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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 in debted 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 8, 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.

—Now set out your celery.

—New potatoes are selling at 75 cents per bushel on our streets.

—The Lehigh Valley depot at Slatington has just been repainted.

—Harry McGuigan, of Tamaqua, proposes to ride to Canada on his bicycle.

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

—Fifty hands are now employed in the new boot and shoe factory at Mauch Chunk.

—The camp meeting of the Evangelicals, at Ballietsville, commences on Monday, August 24th.

—John Leisenring, of Mauch Chunk, has purchased a match team of horses for which he paid $2,700.

—All the post offices will be closed this (Saturday) from 1 to 5 o'clock on account of the funeral of Gen. Grant.

—Theodore Bartz, aged 35, while despondent, Monday hung himself at his home, five miles from Allentown.

—Taylor M. Uhler's steam yatcht, with a party of Philadelphians on board, interests the dwellers on the Lehigh's bank.

—Electric lights are being introduced into Glen Onoko in preparation for the advent of the editors' and publishers' pic-nic.

—The editors and publishers of Wilkesbarre have completed their arrangements for their excursion to Glen Onoko on August 19.

—A vein of iron ore has been discovered in Williams township, Northampton county, and another in Perry township, Berks county.

—The Iron Exchange cornet band will hold their first annual picnic in Dreisbach's Grove, on the 11th inst. A good time is expected.

—If you hire your teams at the popular livery of David Ebbert, on North street, you will be happy. Teams are all nice and his charges moderate.

—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 pic-nic will be held in Dennis Driesbach's Grove, near Parryville, today (Saturday), under the management of Nathan Sult. A good time is promised.

—A Journalists' Association is to be organized in Wilkesbarre and a committee of one from each publishing house has been appointed to prepare a plan of organization.

☞Now is the time to get a watch at a remarkably low price—to suit the times—at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—George Snyder, of Nanticoke, while prospecting for coal in the Nescopeck mountains struck a coal vein about eight feet thick a short distance below Mifflinville, Columbia county.

—General W. E. Doster, of Bethlehem, sailed for Europe on Saturday, with his daughter, who will become a pupil of the Moravian Young Ladies' Seminary, at Montmirail, Switzerland.

—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.

—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.

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

—For the week ending August 1 there were 116,413 tons of coal shipped over the L. V. RR., making a total for the year of 3,643,622 tons, showing a decrease, as compared with the same time last year, of 14,596 tons.

—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.

—Twenty suits are said have been brought at Mauch Chunk against the Susquehanna Mutual Fire Insurance Company by policy-holders to recover money they have paid on assessments which they claim were excessive.

☞It will pay you to get E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk, prices on Railroad Watches.

—The Little Gap Sunday school will picnic in Henry's Grove, at that place on Saturday, the 15th inst. Addresses will be delivered by Mr. A. M. Mehrkam, of this borough, and others; music by the Lehigh Gap cornet band.

—A. A. Chase, formerly editor of the Scranton *Times*, has just been released from jail as an insolvent debtor after serving sixty days' imprisonment for his failure to pay damages awarded W. W. Scranton in a libel suit against chase.

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

—The borough council have instructed the Supervisor to lay a flagstone pavement along the Bank street front of the Public Square, and the work has been commenced. Correct.

—The Iron Exchange Cornet Band's pic-nic will take place on Tuesday next, in Driesbach's Grove, near Parryville. Are you going?

—Mr. Henry Kuntz, general manager of the Slatington slate quarry, at Slatington, is at present engaged in opening a new slate quarry near said borough.

—The first of the two camp meetings of the Evangelicals of Lehigh circuit will be held in Bauer's woods, at Macungie, commencing on Monday, Aug. 10th.

—Are you going with Zion's Reformed Sunday School this (Saturday) morning to the Zoo? The train leaves at 5:37, and the fare is only $2.25 for the round trip.

—Policeman Boyer, of Tamaqua, petitioned the council of that borough to increase his salary. Council refused and a number of business men will contribute each a dollar a month to accomplish the object.

—The little engine Lilliput, belonging to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., and formerly used to run the pee-wee trains between Easton and Allentown, has been torn to pieces and thrown upon the scrap iron heap.

