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UNDERWEAR!

Never before have we shown so large a stock at such extremely low figures, and we earnestly advise those who have not yet bought their winter underwear to take advantage of the great inducements which we are offering and thereby save about FORTY CENTS ON A DOLLAR

J. T. NUSBAUM.

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

The Carbon Advocate.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 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.

—Allentown is to have a glove factory.

—Lansford is agitating the advisability of organizing a Board of Trade.

—Summit Hill is to have a $15,000 hotel to be erected immediately opposite the Eagle House.

—1,579 marriage licenses have been issued in Luzerne county under the new marriage license law.

—The first snow of the season fell on Saturday night last and continued on and off during Sunday.

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

—The Carbon county teacher's institute will convene at Mauch Chunk for the week commencing December 6.

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

—The stockholders of the Lehigh county agricultural society are considering the efficacy of enlarging the fair grounds in Allentown.

—A new vein of coal has been struck at No. 6 Trescow colliery. The vein is six foot thick and is said to be of the best quality.

—It is estimated that about $1,000,000 has been invested in slate property in Lehigh and Northampton counties during the past year.

—On last Friday Joseph Harris, of Allentown, was crushed to death at Stein's quarry, near the former place, by a rock weighing over a ton falling on him.

—Charles Malloy, father of James W. Malloy of the Lansford *Record*, died early last Saturday morning. The bereaved family have our heartfelt sympathy.

—James Ryan, of Shamokin, was instantly killed by falling down the slope of the Reading Company's Big mountain mine. He was completly dashed to pieces.

—Early on Thursday morning of last week James Roberts, a well-known citizen of Wilkesbarre, committed suicide by shooting. Business difficulties is assigned as the cause of his suiciding.

—Do not wait until cold weather sets in before having the baby's picture taken, but go to Readman, of Mauch Chunk, and have it done at once; he never fails either with children or adults.

—For the week ending Nov. 6, there were 136,965 tons of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total to date of 6,036,880 tons, and showing an increase of 288,825 tons compared with same date last year.

—Mr. Thomas M. Balliet, Superintendent of Schools of Reading, formerly of this place, will read a paper on "Educational Psychology," by invitation, before the State Educational Association of Massachusetts, to be held in Boston, November 26 and 27.

—Mr. J. Oliver George, of Egypt, Lehigh county, Pa., a member of the Rev. James A. Little's church at Hokendauqua, was ordained, on Oct. 28, as a minister of the Presbyterian denomination. The ordination services were conducted by the Presbytery of Saginaw, in Mr. George's church at Sand Beach, Mich.

—The first annual grand ball under the auspices of Col. John Lentz Camp, No. 95, S. of V., will be held at the Carbon House on Thanksgiving eve, November 24. If you wish to pass a pleasant evening in skipping the light fantastic toe, make it a point to buy a ticket and go and you won't be disappointed.

—A charter recently granted to the Schuylkill and Lehigh Valley Railroad Company authorizes it to construct a new line of railroad from a point near Tremont, Schuylkill county, to Lehigh Gap, this county. The proposed new road will cover a distance of fifty miles and is supposed to link the Lehigh Valley and Pennsylvania interests together. The capital stock will be $20,000,000, divided into 40,000 shares at $50 per share.

—For the benefit of sportsmen we publish a list of the game laws: Wild turkeys, from Oct. 15 to Jan. 1; ducks, Sept. 1 to May 15; plover, July 15 to Jan. 1; woodcock, July 4 to Jan. 1; partridges, Oct. 15 to Jan. 1; grouse, Oct. 1 to Jan. 1; rail and reed birds, Sept. 1 to Dec. 1; elk and deer, Oct. 1 to Dec. 31; squirrels, Sept. 1 to Jan. 1; rabbits, Nov. 1 to Jan. 1; lake trout, Oct. 1 to Jan. 1. Shooting rabbits after January 1st renders the offender liable to a fine of $5.00.

