"Original Cheap Cash Store."

It Is Wonderful

To see the business we are already doing in Blankets and Comforts. And still more wonderful are the extremely low prices we are selling them at.

We are Enabled

To save our customers about fortycents on the dollar, through buying early and from first hands, which is no small item.

We are Determined

To do a larger business this season than ever before, and in order to bring about the desired end, we have secured and are offering the greatest bargains ever show in Lehighton

J. T. NUSBAUM.

Opp. Public Square, Bank Street, Lehighton, Pa. June 7, 1884-1y.

The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1886.

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.

Current Events Epitomized.

—Snow fell in Bradford county this week.

—Court convenes in the Court House, at Mauch Chunk, on Monday.

—Wilkesbarre claims an increase of 10,000 in population since 1880.

—An unknown disease prevails to an alarming extent amongst swine in Berks county.

—During the first year of the new marriage license law Pike county has had only fourteen weddings.

—The annual fair of the Keystone Agricultural Society, opened Tuesday at Kutztown, with a fair attendance.

—Mrs. Grover Cleveland and her sister Miss Emma Folsom passed through here Tuesday in route for Washington, D. C.

—Reports concerning the prospective strike amongst the miners in the coal regions have been greatly exaggerated.

—The number of foreigners naturalized at Mauch Chunk, last Saturday, is said to have been greater than on any previous year.

—The Friedensville zinc oxide works started up last week. The Thomas Iron Company's ore mines, west of that place, will soon be worked.

—Charles Lester, aged seventeen years, was arrested at Allentown on Monday for setting fire to furniture in the factory of Kleunter & Yeager.

—Merchants will do well to advertise in the ADVOCATE. A constantly increasing circulation makes it the best medium in the county whereby to reach the people.

—The Allentown Board of trade, in meeting assembled, passed resolutions endorsing the course of Governor Pattison respecting coal combinations and freight pools.

—Twenty-five thousand people were on the fair grounds at Allentown last Thursday. The total receipts for the four days was $5,757, or about $2,000 less than last year.

—A cornstalk, measuring nine feet five inches in height, the product of Weissport soil, was sent to this office by Mrs. Connor, of that place, last week. Can any one beat it?

—The Salvation Army, led by Captain Atkin, were arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct last Sunday, at Wilkesbarre, and in default of $5 fine each, were committed to durance vile.

—The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Rev. James A. Little, Sunday evening, October 3, in Hokendauqua Presbyterian church to an unusually large number of communicants.

—For the week ending Oct. 2, there were 130,110 tons of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total to date of 5,254,524 tons, and showing an increase of 318,477 tons compared with same date last year.

—"Hades, or the Intermediate State," will be the subject of a special sermon in the M. E. church to-morrow (Sunday) morning. The holy sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the close of the service.

—A ride over the famous Switchback at this time is exceedingly exhilerating. The autumnal tints which deck the mountain sides, like a gayly pictured panorama, making the journey through the fairyland one of wondrous admiration.

—George Huntzinger, of the popular Switchback restaurant, Summit Hill, is doing a rushing business. Almost every week he has large excursions from the cities. Any one going to Summit Hill will do well to give the genial George a call.

—A man in Binghamton boasts that he has three mothers-in-laws living. Strikes us that the thing he should boast of is that he is living and still able to enjoy an occasional ride in one of David Ebberts fancy "rigs." Livery on North street. Terms low.

—We acknowledge receipt of invitation to attend the marriage of J. Frank Barr, formerly principal of our public schools, now of Lincoln, Neb., to Miss Mary Tyner, of Madison, Wis., to take place at the home of the bride on Wednesday, October 13. The young couple have the ADVOCATE's best wishes for a prosperous journey through life.

—Daniel Wicand, the carriage builder, being about to make extensive improvements on his buildings, will offer at public sale on the premises, corner Bank and Iron streets, to-day (Saturday), October 9, at one o'clock p. m., a lot of new carriages, wagons, phaetons, buggies, carriage and wagon material, &c. Don't fail to attend if you want to secure bargains.

—We are in receipt of a letter from our old friend Charles Froelich, formerly of town, now of Minnesta, Minn., in which he says the members of his family are enjoying good health and that they are prospering in their new home. They desire to be remembered kindly to friends here. Mr. Froelich renews his subscription to the ADVOCATE which, he says, is a welcome visitor to their home in the West.

—An exchange says that a black snake that had been stealing the milk from a cow in Blacklick township, Jefferson county, was killed the other day. When the serpent was cut open it was found to contain about two gallons of fresh milk, four gallons of buttermilk and something like seven pounds of butter. The stuff was measured and weighed, so there can be no mistake about the amounts.

