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Teachers Wanted.

FRANKLIN, July 14, 1885.

The School Board of Franklin Township hereby announces that an examination will be held at the South Franklin school house on August 1st, and in the evening of the same day the board will make its appointments for said district.

All teachers desiring to teach in Frank lin must be examined in the township.

The term is 6 months, the salary $35 and 10 Teachers are wanted

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July 18, 1885

Executors' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been granted letters testamentary on the Estate of Maria Patterson, late of Lehighton Borough, Carbon county, Pennsylvania, deceased. All persons having claims against the said Estate will present them duly authenticated without delay, and those indebted to the same will make immediate settlement to

THOS. S. BECK, Executor.

Lehighton, Pa., July 11, 1885—w6.

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The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 1, 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 Weatherly school buildings are to be heated by steam.

—The Lehigh river is now as low as it was at any time last summer.

—John A. Quinn has been appointed postmaster for Lansford borough, this county.

—The Luzerne county fair will be held at Wyoming on the 5th, 6th and 8th of October.

—Citizens must be registered by the first of September in order to be able to vote in November.

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

—The Northern Montour Agricultural Society will hold their annual fair from the 19th to the 23rd of October next.

—O. H. Strayer, a well-known gentleman of means, yesterday announced his intention of building a cemetery at Lock Haven.

—A special train will hereafter be run on Sunday's from Philadelphia to White Haven on the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad.

—A new council of the American Legion of Honor was organized at Freeland on Monday, with John C. Stroh as commander.

—Curtin F. Smith, of Norristown, has been missing nearly two weeks. He had $600 on his person at the time of his disappearance.

—WANTED, A first-class COOK. Must be clean and quick. Wages from $4 to $5 per week. Apply to Obe S. Keiser, at Slatington, Pa., immediately.

—Willie Dotter, of Drake's Creek, this county, was bitten on the bare foot recently by a large rattlesnake. His life was saved with difficulty.

—The loss by the wreck on the Tamanend branch of the Reading Railroad, near Silver Brook, which occurred on the 22nd ult., will reach $25,000.

—Joseph Moyer, of Mahoning Valley, left at our office last week, some half dozen heads of timothy, which measured from eight to eleven inches in length.

—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.

—Lafayettee Post, G. A. R., of Easton, has passed resolutions denouncing the appointment of Colonel Joseph Barbiere to a clerkship in the Pension Office at Philadelphia.

—William P., 2-year-old son of Wm., and Kate Gilham, of Franklin twp., died on Saturday evening last of dropsy in the head. He was buried in the Weissport cemetery on Tuesday.

—Peter Ruth and his wife, after living together happily for thirty-three years at Bethlehem, separated by mutual consent on Thursday of last week, and the event was celebrated by a jubilee.

—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.

—Orville Greider, who disappeared from Allentown fourteen years ago, deserting his five motherless children, has been discovered in a New York hospital in a dying condition.

—Mrs. Hart, wife of Mr. Samuel Hart, of Catasauqua, on the 4th of July set sail for Belfast, Ireland, to pay a visit to her aged parents, and on the 15th reached her point of destination.

—The reports from the principal trade centres continue to indicate that although business is not booming it is brightening steadily, and that the prospects are good for an early revival of industry.

—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.

—The grand excursion of the Order of American Mechanics of the Wyoming and Lehigh regions to Glen Onoko last Saturday was one of the largest that visited that great resort during the present season.

—Rev. M. P. McSwiggan, aged 66 years, of Heckscherville, one of the most popular Catholic divines in that region, sustained two strokes of paralysis on Monday night, resulting in his death Tuesday.

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

—A. J. Price, a brakeman on the Jersey Central Railroad, after having both arms and three toes crushed by a locomotive at Easton Tuesday, walked several squares to receive medical attendance.

—A building in Wilkesbarre, owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and occupied by Barney Oppenheimer, a peddler, was burned Tuesday. There was a loss of $200 on Oppenheimer's goods.

—Tamaqua is looking for electric lights, Allentown for a silk mill, Mauch Chunk for a couple more factories, Hazleton for an invasion by the Salvation army, and, Easton is as silent as a tombstone, and Lehighton ditto.