—The miners of Wilkesbarre and vicinity have been holding meetings to devise plans to support the Wilkesbarre Miners' Hospital which was deprived of its State appropriation by the veto of Governor Pattison.

—James, a son of Charles Yenser, of town, while playing ball on the old fair ground, last Tuesday evening, slipped and fractured one of the small bones in his leg near the ankle joint. Dr. W. W. Reber reduced the fracture.

—The Arion Cornet Band, of town, is making arrangements for a Grand Peach Festival to be held in Lindermann's Hall, during the second week in September. Our readers will please bear this fact in mind, and give the boys a lift on that occasion.

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

—Theodore Bortz, thirty-one years of age, hung himself at his father's house in Upper Macungie. Three years ago he separated from his wife, with whom he had lived for six years previously. Since then he frequently complained of the trouble caused by his wife's departure, but had never threatened suicide.

☞WALL PAPER BARGAINS—Brown back paper, 6 cts. and upwards. White " " 8 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.

—Owney Moyer on Friday last fell from the coping wall of the L. & S. railroad bridge, crossing the L. V. railroad at the upper end of town, and striking on the track below sustained fractures of the frontal bone, two ribs and internal injuries that will probably result fatally. He is under the care of Dr. C. W. Bower, the borough physician.

☞See pretty new patterns in watch chains, bracelets and rings at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—A telegram from Effingham, Kansas, announces the death, at the age of 56, of Charles D. Hipple, who in 1852 was admitted to the Schuylkill county bar. He was afterwards District Attorney and represented Schuylkill county in the Legislature. He moved to Kansas twelve years ago and amassed a competency at his profession and has since been living in retirement.

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

—John Killeen, a young married miner, who lost an arm through an accident at Haddock & Steele's mine, near Lucerne, has brought suit before a justice against the mine proprietors under the "Ambulance law" and also to recover $40 collected for him by his fellow miners and placed in the employers' hands for safe keeping, but held by them in payment of a store bill. The proprietors in turn are suing to evict the maimed miner from a house which he rents of them.

☞For a handsome gold watch, see E. H. Hohl's elegant stock, Mauch Chunk.

—A freight car on the Lehigh and Susquehanna railroad was burned on Thursday night of last week, near Parryville. It was loaded with oranges and lemons, and was entirely consumed. The car was cut from the train and run to a water tank, but it had to be removed, as it came near setting fire to the tank. The car had no hot boxes. It is presumed that when the car was loaded some combustible matter was placed among the fruit. The railroad detectives are working up the matter.

☞Silverware that will give you the desired wearing qualities at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk. None but the best goods sold.

—J. K. Bogert, the new Democratic Postmaster of Wilkesbarre, formally took possession of his office Monday. The office has heretofore been the loafing place for a certain class of idlers about the town. Mr. Bogert said he was going to reform this matter, and Monday he undertook to clean out the place, when he was set upon by three drunken men. The new Postmaster was equal to the emergency, however, and succeeded in "downing" the whole three. He blackened one man's eye and kicked the second one out into the gutter. The third was arrested and lodged in the lock-up.

☞FOR SALE. One two-seated standing top carry-all, or family carriage, in perfect order and good as new. Will be sold for half value. Apply to A. C. Prince, Bowman's, on L. & S. or L. V. R. Roads. Prince Post Office, Carbon county, Penn'a. A 8-2w

—The Oriole Club enjoyed a drive through the valley one evening last week and had a delightful time.

—Wils. Denhard sold his celebrated trotter, this week, for the enormous sum of ONE DOLLAR!

—The Nis Hollow Sunday school will hold their annual pic nic in John Miller's Grove at that place, on Saturday, Aug. 22d. Prominent speakers will be present. All are invited to attend.

☞Railroad watches; invisible joints; climax cases; at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—We understand there will be no funeral services in this borough to-day (Saturday), but the principal business places including the Bank, will be closed. Persons having notes due on the 8th must attend to them Friday, 7th.

—Clauss & Bro., finished and delivered the uniforms for the Mahoning Band and they look beautiful.

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.]

—M. O. Kuntz spent Sunday Allentown.

—James Ash, of Lehigh Gap, was in town Monday.

—Elias Fritz, of White Bear, was in town last week.

