SHERIFF'S SALE
Of VALUABLE PROPERTY.

By virtue of a writ of *Fen. Expenas*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the COURT HOUSE, in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 14th, 1884.

at 1:00 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to wit:

NO 1.—All that certain Lot or Piece of GROUND, situate on the northwardly side of Railroad Street, in the Village of Summit Hill, County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, Numbered Three in the Plan or Plot thereof, containing in front or breadth on said Railroad street thirty (30) feet, and in length or depth at right angles from said Railroad street, one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; bounded northwardly by a certain twenty feet wide alley or street, eastwardly by Lot Number Four, southwardly by Railroad street aforesaid, and westwardly by Lot Number Two.

The Improvements thereon consist of a Two-Story Frame Building (House and Store), 27 by 55 feet, with Kitchen, 16 by 18 feet, and other Outbuildings.

NO. 2.—All that certain Lot or Piece of GROUND, situate on the northwardly side of the aforesaid twenty (20) feet wide alley or street, in the Village of Summit Hill, County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, being the Eastern one-half of Lot Number Two (2) in the Plan or Plot thereof, containing in front or breadth on said twenty (20) feet wide alley forty-five (45) feet, and in length or depth, northward at right angles from said twenty (20) feet wide alley, thirty-five (35) feet; bounded on the north by Lot No. Four (4), on the east by Lot No. Eight (8) of the original plot, on the south by said twenty (20) feet wide alley, and on the west by the other half of said Lot No. Two (2).

The Improvements thereon consist of a Two-Story Double Frame House, 24 by 30 feet.

NO. 3.—All these Two certain Tracts or Pieces of LAND, situate partly in Mahoning and partly in Mauch Chunk Townships, in the said County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: The one of them beginning at a stone, thence by land of George Kemerer south sixty-one and one-half (61½) degrees, east twenty-nine (29) perches to a stone; thence by land of Daniel Miller north twenty-two (22) degrees, west one hundred and eighteen (118) perches to a stone; thence by land of Cornelius Barnes north seventy-two (72) degrees, east twenty-nine (29) perches to a stone; thence by land of James Murphy south twenty-two (22) degrees, east one hundred and eighteen (118) perches to the place of beginning, containing

21 Acres and 62 Perches,

strict measure. And the other of them beginning at a stone, thence by land of Cornelius Barnes south seventy-four (74) degrees, west twenty-four and one-half (24½) perches to a stone; thence by the same south eighteen (18) degs., east twenty-four (24) perches to a stone; thence by land of Jas. Murphy north seventy-four (74) degrees, east twenty-six (26) perches to a stone; thence by land of John McLaughlin north twenty-two (22) degrees, west twenty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

3 Acres and 120 Perches,

strict measure.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Susan McHugh, and to be sold by

CHAS. W. LENTZ, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Pa., December 14th, 1883—w3

SHERIFF'S SALE
Of Valuable REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of a writ of *Fen. Exponas*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon county, Pennsylvania, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the COURT HOUSE, in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, Pa., on

MONDAY, JANUARY 14th, 1884.

at 1:00 o'clock p m., the following described property, to wit:

All those Two contiguous Tracts or Pieces of LAND, situate in the Township of Mahoning, in the County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

NO. 1.—Beginning at a stone corner at the junction of lands of John Cunter and F. P. Semmel (now Wallace Siewell), thence along lands of John Cunter and others south eighty-eight and one-half (88½) degrees, west one hundred (100) perches to a stone corner; thence along lands of Wilson Hough and George Hellman south three (3) degrees, east one hundred and eleven and one-half (111½) perches to a stone on a public road leading from Lehighton to Pleasant Corner; thence along said road north eighty-five and one-half (85½) degs., east eighty (80) perches to a post on said road; thence along the hereinafter described premises south seventeen and three-quarters (17¾) degrees, east forty-two and a half (42½) perches to a stone; thence along the same west fifteen (15) perches to a stone; thence along the same south fifty-seven (57) degrees, sixty-eight (68) perches to a stone; thence along lands of D. C. Monts forty-two and a quarter (42¼) degrees east, thirty (30) perches to a stone; thence along lands of Henry Lange north eighty and one-half (80½) degrees, east ninety three and seven-tenths (93 7-10) perches to a white oak; thence two and one-half (2½) degrees west, ninety (90) perches to a stone along line of F. P. Semmel (now Wallace Siewell); thence along the same north eighty-seven and one-half (87½) degs., east nine and seven tenths (9 7-10) perches to a stone; thence along the same north three (3) degrees, west one hundred and ten (110) perches to the place of beginning, containing