—For the week ending July 25 there were 126,733 tons of coal shipped over the L. V. RR., making a total for the year of 3,527,231 tons, showing an increase, as compared with the same time last year, of 34,205 tons.

—The beauty of the Mahoning and Big Creek Valleys at this season is excelled by no other spot in this section, and a visit through them at this time is truly delightful. Get a team from David Ebbert's livery and try it. It will cost you but a trifle.

—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.

—On Thursday afternoon of last week, David Brant, of Franklintown, York county, answered the cries of his 12-year old daughter from a body of woods. Arriving there he found her struggling with a negro, whom he shot and fatally wounded.

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

—The Dutter Colliery, of Gilberton, operated by John A. Dutter, of Mahanoy Plane, was closed by the Sheriff on Saturday. The colliery is to be sold on Monday next. Few details can be learned, but it is supposed that the landowners are pushing Dutter. His liabilities are $150,000.

☞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. P. LUCKENBACH. 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk.

—No. 2, the old, and abandoned breaker of Kemmerer & Co., at Harleigh, took fire shortly after 2 o'clock last Saturday afternoon, and in half an hour was burned to the ground. The fire started on the tip and in a short time the entire structure was a complete mass of ruins.

—The American Hotel, at Mauch Chunk, has closed a register remarkable for size and contents. It is a book of 1000 pages and the average of names registered is about twenty-five to a page, making in all 25,000 names of visitors. The book was opened Oct. 14, 1862, and closed July 21, 1885.

☞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.

—B. Marshall, aged 20 years, telegraph operator at Landingville near Schuylkill Haven, got his foot fast in a frog in front of his office Saturday morning and was crushed to death by a passing coal train on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad. His body was horribly mangled.

—The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company will not join the other anthracite companies in their contemplated restriction in mining during August. For this reason the Schuylkill Coal Exchange on Friday issued a circular that all the Reading collieries would be worked on full time during August.

—An owner is wanted for a dark bay mare, supposed to have been stolen. The animal is fifteen and one half hands high, blocky build, white hair at root of tail, left hand fetlocks white, and small brands on both sides of the body. Any one having a mare of the above description stolen should call upon Detective Simons, Easton.

—On Sunday week the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company erected a new bridge over the carriage road between Catasauqua and Hokendauqua. The abutments had previously been brought in readiness, and all things being at hand the work of erecting the iron superstructure was completed in the one day. Sunday had necessarily to be chosen for the work, owing to the road being free of trains.

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

—The *Railroad Gazette* reports the construction of 63 miles of new railroad, making 1219 miles thus far this year, against 1584 miles at the corresponding date in 1884, 2038 miles in 1883, 5304 miles in 1882, 2618 miles in 1881, 2424 in 1880, 1122 miles in 1879, 900 miles in 1878, 751 miles in 1877, 1910 miles in 1876, 536 miles in 1875, 638 miles in 1874, 1872 miles in 1873, and 3237 miles in 1872. This statement covers main track only, second tracks and sidings not being included.

☞At Private Sale—A second-hand Carriage and Spring Wagon. Cheap. Apply at ADVOCATE office.

—George B. Harris, who went to Allentown a year ago, joined the Methodist church, married a young woman of the congregation, robbed his employer, a sewing machine agent, was forgiven and employed by E. S. Miller, music dealer, on last Friday deserted his wife and child and fled, with much of his employer's money, to New York, where he was nabbed by creditors, and made to give up part of his plunder, but was allowed to escape to Europe through the failure of the authorities at Allentown to respond to a despatch notifying them of his whereabouts.

—The Reformed Sunday school excursion to the Zoo bids fair to be a grand success. It certainly will be the event of the season in this part of the county. Not only are our neighbors and town friends going, but our farmer friends feel like taking a day off after the hard work of the harvest season, and this affords them not only a day of recreation, but a long ride on the rail, a chance to see the wonders of both nature and art, and a delightful ride on the Fairmount steamers up the Schuylkill Wissahickon and return, passing many points of interest along the river. Remember the train will leave Mauch Chunk at 5:30 a. m., on Saturday, Aug. 8th, stopping at Slatington and all stations on the L. V. R. R., between these points. Fare for the round trip, adults, $2.25; children, $1.25.