—R. Lincoln Colburn, of town, was doing New York City on Monday.

—Our young friend Will Hann spent Sunday with his parents, at Weatherly.

—Miss Ida Carroll, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Miss Ida Mantz, on Bank street.

—Miss Mary Smith, of this place is, visiting relatives and friends at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

—Mrs. Lila Rupert is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Kline, on Bankway, this borough.

—The irrepressible Wilson Miller, of Wilkesbarre, was seeing his many friends in town this week.

—Mrs. Daniel Graver, of Fairview, Luzerne Co., is visiting relatives and friends in Lehighton and Weissport.

—Messrs. W. J. and Robert Bowman, of Trenton, N. J. are the guests of our friend A. K. Leuckel, on Bank street.

—Jacob Brong and family, of Mountain Top, were the guests of Samuel Seller and family, on Bank street, over Sunday.

—Mrs. Sackett, of Wilkesbarre, has been sojourning with her sister, Mrs. Charles Smith, on Lehigh street, for the past several weeks.

—Mr. G. S. Scofield, of G. S. & F. M. Scofield, general advertising agents, of New York City, was in town on Tuesday and made us a pleasant call.

—R. L. Sweeny, of the firm of C. M. Sweeny & Son, wholesale shipping merchants, of this place, has returned home from the coal region, where he did a large business in buying and selling huckleberries.

—Charles W. Obert, T. J. Nusbaum, T. Webster Clauss, Ed. J. Rehrig, Henry Nicholas and the irrepressible Milton George Clauss, drove to Neffsville, Lehigh county, on Sunday to see their old friend Emanuel J. Frantz, of that place.

Put the Fault Where it Belongs.

During the past two weeks considerable feeling has generated among a portion of our citizens in relation to the communication which appeared in these columns relative to a charge of misconduct among the primary teachers of our schools. Upon a thorough investigation of the matter, we find that there was a laxity of discipline, not only in the primary department, but in the high school department, whence all the trouble emanated. In a nutshell—the high school boys got into the habit of running through the primary departments, to the annoyance of teachers and scholars. This the principal should have stopped, or failing to do so, he should have reported the matter to the Board for their action. This would have ended the matter. But neglect to do so, has had the effect to call forth censure on a class of teachers for acts which, perhaps, they were powerless to combat. "Charity covereth a multitude of sins." The blame for a want of discipline in our schools should be placed just where it belongs—on the principal if he failed in authority and did not report it—on the school board if it was reported to them and not acted upon. *Honi soit qui mal y pense.*

A Terrible Slugging Match

About midnight on the 2nd inst., a terrible fight took place between Fritz Boylan, of Philadelphia, who recently arrived in Easton, and Doney Gardner, Jr., of the same place. They had some trouble a week or more ago and Sunday night, with a select party of friends, adjourned to a point above Phillipsburg to fight it out. Boylan is little and supple while Gardner is tall and heavy. Boylan proposed the fight and the result is that he is unable to show up. The ring was the scene of a desperate conflict and only ended when both were utterly exhausted after fighting half an hour in a go-as-you-please way. They used tooth and nail, fists and feet as best they could and when separated both were covered with blood and bruises. Boylan proposed to adjourn and fight it out at a future day and an armistic was arranged.

Wedding Bells at Pottsville

George R. Kaercher, general solicitor for the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Co., and Miss Annette, youngest daughter of Hon. Francis W. Hughes, were married Monday morning at Trinity Episcopal Church, Pottsville, in the presence of a large and brilliant assembly. The ceremony was performed by Rev. James F. Powers, assisted by Rev. Messrs. Hawkes and Atwood. The chancel was beautifully decorated with flowers and rare plants. The bridal party was preceded by a little neice and neplew of the bride. Assistant United States Attorney-general Dewees with Mrs. Farquhar, a sister of the bride, Mrs. Hughes and a grandson and Guy E. Farquhar with the bride followed. Mr. Kaercher was escorted by his brother, Daniel, a Lafayette College student. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Kaercher left for a tour of the Northern lakes and St. Lawrence River. Mrs. Kaercher inherits much of her father's intellectual brilliance.

Weissport Items.

—Weissport, during the week, was somewhat enlivened. A couple of knock downs and midnight carousings have been no uncommon thing.

