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Dividend Notice.

At a regular meeting of the Directors of the First National Bank of Lehighton, a Semi-Annual Dividend of THREE per cent on the Capital Stock was declared payable on and after July 15th, 1885.

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July 11, 1885—w3.

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July 11, 1885.

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Lehighton, Pa., July 11, 1885—w6.

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The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, JULY 18, 1885.

—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 trout fishing season is over.

—South Bethlehem is to have a small silk mill.

—The Graeber Colliery, at Ashland, resumed on Monday.

—Tamaqua has secured an electric light charter at Harrisburg.

—There are fifty-one prisoners in the Easton jail at the present time.

—Easton's co-operative furniture factory is getting ready for work.

—The Salvation Army is about to invade Hazleton. A capital field.

—Work on the new Allentown silk mill was started on Monday morning.

—Stack No. 5 of the Allentown Iron Company was blown in Thursday of last week.

—During the strawberry season Mrs. Redetz disposed of 3,873 quarts in Mauch Chunk.

☞Go to Frs. Roderer, under the Exchange Hotel, for a smooth shave and a fashionable hair cut.

—Northampton Co's. State tax amounts to $9,753.86, and its county tax to $91,660.78.

—The puddling mill of the South Chester Rolling Mill started up on Monday morning.

—John Wendel's frame carriage-shop at Rohrersburg, Berks county, was burned Monday.

—Rev. Gustav Levy, of Pottsville, has been elected rabbi of the Hebrew Synagogue at Reading.

—The State Teachers' Association will hold its annual session in Allentown in July of next year.

—5000 cars of coal were forwarded to New York on last Friday via the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

—The Kutztown fair will this year be held on Oct. 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th—the week following the Allentown fair.

—The Allentown rolling mills have entered upon the manufacture of railway signals, switches and interlocking apparatus.

—Save your cough medicine bills by buying a 25c bottle of Jadwin's tar syrup, which contains three ounces, while no other 25c bottle of cough syrup contains over 1 1-2 ounces. Sold at Thomas' drug store.

—A dividend of $1.50 per share on the stock of the East Penn. Railroad has just been declared, the same being payable July 21st.

—Patrick Welds, a laborer was killed in the White Oak Mine, near Carbondale, Monday, while loading his first car of his first day's work.

—Fire Sunday morning partially destroyed the building and stock of Wm. B. Bertols, dealer in stoves and tinware, Wilkesbarre. Loss, estimated at $20,000.

—When an article is sold "no cure, no pay," why not try it? That is the way Jadwin's tar syrup for coughs, colds and croup, is sold by Thomas, the druggist.

—A new case of fever came to light at Plymouth on Sunday in the person of an employee of the Delaware, Lackawanna and western Railroad depot in that town.

—No wonder people complain of hard times when they pay 50c for a bottle of cough syrup no larger than a 25c bottle of Jadwin's tar syrup, which is sold "no cure, no pay." Sold at Thomas' drug store.

—Lizzie Bechtel, aged 20, committed suicide at Allentown on Friday night by drowning. Her body was recovered Saturday morning. A love affair is said to be the cause of the girl ending her life.

—The woolen mills of Germantown are busy filling orders for shawls, scarfs, jerseys and other fancy knit goods. The hosiery trade is dull, while the cloth weavers are running day and night.

—Clauss & Bro., The Tailors, still have a few of those justly celebrated $10 suitings on hand.

—For the week ending July 11 there were 147,819 tons of coal shipped over the L. V. RR., making a total for the year of 3,239,099 tons, showing a decrease, as compared with the same time last year, of 57,337 tons.

—The Paxton Plate Mill, of Harrisburg, has gone on double turn and furnace No. 2 will probably be blown in this week.

—The Wyoming Valley Editorial Association will give the proceeds of its annual excursion to the Wilkesbarre Hospital.

—It is the poor man's friend, but the rich man uses it also, because it is the best quality and largest bottle for the price, and is sold "no cure, no pay." We refer to Jadwin's tar syrup. Sold at Thomas' drug store.

—The Sheldon Axle Works will probably locate in Wilkesbarre, the $100,000 stock which they tried to place as a condition having been taken.

—The Grand Army Posts of Pennsylvania will celebrate Grand Army Day at Hazleton on September 25, when a soldiers' monument will be unveiled at that place.