—If your horse has a "feeble pulse, cold extremities, and great prostration" he has inflammation of the bowels. Give him Day's Horse Powder at once. Give a colicky baby Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup, and he will raise his hands and crow with delight. Only twenty-five cents a bottle. Give it a trial. The effects of eating and drinking imprudently are speedily removed, and the consequent depression banished by using Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills.

—In the Orphans' Court at Philadelphia Monday Henry Packer and others, executors and trustees of the estate of Asa Packer, filed their second accounts of the principal and income of the estate from May, 1879, to December 31, 1883. The account of the principal shows the receipts to have been $10,153,621.85 and the payments, $4,170,667.53, leaving a balance of $5,974,554.19. The income account showed the receipts to have been $2,153,005.27; payments, $972,-864.91, leaving a balance of $1,860,-190.56.

—Election day—November 2nd.

—Chestnuts sell at eighteen cents per quart.

—Partridge and rabbit shooting begins October 15.

—Luzerne county has one hundred and four postoffices.

—Thirty-six accidents occurred in the Luzerne county mines last month.

—The Lehigh county fair grounds at at Allentown are valued at $80,000.

—The Lehigh Presbytery embraces forty-seven churches and forty-six ministers.

—The survivors of the 7th Penn'a. Cavalry, held a re-union at Harrisburg this week.

—A new order of the Lehigh Valley railroad company is to collect freight bills every two weeks.

—Sixty-five marriage licenses were granted in Northampton county during the year just ended.

—Your attention is directed to the advertisement of Guth & Son, in another colum of to-day's issue.

—The Carbon county teachers' institute will be held at Mauch Chunk, sometime during December.

—Luzerne county issued four hundred and thirty-five marriage licenses for the year just ended.

—The miners in Luzerne county have received ar increase of two per cent. on the present rate of wages.

—It has now been decided upon by the weather prophets that the coming winter is to be unusually severe.

—The teachers of Lehigh county will hold their annual institute during the week commencing November 15.

—Lehigh county literary societies are tussling with the question, "Resolved, that theatres tend to promote morals."

—Rev. G. W. Gross, of this place, adaressed a large gathering of temperance people at Slatington Monday evening.

—A Mrs. Cutter, of South Bethlehem, was bound and gagged by unknown parties Sunday evening. She was not injured.

—Counterfeit five dollar gold pieces are reported as in circulation. They may be easily detected since the 'u' in the word 'United is upside down.

—Thursday, October 28, will be observed as "Arbor Day" in this State. The teachers of the public schools are requested to encourage the object.

—Workmen while digging a cellar at Mahanoy City, recently unearthed a jar containing $80,000 in gold coin. How the treasure got there is a mystery.

—Rev. J. E. Freeman, of Franklin, delivered an interesting temperance lecture to a large audience in the Prohibition club room, on Bankway last Saturday night.

—The Prince Metallic Paint Company, at Bowmanstown, are erecting new buildings, which when completed will give employment to about twenty-five or thirty employes.

—The iron trade during the past week has been more active than usual. The quotations for forge ore $15.50 and $16.50; No. 2 foundry, $17 and $17.50, and No. 1, $18 and $18.50.

—Attention, firemen! You are requested to be on hand at the regular meeting of Lehigh Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1 of Lehighton. Business of importance is to be transacted.

—E. H. Rauch, of the Mauch Chunk, *Democrat*, was the originator of the Carbon county fair. The name of Rauch will descend to posterity as the promulgator of a mighty institution.

—The boatmen along the Lehigh canal are growling. The reason is that the carrying of coal between Mauch Chunk and Philadelphia has been very disappointing during the Summer.

—Through the efforts of the Hazleton *Plain Speaker* the police of that place have been arraigned before the Burgess for neglect of duty. Another evidence of the worth of a reliable newspaper to a growing town.

—Schuylkill county individuals have applied for a patent on an automatic coal mining machine which it is claimed can cut a twenty-five foot room in three or four hours time. $50,000 has been offered for the machine.

—It is rumored that a Young Men's Christian Association will be organized here sometime in the near future. The organization is for the purpose of scattering the seed of christianity and the furtherance of all objects for the welfare of humanity.

—J. P. Rowland is expected to give a Prohibition talk this Saturday evening in the room formely occupied by the CARBON ADVOCATE. The Prohibitionists of this place have rented the room, the walls of which they adorn with pictures, such as the "Black Valley R. R." "Our Boys or Fathers take your choice," "Arm in Arm on election day."

Salvation Oil is the celebrated American remedy for cuts, bruises, sprains, burns, scalds, chilblains, &c. All druggists sell it. It kills pain. 25 cents. Old Deacon Dobson boasted that he was always "prepared for the worst;" and so he was, for he always kept Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in the house, the only safe remedy for coughs and colds.