—We read that in Jamestown, near Summit Hill, a man "while reading a newspaper was taken ill, about twelve o'clock, and ten minutes later he expired." He must have been reading the Mauch Chunk *Gazette*. The above item we clip from our sometimes esteemed cotemporary, the Weatherly *Herald*, and naturally we are led to conjecture that it must have been put in type just previous to Rinker's borrowing from the *Gazette* office a paper full of leaders. How is it Rinker?

—"Meg's Diversion," a beautiful drama in two acts, will be presented to the people of Lehighton and vicinity by our home talent, under the direction of Mr. Alex Bowman, on the 3rd and 4th of December. Whilst the rendition of the drama is in a happy, pleasing strain there is a moral underlying it all that is worth the attention of the most careless and frivolous as well as the notice of the staid and haughty. Save your coins for it. It is for the benefit of the Lehigh Hook and Ladder Company.

—A despatch from Reading says that the people throughout Berks and Lehigh counties are much incensed over the workings of Mormon missionaries who have been plying their devilish religious dogmas into the unsophisticated ears of country girls to such an extent that fifteen of them left their homes for Utah during the past few weeks. A remedy, prompt, sure and decisive in this matter by the people of that section to prevent the further success of the followers of Young. Do your duty.

—Squalling babies are as distracting as "Kilkenny cats." Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup soon restores harmony to the household. Only twenty-five cents. When your horses are affected with "loss of appetite, or have rough coat, hide bound, or worms" Day's Horse Powder should be promptly given. Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills are approved and used by myriads of people throughout the land. For blood diseases there is nothing so good. 25 cents.

—Columbia is to have a woolen factory.

—Easton, Pa., has been incorporated as a city.

—Hay is selling at $15 per ton in Lehigh county.

—Sneak thieves are reported as working extensively in Tamaqua.

—An advertisement planted in our columns will yield a large crop.

—Several lodges, in this place, expect to hold entertainments shortly.

—Turkeys are selling at eleven and twelve cents a pound by farmers.

—The out-put of coal for the month of November will be 3,500,000 tons.

—Danial Focht, an aged and respected citizen of Allentown died late Sunday night.

—The Bethlehem Iron Works are being enlarged on account of increased business.

—An order for one hundred refrigerator cars has been received at the Packerton car shops.

—A number of double dwellings are to be erected opposite the new Lehigh Valley round house.

—Efforts will be made to have Shenandoah, with a population of 10,000, incorporated into a city.

—The Keystone furnace of the Thomas Iron Company, located at Chain Dam will resume work soon.

—The freight traffic on the Lehigh Valley railroad was unusually heavy during the past month.

—Women in the surrounding counties are organizing Auxileries, in connection with Grand Army Posts.

—Adam David, of Pottsville, was found in the woods near Schuylkill Haven, with his throat cut.

—W. H. Woodin, one of the wealthiest manufacturers in the State, died at his home in Berwick, Wednesday, aged sixty-five years.

—The body of Timothy Gallagher was found floating in the Lehigh river near Wilkes-Barre on Monday. Foul play is suspected.

—A. W. Eeaser has removed his wholesale candy store from Warner's building to the new store room opposite the ADVOCATE office.

—If you are in need of anything in the job printing line bring it to this office. Prices low as the lowest and satisfaction guaranteed.

—The annual re-union of the 143d regiment of Pennsylvania Volenteers was held on the "old camp ground" near Wilkesbarre Saturday.

—Frank Whitehead, a resident of Tamaqua, and a brakeman on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, was run over by cars and killed at Mt. Carmel, Saturday.

—A rare opportunity is offered to competent men to secure positions which are permanent and profitable. Read advertisement under head of "Wanted."

—A South Bethlehem contractor has secured from the Thomas Iron Company a contract to quarry 100 tons of limestone per day for five years and deliver it to the company.

About fifteen hundred anthracite coal miners through Northumberland county are preparing for a grand lock-out if their demands for an increase in wages is not complied with.