—Reports from Egypt are to the effort that El Mahdi is dead, but our popular livery man, David Ebbert, still lives to furnish excellent teams from his livery, on North street, at very reasonable prices.

—Supt. Goodwin, of the Lehigh Valley railroad, last week issued an order directing that hereafter no trains or engines shall exceed a speed of four miles per hour while crossing the bridge west of Catasauqua.

—At Kingston, Luzerne county, Saturday, Edward Wartman and Thos. Reese stupefied Draper Thomas, a weak-minded man, with liquor, and while in this condition poured vitriol over his body, injuring him frightfully.

☞An all-wool imported Corkscrew Suit for only $22, at the popular tailoring establishment of H H Peters.

—City Attorney McLean, of Wilkesbarre, has decided that a railroad company cannot under the right of eminent domain take and condemn for its own uses a public park or a common. In this he follows the New York Court of Appeals.

—G. C. Deats & Co., have been appointed agent for the celebrated Rockford watch, which they will supply at lowest prices. They have also just received a full stock of latest designs of jewelry and fancy articles. Store in Postoffice building, Weissport, Pa. 2m.

—We are pleased to state, on the most reliable authority, that it is the intention of R. Penn Smith & Co., to rebuild the Lehighton coal breaker, lately destroyed by fire, and that the work will be commenced just as soon as the plans and specifications are prepared.

—A seven-year-old boy named Charles Swingle, of Scranton, while playing with his brother Monday night, near the Central coal breaker, stepped into the shaft and fell a distance of seventy-five feet. He was promptly carried to the surface and died shortly afterward.

☞WALL PAPER BARGAINS—Brown back paper, 6 cts. and upwards. White " " 9 cts. and " Gilt " 25 cts. and " in small lots, as low as 5 cents for white back paper. E. F. LUCKENBACH. 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk.

—As a party of workmen were engaged in cutting grain in a field near Tremont, a small village seven miles from Selinsgrove, on Wednesday afternoon, of last week, one of them, named Wenrich, was struck by a bolt of lightning and instantly killed. Several others were stunned by the stroke.

☞H. H. Peters, at the Post-office building, Lehighton, will make you an all-wool suit for only $10 cash, if you order now.

☞Lewis Wehr has nicely fixed up his ice cream parlor for the accommodation of ladies and gentlemen, and will keep a full supply of choice flavored cream every day and evening. He invites you to call. Ice waters, confections and fruits in season.

—A party of half a dozen boys went bathing Friday afternoon in an old mine breach at William Penn Colliery, Shenandoah. Among the number was Daniel Maley, 14 years of age, who ventured out into the deep water, and before assistance could reach him was drowned. His companions, who were all about the same age, ran from the scene and gave an alarm. Maley was taken out of the water an hour later.

☞For RAILROAD WATCHES see E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk, enormous new stock. It will positively pay you.

—Four weeks ago charges of neglect of duty and drunkenness were made by the *Evening Chronicle* against the Chief of Police, of Pottsville. The local editor was called on by the police committee next day and asked to furnish the evidence to sustain the charges. Friday the committee concluded its investigation and recommended the suspension of the Chief and one of the subordinate officers until the next Council meeting, when a further suspension will be recommended. Meanwhile the whole force is reorganized.

—The Banks township school board has made the following appointments: Audenried, Edward Martin and Misses Maggie A. Conahan and Belle Stager; Tresckow, Thos. J. Herbert and Misses Lizzie Mulligan and Sophia Brislin; Jeanesville, P. J. Gallagher and Miss Maggie Cole; Leviston, J. M. Stafford and Misses Susie Cole and Sarah Ward; Beaver Meadow, Edward Brady. At a meeting held on Saturday evening at the Jeanesville school building Steele's text book on physiology and hygiene was adopted. The schools will open on the second Monday in September.

—Early Saturday morning Charles Spaid, son of John Spaid, was instantly killed in David Williams' slate quarry, near Walnutport. He was in the act of stooping to pick up a board to make a scaffold, when a stone weighing about ten pounds fell from the top of the quarry, striking him on the back of the head and neck. The force of the stone threw him into a deep pond of water. He was at once brought out by his fellow workmen, but he was dead, his neck having been dislocated and his head badly mashed. The deceased was aged about twenty years, and was unmarried.—Allentown *Democrat.*

—To-morrow (Sunday), 19th, we will enter upon the commencement of that period of the year known as the "dog days."