107 Acres and 92 Perches.

NO. 2.—Beginning at a stone in the road leading from Lehighton to Pleasant Corner, thence north eighty-eight (88) degrees, east eighty (80) perches to a stone; thence along said road south sixteen (16) degrees, east forty-two (42) perches to a stone on the first described tract; thence along the same west fifty (50) perches to a stone; thence along same south sixty (60) degrees, west sixty (60) perches to a stone, and along the same west twenty-five perches to a stone; thence north along the line of D. C. Monts and Moses Rex sixty-eight and three-quarters (68¾) degrees, west sixty six (66) perches to the place of beginning, containing

30 Acres and 128 Perches,

strict measure.

The Improvements consist of a Two and a Half Story Stone House, 26 by 32 feet; also, a One Story Frame House, 20 by 22 feet, and other Outbuildings.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of John Sandel, and to be sold by

CHAS. W. LENTZ, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Pa., December 14th, 1883—w3

SHERIFF'S SALE
Of VALUABLE PROPERTY.

By virtue of a writ of *Fieri Facias*, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Carbon county, Pa., and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Mauch Chunk, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 14th, 1884.

at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described property, to wit:

All that certain Lot or Piece of GROUND, situate on the south side of Broad Street, in the Village of Beaver Meadow, County of Carbon, and State of Pennsylvania, containing in front or breadth on said street forty feet and six inches (40½ feet), and extending thence south, in parallel lines at right angles with said street, ninety-three (93) feet to a twenty feet wide alley; bounded on the north by said Broad street; east by Lot No. —, now or late property of Odd Fellows Society; west by Lot No. —, and south by said alley.

ALSO, all that certain LOT or PIECE of GROUND, situate on the south side of said Twenty Foot Wide Alley, in the said Village of Beaver Meadow, County of Carbon, and State Pennsylvania, containing in front or breadth on the said alley forty (40) feet, and extending thence south of that width ninety-five (95) feet, to grounds now or late of Lehigh Valley Railroad Company; bounded north by said alley; east by grounds now or late of E. B. Ely & Co.; south by ground now or late of Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, and west by Lot or part of Lot No. —.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of R. H. Lanyon, and to be sold by

CHAS. W. LENTZ, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Mauch Chunk, Pa., December 14th, 1883—w3

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, Jan. 8, 1884.

	bid	asked
U S 3's, Ext	100	——
U S Currency 6's	132	——
U S 4½, new	114½	114¾
U S 4's	123¼	123½
Pennsylvania R R	58½	58
Philadelphia & Reading R R	29½	29¾
Lehigh Valley R R	67½	69
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co	45	46¼
United N J R R & Canal Co	194½	195
Northern Central R R Co	57½	58
Hestonville Pass. R R Co	16	17½
Buff. N. Y. & Phila. R R Co	11	11½
New Jersey Central	87	87½
Northern Pacific Com	26½	26¾
" " Pref'd	55½	56
North Pennsylvania R R	68	69
Philadelphia & Erie R R	17½	19
Silver, (Trades)	88	90

"Original Cheap Cash Store."

As we stand upon the threshold of a new year

Three Things

We want you to remember!

FIRST—We will allow NO MAN to sell CHEAPER than we do!

SECOND—We will allow NO MAN to sell BETTER Goods than we do!

THIRD—We will allow NO MAN to treat you BETTER than we will!

Come and See us

Whether you wish to buy or not.

J. T. NUSBAUM,

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

The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 12, 1884.

—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

(☞ SPECIAL.—Commencing to-day we will send our Collectors—W. W. Morthimer and Geo. W. Morthimer, with bills to those who are indebted to us for Subscription, Advertising or Job Work, residing in this vicinity, and trust that they will meet with a prompt response to their demands. To those residing at a distance we will mail bills, and expect immediate returns. ☞)

Our Neighborhood in Brief.

—Have you paid your subscription?

—Our merchants ha ve commenced filling their ice houses.

—J. C. Haydn & Co., are sinking a new shaft at Jeansville.

—A new breaker is about to be built by the Franklin Coal Co., at Wilkesbarre.

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

—The January term of Court convenes on Monday next, the 14th inst., to continue two weeks.

—Dr. John Romig, the oldest physician in Lehigh county, celebrated his 80th birthday recently.