—The Delightful New-Step Polka, by Will L. Thompson, is one of the most beautiful pieces of music ever published. Any music dealer will mail it to you on receipt of price, 50 cts.

—The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisements in the columns of to-day's ADVOCATE. Those in need of anything in their line will do well to give them a call.

—Thursday, November 25, will be celebrated as Thanksgiving Day, those of our merchants who propose closing their places of business on that day will please hand in their names for publication.

—The Rev. J. E. Freeman will preach in the Reformed church in Weissport, next Sunday evening, on the subject, "The Young Men of our Age." The young are especially invited. All are welcome.

—There will be communion services at the Big Creek church, at 10 a. m., Sunday. Rev. Freeman will also address the members of the Sunday school in the afternoon upon the "Sunday School Teacher."

—The newly erected Metalic Paint mill, of Messrs. Rutherford, Barcley & Co., at Lehigh Gap are now in operation. The new works have a capacity of turning out 3000 to 4000 tons of first class paint per annum.

—John Rabenold who recently broke in the Lehigh Valley depot at Steinsville, and robbed the office of considerable money, was found guilty in the Lehigh county court, and sentenced to two years in the county jail.

—Look out for him! A man is reported to be traveling through various sections of the State imposing upon the people by asking for contributions toward the erection of a monument over the grave of Samuel J. Tilden.

—The production of anthracite coal for the week ending Nov. 6 was 701,934 tons, against 768,557 tons last year, and from Jan. 1 to Nov. 6, 27,071,050 tons, as against 26,359,088 tons during the corresponding period of last year.

—A small frame structure was swallowed up by a cave-in at Wiggin's Patch, near Shenandoah, on Wednesday. Great excitement prevailed for a time as the cave-in occurred near where considerable valuable property is located.

—Ella Lentz, aged about 18 years, died at Mahanoy City this week of consumption; her remains were brought to this place and interred in the Gnaden Huetten cemetery. Deceased was a daughter of the late Lewis Lentz, and formerly resided in this place.

—Rumor has it that an annual tonnage of 150,000 tons of coal from the William Penn and Thomas collieries, in the Shenandoah Valley, and one other colliery in the Mahanoy Valley will be transferred from the Reading to the Pennsylvania railroad in whose interest the colliery has been bought.

—A poor man frequently talks about how much he would do for his fellowmen if he were rich. After he strikes oil, however, he generally forgets that he doesn't represent the entire human race, but consoles himself, by taking a pleasure ride in one of David Ebbert's easy riding carrages. Livery North street. Terms moderate.

—The four bridges of the Thomas Iron company crossing the Lehigh Valley tracks at Hokendauqua, have been raised fully eighteen inches, and all are now considered safe. These bridges have been the cause of a number of deaths—being so low that trains passing underneath reached almost to the trestle work. The improvement will, no doubt, greatly please railroad men.

—Every glorious act of a great life starts forward an eloquent fact. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup is the glorious act of a life's study, and it is a positive fact that it stands without a rival. "Hope for a season bids the world farewell," when a man finds himself in the relentless grasp of neuralgia, but he smiles and takes heart when his wife brings a bottle of Salvation Oil.

—It is rumored in railroad circles that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company intend to build a new line from Ashland to Pittsburg. The new route is chartered under the name of Seaboard and Atlantic Railroad, and it will have one advantage over the other roads from the fact that it can be built without a tunnel. This will greatly increase the facilities of the Valley Company.

—Go to the New York *Millinery* for your Hats and Bonnets — Alvenia Graver, Lehighton, Pa.

"Our Man" Around Weissport.