—The Allentown Rolling Mills have entered upon the manufacture of railway signals, switches and interlocking apparatus. Mr. Frederick F. Guerber, formerly Chief Engineer of the Union Switch and Signal Company, of Pittsburg, has assumed charge of the department as engineer and manager.

—Lewis Williams, of Walnutport, on Saturday met with an accident by which he had one of his feet very badly mashed. He was engaged in a quarry near Welshtown, quarrying slate, when a heavy stone slipped and fell on his foot.

—According to the report of the Health Officer there were 17 births in Allentown during the month of June—males 8, females 9.—Deaths for same time 10—males 6, females 4.

—The Robert A. Packer Hospital, at Sayre, was opened on Monday night. It was left by the late Robert A. Packer for this purpose, and with the grounds is valued at $200,000.

—Ebervale Collieries, near Hazleton, have been suspended, owing to the danger of their being flooded. Three hundred miners and laborers are thrown out of employment in consequence of it.

—The Lutheran and Reformed Sunday schools of Bowman's and Hazardsville, will hold their annual pic nic in the grove at Bowman's school house, on Saturday, August 15. Music will be furnished by the Bowman's Cornet Band. Refreshments can be had on the grounds at reasonable rates. Several good speakers are invited to be present.

People in and out of Town.

Our people who may have relatives or friends visiting them will greatly oblige us by sending in their names and residence for publication under this head.—EDITOR.]

—John J. Faust, of Allentown, was in town last Saturday.

—Mr. John Kirk, of Philadelphia, spent last Sunday in town.

—Mrs. Dr. W. W. Reber is visiting relatives and friends at Hazleton.

—Daniel Graver and Jacob Brong, of Mountain Top, were in town last week.

—Hiram Ruder, of town, spent several days last week with friends at Girardsville.

—Representative Craig, of Lehigh Gap, was in town seeing his friends on Monday.

—Frank Schwartz and wife, of East Mauch Chunk, spent Sunday in town with his parents.

—Mrs. W. H. Reichard, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. V. Morthimer, on Bankway.

—Miss Kate B. Adams, of Harrisburg, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Seiple and Miss Emma Kistler, on South street.

—O. B. Sigley, of the Mauch Chunk *Gazette* was in town Thursday and dropped in to see us.

—Miss Mame Miller, an estimable young lady of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Seiple, on South street.

—Mrs. Wilson Kelchner, of Walnutport, is spending several days with her niece, Mrs. W. W. Morthimer, on Bankway.

—Miss Wyand, an accomplished young lady of Allentown, was the guest of Miss Mattie Shadle, on Bank street, last Sunday.

—Misses Lana and Ella and T. Webster Clauss were in attendance at the funeral of Mrs. Hartman, at Allentown, on Monday.

—Our young friend M. O. Kuntz, of the firm of Kuntz Bro., this borough, was on a business trip to Philadelphia during the week.

—Prof. T. F. Kleintop, of town, accompanied by his brother, David Kleintop, of Ashley, Pa., were on a trip to New York during the week.

—R. Kintzel and P. J. Hadesty, two of Tamaqua's popular young men, spent Sunday in town, the guests of mine host Kistler, of the Carbon House.

—Prof. Thos. M. Balliet, of the Cook county, (Ill.,) Normal School, formerly of this place, was in town several days last week. While here he made us a very pleasant call. The professor will sojourn at Saratoga for several weeks prior to returning to Illinois.

Attention G. A. R.

There will be a meeting of the post of G. A. R., at Reber's Hall, this (Saturday) evening, at 7 o'clock. Vets who have not been mustered are requested to be on hand promptly.

Children's Meeting.

A children's meeting will be held in the Weissport Public Square, on Sunday evening, the 19th inst., by the Evangelical Sabbath School: the exercises will commence at 7 o'clock sharp. The programme embraces readings, singing, responsive reading, prayer and a number of addresses. All are invited to be present and to bring along their own chairs.

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Towamensing Items.

—David Snyder, of Aquashicola, departed this life on the 8th inst., after a lingering illness of gangrene. He was buried last Saturday in the new cemetery at this place.

—Reuben Spoonheimer was successful in drawing a pension of $2000.

—A children's meeting of the various Evangelical Sunday Schools will be held in Lehigh Gap. Sunday Schools of other denominations are invited.

—Robert A. Sherer and Stephen Lentz have bought new mowing machines.

—Miles Mehrkam, of Lehighton, passed through here one day last week, selling phosphate.