—An excellent concert or parlor song of moderate difficulty is "Break, Break, Break," from Tennyson, music by the celebrated Frederick H. Pease, who has gained an enviable reputation as a writer of first class songs, and anything from his pen can be ordered without fear of disappointment. Mailed on receipt of 40 cents by the Publisher, Ign. Fischer, Toledo, O.

—The new Grand Army badges are numbered and marked with the letter "F;" the device of a camp kettel and star on the reverse side of the eagle from which the star is suspended. The badges of Sheridan's and Wilson's cavalry and Hancock's veteran corps are added to the other corps marks on the reverse side of the star. This change has been promulgated in the new Commander-in-Chief's general order No. 2, and it is to protect the members from imposition.

—Here is the latest racket practiced by petty swindlers upon the too confiding. A young woman travels about selling watches on the installment plan, collecting $2 at the time of delivery. A confederate follows and claims that the stock was stolen, giving its number in proof. The victim has the watch taken away from him and loses the $2 he has paid. A small swindle but it seems to pay judging from the extensive manner in which it is practised in neighboring town.

For District Attorney.

Who will you vote for? William M. Rapsher is a lawyer of high standing in the profession and has been engaged in nearly all the leading trials for sixteen years at this bar. No one ever questioned his ability as a lawyer or a scholar. It is very seldom that the people can secure a prominent lawyer like Mr. Rapsher to serve them as District Attorney. Another important fact to be taken in consideration by our fellow citizens of German descent is, that they can go to Mr. Rapsher and talk DUTCH or high-tone! English as they prefer. Indeed it would be a very difficult matter for a District Attorney to get along if he did not understand some German. In these *important points* Joseph Kalbfus, Esq., is not the equal of Mr. Rapsher. MANY VOTERS.

Horse, Cattle and Chickens.

For colic and grubs, for lung fever, cough or hide-bound I give Simmons Liver Regulator in a mash twice a day. You can recommend it to every one having stock as the best medicine known for the above complaints. In using it with my chickens, for cholera and grapes, I mix it with dough and feed it to them once a day. By this treatment I have lost none where the Regulator was given promptly and regularly.
E. T. Taylor, Agt., for Grangers of Ga.

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.]

—David Kleintop, of Ashley, was in town over Sunday.

—Pat. Lawler, of Nesquehoning, was in town Wednesday.

—Dr. J. C. Kramer, of Aquashicola, was in town Monday.

—Mrs. Chas. Seifert, spent last Tuesday with friends at Rockport.

—Misses Minnie and Ella Peters, of town, spent last Sunday with Milport friends.

—Mrs. M. O. Bryan, of town, is visiting relatives and friends at Cherryville, Pa.

—Mrs. H. V. Morthimer, Sr., is sojourning with relatives and friends in Philadelphia.

—Frank Kershner and wife, of New Tripoli, Lehigh county, were visiting in town this week.

—Alex. Worsley, of South Bethlehem, was in town during the week the guest of Al. Worsley.

—John G. Rex, Jr., and wife of town, spent several days with Lehigh county friends last week.

—Miss Louisa Reichard, of Mauch Chunk, spent several days with Lehighton friends this week.

—The irrepressible L. O. J. Strauss, of Mahoning, while in town Tuesday night dropped in to see us.

—John S. Lentz, and wife, and Mrs. A. J. Durling, spent several days in New York City this week.

—Miss Mary C. Thomas, of Slatington, was the guest of her brother, T. D. Thomas, on Bank street last week.

—Mrs. Eslen and daughter Miss Annie, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. John Hauk, on Bank street.

—Mrs. Jacob Brownmiller, of town, spent several days last week with the "old folks at home" in Rockdale.

—Our young friend Clem. N. Kuntz, of Philadelphia, spent several days here this week, the guest of his brother, B. J. Kuntz.

—Pro. T. F. Kleintop, of Lehighton, Pa., gave the *News* office a pleasant call on Tuesday afternoon. Always welcome. Call again.—Slatington *News*.

—Fred. A. Brinkman, the popular New York typographist, located here during the summer months, was "sticking type" on the *Gazette* this week.

—Miss Bertie Bruegel, formerly of this place, now of Cherryville, left last week for Hagerstown, Md., where she attends a "young ladies' seminary."

—Mrs. A. F. Clever and sister, of Newtown, Bucks county, Pa., were enjoying the natural beauties of Summit Hill and the famous Switchback last week.

The Work of Loving Friends.

OUR HATTIE.

BELOVED DAUGHTER OF
SAMUEL AND DEBORAH WILLIAMS,
Born August 9, 1865,
Died January 29, 1886,
Aged 20 years, 5 months and 20 days.

God called her home
He thought it best.

