the weak,
Despite the precious saying:
"The earth is for the meek."

Boy's watches for $4 at Hohl's.

Gold Watches at E. H. Hohl's.

—Sheriff Bower and wife, of Catasauqua, were in town on Sunday.

Buy silverware for holiday presents at Deats & Co's. P. O. building, Weissport.

—The erection of a new court house is under consideration at Stroudsburg.

Finest stock of jewelry in the county at Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

GO TO ROSEBERY'S, IN OBERT'S BUILDING FOR AN EASY SHAVE.

—Court will convene in the Court House, at Mauch Chunk, on Monday, January 14th.

Rhine stone jewelry at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Five men and a boy were badly injured by the explosion of two boilers Monday in the Empire Oil Works, Pittsburg.

—Ladies and gents fancy gold rings, suitable for holiday gifts, cheap, at Deats & Co's., Weissport.

—Nine cases were presented before the Board of Pardons in Harrisburg Monday, but no pardons were granted.

Fresh Oysters—Raw or Stewed—can be obtained at L. A. Wehr's, Bank Street, daily.

—The *Critic* reports diphtheria as being very prevalent in Allentown. Nine cases on one street.

Save $10 by buying a gold watch at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Christmas day — next Tuesday. A Merry Christmas to all—young and old is the wish of the ADVOCATE.

Ladies and gents gold and silver watches a specialty, at Deats & Co's. P. O. building, Weissport.

—David Mole, of Salisbury township, Lehigh county, slaughtered a hog recently which weighed 700 pounds.

A new lot of CLOCKS, WATCHES and JEWELRY just received at S. HAGAMAN'S Store, Lehighton, Pa.

—The real estate of the late John Mitchell, of Plains, Luzerne county, is valued at $100,000, and his personal property at $25,000.

Great bargains in gold watches at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—A raffle for a gold watch and other articles will be held at the Fort Allen House, Weissport, on Jan. 11. Tickets 50 cents each.

Get D. S. Bock's prices for gold pencils and tooth picks, before buying elsewhere.

—Charles A. Shadt, a prominent Democratic politician and a former City Treasurer of Scranton, died Saturday morning in that city.

GUARANTEED to cure a cold or cough—Acker's celebrated English Remedy. Sold by Dr C T Horn, Lehighton, and E A Horn, Weissport.

—Something to remember—that you can positively save $10 on buying a gold watch at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk. It don't cost a penny to look. Then why not see if he advertises the truth?

—It is reported that the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company contemplates the extension of its Germantown branch to Norristown from Chestnut Hill.

—The mills of the Pottsville Iron and Steel Company, which suspended some days since, resumed work Monday to fill a number of small orders.

—There will be a raffle for a breech-loader and two tenor horns at the Valley House Restaurant, on Friday, January 4th. Tickets 25 cents.

Holiday Books and fancy goods just opened at astonishingly low prices. Do not fail to see our stock before purchasing. E. F. Luckenbach, 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk.

—The dead body of Mrs. Minnie Ike, aged 19 years, was found in a thicket near Stroudsburg on Friday. She had been melancholy for some time, and committed suicide.

If you wants 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.

—The home of John Rosencrans in Matamoras, Pike county, was recently destroyed by an incendiary fire while the family was attending prayer meeting. Loss, about $4000.

D. S. Bock has an immense assortment of gold rings suitable for Christmas presents. Prices the lowest.

— Best make of Horse Shoe Nails for 20cts a pound by the box at J. L. Gabel's.

—Objections are raised to a charter being granted to the Parish Coal & Mining Co., which intends to sink a shaft in Plymouth, upon the ground that it will ruin surrounding property.

A Farm of 119 acres with a house on it, and about 8 acres cleared, for sale cheap or in exchange for town property. Three miles from Mauch Chunk. Address W. M. Rapsher, Lehighton, Pa.

D. S. Bock has just received a new celluloid show case. This case was made especially for Mr. Bock—it is something new; call and see it.

—At the request of the prosecution in the Benjamin John G. Greening and Jos. P. Bender, of Dingman's murder of Emma C. Chesney, proceedings have been stayed, a stay of proceedings of court [illegible] until the June term

—The National Woman's Christian Temperance Union will celebrate its Tenth Anniversary Sabbath, December 23d. The officers of the Penn'a W. C. T. U. earnestly urge the general observance of the occasion, not only by the local Unions, but also by the churches and Sunday schools, with mass meetings, temperance sermons and children's meetings.