—Thomas Weaver has set his machinery for crushing sand in operation at Lehigh Gap. CON.

Out Door Sports.

With the opening of the season of outdoor sports comes the time of trouble for the poor victims of hay fever and rose cold. For them flowers have no odor, and the summer little or no beauty. To snuff, sneeze and wipe their weeping eyes for three or four consecutive months—this is their pittable portion. There is no help in sea voyages, there is no help in high mountain air. But there is a positive cure in Ely's Cream Balm. Try it. If you continue to suffer it is because you neglect a remedy as sure as it is cheap and pleasant.

Death of Moses Brownmiller.

Moses Brownmiller, an old and well known citizen of Hamburg, died Monday, July 7, after an illness of several weeks of typhoid fever, aged 67 years. The deceased was a tanner by trade. Since the death of his wife seven years ago, he has assisted and resided with his youngest son, Moses Brownmiller, jr. He leaves five sons, Charles, Aaron and Levi, residing at Mahanoy City; Jacob at Lehighton, and Moses, of Hamburg; and three daughters, Mrs. Elias Wagner, Hamburg; Mrs. Henry R. Miller, Wernersville, and Miss Lizzie Brownmiller, milliner, Hamburg; a brother, Nicholas Brownmiller, Pottsville, and a large circle of friends to mourn his death. His funeral took place Friday last from the residence of his son-in-law, Elias Wagner, and was largely attended.

Teachers' Examinations

For the school year, commencing June, 1885, will be held as follows:

For Franklin township, at South Franklin School House, Saturday, August 1.

For Lehigh and Lausanne townships, at Rockport, Tuesday, August 4.

For Packer township, at Hudsondale, Thursday, August 6.

For Kidder township, at East Haven, Thursday, August 20.

For Lower Towamensing, at Millport, Saturday, August 22.

For East Penn township, at Pennsville, Thursday, August 27.

For Upper Towamensing, at Stemlersville, Saturday, September 5.

For Mahoning township, at Pleasant Corner, Saturday, September 12.

For Penn Forest township, at Koch's School House, Saturday, October 3.

Examinations will be in writing. Applicants will be examined in Physiology and Hygiene. Teachers' must be examined in the districts in which they intend to teach. Exceptions will be made only for satisfactory reasons. Examinations will begin at 9 a. m.

Lehighton's Hoodlums.

For sometime we have had a gang of hoodlums around, who are apparently banded together for the sole purpose of insulting and maltreating any strangers who may put in an appearance here. On Saturday evening last a large delegation of Chapman Post, G. A. R., of Mauch Chunk, headed by a band, visited this place for the purpose of mustering the Post just organized here. During the evening the band visited the hotels and saloons, treating the people to some of their choicest selections of music. Sometime about 11 o'clock p. m., a young drummer belonging to the band, was walking along the street when he was met by some rowdy, who struck him a terrible blow in the face, this, too, without the least provocation. This led to a more general melee, and for a time our principal street was a perfect bedlam. This condition of things *must be* stopped, or strangers will be deterred, through terror, from visiting our borough, and business of all kinds will suffer. We should have a police patrol every night from 7 o'clock till midnight, composed of three or four good men, who will not allow breaches of the peace—either by fighting or disturbing peaceable citizens by unearthly shouts and singing, or by indecent exposure of person on our most popular thoroughfares. It is about time our town council were made aware that the taxes paid by the people are not simply to be used in keeping the streets in repair, but that the tax-payer, in return for his money, is entitled to protection to person and property, and that the persons elected as members of the council are simply the servants—not the masters—of the people who demand this protection at their hands. We warn you, gentlemen, that unless this hoodlum business is stopped, our people will take the liberty hereafter of placing men in the council who will use all lawful endavors to stop this midnight brawling, and restore peace and quietness to our borough.

Since the above was put in type, some six or eight persons accused of participation in the assault and disturbance have been arrested and put under bonds. We trust the right parties may be found and justice dealt out to them with no meagre hand.

County Politics

Editor CARBON ADVOCATE:

Dear Sir:—In looking over the political records of this county for the past several years it looks to me as if the Democracy must use very judicious judgment in the nomination of men for the various county offices at the coming election, or, as the saying goes, "they will be left out in the cold."