The above inscription on a neat marble stone, a loving tribute from many friends, in the Lehighton cemetery, marks the last resting place of she, whom God in his infinite wisdom, called early home. Friends as they pause beside the mound to breathe a silent prayer are taken back in fancy to the days when they walked hand in hand in christian fellowship, and beyond the mist which obscures the past they see the old life with its "mingled doubts and fears." And if, as they breathe a silent prayer to Him who shapes our destinies, a tear comes to their eye in memory of she whom has joined the angle band, it is but indicative that the love and esteem of other days has followed her into the "land from whence no traveler has ever returned."

"When the Summer moon is shining
Soft and fair,
Friends she loved in tears are twining
Chaplets there."

Contest Over an Old Man's Property.

George Probst, who died in Allentown in January, 1884, was a bachelor over eighty years of age and left an estate worth over $400,000. He left a will which divided the property between a number of nephews and nieces and making no mention whatever of his two half-sisters, Mrs. Seip and Mrs. Knauss. They have filed a petition to have the will set aside on the ground that the decedent was not mentally capable of making a will. The Register of Wills, after hearing argument, decided adversely to the petitioners and admitted the will to probate in March, 1886. The contestants next appealed to Court and Judge Schuyler, at the request of Judge Albright, heard the argument and, after a long time, sustained the decision of the Register of Wills and refused to grant an issue to have the case go before a jury. The plaintiffs then appealed and carried the case to the Supreme Court and Monday, at Pittsburg, Judge Gordon reversed the decree of Judge Schuyler and the case will now go before a jury.

New Organization—J. O. U. A. M.

The efforts of several our young gentlemen to organize a council of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, in this place, terminated successfully last Thursday night, when delegations of that order from Mauch Chunk and Slatington came here and instituted the council. Present indications are that the new order will soon be one of the strongest in this place. The order will be known as "Lehigh Council, No. 101, J. O. U. A. M.," and the following officers have been elected:

Councellor—E. J. Rehrig.
J. P. Councellor—Chas. Wagner.
V. Councellor—F. E. Bachman.
R. Secretary - Chas. Harding.
Ass't R. Sec.—W. Heberling.
Financial Secretary—Harry Painter.
Conductor—W. Nothstein.
Warden—Sylvester Ruch.
Inside Sentinel—F. L. Schoch.
Outside Sentinel—E. Bartholomew.
Treasurer—Chas. Knecht.
Trustees—James Rehrig, Ed. Miller, Samuel Hontz.

In Memoriam.

The following memoriam in honor of the late William Muschlitz, of Lehigh Gap, who died suddenly at Easton sometime ago has been sent us for publication:

Art thou dead? O, can it be?
Is it true? Too true for me.
My father, husband and friend—
We must all in sorrow bend.

A man has fallen good and true,
A friend to me, a friend to you;
A man who knew his time and end,
He prayed and worked and dare depend.

Thy hands are folded father, dear,
Thy children weeping sorrow's tear;
Thy soul is safe, thy "title clear,"
Christ's love has cast away thy fear.

Thy life boat still, thy helm at rest,
The sea is crossed, thy soul is blest;
Now bask thy soul in peace so sweet,
Until we come, for slumbers meet.

Oct. 2, 1886. REV. J. E. FREEMAN.

W. C. T. U. Convention

The Twelfth Annual Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Pennsylvania, will be held in Franklin Street M. E. Church, Wilkesbarre, October 13th, 14th and 15th, 1886. Meeting of Executive Committee on Tuesday evening, Oct. 12. Prayer meeting of delegates at same hour. Delegates and visitors will send to Mrs. Ellen M. Watson, 508 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, by October 1st for orders for railroad tickets at reduced rates, specifying the roads on which they must travel. Delegates will be entertained, and it is expected that boarding at reasonable rates can be secured by visitors. Mrs. Frances L. Swift, Pres.; Mrs. Jos. D. Weeks, Rec. Sec'y.; Mrs. Ellen M. Watson, Cor. Sec'y.

"Our Man" Around Weissport.