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

—Slightly wet—Our "devil" had the misfortune to break through the ice on the Lehigh last Saturday.

—Hungarians at Scranton are said to be manufacturing whiskey and retailing it at three cents a glass.

USE ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY for Consumption. Sold by Dr. C. T. Horn, Lehighton, and E. A. Horn, Weissport.

—Our esteemed friend, Mr. P. T. Brady, of Red Bank, N. J., will please accept our thanks for copies of late papers.

—Rev. A. P. Horn, preached to a large audience in the Reformed church last Sunday evening.

—F. E. Tiffany, late Superintendent of the L. & W. B. Co.'s collieries at Plymouth has removed to Wilkesbarre.

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

—The First National Bank, of Mauch Chunk, has declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent. payable on and after the 15th inst.

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

—Wm. H. Reichard, foreman of the Hazard Wire Mill, at Wilkesbarre, had the misfortune to break one of his fingers recently.

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

—Luke Clark, a veteran Fenian, at one time sentenced to death by the British Government, died at Scranton last week aged 82 years.

—By an explosion of fire damp in the Oxford colliery, at Hyde Park, Scranton, on the 3rd inst., three men were severely burned and one fatally.

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

—We have often heard the expression "cold enough to freeze a cat," but we certainly think it has been cold enough during the past week, to freeze two cats!

—The office of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Company at Plymouth is soon to be closed, and all the business of the company in the future will be transacted at Wilkesbarre.

—It is reported that the Allen Iron Works, at Tamaqua, have been purchased by the Commander Gorringe Shipbuilding Co.

—Our young friend Alvin J. Marsh, of Stroudsburg, spent a portion of the holidays with his parents, who reside in Weissport. Al. looks well and is doing well.

—We notice that our fellow townsman, Mr. Wm. H. Montz, under date of January 1st, has been granted a patent for a new car truck. The patent is number 291,382.

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

—The Reading Co., has renewed its contract with the Lehigh Valley for coal trestles at Buffalo, and is to have them on the Tiffi form, with a capacity of 175,000 tons.

—The coming holidays will be more generally observed than any for many years, and we would remind our readers that a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will prove a most acceptable holiday present.

LADIES SHOULD REMEMBER a beautiful complexion results from using Acker's Blood Elixer. Sold by Dr. Horn, Lehighton, and E. A. Horn, Weissport.

—The Spencer Coal Company, of Dunmore, Lackawanna county, says the Scranton *Republican*, consummated a lease recently with Mr. John Jermyn for their coal works, formerly the Roaring Brook.

—John Wert, merchant tailor of Slatington, was in town a few days since, and called in to see us. If you are in Slatington and desire anything in his line give him a call, on lower Main street.

☞ Three reasons why you buy watches of E. H. Hohl. The largest assortment to select from. His latest reduced prices will pay you a handsome profit. He carries the finest American movement produced in the world. Large sales gives him the control of the watch.

—Our young friend Charles Clauss, son of Peter Clauss, residing on Rockway, left on Monday to take up the study of the ministry. He had for a long time filled the position of Secretary in the Lutheran S. S. We wish Charley success.

—The First National Bank of this borough, has declared a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent., payable on and after the 15th inst.

—Lehighton has a population of 2500, and six churches.

—It would be a good idea to clean the crossings after a snow fall.

—Jeff. M. Rehrig, will please accept thanks for copy of paper of the date 1784.

—A severe storm passed over this place Tuesday night.

☞ E H. Hohl starts this year with a larger and finer stock than he ever carried before.

—A grand ball will be given at the Carbon House, on January 24. Get your tickets early.

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

—The Lawn Tennis Club gave a Masquerade Sociable, at the American House, on Wednesday of last week, about 140 of the elite of Mauch Chunk and vicinity were present on the occasion, which was one of much pleasure and enjoyment.

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

—The Mine Inspector for the middle district of Luzerne county, reports that during the past year there were 488 accidents in the mines, eighty-eight terminating fatally. Thirty-six women were widowed and 95 children made orphans.

☞ A Farm of 118 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.

—Take little annoyances out of the way. If you are suffering with a cough or cold, use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup at once. This old and reliable remedy will never disappoint you. All druggists sell it for 25 cents a bottle.

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

—Coming out even: I heard of a young couple who made each other Christmas presents. The wife gave her husband a $5 bill, and the husband gave his wife another $5 bill, then they spliced and hired one of David Ebberts' handsome "cutters" and took a sleigh ride up the Mahoning Valley.