—It takes over one hundred pairs of gloves to assuage the grief of the Brooklyn officials over the death of an alderman, whose life might have been saved by a single bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

—Charles A. Hirst, of Bethlehem, upon being awakened by a noise at night, saw a man close to his window, outside. "What's wanted?" asked Mr. Hirst. "To sleep here," said the tramp. Hirst showed a revolver. So did the tramp, but when Hirst fired the tramp ran away.

Get D. S. Bock's latest prices for jewelry, watches, etc., before purchasing elsewhere

—Maria Mott Ridgway, wife of Judge Thomas J. Ridgway, of Lackawaxen, and sister of the late Henry S. Mott, ex-canal commissioner of Pennsylvania, died at her home in Lackawaxen Monday. She was one of the oldest residents in the Upper Delaware Valley.

—Lewis' Best White Lead at $7.00 a hundred at J. L. Gabel's, for cash.

—Governor Pattison has appointed Chas. R. Buckalew trustee of the Danville Lunatic Asylum, vice W. H. Bradley, resigned. The Governor has also appointed C. Stewart Patterson, of Philadelphia, inspector of the Eastern Penitentiary in place of Alexander Henry, deceased.

For a good gold watch sold $10 cheaper than you can get elsewhere, go to E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—A twelve-year-old boy named C. O'Donnell, was arrested in Hazleton for obtaining goods on other people's account at the Company store in that place without authority. Upon restoring some of the articles and promising to be honest in the future he was released.

—EVERY Promise backed by a guarantee. Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets will give immediate relief. Price 25 & 50 cts. Sold by Dr. Horn, Lehighton, and E. A. Horn, Weissport.

—Don't buy jewelry till you have seen the elegant stock at Deats & Co's, P. O. building, Weissport.

—An absent minded Allentown carpenter, who had just received his month's pay from the Lehigh Valley Railroad company, took the money out of the envelope and while engaged in conversation threw the cash into the fire, where it was quickly burned up.

—Ready mixed paints at J. L. Gabel's for $1.25 per gallon.

—The Governor's warrant for the hanging of John Dillman, sentenced to death for the murder of his wife in February last in Northampton county, and fixing February 12th as the day for the hanging, was read to the prisoner Monday morning. He admitted his guilt and said he would prepare to meet his fate.

—Don't fail to get E. H. Hohl's holiday prices on American silver watches It will positively pay you a good profit to buy of him.

—Allentown *Daily Critic*: "The CARBON ADVOCATE, published at Lehighton by Mr. H. V. Morthimer, has entered upon its twelfth year. It shows marked improvement, and in the ADVOCATE the reading public of the Lehigh Valley have a worthy representative. May it have a "Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year," is the wish of the *Critic*."

—10d. to 40d. nails at J. L. Gabel's for only $3.00 per keg. Locks $2.75 per doz.

—Henry Swoyer, a carpenter employed on the hotel that is now being constructed at Beaver Meadow, fell from the roof on Friday on his head. The man was picked up and carried into a house and Dr. Allen was sent for. He was beyond medical assistance however, and he died on Saturday. He remained unconscious from the time of his fall to his death. His home was in Berks county, where he has a wife and several children.—Hazleton *Plain Speaker*

—See Hohl's stock of newest designs in jewelry.

—The Sunday schools connected with our several churches are preparing almost nightly for the Christmas festivals. The Lutheran and Reformed will hold theirs on Christmas eve, and the M. E. on Christmas night.

—MUSIC BOXES.—We call the attention of those in search of a handsome and appropriate presents to the advertisement in another column, of C. Gautschi & Co., Manufacturers of Musical Boxes, Sainte Croix, Switzerland. They have an exhibition, at their Philadelphia sales rooms, the finest and largest display of these beautiful Swiss instruments ever shown in this country. They reproduce the most elaborate pieces of Music, old and new, with a brilliancy and accuracy truly surprising, with an effect so melodious and perfect as to be absolutely wonderful. These Musical Boxes are far superior to the ordinary instruments generally sold in this country, and need only be seen, or heard, to be appreciated.

—Jurors drawn for January term of Court, as well as witnesses, will do well to bear in mind the fact that at the Mauch Chunk House of Til. F. Fehr, they will find the best of accommodations, the best of table fare, nice and desirable rooms, good beds, and courteous treatment from proprietor down to hostler.