—The temperance people of our sister borough, Lehighton, have organized a Prohibition Club and indications lead us to believe that they are meeting with more or less success. The possibility of the Prohibition party is rapidly becoming a FACT, one which the two leading parties must recognize; the Democracy with its usual freedom of action declare that no man's right shall be infringed so long as he carries himself within the jurisdiction of the laws governing our commonwealth. The license imposed upon the hotel keepers makes their business a legitimate one, so long as they obey the laws governing their particular business, failure to do so, however, makes them amenable to the laws of State and county. The Republican party, as the means of keeping in line a large number of dissatisfied voters, are willing to leave the question of Prohibition to the vote of the people, to be decided upon at a special election, no Republican being committed thereby, as to how he shall vote, when such an election is held. The issue has been straddled too often, however, for the Prohibition element to be caught by either Republican or Democratic promises, and with a determination that portends much have gone into the uncertainties of politics with a full state and county ticket. What will be the result? The vote of the two main parties will be considerably reduced, to the extent probably, of 50,000 to 75,000. The effect of this vote upon the old parties is evident—it will either make a Republican Beaver, the next Governor of Pennsylvania, by a very small majority, or will be the means of electing a Black Democrat. Republicans, with their hopeful Cooper, are confident; Democrats, with the ever sanguine Hensel, are certain; Prohibitionists, with their usual enthusiasm, are waiting with mingled "doubts and fears." That the Prohibitionists, representing as they do "that portion of the respectable people" of this State, should, and will, poll a largely increased vote over that of previous elections is concluded. Their issue is one for the advancement of the best interests of a common people, squarely and fairly, without any discussion of the need of a protective tariff or the advisability of a system of free trade to protect the interests of the laboring classes. They straddle no issue; they vote for Prohibition, and ask their neighbors to do the same. The leaders predict for Prohibition the same successful result as the abolition of slavery. It may come now, and again it may not, but there is no use to attempt to disguise the fact that sooner or later Prohibition will come in to this State where a majority of 40,000 to 85,000 has always made Republicanism secure. Whether Prohibition will prohibit when it does come, is questionable. The fact that it does not prohibit in Maine, Rhode Island, Iowa and other Prohibition States is perhaps indicative of the effect that it will have here. But the question has come and commands and demands the attention and study of politicians regardless of political antecedents.

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—As an organized body of men the Knights of Labor are equalled by none in the world. They represent that portion of the people of those United States who "earn their bread by the sweat of their brow." Familiar with the vissitudes which abound the pathway of the toiler each and every one is in hearty sympathy and sincere co-operation with their fellow-laborers. "Organize, Educate and Agitate," are words emblematic of their order. Organize the laboring classes of a mighty Republic into one grand body of men and women and educate them in the true principles of American citizenship; agitate such questions as command the attention of the people who represent the toilers of the land and the day will not be far distant when their efforts shall be crowned with genuine success. The Knights of Labor to-day embrace men of all nationalities and colors; men of earnest and sincere views laboring for a common end—the recognition of the laboring classes. That the end in view shall ultimately be reached, that the barriers which prevent the entrance into the social world of he whose hands are tanned and hardened by the toil of years is conclusive. The abolition of slavery was not the impulse of a moment but of years of hard and steady work which terminated only after four years of a fierce civil war in which our land was made desolate; so with the Knights of Labor, from a mere band of followers ten or twelve years ago they have grown to such magnitude in point of numbers as astonish the civilized world. They go forth in every city and town in the Union to-day, not preaching war and anarchy, however, but peace, love and order. The methods brought to bear, and which will place upon the level of equalization the poor and rich, will not be those by which dead and dying shall be left upon fields of carnage, making widows and orphans and filling our almshouses with the poor and afflicted, but such as will see the dark clouds of uncertainty, which constantly hover over the cabin of the laborer, fade away as dew on an autumn morn. All hail to the day, we say, when over the shadow of monopolistic spoils the capitalist shall clasp hands with the laborer in eternal friendship.

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—It is pleasing to note the general improvement in trade quarters which has taken place during the past several weeks. Confidence which was lacking in wholesale departments in this State has been considerably strengthened owing to the steady and increased demand for supplies. The greater and lesser industries are all more or less profitably engaged, and the feeling is that prices will soon be higher in all the various business channels. The outlook is very encouraging, and a prosperous winter is predicted by men well versed in matters of trade. The action taken by Governor Pattison to break up coal and freight pools will, no doubt, open new channels for business which will be eagerly sought by enterprising individuals who desire to launch on the sea of trade.

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—The ADVOCATE with its constantly increasing circulation is presented to our merchants as a medium through which to reach the largest number of people. Under the head of "Weissport Business Directory" can be seen the announcements of a number of our most enterprising merchants; and as the men who advertise are supposed to have best bargains you will do well to call on them.

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—On Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, in this place, Frank D. Clauss, of Great Bend, and Miss Annie E. Mertz, of Weissport, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Egge. The ceremony was performed in the presence of relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties. The invited guests partook of a sumptuous repast at the bride's home and shortly after the happy pair were driven to the L. & S. depot at Lehighton, where they took the 12:32 p. m. train for Great Bend, at which place they will hereafter reside. Their many friends in this vicinity wish them years of prosperity, peace and joy.

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—Rumor has it that the young men in our neighbor town, Lehighton, will organize a Young Men's Christian Association some time in the near future. This is a move in the right direction and it would be well if the young men in our town would join in with them in pushing forward to a successful organization this new association. The name Young Men's Christian Association is emblematic of the object of the order—to advance the cause of christianity, help the poor and needy, scattering the seed of love, peace and joy throughout the land. The young gentlemen connected with this movement have our best wishes for success.