—The Knights of Labor have proved themselves a faction in American politics which portends much, more, in fact, than the ablest and best informed politician of to-day can correctly estimate. Looking over the official vote of our own county we notice, without the least amount of figuring that the Democratic Knights of Labor, of which three-fourths are supposed to represent that organization, have voted almost to a man for the Republican candidate for Assembly, Hon. A. W. Raudenbush, of Lehighton, while the Republicans, true to party promises and former political antecedents voted, with but few exceptions, the straight Republican ticket, the truthfulness of this assertion is as plain as figures can possibly make it—Bachman, Democrat, 3093; Raudenbush, Republican, 3392—or Raudenbush's majority over Bachman, 299. Now, this is either the effect of a Republican scheme concocted by a few sharp and conniving Republican leaders who have someway or other gained access to that organization, or that the Republican Knights of Labor have virtually proven traitors to one of their own members whom they endorsed for Assembly. If the former, then the organization has been severely imposed upon, if the latter, it plainly indicates that party love is too strong to combat with personal interest and the welfare of the great labor organization. But no matter what schemes have been concocted for the prevention of the furtherance of the political ends of that organization, one fact is plain, the Knights of Labor are in politics and they will stay there, and will eventually make themselves felt on all the gigantic political questions of the day. Their strength has been shown, and that too without the aid of brass bands, parades and "stump" speeches, and in the manner most effective—the ballot—they have shown that they are in the land of the living, and not a mythical delusion which would fade on election day. Democratic and Republican extremists may, by false enthusiasm, attempt to stem the tide of popular sentiment, may for a time be blinded to the interests of party ends, but their awakening will only be so much more effective when it does come. While the Knights of Labor will, probably, not organize into a seperate political body it is safe to assume that they will affiliate with that political body which offers the best means for the accomplishment of the ends they have in view. This fact leads us to believe that they will eventually become a part of the Democratic party, which stands to-day, more squarely and fairly on the issues tending to advance the interests of the laboring classes than any other political body. By affiliating with the Democracy the Knights of Labor would be furthering their own interests as a body who labor for the advancement of a common cause, with better chances of ultimately meeting with a successful termination of the ends in view than if they organized themselves into a distinct and separate political party. This matter should command the attention of true and impartial members of that organization, who are connected with the Knights of Labor not for business purposes or political aggrandizement but for motives pure and honest. A careful study of the two political parties will convince the most skeptical of the advisability of co operation with the Democracy. What will they do about it?

—We have been watching with mingled feelings of amusement and scorn the manoeuvrings of Mrs. Parsons, the Chicago lady of Anarchistic inclination, who has openly defied the peace and law of a great, free commonwealth by her socialistic utterances, her waving of the black flag with the red, and her evident desire to excite to socialistic ends the actions of the majority of our foreign population. Mrs. Parsons is a woman, and as such she deserves the usual courtesies accorded her sex by the male gender; further than this she should be treated in the same manner as individuals of the opposite sex who excite to riot a class of people. Mrs. Parsons' utterances should be quelched.

—The address of President Cleveland before the faculty of Harvard College, Boston, Mass., is brimful of that pure common sense which so well characterizes all his sayings. While Grover Cleveland is not a collegiate graduate his remarks on the above occasion will ever be classed among the wise and philosophical savings of the wisest of Harvard's graduates. The President speaks with enthusiasm on the possibility of the American born citizen, which reaches from hovel to palace and extends to all the high and mighty positions in the gift of a free people.

—The Progressive Democracy will be the name of a new political party which will eventually revolutionize political matters in this country, unless the Jeffersonian Democracy so changes its policy as to conform with the new and advanced ideas for the amelioration of the laboring classes. This movement has had its origin in the city of New York, where Henry George, a representative of labor, though he be he, Henry is now living in luxury by the sale of a book which yields him a large percentage, polled 60,000 votes. There is hardly a doubt however, but that the prospective new party will merge into the old Democracy, which has met the issues of a century, combated with them nobly, and, in many instances, successfully, and the prospects of the organization of a new political body will arouse the old Democracy to better and more earnest action regarding the issues which tend to elevate and advance labor.

—The suspicion of foul play regarding the death of Robert Shrenenberger, who was found dead in the canal about ten days ago, was greatly augmented during the past week. Rumor has it that a special post mortem examination was held just prior to his burial and a conclusion that he had been most foully dealt with arrived at. However, as each day passes, the mystery grows deeper and darker, while the finger of suspicion is pointed at this and that one, and coversation on the subject never seems to fag.