—The Rev. W. R. Hofford, of Allentown, was elected last Saturday as pastor of the Egypt charge in Lehigh county, vacated by the Rev. Samuel A. Leinbach, who accepted a call from Leesport charge, in Berks county.

You can buy better gold pens for less money at Bock's, Lehighton, jewelry store, than anywhere else in the county.

—For the week ending on the 15th inst., there were 93,676 tons of coal transported over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total to date of 250,082 tons, a decrease of 52,643 tons as compared with same date last year.

—Pure Linseed Oil, at J. L. Gabel's, 68 cents per gallon for cash.

—During the week from 6 to 8 inches of "beautiful snow" has fallen in this section, and sleighing is excellent. Get your "cutters" at David Ebbert's livery on North street. Cheap and nice.

—Rings—the finest assortment in the county, at Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Send postal card request for a sample copy of *Washington World and Citizen-Soldier*, the Old Soldiers' paper, the Anti-monopoly paper, the family paper, the paper for everybody — published every Saturday; eight pages, 48 columns; price only one dollar a year. Address, "The Washington World, 1936 F St., Washington, D. C."

For gold watches go to E H Hohl's, Mauch Chunk; he offers them at prices which makes it an object to buy of him.

—Read the advertisements in this paper and you will see where to buy your holiday goods.

—A remedy resting on the basis of intrinsic worth demands the confidence of all. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is known and used most satisfactorily throughout the land, as is attested by its great sales. Your druggist keeps it.

—Mme. Fry's Concert Company will give one of their superb concerts in the Public School Hall, in this borough, on Saturday evening, 22nd inst., for the benefit of the Lutheran church. This company is very highly spoken of by the press, and we anticipate for our people a decidedly rich musical treat. Don't you fail to go and hear them.

Gold watches sold $10 cheaper at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk, than anywhere else in the county.

—Christmas and New Year holiday excursion tickets will be issued by the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad, to be sold on December 22d, 23d, 24th, 25th, 29th, 30th, and 31st, 1883, and January 1st, 1884, good to return until January 2d, 1884. The usual issue will be made on the New Jersey Central, New Jersey Southern, and Lehigh & Susquehanna Divisions.

Kind reader pause for a moment and think carefully over this. You will find that the proper place to buy the cheapest harness, collars, blankets, ropes, whips and all pertaining to the working garb and pleasure clothes of horses, is at the store of Milton Flory, Weissport.

—Mrs. Andrew Boyer, of Little Gap, presented the Postmaster of Weissport, a few days ago with a red beet, measuring 2 feet 2 inches in circumference, and 1 foot 5 inches in length. This beet weighed 10½ pounds. If any of our readers can beat this beet let us hear from them.

—Daniel Dutt, of Allentown, was arrested on Saturday on a charge of obtaining from Edwin Boyer, of Kreidersville, a black mare under false and fraudulent representations with intent to defraud. He gave bail for his appearance at court.

—By a very recent and unpublished decision of the supreme court all bottlers of beer, ale, &c., must apply to the court at January term for license, and give bond under the provisions of the act of 1875.

—The annual exhibition of the Lehigh Valley Poultry Association will be held in Centre Square hall, Allentown, on January 8th.

—Hiram Ehrgood and John Walsh, inmates of the Lackawanna Hospital, Scranton, were suffocated by gas Tuesday night and were found dead in their room Wednesday morning by one of the attendants.

—We are under obligations to our young friend Mr. Obe S. Keiser, of the U. S. Hotel, Slatington, for an invitation to attend a grand sociable on Wednesday evening, Dec 26th inst.

—The Holidays commence next week, but the CARBON ADVOCATE will make its appearance as usual. Terms $1 a year in advance.

Resolutions of Condolence.

WHEREAS, The Almighty, in his infinite wisdom, having crossed the threshold of Lehighton Council, No. 370, R. A., and removed from our midst our worthy and esteemed brother, AARON LAUB,

Resolved, That, while we bow in submission to the Divine will, we deeply deplore the death of our brother, and tender our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends in this the hour of affliction and sorrow.

Resolved, That these resolutions be published in the CARBON ADVOCATE and a copy given to the bereaved family.

O. A. CLAUSS,
C. T. HORN,
A. C. BRODHEAD, } Com.

Condition of the Iron Trade.