Read the ADVOCATE.

Lehighton Public Schools.

The principal of the public schools, of this borough, makes the following report of the attendance, condition, etc., for the month ending September 28, 1886:

	No. pupils		av'rge att.	
High school,	23	av'rge att.		20
Grammar sch'l "	39	"	"	31
Intermediate "	51	"	"	45
Secondary "	49	"	"	44
4th Primary "	59	"	"	53
3rd Primary "	65	"	"	61
2nd Primary "	89	"	"	75
1st Primary "	110	"	"	103
Totals . . .	476			430

The following friends and patrons visited the schools during the month: T. A. Snyder, County Superintendent, Profs. Heydt and Reidler, Rev. Sabitz, Messrs. M. Merkham, Keiser, Laury, Beck, Chubb, Misses Annie Sewell, Minnie Peters, Lizzie Davis, Ella Heberling, Maggie Dickover, Stella Conrad, Emma Weidaw, Eva Campbell, Carrie Dreibelbiss, Emma Fenstermacher.

The pupils who attended every day during the month are as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL—Mary Dreibelbiss, Carrie Hough, Irene Fenstermacher, Edgar Noll.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL—Emma Miller, Ella Fink, Etta Drissel, Willie Beck, John Heberling, Edgar Xander.

INTERMEDIATE—Della DeFrehn, Lucila Rehrig, Ella Schumacher, Lizzie Albright, Lizzie Lentz, Ida Wert, Lizzie Schoch, Annabel Brokate, Alcea Laubenmer, Mattie Wheatley, Ella Seaboldt, Harry Harleman, Robert Snyder, Robert Trainer, Harry Wolfe, Eddie Sassenheimer.

SECONDARY—Athabay Schultz, Eddie Peters, Lizzie Schmidt, Gertrude Peters, Savila Faust, Bessie Noll, Mamie Semmel, Lizzie Beck, Mary Fenstermacher, Katie Fenstermacher, Emma Walck, Helen Xander, Minerva Held, Daisy Horn, Emma Kline, Carrie Bachman, Hattie Geggus, Sophia Leonard.

FOURTH PRIMARY—Herbert Eisenhower, John Trainer, Harry Old, James Nusbaum, Robbie Daniels, Freddie Rex, Gustave DeTschirskeby, Freddie Miller, Walter Weiss, Harry Trainer, Ralph Rassdenbush, Emma Peters, Lily Speonheimer, Lottie Fry, Alice Blank, Lena Longkammer, Minerva Eilinger, Hattie Troxler, Eva Frilzinger, Sallie Bender, Phoenie Baltzer, Ida Russ, Hattie Rex, Laura Lower, Emma Lower, Clara Smith.

THIRD PRIMARY—Eugene Acker, Eddie Smith, Chas. Sanders, Harry Nothstein, Edgar Auge, Harry Swartz, Willie Kipp, Annie Russell, Sallie Frey, Nettie Geggus, Mabel Rehrig, Minnie Miller, Carrie Fenstermacher, Laura Heilman, Sadie Peters, Ella Webb, Emma Peters, Nora Williams, Alice Hontz, Emma Acker, Laura Snyder, Ella Peters, Ella Beck, Minnie Kemerer.

SECOND PRIMARY—John Reichard, Harry Wagner, Oscar Green, Willie Wertman, Wilbert Clement, John Greitz, Thos. Newhart, Harry Spangler, Wilmer Trainer, Willie Kreek, Frank Wieand, Lindsey, Gumbert, Clare Fatzinger, Harvey Auge, George Long, Herbert Nusbaum, Robbie Miller, Harry Hunsicker, Lizzie Buck, Clara DeFrehn, Amanda Rehrig, Mary Rhoads, Sadie Hontz, Carrie Peters, Ella Wolfe, Eliza Stittar, Ella Heilman, Anna Stroup, Ida Buchtrey, Carrie Eilinger, Clara Bretney, Beulah Reichard.

FIRST PRIMARY—Norman Peters, Oliver Ruch, Scott Rhoads, Edward Fatzinger, Alex Shoemaker, Bert Brinkman, Charley Greitz, Walter Weidlinger, Nelson Sanders, Joseph Rex, Granville Rehrig, Charley Speonheimer, Willie Krum, Harry Beck, Chas. Wagner, Bertie Lentz, David Lowrey, Allen Frilzinger, Jacob Meltzler, Harry Rex, James Rehrig, Chas. Longkemerer, Archie Rose, Minnie Frey, Jennie Rex, Annie Hausser, Hattie Stocker, Stella Hontz, Minnie Schoch, Carrie Stout, Daisy Benninger, Mary Wolfe, Mary Schmale, Ida Reichard, Cora Sanders, Mary Meyer, Alice Wert, Ella Stansberry.