—The Y. M. C. A., at Lehighton, which was instituted through the efforts of our young friend T. Clem. Beck, is meeting with considerable success. Enthusiastic meetings are held every Wednesday evening, attended by a large number of prominent young men of the town who seem to take unusual interest in the furtherance of that which will most benefit the association. A large room will soon be rented in which to hold meetings, and, we understand, will be open to the public. During the winter evenings arrangements will be made to have the association addressed by prominent speakers. The benefit to be derived from this organization is incalcuable, and we hope our young men will co-operate with the gentlemen across the river in the furtherance of the work.

—Here's an old "chestnut." What has become of the proposed fire company, which was to have been organized sometime ago. Our citizens should bear one fact in mind, "protection" against fire will receive the hearty endorsement of both Democrat and Republican or a square and fair vote, so why has not the matter been pushed more energetically by our monied men? Some one should take hold of the matter, and with a little energy and push we have no doubt, but what success will crown their efforts. Who will be the first one to start the "fire" ball rolling?

—All the latest novelties in Fall and Winter merchant tailoring goods at Clauss & Bro., Lehighton.

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.]

—Daniel Graver, of Mountain Top, was in town Saturday.

—W. C. Weiss, of Bethlehem, dropped in to see us on Tuesday.

—H. S. Rinker, of the Weatherly *Herald*, was in town Tuesday.

—Frank Wisler, of Bowmanstown, spent last Sunday in town with friends.

—F. D. Weatherhead, of New York, spent several days in town with friends last week.

—Miss Lulu L. Zehner, of Bank street, spent last Thursday with Allentown friends.

—Miss Sallie Hofford, an estemable young lady of town, is visiting Philadelphia friends.

—H. R. Kriedler, of the Central Carriage Works, spent Sunday with relatives in Bath, Pa.

—J. B. Readman and wife, of Mauch Chunk, will spend Sunday and Monday in New York city.

—Editor Schlauch, of the Slatington *News*, made us a pleasant call while in town last Tuesday.

—Mrs. Andreas, of Bowmanstown, was the guest of Mrs. Fred. Brinkman, on Bank street last Sunday.

—Mr. Owen Kuntz, of Freeport, Ill., was visiting his sister Mrs. Esch, of the Valley House, for several during last week.

—Mrs. L. L. Babcock, of Drifton, Mrs. Leiser and Mrs. David Shafer, of Hazleton, were visiting friends in town Thursday.

—Our genial young friend Al. Montz, formerly of town, now of Montzville, spent several days among his friends here during the week.

—T. J. Bretney and wife, of town, spent several days last week with relation and friends in Mahanoy City and Lewistown.

Special Correspondence—Pleasant Corner.

—Our friend Dennis Nothstein has just closed a very successful season in the threshing business. During the season he threshed 1,520 bushels of wheat; 2,925 bushels of rye; 5,207 bushels of oats, making a total of 9,652 bushels.

—A. Kistler and wife, of this place, spent last Sunday with Schuylkill county friends.

—David Longacre spent last Sunday with Schuylkill county friends.

—Sportsmen are creating great havoc amongst rabbits, pheasants, &c.

F. D. S.

Fast Mauch Chunk Items.

—The ball held in Rader's ball last Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the White Hat base ball club was a success.

—The Reformed Mite Society will meet this (Friday) evening at the home of John Sherer, on corner 5th and Center Sts.

—The Onoko Band serenaded Frank Engler on Friday evening.

—The new M. E. church will be finished early next month and will be dedicated on December 20th, with appropriate exercises.

—Kirk & Co's. advertising wagon passed through here on Tuesday, giving away soft soap by the bucketful.

PHŒNIX.

Lower Towamensing Cullings.

—Edwin Lichtenwalter lost a valuable cow by death last week.

—Our public schools opened two weeks ago with a full corps of teachers.