☞ When you come to court stop in E. H. Hohl's, and see his elegant assortment. It will cost you nothing.

—The eclipses for 1884 are a partial eclipse of the sun March 27, invisible in the United States; a total of the moon April 10, visible; a partial eclipse of the sun April 25, visible in the southern part of South America; a total eclipse of the moon October 4, not visible in this country; a partial eclipse of the sun October 18, visible on the Pacific coast.

☞ Do you want to see some handsome gold watches and the largest assortment with the finest American movements produced in the world and sold at prices that will pay you a good profit to buy of E. H. Hohl, Mauch Chunk.

—Sadie Marsden, aged sixteen, and Ollie Major, aged eighteen years, of Forty Fort, Luzerne county, while skating in company with Mr. Clark, a school teacher, on the Susquehanna river, on Saturday, glided into an unseen opening in the ice and were drowned. They were among the brightest and most promising girls in the neighborhood.

—We are sorry to learn that our old comrade, George Manypenny, at one time president of this borough, was so unfortunate Thursday morning of last week as to get his hand under the saws at the Kindling Wood Factory, White Haven, and as a consequence his right hand is minus the first two fingers. Dr. Arndt carefully dressed and treated the injured hand, and Mr. M. is getting along as well as can be expected.

—We are indebted to Mr. John W. M. Lee, of Baltimore, Md., for a copy of the Committees report on the Archives of that State from 1637 to 1776; it is an elaborate report and reflects credit upon the gentlemen who found the Committee to which the custody of the Archives of the State had been confided.

—Last week, one day, two young gents, of this place, met with a disagreeable accident while on their way home from a raffle which was held near Trachsville. They were going at a pretty lively rate, when the sleigh upset spilling its contents, geese included, around promiscuously; the horse started off leaving the former occupants of the sleigh to get home as best they could. After a weary walk of three miles through ice and snow they reached home. Next day they hired another team and went to find the runaway. After a search of about five hours they found the team at a farm house. Moral—Don't raffle for geese.

—For the week ending on the 29th ult. there were 76,251 tons of coal transported over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total to date of 413,104 tons, a decrease of 146,706 tons as compared with same time last year.

—Indications are that the Pennsylvania Railroad will extend its Schuylkill Valley branch to Pottsville and connect at that place with the Lehigh Valley Railroad, both companies occupying the same depot, which will be erected on Coal and Norwegian streets, on the property recently purchased by the Pottsville and Mahanoy Road. This is almost directly opposite a tract purchased by the Philadelphia and Reading several years ago and whereon President Gowen promised to build a commodious depot.

☞ GALLERY FOR SALE—The undersigned has for sale a portable Photograph Gallery, with or without apparatus. The gallery is in excellent condition and will be disposed of at a sacrifice. Apply to Wm. M. Fickinger, Weatherly, Pa.

Suffocated by Furnace Gas.

On Thursday night of last week a German named John Bower, 35 years of age, was suffocated by inhaling the sulphurous fumes issuing from one of the furnaces of the Lehigh Iron Company, near Allentown. Bower, with a companion, on that evening entered the furnace to get a night's lodging and lay down in front of the hot blast. After midnight an employe came along and tried to rouse the men, but Bower was beyond relief. His companion escaped injury. This is the fifth death of the kind in that vicinity in a few weeks.

Parryville Items.

—James Dunbar has moved to town and occupies the house John Gaumer sold to him, on the Fire Line.

—John Pickford writes that he is getting along finely, having bought 89 acres of land and some stock.

—No. 2 will shortly be blown in, so it is rumored.

—Ice is being cut from the dam in large quantities.

—Rev. Kindt is holding large and interesting protracted meetings at Hazards.

—Tom Stump is said to be very busy up and down the valley doctoring—the medical association notwithstanding.

—Oldine Snyder's birthday party was a success.

—The aged father of Jacob Peters is seriously ill.

—The birthday surprise party of Thos. Pettit last Saturday evening was a success.

JACQUES.

Parryville Letter.

PARRYVILLE, Jan. 9th 1884.