Teachers' meeting was held twice during the month. The principal made ten visits during the month. The patrons are respectfully invited to visit the schools.

J. M. ROBERTS.

Glad To Hear It!

H. V. MORTHIMER—DEAR SIR: I understand there has been a report in Lehighton to the effect that I was dead. I am still in the land of the living and enjoying better health than ever in my life here in Kansas. Yours truly,

MRS. W. SCOTT WINTERMUTE.
Grenola, Elk Co., Kan., Sept. 29, 1886.

The Strohl Family.

This world-renowned family of musicians who on several occasions played to large houses in this town, will again visit us on Monday evening, Oct. 11th, and render one of their most delightful entertainments in School Hall. The family consists of father, mother and eight children, varying in age from 4 years upwards. They are considered by both press and public to be the greatest musical family on earth. It will be a rare treat to our citizens and you will surely regret it by not attending. Admission 15, 25 and 35 cents.

Pleasant Corner Events.

—Robt. McClean is rapidly rushing his new building toward completion.

—Thos. Musselman has erected an addition to his residence which greatly increases its appearance.

—Among the many visitors here during the past week we noticed: Miss Emma Gross, of Lehighton; T. J. Wertman, of Lehigh county; H. J. Wertman, of West Penn; C. H. Neff.

GEEKIE.

[Friend "A. F. O.," on account of lack of space your interesting communication is crowded out.—EDITOR.]

Mauch Chunk Jeweler.

Seven years of continual advertising should convince you that the goods and prices MUST be right. During the past two weeks wonderful improvements have been made, and the new line of goods just received makes the variety much larger than ever before. The new goods comprise all the very latest designs and the prices you will say are right. E. H. Hohl, Mauch Chunk.

Boys and girls watches at E. H. Hohl's.

Racket alarm clocks at E. H. Hohl's.

Pretty jewelry of all kinds at E. H. Hohl's.

Wedding rings at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

New Mahoning Correspondence.

—The trees are already putting on the tints of early autumn.

—Miss Hannah Balliet is visiting friends at Lansford.

—The new school house that is being erected in this township is rapidly nearing completion.

—Last week some tools were stolen from Albert Haldeman's wheel-wright shop.

—Miss Anna M. Keiser was visiting at Bowmanstown last week.

—Corn-husking bees will soon be the order of the day.

—Clement Kressler has been appointed teacher of Kressley's school. There is still one school vacant in this district. DASH.

What We Are Indebted to the South For.

There appears in our columns to-day the advertisement of the well-known (and universally used in the Southern States) Simmons Liver Regulator. Years ago it won its way into every household of the South by pure, sterling merit. It there takes the place of a doctor and costly prescriptions. The medicine is becoming widely known in the North, and wherever the demand for it has steadily increased. It is a family medicine, containing no dangerous and deleterious qualities, but purely vegetable, and so gentle in its action that it can be safely given to any person, no matter what age—the centenarian or the crowing youngster. Working people are often in that miserable state of health which really renders them unfit for labor; but they haven't time to take medicine and be sick. Simmons Liver Regulator can be taken without causing any loss of time, the system will be built up and invigorated by it. The Regulator promotes digestion, dissipates nasty sick headache, and gives a strong, full tone to the system. In malarious climates it is in valuable, both protecting attack from the disease and expelling the poison after it has entered the system. It has no equal as a preparatory medicine, and can be safely used when a doctor cannot be called in. Persons of the very highest character and eminence have given Simmons Liver Regulator their cordial and hearty endorsement.

Stock Quotations.

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, October 6, 1886.

	bid	asked
U S 5's, Ext	100	—
U S Currency 6's	128½	—
U S 4½, new	112½	112¾
U S 4's	120	120½
Pennsylvania R R	60	60¼
Philadelphia & Reading R R	18	18¼
Lehigh Valley R R	57	57½
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co	22	22½
Buff. N Y. & Phila. R R Co	11½	12
New Jersey Central	63	63½
Northern Pacific Com	29	29½
" " Pref'd	69½	69¾
Oregon Transcontinental	54½	54¾
Union Pacific	63½	64
Western Union	76½	76¾
West Shore 1st's	101½	101¾
Louisville & Nashville	52½	52¾
Silver, (Trades)	70	72

INTERNATIONAL LESSONS.

BY REV. F. B. HARGREAVES.

Lesson 2. *October 10th.*

JESUS BEFORE PILATE.

John 18, 28-40. Golden Text, John 18, 38. Time, April 7th, A. D. 30, Pilate's palace at Jerusalem.