—Mr. G. H. Laury and family were in attendance at the Mahanoy Plane campmeeting. They returned home Monday morning.

—Miss Mary Snyder is visiting friends at Hazleton this week.

—The Franklin school directors made the appointment of teachers on Saturday evening.

—Out of a class of 16 teachers examined in East Weissport on Saturday by Supt. Snyder only one failed to secure a certificate.

—A public meeting will be held in the School Hall this (Friday) evening, under the auspices of Washington Camp, 122. An interesting time is guaranteed to those who will attend. The exercises will be varied.

—Bishop Thomas Bowman will preach in the Evangelical church on Sunday—German in the morning and English in the evening. It is the occasion of reopening the church which has lately undergone some improvement. A collection will be taken up to meet the expenses that have been incurred. It is hoped all will be liberal. Let there be a bountiful return. DUPLEX.

Storms Down the Valley.

CATASAUQUA, Aug. 1.—A terrific storm culminating in a destructive water-spout occurred on the outskirts of Catasauqua, known as Swinesville, at 4 P. M. to-day. About fifteen minutes before that time a dense cloud of coppery tinge was seen rapidly approaching Catasauqua from the North, and soon a swiftly wheeling column of water, apparently fifty feet in width, swept along Catasauqua Creek, overwhelming everything in its way.

Haystacks, cornciba and pigstyes were swept aside and the liquid column missed, only by a few yards, the farmhouse of Charles Halbach, the inmates fleeing for their lives. The heaviest losers are Charles Halbach, Fred Leikel, David & Thomas, William Younger and Henry Kurtz. The probable damage is $6000.

BETHLEHEM, Aug. 1.—A terrific thunder storm passed over this place and North of the town between 4 and 5 o'clock this afternoon, accompanied by rain and hail. The majority of the telegraph and telephone wires are in trouble. A water-spout occurred at Freemansburg. At Lynn's lime kilns, in the lower part of the town, the Southbound track on the Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad for a considerable distance is washed away. The water covers the track two feet deep. The houses standing in the hollow are surrounded by water up to the second story. A horse attached to a cart was seen floating in deep water. Trains are delayed. At Bethlehem the Monocacy Creek rose four feet in less than one hour. It is still raising. Residents along Water Street are removing household goods to second story. The down evening train on the Lehigh and Lackawanna Railroad is not in, being detained at Hummels, along the Monocacy, above which point the bed of the railroad has been washed away. An excursion train of eight cars is detained at Bethlehem. The thermometer fell from 93° to 62° in an hour.

FREEMANSBURG, Aug. 2.—Crowds of people came here to-day to inspect the damage done by a cloud-burst late yesterday afternoon. The water fell in sheets about Butztown and Farmersville and a great torrent dashed down the valley leading to this place. So great was the force of water that it hurled a wagon containing three tons of ore against a fence and swept both down the stream. Scarcely a house in Middletown, a small hamlet in the valley, escaped flooding and in every one so visited all eatables were swept away, so that the families were compelled to fast until food could be purchased here. Many families lost their clothing and bedding. The torrents swept away the Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad culvert at this place and filled the Lehigh Canal with dirt, lumber, outbuildings, pig-pens, coal and rock, so that boating is necessarily suspended. It will require two weeks to thoroughly repair the damage to canal and railroad. Trains are able to pass on one track. John Geissinger's grist mill and lumber yard was flooded and much damage done. A boat loaded with coal, belonging to Joseph Lynn, was overturned. The Willow Grove Hotel was flooded; Locktender Yetters' place was damaged to the amount of $1,000, and scores of cellars were flooded. It is thought that $20,000 would not recompense for damage done in the three miles traversed by the torrent. Most of those sustaining damage are very poor people.

EASTON, Aug. 3.—A very heavy rain fell in this section all day and reports to-night indicate great damage. Telegraph and telephone wires are working slowly, but it is learned that to the north of this place the roads are washed badly. The creeks and streams are rising rapidly and much damage has been done to the corn crop. The returns from Northern Bucks county and Western New Jersey are of the same tenor. The rain-fall has been something unprecedented. At Freemansburg, on the Lehigh and Susquehanna Road, the trestle work which replaced the culvert washed out by Saturday's storm was again torn away, and to-night trains are delayed up and down the road. Special trains eastward are being sent out from here on the Lehigh Valley Road. Near Redington a washout of several hundred feet occurred at five o'clock and no trains will be able to pass before to-morrow. On the Amboy division on the same road two culverts are washed out and trains delayed.