Phila., Press: Speaking of the condition of the iron and steel trade and of the rumors that the market is largely overstocked and that the trouble with the workingmen will eventually cause an almost total suspension of production, an officer of a leading company said Saturday:

"Business is dull and quiet, but that is just what might be expected at this season of the year. In the aggregate transactions are probably quite as large as usual at this time of the year, and it is quite certain that large consumers are buying heavily. An active demand may be looked for after the holidays, and while prices are not likely to be higher holders are thought to be able to hold them at the present rates."

Secretary Swank, of the American Iron and Steel Company, said he had no fear as to the future or the present condition of the steel and iron market. The trade had reached a solid, non speculative basis and the dullness was attributable, in part at least, to overproduction. That was an evil that could cure itself, and he predicted a good and solid trade for the near future. There were reasons to expect better business after the holidays, especially in bar iron. Owing to the stock on hand some mills were running short, but they would resume probably in January, when the spring demand called upon them.

Mahoning Twinklings.

—The School Board met on the 8th inst., it being the second meeting for the present term.

—Mahlon Nothstein has lost several pigs—cause "hog cholera."

—Nathan M. Balliet, a student of Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, is at home during vacation.

—A new coal house has been built at the New Mahoning school house.

—Mrs. John Lapp, of Beaver Run, died on Friday. Her body was interred at St. John's church on Monday.

—A raffle match came off at John Delp's hotel on Saturday.

—Rev. W. H. Strauss will give catechetical instructions in St. John's church during the winter.

—Thomas Musselman had the interior of his house repainted last week.

—The snow was welcomed by all. We hope it has come to stay. Sleighing parties will now soon be the order of the day.

—Dennis Nothstein's horses ran away on Saturday, but, fortunately, were captured before they had done much damage.

—Phaon Hontz, when on his way to school a few days ago, jumped on a wagon and when he attempted to get off fell and received severe bruises on his face. Don't jump on or off wagons when in motion.

—A few days since Mr. A. Arner found an egg on his premises, which measured 7¼x8½ inches. This is an egg-straordinary egg, and the Allentown *Democrat* is invited to match it.

—We are now having opposition. Somebody from this place is reporting for the Mauch Chunk *Democrat*. One of the items in the last week's edition of said paper was as follows: "Dr. Seiple, with several other Lehightonians came up the valley on a hunting tour. Mr. G. K. Musselman acted as captain of the expedition, and a grand success was achieved by capturing one mud snipe within a walk of 18 miles." That's nothing. No use bragging about that. We have known "hunters" to walk 20 miles and not get anything. If any Lehightonians again come up here to hunt, we would advise them to get Joe Kemerer as captain. Joe is a famous hunter, he used to hunt, on an average, about six days a week; but now that he has shot himself, he has finally decided to keep to his bed for a few weeks. He is, however, rapidly recovering, and then —— well, the game had better go into winter quarters.

—Rev. A. Bartholomew will preach in St. John's church on Christmas morning. All are invited.

WEISSPORT LETTER.

—Sheriff C. W. Lentz was in town Monday evening.

—Miss Amanda Wehr, of Germansville, was visiting Weissport folks over Sunday.

—Mrs. H. Culton and Miss Belle Nusbaum were at Allentown several days last week.

—Mr. W. H. Oswald and family are visiting friends and relatives at Allentown the present week.

—Again Postmaster Knecht has been making numerous improvement on the post office building.

—Washington Camp, 122, P. O. S. of A., has selected Friday evening as its time of meeting. Recruits are added weekly.

—Our genial friend Frank Leury is doing a prosperous business in the dry goods line. He is worthy the success that greets him.

—A Suicide—A dog hung himself last Thursday in East Weissport. His master gave him too much rope. It created a good deal of excitement and fun at the time, but now it is all over and the poor dog almost forgotten. Never give and never take too much rope.

—Mr. Hiram Levan has been appointed by the Commissioners as the collector of the County and State tax for Penn Forest twp. The rivalry for the tax duplicate for said township can not be so very great or else the Commissioners would not be compelled to go outside of the district to get a collector. Mr. Levan is eminently qualified for the task and no doubt will perform his duty satisfactorily.