The hasty meeting of the Sanhedrim in the palace of Caiaphas was illegal, both as to time and place. Although they had there decided that He was worthy of death they had no power to pronounce sentence. They adjourned till daybreak. Meanwhile those who had Jesus in charge mocked Him. He appeared there alone and apparently in pitiable plight. They expected a Messiah who would come in kingly majesty and with a grand army, and the contrast between their expectations and the Being before them was ludicrous to them. At daybreak the Sanhedrim met in their own hall, and consulted how He should be put to death. They had no power to execute such a sentence. They took Him over to Pilate who was governor of Judea, a selfish, cruel, scheming politician. The Jews would not defile themselves by going into the house of this Gentile on Passover day, and so stayed without. Jesus was in Pilate's judgment hall. Pilate went out and asked the Jews what charge they had to bring against Him. They tried to evade that responsibility by saying they would not have delivered Him up if He had not been a malefactor. This does not satisfy Pilate, and he tells them to take Jesus and try Him according to their law. Then they made accusations against Him which were wholly without foundation, and they complain that they have no power to put a man to death. This power had been taken from them by the Romans.

Pilate went back into the judgment hall and had an interview with Jesus. Looking at Him in all loneliness and poverty Pilate asks, wonderingly, "Art THOU the king of the Jews?" It seems incredible to him that such could even have been charged against a man so utterly friendless and forsaken. Jesus asks him what he means. Does he mean this in the sense that a Roman would ask it, as of a temporal king? Or is it in the sense that a Jew would speak of Him, as the Messiah? "Am I a Jew?" asks Pilate in return. He assures Christ that he asks the question from a Jewish standpoint. In that sense Jesus is compelled to admit that He is the King of the Jews. He says that His kingdom is not of this world, or His servants would fight for it. It is a spiritual kingdom. "Art thou a KING, then?" asks Pilate, amazed. It seems more surprising than ever. For this purpose, that He should be a king and a Savior, He says He came into this world. He came to bear witness to the truth. Pilate asks, "What is truth?" and without waiting for an answer he goes out to the people and declares that he can find no fault in Jesus. He then sends Him to Herod who is staying in the city, and Herod returns Him to Pilate mockingly clothed in royal robes, but he finds no fault in Him. The people however, will not listen to reason and demand that Christ shall be crucified. As it is the custom to release a prisoner on festive occasions, they demand the release of Barabbas the robber in preference to Christ.

LESSON THOUGHTS.

1. Christ is the essence of all truth.
2. We should be willing to bear ridicule for the sake of Christ, who Himself bore it so meekly.
3. The people chose a robber instead of Christ. What choice have you made?
4. What is truth? Seek it and you shall find eternal life.

Of Interest to Everybody.

☞Don't fail to read the advertisement headed "Save time and money," and ending, "All cheap for cash."

—The mother of Congressman L. E. Atkinson died Monday at Thomsontown, Juniata county.

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

—St. Joseph's Catholic Church, at Lancaster, was consecrated on Sunday.

—Miss Alvenia Graver, has just returned from the city with one of the most fashionable and select lines of millinery goods ever brought to this place.

—Miss Winnie Davis, "the daughter of the rebellion," will be entertained this week by Governor and Mrs. Fitz Hugh Lee, at the executive mansion in Richmond.

☞BARGAINS in WALL PAPERS and WINDOW SHADES at LUCKENBACH'S, 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk; Browns 6 and 8 cts., white 9 and 10 cts., gilt 25 and 35 cts.

—Mrs. C. W. Rickenbach, of Reading, was thrown into convulsions on Sunday night after eating raw pork.

☞Ladies in needof Fall and Winter hats and bonnets, should not fail to call at Miss Alvenia Graver's fashionable millinery store, Bank street. All the latest styles at moderate prices

—While collecting more breath with which to growl and grab, the Russian bear is as gentle as a springtime lamb.

—While this nice weather lasts is a good time to have the children's pictures taken. Readman, of Mauch Chunk, makes cabinet photos very fine, at only four dollars per dozen. Try him.

—There are more kings than kingdoms in Europe at present and now some of the kings without kingdoms want the kingdoms turned into republics.

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

—Pending the result of the Bulgarian dispute Prince Alexander should come to the United States and pose as a star. The lower shelves are crowded but there is room on the top.

SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR

THE GREAT Unfailing Specific FOR LIVER DISEASE.

SYMPTOMS: Bitter or bad taste in mouth; tongue coated white or coated with a brown fur; pain in the back, side, or joints often mistaken for Rheumatism; sour stomach; loss of appetite; constipation; costiveness and habitual piles, or indigestion; flatulency and acid eructations; bowels alternately costive and lax; headache; loss of memory, with a painful sensation of having failed to do something which ought