Driven to Suicide.

On Friday last the coroner investigated the death of Mrs. Antoinette Bastid, the wife of John Bastid, a loom-fixer in the Adelaide Silk Mill, Allentown. The Bastids had not lived happily for some time, the husband cruelly beating their only child, a son six years old; when the mother interferred the husband's fury was directed upon her. Wednesday evening of last week, Bastid again beat the boy, using a piece of heavy rope. The mother interferred to save him and was badly beaten herself. She brooded over her misery until the following morning; when she sent her child and a neighbor's wife for arsenic, saying she wished to have it to kill rats. The boy got the poison and in the afternoon she took a portion of it. She suffered intensely and in the evening told a neighbor what she had done. Medical aid was summoned, but by ten o'clock she was dead. The evidence was conflicting and the jury rendered a verdict of suicide by poison. The Bastids are French and have been in Allentown several months. They had few associates and little is known of their antecedents.

Towamensing Items.

—A child of John Anawalt died Friday of last week; it was buried on Tuesday.

—Rev. Bruegel will preach a Harvest sermon in four weeks from to-morrow (Sunday).

—The pastors of St. John's congregations desire a display of the various productions when holding Harvest services to remind the people of the Lord's blessings toward His children.

—During the storm last Tuesday night, the large barn of widow David Boyer, in Stroup's Hollow, near Millport, was struck by lightning and entirely destroyed, together with the harvested crops and five cows. We did not learn whether there was any insurance on the property or not.

—Dennis Bowman claims from Lower Towamensing township the value of his horse, which was killed by falling down the embankment above Bowman's. CONFIDENCE.

Three Persons Drowned.

Hugh Cannon and Kate McDonald, both about 22 years of age, were drowned at Wilkesbarre on Sunday in an old cave-hole in the second ward. The hole was formed two years ago by a cave-in in the mines and has become filled with water to the depth of about twenty feet. Cannon is a miner and resided in that vicinity. Kate McDonald's home is in Dunmore, Leaksawanna county, and she was visiting relatives in Wilkesbarre. The two got on board a raft which a boy named Patrick Friel was paddling around. When about twenty feet from shore the raft tilted a little. The girl, who was deaf and dumb, became frightened and sprang towards Cannon and seized him around the body. This tilted the raft still more and both fell off. Cannon was a good swimmer, but the girl held on to him with the strength of despair. A short and desperate struggle followed. Cannon tried to swim and, forgetting that the girl was deaf, called out in agonizing tones: "Let go, let go, and I'll save you." She clung tight to him, however, and despite his utmost efforts dragged him down. Friel could not swim; neither could several men who were near by, and no effort was made to save them. Their bodies were recovered with grappling irons and were found tightly locked in each other's arms, so that considerable force had to be used to separate them.

Another sad drowning accident took place the same morning in the river. Thomas Jones, aged 45, a miner, living in Luzerne borough, went down to the river with several companions to bathe. He swam across the river several times, but was suddenly seen by his companions, when he was near the middle, to throw up his arms and sink. It was supposed that he had been seized with cramp, but when two hours after the body was recovered by means of a boat and drags it was found that a blood vessel had burst in the throat. He leaves a wife and six children, entirely destitute.

THIRD TERM BUGBEAR.

EDITOR ADVOCATE: The bug bear of a "third term" is a very inflated thing with some people. The hue and cry against the a "third term" is a merely clerical or county position is the verriest bosh and nonsense. To relegate a man out of office, after he has become fitted and fully qualified in his position, simply on the ground that he has had two terms is unsound and detrimental to the interest of the people. In an office or position in which a man has ever attained any mark or distinction as a servant of the people he was retained by them for an indefinite time. Take for instance some men near at home. In this county long continuance in office has more or less been the practice. There is Hon. Robt. Klotz he was a representative, twice County Treasurer and twice a member of Congress. Allen Craig was an official for more than two terms. Likewise was A. G. Brodhead. The most notable instance of more than two terms in office is that of J. H. Siewers and C. Nimson, these men were re-elected time and again and the result was that the people were better served than they would have been if the one or two term idea had been in vogue. Hon. John B. Storm our present representative in Congress is now serving his fourth term. Nobody will dispute that he is the more qualified to perform the duties of his office than he would be if he had only been elected for one or two terms. So long as the principle of efficiency in office is maintained or adhered to no one who has the welfare of the county at heart has cause to complain.