To the Editor of the CARBON ADVOCATE:

W. W. Reber, in reporting the minstrel exhibition in your last week's edition, wrote a very lengthy preamble to the regular report, which, as far as grammatical errors, disconnected sentences and misplaced "twenty-five cent" words are concerned, is not likely ever to be equalled. As it was intended for a slur on the management of the entertainment, we think that we are justifiable in trying to reply to it, and see what it all amounts to. In the first place, he wants the stern boundaries of Parryville society banished. He evidently realizes that he is not recognized by the society. He, therefore, wants the standard of admission reduced low enough to allow him to join in and be one of them. Then he says, "they are to be commended." What he means by "they" is too difficult for us to understand. Then he wants "each person to try and sensibly weigh such reason before they condemn anything that such effort may be." What the fellow tried to get off here, the good Lord only knows, we don't. He also wants us to seriously regard the influences of a mingling of the people upon society. Here, he evidently got a little too deep into the mire as he fails to explain what the influences would be; very likely he will take this as a subject for future consideration. Further, he wants us to produce facts to prove a thing to be ingenious and detrimental at the same time, as this would require the mind of a philosopher, we give it up. Then he says the Saturday night's exhibition was a failure because personal feelings controlled the selection of material, or in other words because he was not invited to take part in the exercises. Had Willie been one of the darkies, the exhibition would have been a most glorious achievement Poor fellow, how bad he must have felt! And now he tells us that he don't say this to vent any personal feelings. If this was not his object, why was it necessary to say anything about it. Why didn't he give a report of Saturday night's entertainment the same way as he did of the Christmas night's entertainment. This is rather too thin to stand washing. He continues, and says, it seems to be a chronic state of mind of some of the participants, that vindictiveness is our sole trait. Here he has the cart before the horse. Why should he be vindictive to parties that never injured him in any way or form. The parties that he deliberately injured, and continues to injure ought to be vindictive to him. Then he says, "we are a citizen of Parryville," this is a fact. But if he were a man of his word, he wouldn't be a citizen of Parryville, at least he would not practice his profession here. Then, he don't want to be considered a mocker or cynic in connection with any effort the people may attempt. By this no doubt he means, that if the people of Parryville want to get up anything, he ought to assist. He must have a very good opinion of himself. He says he will sacrifice anything to help them along, he will even go so far as to give a large amount of money towards buying a parsonage for the German minister. The performance, he considers to have been too heavy an undertaking to be successful. Well, if he wants to take Bairds troop as a comparison, we were a grand failure; but we didn't expect to be compared with anything of the kind. We claim, considering the limited opportunities for practice, inexperience of the performers, small stage, etc., that the entertainment was a success. And nine out of every ten that saw it, were pleased, and perfectly satisfied. To sum up W. W. Reber's efforts, it amounts to this; he was very much offended because he was not invited to take part in the entertainment, and to give vent to his exasperated feelings he wrote that monumental piece of literature.

MINSTREL.

WEISSPORT LETTER.

—An infant child of Mr. Charles Hahn died suddenly on last Tuesday. It was buried on Sunday afternoon.

—Constable Hiram P. Levan was on an official trip to Scranton on Monday. He returned on Tuesday forenoon.

—W. H. Oswald will open a new store in East Weissport shortly. His place of business will be in the shop room formerly occupied by Owen Boyer. The friends of Will wish him much success. He is deserving of patronage.

—Thomas Koons has put the painters to work upon his Franklin hotel property in East Weissport. He proposes to give the hotel a general overhauling.

—Mr. Henry Enis returned from a two weeks trip to Philadelphia on Monday.

—Miner Bros., are again running their foundry on full time. This is a good auguring for Weissport.

—Mr. Weaver's Gem Gallery situated in this place is doing a good business.

—Since the campaign of 1884 is opening in dead earnest, and candidates are blossoming all over the county, it might be well for Weissport to trot out its reserve candidate. It has such a citizen and a very good man at that for County Commissioner, in the person of Mr. John Arner, sr. He would make a good and unexceptional official.

—Mr A. Miner and wife, of Scranton, are visiting Weissport friends during the week.

—Joseph Strohl is busily filling a number of ice houses in town. He does the work by contract.

—Court convenes on Monday. Weissport has a few cases on the criminal docket.

The Reading R. R., Exhibit.