—Mr. Charles March, a former dry goods drummer, after an absence of over a year from Weissport, has turned up again. This time in the role of an agent for Webster's Unabriged Dictionary. He took a number of subscribers at this place. He sells his work at $16, to be paid in monthly installments of $2.

—Our old friend August Oswald, now that the boating season is at an end, has commenced to supply the citizens of Weissport and vicinity with fresh fish, &c. Gus is a good huckster and worthy of the patronage of our people. We wish him much success.

—We notice that our new watch and clock makers, Deats & Co., have just fixed up their show windows in the post office building, most elegantly for the holiday trade. The display of silverware, jewelry watches and clocks is unsurpassed by any in the valley—and they are said to sell very cheap for cash. Our people should patronize them liberally.

—Mr. Webster C. Weiss, the newly elected Superintendent of the Evangelical Sunday school, began to discharge his duties last Sunday. Mr. Weiss is a perfect engine of power and work in the Sunday school field. As an organizer and manager in this respect he has no superior or even equal, in the county. He brings the intrepidity of his magnetism, zeal and endeavor to this kind of work, and it is this that gives his labor so much success and reward. He was formerly, for a number of years, superintendent of the same school, but on account of ill health and poor eyesight he was compelled to resign. His old scholars and teachers as well as all friends of the Sunday school were much gratified and pleased at his assuming his old place in the Sunday school room. EXTRA.

Lower Towamensing Items.

—Milton Shoneuberger is sick with typhoid fever.

—Peter Blose was made happy by his wife presenting him with a girl baby.

—Christmas festivals will soon be in order—one will be held in Bowman's and one in Lehigh Gap

—Maurice Bowman was made happy week before last by the appearance of a little daughter in his family.

—Penn Bowman regrets the loss of his dog. It was shot by Mr. Cooper, of Parryville, through some unknown cause.

—Moses Stroup has lost six pigs by hog cholera within two weeks. It is rather a hard stroke on him, as their worth was estimated at $100.

—A sad accident occurred at Lehigh Gap last Wednesday evening, on the L. & S. R. R.; Stephen Snyder, lock-tender of guard lock, below chain bridge, was run over and instantly killed by the seven o'clock north bound passenger train. As the water was withdrawn from the canal, he after supper wanted to inspect the lock, he told his wife he would soon be back. He cleared the track of a cattle train, and stepped on the other track, and was thus knocked down and thrown into the water. He had one leg broken and his skull crushed in; he was picked up and taken to the station at Lehigh Gap where he was recognized as Stephen Snyder. Two persons immediately went to inform his wife of his sad fate. As they approached the lock, she was there calling for him, she suspected something had happened owing to the stoppage of the train. She was suddenly overwhelmed with grief, which no one can express. His funeral took place last Saturday.

—Fred Schmidt's corn crib was visited one evening several weeks ago while they were at supper, for the purpose of carrying away some corn; but they were prevented by one of the family who happened to step out on the porch and the thieves were frightened away. COX.

Packerton Notes.

—The following is the report of the public schools for the month ending Dec. 12:

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	19	16	35
Average attendance	16	11	27
Per cent. of attendance	85	75	80

The following named pupils attended every day during the month: Harry Long, Thomas Warg, William Hahn, Emma Everett, Carrie Yohe, Lizzie Davis, Chas. Mertz, William Shroeder, Lewis Kinsel, Alice Ditterline, each missed one day.

PRIMARY SCHOOL.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	27	28	55
Average attendance	23	21	44
Per cent. of attendance	84	72	79

The following named pupils attended every day during month: Harry Ditterline, Alvin Johnson, Harry Burns, George Hahn, Edgar Fritzinger, Adam Solt, Anthony Deichert, Alice Conarty, Mary Kinsel, Emilia Ditterline, Mamie Dolan, Barbara Kinsel, Annie Remaly, Maria Deichert, Emma Schaeffer, Willie Nicholas, each missed one-half day.

—Both Sunday schools are decorating their rooms for their Christmas festivals, and the labor they bestow upon it is certainly some credit to the people of Packerton. The one on the hill will have their celebration on Christmas eve, and the one in the hollow on Christmas night. Mr. Mertz is seemingly a very live and progressive superintendent and he will undoubtedly accomplish some good.

—List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Packerton post office, Dec. 15:

Fred Melber,
Jos. Saddler,
Harvey Smawley,
Jos. Mertz,
F. P. Stewart,
Nathan Solt,
Wm. Scholileines.