While in the past the county has been Democratic by a majority ranging from one hundred on up, it must be borne in mind that the Republicans, after a very hard and spirited contest, at the late election, have even made that majority doubtful; and unless the men are so PICKED as to represent fairly and honestly the several sections a hard fight will be the result. The fact that Democrats cried so loudly for a change in National affairs at the late election has caused a feeling to arise, in the minds of many, that probably a change in affairs nearer home would not come amiss. This we do not think necessary if the RIGHT MEN are put in nomination.

In conversation with prominent politicians of the county, it seems that all agreed that the Sheriff candidacy will occasion the most trouble. Some are of the opinion that the nomination belongs to the "upper-end," while others conclude that the nomination should go to the best and strongest man, no matter what "end" or section he represents. We notice that, already, quite a number of individuals are looking up their chances, and if the general out-look is not deceiving we think that Mr. Hiram P. Levan, the popular constable of Franklin, will come out ahead in the race. He is spoken of very favorably by leading Democrats and, also, by many Republicans; he is very popular with old and young voters throughout the county, and if nominated he would undoubtedly be elected.

For the Prothonotaryship there are also a number of individuals in different sections of the county, who are anxiously looking up their prospects; and we have no doubt but that a hard fight in the Democratic ranks will be the outcome of all of it. But we trust, regardless who may secure the nominations, that the Democracy will, on the day of election, stand, as it stood several years ago, strong and united, voting a full Democratic ticket, which is the only sure way of success and the attainment of party rights. The Democratic voters in the lower-end have no need to be cautioned as to how to cast their ballots: to do as they have done in the past is all that is necessary. But *ye Democrats* in the upper-end, watch yourselves. At the late election you did not do you duty, and it is to be hoped that you will follow the true instincts of American Democracy at the coming election and redeem yourselves to your party. A word to the wise is sufficient.

July 15, '85. ROMEO.

His Leg Cut off by a Reaper.

Peter Hemerly, a well-known farmer, residing about four miles west of Allentown, met with an accident on the evening of the 6th inst., that may cost him his life. He was out in a wheat field with a reaper when a shower came up. The rain fell fast and there was considerable wind and Hemerly concluded to unhitch the horses. He neglected to throw machine out of gear and proceeded to detach the animals. While he was loosening one of them the other became restive and pulled the reaper after him. Before Mr. Hemerly realized his danger the knife caught him and cut off one leg at the ankle. He lost a great deal of blood before a physician arrived.

An Enterprising, Reliable House.

T. D. Thomas, druggist, can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the agency for such articles as have well-known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of throat, lungs, and chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a trial bottle free.

—Huckleberries are being shipped to market from the Hazleton region at the rate of 20,000 quarts per day.

East Weissport.

—Mr. G. C. Deats was on a Stroudsburg trip this week.

—Henry and Miss Suel, of Bath, Pa., were the guests of Mr. Urlah Fatzinger over Sunday.

—Misses Maria Biery and Carrie Deibert were visiting friends at White Haven.

—Mr. Jacob Begel who sometime ago left for Kansas writes that he likes the place very well.

—Rev. J. E. Freeman delivered a very appropriate and excellent sermon to the members of the G. A. R. The sermon was salient with good points and gave much food for thought.

—The Franklin school directors are fitting out a new school room in the South East Weissport school building. This is necessary in order to meet the requirements of the school patrons. This is the second new school in the past year. Due to large increase of population.

—Our young friend Miss Kate Campbell, the estimable daughter of Henry Campbell, was very unfortunate about a week ago in losing her sense of hearing. She is unable to hear anything, i. e., totally deaf. The cause of this is not known, but the supposition is that it is a nervous ailment. We trust that ere long this very sad ailment will come all right.

—Mr. Nathan Snyder is erecting a large building here, which when completed, is to be used as a planing mill. This will be a new feature in town. In the matter of improvement and building East Weissport is forging very much ahead of the town proper.

—Hiram P. Levan will be a candidate for Sheriff this fall. Levan is a very good man as well as an earnest Democrat. If nominated he will make a popular candidate, especially so in his immediate community.

—The many democratic friends of Capt. H. E. Swartz, are very much gratified over his appointment to the office created by the Revenue bill which became a law by virtue of the Governor's signature, last week. Swartz is a deserving democrat and in every way qualified to fulfill the responsibilities of the position.

—Mr. F. P. Semmel, candidate for prothonotary on the Democratic ticket, was through here during the week looking up his chances. Frank is a "hail fellow well met" and would make a popular candidate. LABOR.