The politicians are opposed to re-elections but the people believe in business principles, in public office, and are as a consequence opposed to the politicians "idea." A TAXPAYER.

Short in His Accounts.

A Lansford despatch of the 31st ult., says: E. W. Moister, secretary of the Lansford Building and Loan Association, is short in his accounts over $2,300. The association has been running since 1880. A year ago, when the books were audited, he was $800 short, but the Treasurer, F. X. Cannon, gave him a check to cover the deficiency. Last June the annual audit revealed that he was again $1,741.36 short, and Cannon again came to his rescue. Moister promised to make it up, but has failed and tendered his resignation. It was declined by the board until an examination of the books is made. His bondsmen will be asked to make up the amount. It is said he used and lost the money in the store business at Shenandoah, where he was burned out in the great fire.

A later despatch says: E. W. Moister, the defaulting secretary of the saving fund, has made a statement confessing his guilt and exculpating the officers of the association. F. X. Cannon, the treasurer, gave Moister receipts for the amount of his shortage, which were to have been destroyed and no entry made of them, while they temporarily covered up the deficiencies. These Moister acknowledged he filled and entered of record and therefore Cannon stands charged with the $2,300 which Moister misappropriated. Moister has been given two weeks to settle.

Died at a Revival Meeting.

Rev. Mr. Hartzell, pastor of the Reformed Church at Leithsville, Lehigh county, has been conducting revival meetings in the house of a farmer named Mitchell, below Centre Valley, for several evenings past. On the evening of the 29th ult., the usual meeting was held and a large number of people were present. A short time before the hour for closing the services the clergyman asked if there was anyone in the assembly who felt that he or she was not yet converted. A veterinary surgeon named Hartline arose from his seat and said he was not quite converted. Rev. Mr. Hartzell said they would begin anew. Hartline started for the front and after taking several steps forward sank to the floor. Before medical aid could be summoned he died. The sudden death of the man caused great consternation among those present.

Obituary.

Anna Maria, widow of the late Daniel Schoch, died at her residence in Weissport, on Monday morning last, about half-past seven o'clock, aged 80 years, 9 months and 5 days. Deceased was born on the 28th day of November, 1804, and was married to Danl. Schoch on the 27th of June, 1824. She was the mother of 15 children—10 sons and 5 daughters—seven of whom survive her, 4 sons and 3 daughters, with 43 grandchildren and 19 great-grand-children. She will be buried in the Weissport cemetery this (Friday) morning at ten o'clock.

Mahoning Squib.

—August has come, and with it rain; which will help the corn and potato crops.

—Several of our teachers passed their examination last Saturday in Franklin township.

—Mr. Charles Eberts and Miss Emma Kresely attended the camp meeting, near Tamaqua, last Sunday.

—John Reinsmith has returned home from Lehighton, and is now attending the Select School. We are glad to have him amongst our number, and shall be more so to see him, as one of our teacher's for the coming term.

—A re-union of the Centre Square Select School will be held on the school ground, August 22. The programme will consist of a few addresses by men from abroad, among whom is Prof. W. C. Schaeffer, President of the Palatinate College, Myerstown, Pa.

—We desire to repeat, that Rev. Wm. Hoy, the late appointed missionary to Japan, will preach in the St. John's church, to-morrow (Sunday) a week in the afternoon at 2 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend. DASH.

A LEGAL HOLIDAY.

The following proclamation was issued by Governor Pattison last Friday evening:

In the name and by the authority of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.—A Proclamation.