—Nathan Snyder, of East Weissport has secured a 100 horse power Erie City Boiler and Engine for his new sash factory. The engine was furnished by E. H. Kinsey of the firm of Wm. H. Taylor & Co., of 256 Hamilton street, Allentown Pa.

People in and out of Town.

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

—C. V. Kleintop was at Hazleton last week.

—Howard Chubb has returned from his visit to Harrisburg.

—Horace Roberts was the guest of C. V. Kleintop during this week.

—Will Meredith, of Reading, spent Sunday with Weissport friends.

—W. A. Graver, of Penobscot, Luzerne county, was in town Monday.

—Mrs. F. Doug. Miller, of town, spent Sunday with Hazleton friends.

—Prothonotary George W. Esser, of Mauch Chunk, was in town Tuesday.

—Our young friend Theodore Breugel, of Cherryville, was in town during the week.

—Miss Belle Nusbaum spent a few days visiting friends in Reading last week.

—Miss Laura Master is visiting relatives and friends in Northampton county.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Psotta, of Allentown, is visiting at T. D. Clauss', on Bank street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kutz, of Allentown, are stopping with J. J. Kutz, on Lehigh street.

—Our genial friend Dr. W W. Reber, spent Sunday at Hazleton, visiting relatives and friends.

—Our jovial friends Jonathan Kistler and Paul Wagner, spent several days in Reading during the week.

—Miss Emma Engler, of Great Bend, spent a few days last week with Miss Laura Clauss, on Bank street.

—Mrs. Fenstermacher and daughter, Ella, are sojourning with Mrs. John S. Lentz, on Northampton street.

—Thos. Kuntz, the genial young telegraph operator on the L. & S. railroad, at Treichler's Station, was in town on Sunday.

—Jos. Tacy, of Mauch Chunk, agent for the Crescent Fire Extinguisher, was in town on Tuesday and dropped in to see us.

—Dr. J. A. Mayer, the popular Mauch Chunk dentist, was on a business trip here during the week, and made us a pleasant call.

—S. R. Gilham, attorney at law, with his wife and child, will leave on a business trip to Snyder county on Saturday. He will be absent for about ten days.

—Elwen Bauer, of East Mauch Chunk, was in town during the week interviewing his many friends, and looking up his prospects for the nomination for Prothonotary.

A Vindication.

The following letter from Miss Good sufficiently explains itself, and needs no comment by us.

July 27, 1885.

MR. EDITOR: A friend sent me an article which your paper contained; a communication by a citizen, as a rebuke to the primary teachers. The article was correct to a certain extent; but it was unjust, and in fact a downright slander upon my character, and I wish you to correct it. The article began: "Now that our primary school teachers have been re-appointed, it is to be hoped that this winter they will do their courting behind the scenes." That takes in all the primary teachers without any exception; and I, being a primary teacher, I expect you to make an exception of me in your paper, that is the least you can do. The citizen was justly indignant at the conduct of certain primary teachers, and the things implied in his note are correct, as Mr. Ritter well knows, but I was not one of those teachers. The misconduct of those teachers would have been made public, if it had not been that Mr. Ritter pitied them, and hesitated to report their misbehavior to the Board of Directors. The citizens of Lehighton know that I was not one of those primary teachers for whom some of the high school boys were suspended; but the community surrounding Lehighton would have no opportunity of knowing that fact. It will be decidedly unpleasant for me to attend Institute next fall, and have strangers to wonder whether I was one of those senseless primary teachers. Be kind enough to attend to this at once, as anything derogatory to a lady's respectability is too serious a matter to neglect. Respectfully,

MYRA M. GOOD.

Evangelical Camp Meeting.

The northern portion of Allentown district Evangelical Association, comprising, Weissport, Lehighton, Parryville Circuit, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, White Haven and Wilkesbarre charges will hold a Union Camp-meeting in Webster Weiss' Grove, near Weissport, and directly opposite Lehighton, commencing Monday, Aug. 31 and continuing until Friday evening, Sept. 4, 1885.