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

A. MCDANIEL, Ass't P. M.

The Coal Trade.

The beginning of the days of suspension of coal mining has not come a whit too soon, for there is no demand for the large amount of coal above ground and still in the companies' hands. There are about 150,000 tons at Port Richmond, and all the companies would be glad if they had orders for the coal that they have on hand, cumbering their wharves and filling the cars along the tracks. If the *Miners' Journal* is right, the tracks of the Reading are blocked with coal, for which they have no dumping place. It is true that there is not a large amount of coal in the hands of retailers, and the demand is likely to be brisk at the first approach of anything like cold weather. If the policy of restriction now inaugurated is carried through the Winter the trade should be in a healthy condition at the opening of navigation. The Western markets will take more or less coal all through the Winter, and prices are really more stable than there was any reason to hope for, considering the enormous production of the year, which is sure to be 5 to 8 per cent in excess of that of any previous year.

The contract between the Reading, the Jersey Central and the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company has been filed with the Recorder of Deeds of Luzerne County. Its provisions were spoken of in THE PAPER when the contract was executed, but it is worth while recalling the fact that the Reading binds itself to fulfill all the provisions of the lease of the latter's road to the New Jersey Central. It agrees to work the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre mines so that they shall have 28 per cent of the total output, against 72 for the Reading, until the mines ship 3,000,000 tons a year, and in case of any falling off, the Reading must divert tonnage enough to give the Lehigh and Susquehanna a haul equivalent to that percentage. Rates to the Lehigh Navigation are not to be higher than the lowest given, and the rental shall not fall below $1,414,400 in any year, the Reading guaranteeing to make up any deficiency below that sum. The Reading further agrees that as the Lehigh Valley Railroad is a competitor through the Wyoming valley, the Lehigh Valley Railroad shall not by any act obtain any interest in this agreement which shall be at any time asserted or exercised to the detriment of the Lehigh and Susquehanna. If, however, any contract ever entered into between the Lehigh Valley and Reading, the Lehigh and Susquehanna receipts shall never be less than one-ninth of the aggregate of the receipts of the Lehigh Valley and its branches obtained through the merger. The Reading further agrees that the collieries located on the line of the Lehigh and Susquehanna shall be furnished with cars for the transportation of coal, at rates not to exceed those charged, at the same time on the same portions of said road on coal from same collieries when destined to same points on said railroad.—Phila. *Press*, 15th.

List of Jurors

Drawn to serve at January Term of Court to be holden at Mauch Chunk, commencing on Monday, January 14, 1884:

GRAND JURORS.

Arner, Oscar, carpenter, Weissport
Benneheff, Joseph, carpenter, Nesquehoning
Boyer, Samuel, farmer, L Towamensing
Culbert, James, laborer, Lehigh twp
Conahan, J. J., miner, Tresckow
Cull, Thomas, miner, Beaver Meadow
Dunn, Wm, fireman, Weatherly
Eckhard, Paul, inn keeper, Kidder
Gruber, Wm., clerk, L Towamensing
Gasner, J., shoemaker, E Mauch Chunk
Hoffman, Ira, mechanic, Summit Hill
Hinkle, August, boss, Lehighton
Hinger, Anthony, mason, Towomensing
Henninger, Charles, farmer, Penn Forest
Lentz, Stephen, farmer, L Towamensing
Motzer, Samuel, teacher, Summit Hill
Osborne, J., blacksmith, 1st W, M Chunk
Reber, Frank, laborer, Franklin twp
Smith, Nathan, farmer, Towamensing
Sharpe, Peter, laborer, Lansford
Steigerwalt Ambross, farmer, East Penn
Sinyard, Charles, merchant, Summit Hill
Schuholtz, Charles, moulder, Weatherly
Wentz, Harrison, farmer, Parryville

PETIT JURORS.