Whereas, on Saturday, the 8th day of August, A. D. 1885, the great soldier and distinguished citizen, whose death the nation mourns, will be laid to rest, it is fitting that the people of this Commonwealth, in his further honor, should pause from their accustomed labors when the sad and final rites of his burial take place. The loss in the death of General Grant will long be fresh in the public mind. His countrymen, to whom his life's service was productive of great benefits, will long feel the weight of the general sorrow. In honoring the great and good; in testifying sorrow at the loss of the faithful and heroic, the people show their appreciation of public worth and teach the lesson of public duty and patriotism. As a mark of respect to his memory, and in testimony of the sorrow of the citizens of this Commonwealth at the death of General Ulysses S. Grant, I do appoint Saturday, the 8th day of August, A. D. 1885, the day of his burial, to be a legal holiday, and do recommend that upon that day there shall be a general cessation of business throughout this Commonwealth.

Given under my hand and the great seal of the State, at Harrisburg, this 1st day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five and of the Commonwealth the one hundred and tenth.

ROBERT E. PATTISON, Governor.

By the Governor:

W. S. STENGER, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

A DEADLY TORNADO.

The Philadelphia *Times* of Tuesday says of Monday's tornado, which struck that city and Camden, N. J.: A huge, spiral-shaped cloud that reached from the black, frowning sky to the river's surface, that accompanied a succession of heavy showers of rain that fell during the day in Monday's storm, burst at twenty minutes after three in the afternoon and great torrents of water and blasts of hot wind belched out over the works of the Pennsylvania Salt Company, below Greenwich Point, sweeping roofs away as if they had been dead leaves and lifting a train of loaded freight cars from the railroad track. Rushing on to the river, the cloud-burst swept on up the Delaware and opposite Greenwich Point struck the steamboat Major Reybold, carrying away the hurricane deck and the pilot house and its occupants, the captain and the pilot, who were swept into the river, drowning the pilot. Four of the passengers are also missing. A moment later the tornado, plowing a path fifty yards wide in the river, struck the Gloucester ferry-boat Peerless, which was close behind the Reybold, and swept a horse and carriage from the deck into the river and whirled the ferry-boat around like the spinning of a top.

Then, twisting its corkscrew course, the tornado swept in an almost direct easterly direction across the river to Kaighn's Point and, rushing along up the Jersey shore, tore away the lumber sheds of Stanton & Branning's and Volney G. Bennett's lumber yards, in Camden. The fury of the deadly tornado seemed greater as it went tearing on through Camden, almost due north, to the works of the American Dredging Company, at Spruce street, where one of their workmen was sucked up in the gale and shot through the air three hundred feet and dropped on a pile of lumber lifeless. The tornado suddenly swept in a northeasterly circle and widened its deadly path to a thousand feet, tearing the roofs from two hundred houses between Kaighn's and Cooper's Points. Two men were killed in Camden and about twenty-five injured. Men and women, wild with fear, rushed frantically from their houses out into the fury of the tornado, that lashed with wind and rain every house in its path.

At Cooper's Point the tornado veered off into the river and plowed a path in a northwesterly direction five hundred feet wide as it rushed on to the Port Richmond coal wharves, Nos. 2, 4 and 6, near the foot of William street, and tearing along William street crossed Port Richmond in a northwesterly course, tearing the roofs from more than a hundred houses and damaging more or less a hundred more, killing a little girl 10 years old and injuring about twenty persons, of whom two are thought to be fatally hurt. At Harrowgate lane and Emerald street the tornado had spent its strength. The furious wind that had done such deadly work had lulled into a summer breeze and the havoc of its awful strength left squares of wrecked buildings, a score of suffering people lying on hospital cots and four dead bodies to tell the story of its awful work. The loss to property is very great.

☞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.

STOCK MARKETS.

Reported up to 12 o'clock, by De Haven & Townsend, Bankers, No. 38 S Third Street, Philadelphia. Stocks bought and sold either for cash or on margin.

Philadelphia, Aug. 5, 1885.

	bid	asked
U S 5's, Ext	102½	——
U S Currency 6's	126½	——
U S 4½, reg	112½	113
U S 4's	122½	122¾
Pennsylvania R R	52	52¼
Philadelphia & Reading R R	8¾	9
Lehigh Valley R R	57½	57¾
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co	43	43¼
Buff, N Y. & Phila. R R Co	3½	3¾
New Jersey Central	45½	46
Northern Pacific Com	22¾	23¼
" Pref'd	47½	47¾
Oregon Transcontinental