The grove is beautifully and conveniently located. There are several springs of good water on the ground.

Arrangements have been made with the Lehigh Valley R. R. Co., who will stop the following trains near their new engine house, at Lehighton: Up trains, 7:55 a. m., 9:43 a. m., and 5:35 p. m. Down trains, 7:13 a. m., 10:05 a. m., and 5:23 p. m.

A pontoon foot bridge will be constructed across the river at that point, thus affording easy access to the Camp, which is within ¼ of a mile from said point.

Tents can be rented at the following rates: Tents 12x12 without floor, $2.50; 12x12 with floor, $3.25; 12x12 with floor and tunk, $3.75.

Good boarding can be had at the following rates: Season tickets, 13 meals, $2.80; day tickets, 75 cents; single meals, 30 cents.

For tents or further information, apply to Rev. G. W. Gross, Lehighton, Pa.

The services will be conducted in both the English and German languages.

COMMITTEE.

Around Pleasant Corner.

—Miss Emma Gerber, of this place, was visiting at Lehighton last Sunday.

—H. J. Reber, of Lehigh county, was the guest of Dennis Nothstein, of Centre Square, last Sunday.

—Mrs. Milton Miller was on a visit to her parents last Sunday.

—Dr. W. H. Donor, of Mahoning, was on a trip to Long Run during last week.

—The Summit Hill folks were in good attendance at the Mahoning picnic.

JOSEPH.

Weatherly Items.

—Rev. E. T. Swartz and family and Mrs. James F. Kresly and family are tenting a few weeks on the Mountain Grove camp ground.

—Miss Myra Rehrig has been spending the last few days among friends in town.

—Quite a number of our town people expect to attend the funeral of Gen. Grant.

—A very pleasant affair was the sociable tendered Rev. Moffat and wife at the residence of Mr. C. H. Dewitt, on Second street, Tuesday evening.

—Engine 321 of the Lehigh Division, is in the shops for a general overhauling.

—Riess & Gearhart, merchants, received a handsome delivery wagon from the Lehigh Wagon Company, Lehighton.

—Mr. Charles Caveler ships two car loads of huckleberries per day one north to Elmira and Buffalo and the other to Newark.

—Mr. Frank Hoover's house on Second street is almost completed and adds much to the beauty of the street.

—Mr. Richard Colburn, of Lehighton, passed through here enroute for Wilkesbarre on Tuesday.

—Mr. C. G. Hann and family are spending the week in town.

—All the unmarried men employed in the foundry were suspended indefinately on Monday last.

—Mr. Wm. Smith, of Conyngham, moved his family to town last Monday.

—T. D. Cheeseman and H. L. Fryling are on a fishing excursion on the Susquehanna.

—R. F. Hofford and sister spent Sunday among Drifton friends.

—Mr. Wm. McCloughn has erected a handsome iron fence in front of his residence. HOMO.

Death of Squire Hower.

John M. Hower, Esq., died on Sunday afternoon, at 6 o'clock, at his home in Cherryville. He had been suffering about four years from a cancer. The disease lately assumed a fatal form, and finally resulted in his death. Mr. Hower was for a long time one of the most prominent men of Lehigh township. He successfully carried on the mercantile business for the past thirty-five years, and was extensively engaged in the slate business. Mr. Hower was also prominent in politics. During President Lincoln's administration he was appointed postmaster at Cherryville, which place he held ever since. He was also, for about thirty years, a justice of the peace. His wife and four children, Mrs. Naylor, Mrs. Mummy, Mrs. Minnich, and Miss Estella Hower, survive him.—Allentown *Democrat.*

Poisoned by Canned Beef.

The family of Frank Knech, of Plymouth, consisting of husband, wife and one child, ate canned corned beef for dinner, Monday, and within an hour or two all three were seized with violent pains in the abdomen, vomiting and cramps. The doctor pronounced the patients suffering from poisoning by some irritant. The corned beef was not suspected for some time, but, on inquiry being made, the patients remembered that it had rather a bitter metallic taste. The physician believes that they were poisoned by some compound of lead or tin contained in the beef. For some time their lives were in imminent peril, but Tuesday Mr. Knech and his wife were pronounced out of danger, though the child is still critically ill.