—David Evans, of Millport, who was buried several weeks ago in Slatington by a cavein of a slate quarry has not been recovered yet.

—Roger Brown is very happy all because of a little girl.

—Mrs. Jacob Bowman, of Allentown, died last week she was brought to this place for interment Thursday of last week.

—Mrs. Simon Snyder, of Big Creek, died, and was buried on Thursday of last week in St. John's cemetery.

—Many of our tax-payers are dissatisfied owing to mistakes in the various duplicates.

CONFIDENCE.

Of Interest to Knights of the Golden Eagle.

The following is the list of acceptances of nominations made at the last session of the Grand Castle of Pennsylvania: For Grand Chief—Charles H. Huston, of Philadelphia; for Grand Vice Chief—Louis E. Stile, of Philadelphia; for Grand High Priest—E. W. Clevenger, of Philadelphia; for Grand Master of Records—J. D. Barnes, of Philadelphia; for Grand Keeper of Exchequer—Charles K. Neisser, of Philadelphia; for Grand Sir Herald (one to be elected)—J. Harry Van Horn, of Philadelphia; William B. Townsend, of Pottsville; Albert J. Henning, of Norristown; Philip H. Hantsch, of Reading; A. C. Lyttle, of Altoona; for Representative to the Supreme Castle—Past Supreme Chief Edward S. Rowand, of Philadelphia. There are no acceptances for Grand Trustee. The election will occur at the last stated session of each of the one hundred and forty-two subordinate Castles in the State, in December, when each Past Chief in good standing will be entitled to vote. There are over 1200 Past Chiefs. The installation will take place at the next session of the Grand Castle to be held at Reading, first Tuesday in April, 1887.

Stray Items of Interest.

—Christ. Fulmer, the noted base-ball player of Tamaqua will play with the Baltimore club next summer.

—There will be a grand Eisteddfod at Lansford on New Year's day. Several handsome prizes will be offered.

—New York capitalists propose building a large hotel at Laury's Station, on the line of the Lehigh Valley Railroad.

—John Taylor, general traffic manager of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, has moved his offices from Mauch Chunk to Bethlehem.

—Horse thieves have been operating successfully in Lehigh county. One Allentown liveryman is now bemoaning the loss of a $200 mare.

—Richard Frevallick, the general lecturer of the Knights of Labor will deliver a number of lectures throughout the anthracite coal regions during the coming winter.

—The Reading and Pottsville extension of the Pennsylvania Schuylkill Valley Railroad will be opened for travel to Pottsville on Monday next, when the new schedule will go into effect.

—The school teachers of this and neighboring States have made arrangements to hold a convention in Philadelphia the latter part of next month at which matters concerning the welfare of teachers will be discussed.

—A marriage license was granted by the Schuylkill county Register some time ago to a Welsh couple from one of the mining towns. The couple went home happy in the thought that they had the license and were therefore man and wife. They lived together for two or three weeks before they found out that the services of a minister or 'squire were necessary to complete the job. "Where ignorance is bliss 'tis folly to be wise."

—Just received from Boston, an immense stock of the genuine Knight of Labor Shoes, which we are selling at $2.50 and $3 Warranted solid calf leather Clauss & Bro., the Tailors, sole agents for Carbon county.

"THE WAR OF THE COUSINS."