The official statement of the business of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad and Coal and Iron Companies for the month of November and the fiscal year ending Nov. 30 shows: Total gross receipts of the railroad company for Nov. $3,654,916.21; total expenses, excluding rentals and interest, $1,581,435; profit for the month, $2,073,480; profit for the year to date, $14,547,479; profit for the same month of 1882, $1,104,564; for the year, $9,859,064. The gross receipts of the Coal and Iron Company for the month were $1,756,584; expenses, excluding interest, $1,363,379; profit for the month, $393,204; profit for the year to date, $921,771; profit for the same month of 1882, $303,121.24; for the year 1882, $1,200,173.91. Deducting for the railroad company, debit balance renewal fund, $27,499; State tax on capital stock, $55,909; all rentals and full interest on all outstanding obligations including floating debt, $12,101,666; and for the coal and iron company, full interest on all outstanding obligations other than those held by the railroad company, $1,126,942. A total of $13,312,017 leaves a surplus from both companies of $2,157,233. A dividend of 7 ₱ cent. on the preferred stock, $108,626, and 6 ₱ cent. on the common stock, $1,990,972, requires a total of $2,099,598. Balance applicable to interest on deferred income bonds, $57,634. This statement includes the operations of the Central Railroad of New Jersey and branches for six months, from June 1 to Nov. 30, viz: Profit for the month, $124,607.51; for six months $853,427.89.

Report of the Lehighton Public Schools.

For the month ending Jan. 2, 1884:

HIGH SCHOOL.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	10	17	27
Average attendance	10	16	26
Per cent. of attendance	95	94	95

Names of scholars who attended every day during the month:, Charles Hauk, William Horn, Horace Raudenbush, Elmer Schmale, Charles Weland, Webster Nothstein, Ira Seidle, Gussie Clauss, Floy Clauss, Ella Graver, Emma Hartung, Emma Koons, Alice Mantz, Annie Mantz, Sophie Raudenbush.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	23	25	48
Average attendance	20	22	42
Per cent of attendance	89	87	88

Names of pupils that attended every day during the month: Mary Dreibelbies, Ella Heberling, Mamie Gabel, Alice Newhart, Ella Reichard, Mary Albright, Irene Fenstermaker, Alice Geggus, Amanda Koons, Edward Kuntz, Abraham Wolfe, Edgar Noll, Willie Clauss, Alvin Koons.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	33	22	55
Average attendance	30	19	49
Per cent. of attendance	91	88	90

Names of pupils present every day during the month: Edgar Xander, Alvin Noll, Robbie Hollenbach, Milton Hauk, Oscar Shultz, Elmer Reed, Harry Gabel, Willie Beck, Frank Schoch, John Heberling, David McCormick, Willie Rapsher, Clement Bretney, Oscar Hellman, Willie Irwin, Sallie Gabel, Etta Drissell, Maud Wheatley, Mamie Fortwangler, Emma Fucher.

SECONDARY NO. 1.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	25	26	51
Average attendance	21	25	46
Per cent. of attendance	90	82	86

Names of pupils that attended every day during the month: Ella Trainer, Susan Knecht, Mary Walck, Ida Wert, Annie Raudenbush, Willie Kriedler, Howard Acker, Richard Farren, Harry Geggus, George Strohm, Willie Koons, Willie Beltz, Harry Blank, Charles Kleintop, Calvin Klinger, Lester Smith.

SECONDARY NO. 2.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	26	37	63
Average attendance	23	32	55
Per cent. of attendance	88	97	93

Names of pupils that attended every day during the month: Ira Nothstein, Harry Wolfe, Allen Greenwald, Edgar Seiler, Eddie Peters, Frank Semmel, Alice Gilbert, Lizzie Schoch, Ricca Longcomer, Annie Brocady, Bella Hontz, Mable Wheatley, Ella Seaboldt, Emma German, Jennie Trainer, Ella Walck, Emma Fortwangler, Lizzie Beck, Gertie Petces, Bertha Hollenbach, Hattie Wieand, Gertie Weidaw.

PRIMARY NO. 1.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	32	42	74
Average attendance	26	33	59
Per cent. of attendance	83	81	84

Names of pupils that attended every day during the month: Mattie Horn, Hattie Geggus, Lily Froelich, Minervia Heldt, Alice McCormick, Anzie Trainer, Mary Fenstermacher, Hattie Trexler, Fred Rex, Charles Hartman, Willie Wieand, Harvey Gambert, James Watt, Willie Nothstein, Eddie Gilbert, Jacob Heberling, Cyril Rehrig.

PRIMARY NO. 2.

	M	F	T
Whole No. in attendance	42	49	91
Average attendance	36	42	78
Per cent. of attendance	87	88	88

Names of pupils present every day during month: Minnie Kemerer, Alice Hontz, Lizzie Geggus, Emma Schmale, Nettie Geggus, Sallie Krum, Lena Longcomer, Ella Furrer, Emma Peters, Emma Acker, Hattie Rex, Corneda Hiskey, Allie Reichard, Arthur Held, Charles Sanders, Frank Dreher, James Walters, Charles Sanders, Walter Weiss, Harry Trainer.