Buckalew, Even, laborer, Kidder
Buck, Paul, farmer, Towamensing
Breisford, J, burgess, 1st W, Mauch Chunk
Breslin, Daniel, miner, Tresckow
Brauch, Wm, miner, Nesquehoning
Betz, D J, painter, 1st W, Mauch Chunk
Bevan, Edward, miner, Yorktown
Campbell, Alex, farmer, Kidder
Dr nbach, Dennis, farmer, Franklin
Everts, Joseph, butcher, Mahoning
Enbody, E R, machinist, Weatherly
Farren, S, shoemaker, Beaver Meadow
Freyman, Daniel, farmer, Lausanne
Green, Chas, blacksmith, L Towamensing
Gallagher, J J, gentleman, Beaver Meadow
Gearing, Wm, hotel-keeper, Mauch Chunk
Hunter, Wm, clerk, Weatherly
Kelly, Jones, farmer, East Penn
Koons, Thomas, gentleman, Lehighton
Kennedy, Samuel, merchant E M Chunk
Keuner, Gebhard, laborer, Franklin
McGorry, Henry, laborer, Nesquehoning
McGinly, John, teamster, 1st W, M Chunk
Morrow, D K, gardener, E Mauch Chunk
Martin, sr. J, gentleman, Beaver Meadow
Maloy, James W, editor, Lansford
Miller, J B, laborer, Nesquehoning
Musselman, R, carpenter, Weissport
McLoughlin, Wm, teacher, Summit Hill
Nash, James, laborer, Lausanne
Nuss, Harry, moulder, Weatherly
Rosenstock, John, moulder, Weatherly
Rickert, Samuel, merchant, Summit Hill
Reese, Wm D, miner, Audenried
Reed, Wm, tobacconist, 1st W, M Chunk
Ryan, James, brakeman, E Mauch Chunk
Steiner, Reuben, farmer, Packer twp
Smith, H B, editor, Weatherly
Sheridan, Hugh, miner, Beaver Meadow
Schwartz, Henry, cabinet maker, Lehighton
Snyder, David, gentleman, L Towamensing
Sterling, John, laborer, 2nd W, M Chunk
Stroh, Amos, moulder, 1st W, M Chunk
Shick, Elias, merchant, 1st W, M Chunk
Strohl, Wm H, laborer, L Towamensing
Wheatley, E S, merchant, Lehighton
Wagner, James, laborer, Parryville
Yeck, Jacob, mason, L Towamensing

TRAVERS JURORS.

Boyer, John, boss, Yoratown
Butz, Isaac, farmer, Kidder
Brodhead, A C, supt, Lehighton
Dink, John, moulder, 1st W, M Chunk
Dolan, John, gentleman, 1st W, M Chunk
Dentinger, Jacob, clerk, Lehighton
Dreisbach, Edward, moulder, Franklin
Eby, S Graham, clerk, Weatherly
Fritzer, Charles, laborer, Nesquehoning
Freundt, Joachin, laborer, Summit Hill
Grover, N M, clerk, Nesquehoning
Gerhardt, Jonas, farmer, Packer twp
Heldt, Frank, saddler, Franklin
Kressly, James, lumber mer, Weatherly
Kline, Wm, brakeman, Mauch Chunk
Kuntz, B J, tanner, Lehighton
Lauderburn, A H, merchant, Weatherly
Lawler, Patrick, merchant, Nesquehoning
Long, Z H, butcher, Lehighton
Lewis, D D, miner, Lansford
Maloy, John F, laborer, Summit Hill
Moyer, Oliver, blacksmith, Weissport
Meyer, Leopold, inn keeper, Packerton
McGeady, M, restaurant, 1st W M Chunk
McHugh, John, miner, Lansford
O'Donnell, John J, teamster, Summit Hill
Schaefer, Henry, restaurant, Weatherly
Spohn, John, shoemaker, 1st W, M Chunk
Stofflet, J T, hotel keeper, Weatherly
Semmel, F P, clerk, Lehighton
Sharkey, John, miner, Tresckow
Thompson, W, restaurant, 2nd W, M Chunk
Vanhorn, Sam, carpenter, Beaver Meadow
Williamson, D G, foreman, Lehighton
Wilson, Ed C, machinist, Weatherly
Weeks, C Henry, machinist, Weatherly

Lehigh Valley's Claim.