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 Packerton public, at Hazleudale, Thursday, August 6.

For Mahoning 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 Stempersville, 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.

Mahoning Squibs.

—Phaon Benninghuff and family, of Kresgeville, Monroe county, were the guests of Mr. Harrison Miller over Sunday.

—The Evangelical Sunday School of this place will picnic at Glen Onoko next week.

—Our farmers are now cutting their oats.

—Mr. J. H. Arner was on a business trip to Philadelphia last week.

—The New Mahoning Sunday School will make an addition of 50 volumes to its library.

—Miss Lizzie Seoer, of Lancaster, is visiting friends in the valley at present.

—A picnic will be held to-day (Saturday) in a grove near the Ben-salem church, West Penn. DASH.

Fighting Fire in a Mine.

At a late hour Thursday night of last week the stables in No. 4 slope of J. C. Hayden & Co., at Jeanesville, were discovered to be on fire and in a short time were completely destroyed. Eighteen mules in the stables were roasted to death. The flames communicated to the props and timbers of the mine, causing part of the roof to cave in. The fire was not extinguished until Friday morning, as the intense heat and dense volumes of smoke prevented the men from entering the mine. The current of air, which was directly against them all night, changed in the morning, allowing them to bring several heavy streams of water to play upon the fire. The loss is $5,000.

Arbitration

On Tuesday an arbitration was held in the Court House in Mauch Chunk, in the case of John G. Wuest, of Kresgeville, Monroe county, against Jas. H. Meitzler, of East Penn Township, Carbon county. Freyman and Kiefer were counsel for Mr. Wuest, and Mr. W. M. Rapsher for Mr. Meitzler. The case was a suit to recover on two notes aggregating $82.09 with interest. Mr. Meitzler claimed that he had paid the notes, the smaller one, for $12, in money, and the larger one in lumber. The smaller one showed only an endorsement of $5, and Mr. Meitzler could not make it appear at what times he had delivered the lumber for the larger note. The case was submitted without argument to the arbitrators, District Attorney E. M. Mulhearn, C. Orion Stroh, esq., and Justice J. J. Boyle, who awarded Mr. Wuest about $75.—Mauch Chunk *Gazette.*

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled in the Lehighton post office, July 31, 1885:

Franta, Nelson — Snyder, Alice J.,
Morin, Nicola — Shoemaker, Owen
Schneider, Magdalena — Benzbacer, B.

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

JAMES P. SMITH, P. M.

—The Iron Exchange Cornet Band of Parryville, will hold their first annual picnic in Drehlbach's Grove, near Parryville, on Tuesday, August 11. Be on hand for a good time.

—A man giving the name of Miller engaged several girls in Easton to go with him under pretense that they were to be employed in an organ factory in Philadelphia. Before the departure of the girls it was discovered that Miller was a fraud, and a warrant was issued for his arrest, but he eluded the officers.

—Don't forget the grand Excursion to the Zoo on Saturday, Aug 8th. The collection of wild beasts, birds and reptiles is the largest in America, in fact most of the animals of land and ocean are gathered together in this most delightful spot. At 10:30 a. m. and at 4:30 p. m. the sea lions are fed. At 4 p. m. the elephants baths. At 3:30 p. m. the very large collection of lions, tigers, bears, leopards, hyenas, &c., are fed. Excellent music will be rendered in the garden on Saturday afternoon. The Zoo is truly one of the many places of interest that can be visited by the excursionists and none can fail to have a good time, and at the same time, you are helping along a good cause, as the proceeds of the excursion are for the benefit of the Reformed Sunday School.

Workingmen's Wages.

The following interesting comparison of wages paid in the Old World with those paid in this country, we clip from an exchange of recent date:

In England the average weekly wages of various mechanics was as follows in 1884:—A bricklayer got $7.06, a plasterer $7.80, a mason $7.68, a gasfitter, $7.66, a carpenter $7.66, a plumber $7.90, a slater $7.10, a tinsmith $7.56, a tailor $7.40, a cabinetmaker $7.68, a baker $6.17, a blacksmith $7.37, a butcher $5.50, a cooper $7.50, a printer $7.17, an engraver, $8.33 and a horseshoer $6.32.