Foot-Race

Notwithstanding the heavy snow storm the one hundred yard race between William J. Miley, of Summit Hill, Carbon county, and Patrick J. Cannon, of Drifton, Luzerne county, was run at the former place Tuesday in the presence of a large crowd of sporting men from all parts of the State. George Turner, of Philadelphia, was the pistol-firer and Patrick McDermott, of Lansford, the referee. Several yards from the starting point Miley slipped and fell on the ice, but recovered quickly and made a vain effort to overtake his opponent, who broke the string four feet to the good. On account of the condition of the track no time was given. Over $10,000 changed hands. Preliminaries for another race between the same parties have already been discussed.

A Fool With a Pistol.

A Pottsville despatch of the 3rd inst., says: Dennis Pike, of Minersville, has been paying attention to Susie Bradley, also of Minersville, living with the family of John Weist. Pike was received as an accepted lover, and everything went smoothly until a few weeks ago, when Pike was informed by the young lady that his company was no longer desired, and Miss Bradley began to receive attention from another young man. Late Thursday evening Pike appeared at the Weist residence and asked to see Susie, who soon came to the door and went outside to see what he wanted. She had scarcely closed the door when Pike struck her a terrible blow with the butt of a revolver and fired several shots at her. Fortunately his aim was unsteady, owing to his intoxicated condition, and the shot took no effect. He ran hurriedly into the darkness, brandishing his revolver. Friday morning he was arrested and lodged in Pottsville Prison in default of $3,000 bail. Miss Bradley's injuries are very serious, but not considered fatal. Miss Bradley has so far recovered as to leave home, and it is thought to be her intention not to prosecute Pike.

Packerton Locals.

—The hills of Packerton are good for one thing even if it is only for the young people to do their coasting. There are few towns of the size of Packerton where this sport is more enjoyed and more engaged in than here.

—George W. Sawyer, electrician of Hudson, N. Y., is visiting friends for a few days at this place. Last winter he put up the electric lights in the yard here.

—Owen Fritz, of Lehighton, was struck by passenger train No. 15, on Tuesday morning. It seems after he got off the pusher, he got a little bewildered through the shouting of his fellow workmen and a number of other trains going through the yard that he ran the wrong way and was struck as stated above.

—Miss Stem of the Packerton Primary School, is sick at Cherryville, Northampton Co., Pa., and her school is closed for the present. Her many friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

—Wednesday morning a freight train ran into the rear of a coal train at East Mauch Chunk, blocking the track for some time. As far as we could ascertain, no one was hurt.

ALPHA.

—Mrs. Joseph Seaboldt was on a visit to friends and relatives in Easton during the week.

Names and Post Office Addresses of the Teachers of Carbon County.

BANKS.

John Trexler, Beaver Meadow,
J. L. Potteiger, Aquashicola,
James Beaver, Tresckow,
T. M. Herbert, Jeanesville,
Sophie Breslin, Tresckow,
Alice T. Mahon, Beaver Meadow,
Mattie A. Allen, " "
Sarah J. Ward, " "
Annie L. Sherman, Andenried,
Mary E. Boyle, "
Minnie Spence, Tresckow,
Mary Brady, Jeanesville,
Belle Young, " "
Annie C. Schaffer, Hazleton, Luzerne co.

FRANKLIN.

U. S. Koons, Weissport,
E. H. Mooney, "
J. J. Markley, "
Mary Snyder, "
B. F. Peters, "
A. A. Beitz, "
Sylvester Snyder, "
Stephen Solt, "
A. M. Strunn, Stemlersville,
Henry Latchford, Lehighton,

RIDDER.

Fannie Ipgersoll, Hickory Run,
Minnie Hughes, White Haven,
Edna Hughes, " "
Melissa Bortree, Lehigh Tannery,
G. S. Muschlitz, Aquashicola,
Cora S. Vandyke, Mud Run.

LANSFORD.

Maggie Patterson, Lansford,
D. F. Smith, "
Mary J. Reese, "
W. H. Spencer, "
Esther Griffiths, "
Lettie Jones, "
Emma E. Howe, "
Adeline Foley, "

LAUSANNE AND LEHIGH.