With reference to the talk about a through line from New York to Buffalo by the Lehigh Valley Line, President Harry E. Packer said a few days ago: "By the Lehigh Valley Line Buffalo is only six miles farther than the longest of the other lines, and twenty six miles farther than the shortest line of our competitors. This excess is comparatively insignificant, and at least sufficiently small to enable the Lehigh Valley to become a factor in regulating through rates between the trunk lines. The Lehigh Valley Company, notwithstanding its dependence to some degree upon the Erie at Waverly, the Pennsylvania at Metuchen and New York Central Company at Geneva, for a traffic agreement, has already made application for admission as a member of the trunk line pool, with a request for a certain percentage of the westbound traffic from New York. The argument which may be raised in some quarters that the Erie and Pennsylvania Companies may decline to accept traffic from the Lehigh Valley Company in the event of the latter becoming a formidable competitor, will not hold good, for the reason that the Lehigh Company own and operate an independent line from Metuchen to Perth Amboy, whence they could send traffic by boat from New York if necessary, and thence over their main line; and, in the next place, both the Erie and Pennsylvania Companies traffic contracts with the Lehigh Company are of such a character that under no circumstances could they decline to accept all freight tendered them. The Lehigh Company will see to it that they receive a due proportion of the business now apportioned between the trunk lines. A fast freight line will soon be put into operation and efforts made to increase our already large business to Chicago and Western cities."

STOCK MARKETS.

Reported up to 12 o'clock, by De Haven & Townsend, Bankers, No. 36 S Third Street, Philadelphia. Stocks bought and sold either for cash or on margin.

Philadelphia, Dec. 19, 1883.

	bid	asked
U S 3's, Ext	100⅝	—
U S Currency 6's	131½	—
U S 4½, new	114½	115½
U S 4's	124½	125½
Pennsylvania R R	58½	58¾
Philadelphia & Reading R R	28½	28¾
Lehigh Valley R R	71	72
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co	44½	45
United N J R R & Canal Co	197	198
Northern Central R R Co	60½	61
Hestonville Pass, R R Co	16	17
Buff. N. Y. & Phila. R R Co	12	12½
New Jersey Central	84½	85½
Northern Pacific Com	25⅝	25¾
" " Pref'd	56¾	56¾
North Pennsylvania R R	68	69
Philadelphia & Erie R R	17	18
Silver, (Trades)	90	92

New Advertisements.

Executor's Notice.

Estate of SOLOMON STEIGERWALT, Deceased.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of Solomon Steigerwalt, late of East Penn Township, Carbon County, Penna., deceased, have been granted to Moses Steigerwalt, residing in West Penn Township, Schuylkill County, Penna., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make the same known without delay, to

MOSES STEIGERWALT, Executor,
or to FREYMAN & KIEFER, his Att'ys.

December 22, 1883-w6*

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Weissport P. O. Dec. 22, 1882-w4*

Applicants for License.

List of Applicants for Tavern, Restaurant and Liquor Store Licenses at January Term of Court, 1884:

TAVERNS.

Lewis Armbruster, 1st ward Mauch Chunk
Tilghman F. Fehr, " " "
Joseph Smidt, " " "
J. S. Keiser, " " "
George Woodring, 2d ward " " "
A. P. Clauss, Lehighton Borough
Catharine Lech, " " "
Thomas Mantz, " " "
Philip Rader, East Mauch Chunk Borough
John F. Ryan, East Mauch Chunk Borough
Ed. Mirkanet, East Mauch Chunk
Henry Trapp, Weissport Borough
Francis Earley, Lansford Borough
Francis J. Shields, " "
David M. Williams, " "
Celia McGinty, " "
Joseph Verna, Weatherly Borough
Casper Meiser, " "
James R. Purcell, " "
Levi Hartz, " "
Juriah Scollet, " "
Hilline Snyder, Parryville Borough
J. T. McDaniel, Mahoning Township
Frank Stecker, Mahoning Township
Leopold Meyer, Packerton District
Patrick Dermott, Nesquehoning District
James Smith, " " "
Jacob Buss, " " "
Patrick Meehan, Lehigh Township
Elias Fritz, Mauch Chunk Township
Timothy Dugan, " " "
James Sweeney, " " "
Amandus Backman, " " "
P. J. Boyle, Lausanne Township
Aaron Strohl, Lower Towamensing Twp.
Fred. Wissler, " " "
Wallace Rhonds, " " "
S. H. Anthony, " " "
Nathan Steuler, Towamensing Township
Thomas A. Snyder, Towamensing Township
David Beltz, Franklin Township.

RESTAURANTS.

John J. McGinley, 1st ward Mauch Chunk
John D. Miller, Lehighton Borough
A. K. Miller, " "
Rich. R. Weldes, " "
Wilson A. Peters, " "
Fred. E. Miller, " "
Margaret Mulhearn, Lansford Borough
Patrick McK