Should I comply with my feelings, and the requests of some of your friends, your article in the ADVOCATE of last week would pass unnoticed by me. You however raise several important questions and place a few misrepresentations before the many readers of the ADVOCATE, so that it becomes necessary for me to reply. I cannot believe that you held me in "high regard." If so, you would not have under cover of darkness assailed me, simply because an "indignant sorehead" requested you to do so. Had you said, I was prompted to write a sufficiently "Spicuny" article to warrant a reply, I would congratulate you upon your success. To your question, What did you mean? I would say, that I meant what I said, and said what I meant. Your refusal to accept my denial and my pastor's explanation, I can ascribe only to a general weakness that some third party men have of misconstruing and distructing what Republicans may say and do. I claim some credit for forcing the "Indignant Sorehead" to subscribe his true name, regret, however, to note your connection with the matter, and now chide myself for not treating this whole affair with silent contempt. Yes, I do believe in protection, the protection of the home against the saloon, the protection of home industries against foreign, public schools against ignorance, honest labor against convict and pauper labor. I believe in the protection of our free institutions, civil and religious, and every American industry that affects common cultured labor, a protection that will make common labor respectable and remunerative, so that the laborer may be able to buy "bread, good bread" and other luxuries of life, clothe his wife and children respectably; educate his children for society and usefulness. The essentials of life are, Bread, Water and Air. Your party advocates but one—Water—this is an excellent essential, but it is not enough to sustain life very long. The Republican doctrine of this age is protection, in other words, "Bread and Water," two of the essentials of life—God, the giver of all, furnishes the third—Air—free and in great abundance, and He intended our nostrils for the passages through which the air is to be inhaled and exhaled in respiration, I am however sorry to say that I do not carry out the intentions of my Creator for often in the silent night the sweet slumbers of my dear wife are disturbed by a beautiful soonorous song of protection, occasioned by the involuntary opening of my "chaus"—as you put it. Now, if you breathe through your nostrils and I through my "chaus," am I a greater sinner than you? If I firmly and honestly believe that the Republican doctrine of to-day means the protection of the home against the saloon, more and better bread, i. e., the blessings and luxuries of life more freely and equally distributed among our common people, believing this, am I a greater sinner than you, who do not believe it? Believing that the doctrine of my church is right, teaching that the only promise of the "life that now is and that which is to come" is to repent and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and receive the remission of sins, accompanied by the evidence of God's Spirit that this is a fact, and knowing that some churches do not specifically teach my way of understanding the plan of salvation, have I got the right of telling the people so, and call back the erring ones, none but a moral coward would refrain from doing so. I claim the same right on any question of the day. Discussing the subject, "Religion in Politics," I said, It is the duty of the christian voter to study the live questions of the day—that the leading questions presented by the two great parties to-day were, free schools, protection, moral purity of candidates and the prohibition of the liquor traffic; under the second question I said, "If" protection to our industries meant what the Republican party claimed that it did, it behooved us as christian voters to deposit our ballots accordingly and thus pray, "Give us this day our daily bread." While I do not admit having used the words you ascribe to me—"You might as well vote the bread out of your own mouths as vote the Prohibition ticket"—I do say that the few third party friends present may have understood me to say so; they occupied uncomfortable positions (a similar position occurded by you last week when our honored Bishop Bowman, surrounded by Democrats, Republicans and third parties, exclaimed when he beheld the 45,000 majority for Gen. Beaver; "Glory to God") which somewhat irritated them, thus they could easily place their own construction on my address. Now, taking your words for mine, believing what I do, would I not have right to say, "to vote otherwise is to vote be bread out of your mouths?" Since I have been a voter in Franklin township, the election boards have always been composed I honest, conscientious citizens, representatives of the Democratic and Republican parties, and I cannot let the impression go out that any have ever refused to accept an honest ballot cast. On the occasion referred to by you, one or two of the third party men on depositing their ballots were jokingly addressed by one of the officers of the board, thus—reaching his hand toward the window—"We don't take your tickets here;" this officer afterwards said to me that being familiarly acquainted with the parties, thought they would accept the matter as a joke, but some people if you touch them with a pin fastened to a ten foot pole will leap ten feet into the air for "glory" and pose as "martyrs." Had you told the readers of the ADVOCATE why you wrote the letter which you say I treated with contempt, they would at once say that I was justified in doing so. In explanation and as a reminder to you of the circumstance, I would say, that after the election of '84 I received anonymous clippings from papers, (papers having columns or parts marked for my eye) of the most exasperating kind to a Republican at that time, so outrageous as to be a virtue with me, I addressed several cards to persons whom I suspected, you being one of them. Striking you pretty hard you at once showed the "white feather"—as you did in this case—by writing me a long letter, the substance of which was, that I was responsible for the small vote that the third party received in the county. You did not ask me for my reasons, in said letter, for leaving the third party, but you supposed them, and at great length undertook to correct me. Learning subsequently that you had a great weakness in this direction, I thought best to pass your letter by without notice. Owing to the lateness of the hour I cannot answer your question, "Why did you leave the Prohibition party?" but by the permission of the Editor, will do so in the next issue of the ADVOCATE.