In Germany a bricklayer gets $4.21, a plasterer $4.43, a mason $4.67, a gasfitter $4.09, a carpenter $4.11, a plumber $4.26, a slater $4.20, a tinsmith $3.55, a tailor $3.41, a cabinetmaker $4.25, a blacksmith $4, a butcher $3.32, a cooper $3.97, an engraver $5.12, a millwright $4.18, a sailmaker $2.95, a cutler $3.90, a brass founder $4.38 and a horseshoer $3.61.

In France a bricklayer gets $5.74, a plasterer $6.84, a mason $5.33, a gasfitter $6.07, a carpenter $6.24, a plumber $6.10, a slater $5.65, a tinsmith $5.46, a tailor $5.02, a printer $6.64, a horseshoer $5.80, a cooper $5.58, a cutler $5.16, an engraver $7.35, and a harnessmaker $5.70.

These are the averages for America: —A bricklayer in New York gets $20, a mason $18, a plasterer $18, a slater $14, a plumber $16, a carpenter $14, a blacksmith $13, a bookbinder $14, an engraver $16, a printer $18, a cabinetmaker $12, a hatter $13 and a harnessmaker $12. In Chicago the averages were considerably higher. A bricklayer there earned $24 a week.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

—A dry goods man in Chicago offered a hundred dollars to any man who would thrash a lawyer named Southerland. He has not yet found any one in Chicago who is willing to do it.

—There is said to be in the possession of a lady in New York a valuable uncut emerald which was once the property of a Peruvian Inca. Its history can be traced back to its original owner.

—Gortchakoff, after the Berlin Conference, comparing Lord Beaconsfield's cottage, the present Prime Minister, Lord Salisbury, with Bismarck, said "he was wood painted to look like iron."

—O'Hara was hit by a falling billboard in Osage City, Kan., and the Aldermen voted to accept his offer to forego a suit for damages if they would remit a fine against him of $300 for selling liquor without a license.

—Prince Henry, of Battenberg, the fortunate young German who has just married Beatrice, Queen Victoria's youngest daughter, has hitherto been very poor, his military pay amounting to $400 a year and his paternal allowance being only $250.

—According to a hygienic article just published in the London *Lancet* the appetite is a most misleading sensation, only remotely related to the actual demands of the organism. If we only ate more deliberately we should find half our accustomed quantity of food sufficient to satisfy the most eager cravings of hunger, and hence save ourselves from dyspepsia.

—The residents of Laibach, in Germany, were astonished the other day by a shower of bloody rain. It subsequently was ascertained that a wind storm just before the rain had caught up a large mass of red dye stuff at a factory in the neighboring village of Kaltenbrunn, and the dye mingling with the rain, transformed the drops of water into apparent drops of blood.

—A piece of evidence in a Quebec breach of promise case was a cuff with an offer of marriage written on it. One night, while the defendant was holding the plaintiff's hand and whispering fervid words, he popped the question in manuscript on the smooth linen at her wrist. She was sentimental or shrewd enough to keep that article out of the wash, and now it is of practical value.

—The Duke of Wellington has been cleaning up Apsley House, probably the best known private abode in London, and has removed the iron shutters placed there by the first Duke in consequence of his windows being smashed in the Reform bill riots. It is absurd that this house has not been renamed after the great Duke. A house on the site once belonged to Lord Chancellor Apsley, afterward Earl Bathurst.

—The city of Minneapolis has a curious provision in its law relating to the liquor traffic. Besides charging a license fee of $500, the law marks out certain patrol limit, including the business core of the city, within which all the saloons there are must be established, and where they can be kept under close police inspection. As to the rest of the city, including all the main residence portions of the city, where probably nine-tenths of the inhabitants have their homes, absolute saloon prohibition prevails, and is rigidly enforced.

—Otto Jumbo, the African King who has recently visited England, has sailed for his home in the Bonny region. While in England he consulted a dozen doctors as to a cataract forming in his right eye. This cataract will not be matured sufficiently to be cut away until several months have expired, and the King means to revisit England next year to have the operation performed. He was anxious to get home because the English climate did not suit him. He had asked to be excused presentation to the Queen because of the time it would take, and he was afraid of missing the steamer.