Teachers Elected and Salaries to be Paid.

High School, Mr. Barr,	$65 00
Grammar School, H. A. Keiser,	37 50
Intermediate School, Miss Hattie Koons,	37 50
Secondary, kept open for Miss Aggie Hauk,	30 00
Primary No. 1, Miss Myra Rehrig,	25 00
Primary No. 2, Miss E. J. Reber,	25 00
Primary No. 3, Miss Lizzie Ash,	25 00
Primary No. 4, Miss Myra Good,	30 00

As can be seen, by a perusal of the above schedule, several changes have been made in teachers, which will, no doubt, please as well as displease many of our people. It is to be regretted that the directors failed to re-elect Mr. Ritter to the principalship. We have ever found him a gentleman of fine educational abilities and pleasing address; he had fully expected his re-election as principal of our schools, and Mr. Ritter had been led by the Board to rely on his re-appointment, and consequently made no effort to obtain a school elsewhere, and now when a choice is made he is left out in the "cold," too late to secure, in this neighborhood, an appointment to his taste. Our Board should have notified him of its purpose to reject him immediately upon the close of the last term. That, at least, would have been honorable. We trust that teachers and scholars may improve under the new principalship, and that the schools will have a prosperous year. We think the change of principal for our schools almost every term tends to retard that progress that would otherwise be made. We shall see!

Mahoning Items.

—Prof. Thomas M. Balliet spent a few days at home during the week.

—Charles Roth, Sr., who was awarded the contract for carrying the mail between New Mahoning and Lehighton for the next four years, has entered upon his duties.

—Albert Haldeman is breaking ground for the erection of a house at New Mahoning.

—John Reipsmith has secured a position as clerk in one of the Lehighton stores.

—C. H. Boyer, of Ringtown, Schuylkill county, was the guest of Miss Alvesta Miller, over Sunday.

—Divine services will held in St. John's church to-morrow (Sunday) morning. Rev. A. Bartholomew will preach.

—There is now no need for persons who desire to have their pictures taken to go to Mauch Chunk or some other place. G. K. Musselman is prepared to take first-class photographs and gems. Give him a call.

—Daniel Kressley is at present having a cistern constructed.

—Next Monday, July 20th, the fall term of the Centre Square Select School will be opened. The prospects for a large attendance of students are good.

—The Centre Square Literary Society was closed during the vacation of the Select School. A meeting will again be held this (Saturday) evening. A full attendance is expected. DASH.

The Lehigh Valley Iron Trade Hopeful.

Catasauqua *Dispatch:* There seems to be a brighter outlook in the iron trade. Stack No. 5, of the Allentown Iron Company, was blown in Saturday morning, after the works had been idle for four or five years. A new company has taken possession of the works, and there is promise of several stacks being blown in soon. Work at repairing them, overhauling the machinery and engines and getting things in proper shape is going on. Several stacks of the Lehigh Iron Company are ready to have the match applied to them, and with a slight improvement in the iron industry they will be blown in. Up and down the valley the same state of affairs exists. Stacks Nos. 1 and 3, of the Glendon Iron Works, are expected to start up within a week. Manufacturers are hopeful of better things in the near future and are holding themselves in readiness for the long-desired change.

—At a meeting of the Lehigh Valley Poultry Association it was decided to hold a poultry show at Allentown, December 14th to 19th, inclusive.

A Grand Success.

The grand musical and literary entertainment under the management of Miss Emma L. A. Kistler, in the Presbyterian church, this borough, on last Tuesday evening was voted a *grand* success, and reflects great credit on the management. Long before the time had arrived for the opening of the exercises the large room was completely crowded, leaving only standing space for late comers.

At about 8 o'clock Rev. Kuder opened the exercises by leading in prayer; after which Prof. T. A. Snyder made a few appropriate introductory remarks; the programme, as published in last week's ADVOCATE, was delightfully and very creditably carried out. Misses Kate B. Adams and Emma Kistler won loud plaudits by the rendition of choice selections. It would occupy too much space too separately enumerate the performers, suffice it to say that the vocal solos by Mrs. A. J. Durling, Mrs. T. A. Snyder and Miss Mame Miller, of Philadelphia, and the duets by Misses Emma and Lizzie Ash and Rev. O. R. Cook and wife were loudly applauded. The whistling of "Home Sweet Home" and "Mocking Bird," by Harry Esser was simply wonderful and Mr. Esser recieved a perfect shower of applause.