Mary B. Shovelin, Buck Mountain,
Ida Weaver, Rockport,
Maggie A. Coll, Penn Haven.

LEHIGHTON.

T. A Snyder, Lehighton,
Hattie Koons, "
Myra M. Good, "
Sallie Holford, "
Amile Sewell, "
Agnes Hauk "
Cora M. L. Rhoads, Lehighton.

MAHONING.

Josiah Musselman, New Mahoning,
H. A. Kelser " "
Mary Stewart, " "
A. J. Balliet, " "
J. A. Longacre, " "
Granville Freyman, " "
E. Myra Rehrig, Packerton.
Mary B. Bauman, Lehighton.
Lizzie P. Backie, "

MAUCH CHUNK BOROUGH.

John T. White, Mauch Chunk,
G. W. McBride, " "
Lizzie Fister, " "
Carrie Leonard, " "
Mrs W B Leonard, " "
Hattie Baldwin, " "
Susie M. Good, " "
Mary Hyndman, " "
Lizzie Sterling, " "
Frances Cole, " "
Kate McAllister, " "
Julia Weyhenmeyer, Mauch Chunk.

EAST MAUCH CHUNK.

H. A. Eisenhart, East Mauch Chunk,
Helen Merrick, " " "
Abbie Leonard, " " "
Emma Bennett, " " "
Annie E. Barret, " " "
Jennie Rehrig, " " "
Lizzie Mulhearn " " "
Mary Whitehead, Weissport.

MAUCH CHUNK TOWNSHIP.

Wm. McLoughlin, Summit Hill,
F. H. McCabe, " "
Samuel Motzer, " "
J. S. Fisher, " "
Mattie A. Ross, " "
Kate Thomas, " "
Kate McQuaid, " "
Ellen Gallagher, " "
Jennie Boyd, " "
Maria Fisher, " "
D. G. Watkins, Nesquehoning,
Rose Clark, " "
Julia Coyle, "
W. T. Holmes, "

PACKER.

J. W. Christman, Hudsondale,
W. H. Bitner, Beaver Meadow,
H. A. Gerber, " "

PACKERTON.

C. A. Ritter, Lehighton.
Lovie Stamin, Packerton.
Laura M. Yundt, Weissport.

PARRYVILLE.

H. J. Reinhart, Parryville,
Ella Phifer, "
Nellie Blakslee, "

EAST PENN.

Ambrose Steigerwalt, East Penn,
Nancy C. E. Riedy, " "
John B. Heil, " "
William T. Moser, " "
James Steigerwalt, Sitler's.
Eugene Ziegenfus, Aquashicola.
Mary Rapp, Parryville.

PENN FOREST.

John H. Musselman, Weissport,
Lewis G. Radelinc, " "
Joanna E. Cotter, Mauch Chunk.

TOWAMENSING.

M. H. Christman, Carbon P. O.
James Boyer, Weissport.
David Smith, Stemlersville.
Frank Michaels, Little Gap.
W. F. Huth, Petersville, Northampton co.
Josiah Miller, Carbon P. O.
Sylvanus Peter, Carbon P. O.

LOWER TOWAMENSING.

Elmer Straup, Stemlersville.
W. H. Silliman, Aquashicola.
W. H. Ziegenfus, " "
T. L. Wentz, "
Elmira Harleman, "
Mary A. Smith, Slatington, Lehigh county.
Mary M. Lutz, " " "
Lilly Bauman, Prince.
Marie E. Scott, " "
Thomas A. Kocher, Little Gap.
D. S. Mehrkam, " "
James Roth, Kresgeville, Monroe county.

WEATHERLY.

Maggie Kishbach, Weatherly.
W. H. Rauch, "
J. O. Lindaman, "
Annie T. Steele, "
Bessie W. Evans, "
Emma J. Andreas, "
Ella Yerger, "
Nellie Beers, "

WEISSPORT.

J. F. Snyder, Weissport.
Amanda Albright, Weissport.

The Anthracite Coal Monopoly.

New York *Times*, January 5th: The anthracite coal companies of Pennsylvania are resorting to their usual tactics for keeping down the wages of the miners and keeping up the price of coal. Orders have been issued for half time work during the first three months of this year. This is calculated to give the miners the impression that the market is overstocked, which is not true, and that the companies cannot afford to consider any question of an advance in wages, and also to shorten the supply so as to hold up prices. It is said by those who are familiar with the conditions of the business that coal might be profitably retailed in this city at $3 a ton if mining were