—A company has been started in London with a capital of $500,000 subscribed, entitled "The Conservative News Agency (Limited)," for the purpose of founding a syndicate of provincial Conservative newspapers, to be worked in the interest of the Conservative party. Lord Randolph Churchill is Chairman, and there are a couple of dukes and many wealthy peers and M. P's on the General Council. The papers are to be illustrated and conducted after the American model. One brilliant New York journalist has already undertaken to start one of these journals, and there is opportunity for remunerative employment for many others.

—Mr. Watts the artist, and No. 1 husband of Ellen Terry, having declined the title offered him, it is stated that he has received a hint from royalty to reconsider his refusal. Should he succumb we shall have considerable heroics thrown away, for, by all accounts, his attitude in this business has been that of a man who would not give a bawbee for the best baronetcy in Burke. The ground given by admiring journals for theory that men like Mr. Watts should never accept such honors is that folk of a dreamy poetic nature, whom we cannot associate with court ceremonial, are more engaging objects without handles to their names. It is known that "poets and painters never should be fat," but that successful slingers of ink and color should take this title is a novel doctrine, and directs our gaze in the direction of his lordship, the laureate.

—Many of the young Canadians who took part in the Riel campaign were, as a body, of splendid physique, averaging between five feet ten and six feet two, who used to wear in Montreal and Toronto pointed boots and write with steel pens, chained to the counters of a bank or business house, with no prospect of becoming partners in the business which enslaved them. Since they got their lungs filled with the prairie air they have closed their ledgers and taken to building log houses for themselves, striding over the sweet grass, galloping after half-wild cattle, cooking their own dinners, measuring monthly more around the chest, and feeling that it will be their own fault if they do not take their place among the men who are making a new land. A strong Canadian youngster who will labor, working with his own hands, will get $400 a year and his board, and be tempted to no great expense at his tailor's.

Poho-Poco Hotel.

The Poho-Poco Hotel is situated midway between Weissport and Steinlersville, 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 bathing 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.

Appointments Made

C. B. Staples, the Internal Revenue Collector for this district, has made known the following appointments which are to go into effect on August 1st.

Andrew P. Bedford, to be deputy collector at Scranton, vice Jacob Bryant; Eugene O'Neil, of Montrose, to be deputy collector of a new district to be formed out of Susquehanna, Bradford and Wyoming counties; Charles F. Camp, of Milton, to be deputy collector of a new district to be formed out of Lycoming, Potter and Tioga counties; Thos. Dunkle, of Bellefonte, to be deputy collector of a district comprising Centre, Clinton and Union counties; John M. Van Aukin, of Matamoras, Pike county, to be deputy collector of a district comprising Wayne, Pike and Monroe counties; the commission of George B. Chase, guager at Scranton, has been revoked, to take effect on July 31st.

—Prof. G. G. Kunkle, a graduate of Muhlenburg College, is making arrangements to open a preparatory school for young ladies and gents, in this borough.

—A large frame barn belonging to Mr. Thos. Brodhead, at the Delaware Water Gap, caught fire in an unaccountable manner, about 5 o'clock, on Tuesday afternoon last, and was burned to the ground with a portion of his crops.

STOCK MARKETS.

Reported up to 12 o'clock, by De Haven & Townsend, Bankers, No. 34 S. Third Street, Philadelphia. Buying and selling of Stocks, Bonds and Gold, either for cash or on margin.

Philadelphia, July 29, 1885.

	bid	asked
U S 6's, Ext	103½	—
U S Currency 6's	129¾	—
U S 4s, new	122¾	123¾
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Pennsylvania R R	53¾	53¾
Philadelphia & Reading R R	9	9½
Lehigh Valley R R	57½	57¾
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co.	43¾	43½
Buf. N. Y. & Phila. R R Co.	2¾	2½
New Jersey Central	46¾	46½
Northern Pacific Com	20¾	20½
" " Pref'd	45½	45¾
Oregon Transcontinental	17¾