In Aid of the Miners.

There is a strong movement now on foot among the miners of Luzerne to organize beneficial associations among themselves. It has been tried before, but allowed to fall through. The necessity for such organizations are painfully evident on every hand. A miner never thinks of accident or death, consequently he lays nothing by for a rainy day. Suddenly he is stricken down by a premature explosion or fall of rock. As a result he leaves a big family and in the most destitute circumstance. But worse than that, there is not a dollar in the house to help bury him. To remedy this and prevent suffering it is proposed to organize these beneficial associations. On Saturday the miners and laborers of the Alden Coal Company to organized a benefit association. Each employe becoming a party of the contract authorizes the Alden Coal Company so collect the sum of one dollar from his monthly wages for each and every fatality that may occur in and about the mines during the continuance of the membership. The accident to a member of the association must prove fatal within three months from the date of occurrence to entitle relatives to the benefit.

A Fatal Accident

Mr. John Bixler, a well-known citizen of Upper Mauch Chunk, met with a serious and probably fatal accident Friday morning at about ten o'clock while engaged in his duties as switchman on the L. & S. Railroad at Nesquehoning junction. He stepped on the track in front of engine No. 259 and was seen by the engineer. He was so close to the engine that it was impossible to check the train and he was run down. His right arm was cut off and one of his legs was also severed. He was brought to his home.

Mr. Bixler was a Union soldier and had lost one arm in the war. He has a family of five children. He is highly respected by his neighbors and both he and his family have the sympathy of a wide circle of acquaintances. He has since died.—Mauch Chunk *Gazette.*

The Jersey Central Lease.

A Reading Railacad official said on the 15th inst., that it was not probable that the proceedings instituted by the Jersey Central Company to annul the lease to the Reading would be pushed. "The bill was filed," said he, "because some of the bondholders of the Jersey Central urged it upon the management of that company. Now that it has been done nothing more remains but to await the answer of the Reading, which will be given on August 5. The taking of testimony, if the matter was pushed, would occupy at least a year, but it is not likely that anything further will be done. The majority of the Jersey Central people do not want the lease broken."

Poho-Poco Hotel.

The Poho-Poco Hotel is situated midway between Weissport and Stemlersville, and is particularly adapted to the convenience of folks desiring to spend a season in the country. The hotel building has sixteen large, well-ventilated and substantially furnished bed-rooms, a large parlor and ball-room and a well-stocked bar at which the best of wines, liquors and cigars are retailed. Near the house is a large dam suitable for boating purposes, boats being at the disposal of the guests; a first-class livery stable is connected with the hotel, and this with the numerous other facilities classes it amongst the most desirable summer resorts anywhere in the Valley. The landlord, Mr. Daniel Kresge, is constantly making improvements for the benefit of guests. Those desiring to pass the hot summer months in the country would do well to patronize Mr. Kresge.

—Relative to the condition of the iron manufacturing industry, the New York *Commercial Bulletin* says that "rail manufacturers state enough business could be secured at once to keep all the present working mills in operation for some time to come, providing railroad securities were taken in part payment. These overtures, however, have not as yet led to any practical result. Hence dullness in the rail market, even at a time when a good many rails are wanted."

MARRIED.

YOUSE—AMBODY—On the 12th instant in East Penn, by the Rev. G. A. Bruegel, John H. Youse, of East Penn, and Miss Anna Ambody, of West Penn.

SCHWAB—MISSIMER—At Catasauqua, July 14, 1885, by the Rev. J. J. Crist, Mr. William A. Schwab, of East Mauch Chunk, and Miss Minnie M. Missimer, of Catasauqua.

DIED.

WEAVER.—East Catasauqua, July 12, 1885, Enos Weaver, aged 62 years, 5 months and 10 day. Deceased was the father of Mr. Enos Weaver, of town.

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, July 15, 1885.

	bid	asked
U S 5's, Ext	103¾	104¾
U S Currency 6's	129½	——
U S 4½, new	112½	113½
U S 4's	122½	122¾
Pennsylvania R R	50¾	50¾
Philadelphia & Reading R R	7½	7¾
Lehigh Valley R R	57½	58
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co.	41¾	42
Buff. N. Y. & Phila. R R Co.	1½	1
New Jersey Central	30½	30¾
Northern Pacific Com	18	18¾
" " Pref'd	42	42½
Oregon Trans