W. C. WEISS.

Bethlehem, Pa., Nov. 9, 1886.

The Official Vote for Governor.

The following is the official vote of Carbon county for Governor, at the late election:

DISTRICTS.	Beaver, R.	Black, D.	Wolfe, P.
Audenried	104	115	3
Beaver Meadow	115	186	14
East Mauch Chunk	102	187	14
East Penn	73	107	—
Franklin	172	200	19
Kidder, N. D.	53	67	5
Kidder, S. D.	23	35	—
Lansford	283	206	5
Lausanne	4	13	—
Lehigh	35	41	6
Lehighton	166	329	24
Mahoning	126	115	3
Mauch Chunk, 1st ward	228	199	23
Mauch Chunk, 2nd ward	189	139	29
Nesquehoning	97	145	15
Packer	20	68	1
Packerton	31	90	13
Parryville	87	47	2
Penn Forest	28	65	—
Summit Hill	248	208	12
Towamensing	39	120	2
Lower Towamensing	64	231	56
Weatherly	220	279	15
Weissport	38	56	4
Total	2605	3297	235

The Anthracite Coal Trade.

The anthracite coal trade continues active, though the pressing demand for the immediate delivery of cargoes of coal slackened last week, owing to the mildness of the weather. There is no accumulated stock of coal at Port Richmond, the total quantity of anthracite on hand at that shipping port on Saturday morning being but 19,000 tons, and vessels were there awaiting its shipment of the East. The Reading Company is unable to fill its old orders, and new ones are constantly being refused, as it has not sufficient coal to supply them. Last week the Reading Company was reported to be endeavoring to purchase in the New York market a large daily supply of stove coal to fill pressing orders. Full prices are firmly maintained, excepting for a few of the poorer grades of coal, and in some instances for stove size, but the change in the weather will probably quicken the demand again for that size, and consequently will stiffen the price. The line and city trade is in good shape, and is taking its full share of the coal coming forward from the mines.

Stock Quotations.

Reported up to 12 o'clock, by De Haven & Townsend, Bankers, No. 36 S. Third Street Philadelphia. Stocks bought and sold either for cash or on margin.

Philadelphia, November 10, 1886.

	bid	asked
U S 4½s, Ext	106¼	—
U S Currency 6's	126½	126½
U S 4½, new	111½	111½
U S 4's	120½	120½
Pennsylvania R R	57⅞	57⅞
Philadelphia & Reading R R	18⅞	18⅞
Lehigh Valley R R	56½	56½
Lehigh Coal & Navigation Co.	52½	52⅞
Bull, N. Y. & Phila. R R Co.	10⅞	11½
New Jersey Central	34½	34½
Northern Pacific Com	20⅞	20½
" " Pref'd	64⅞	64½
Oregon Transcontinental	36⅞	36⅞
Union Pacific	59⅞	60
Western Union	78⅞	78⅞
West Shore Int.	101½	101⅞
Louisville & Nashville	57⅞	57⅞
Silver, Trade	72	73

INTERNATIONAL LESSONS.

BY REV. F. B. HARGRAVES.

Lesson 7. *November 14th*

PETER RESTORED.

John 21, 4-19. Golden Text, Jo. n 21, 15. Time, shortly after the last lesson. Place, the northern shore of the sea of Galilee.

With this lesson we conclude the Gospel of John, and its closing scene is one of the most beautiful and impressive. It is on the shore of Galilee, near the homes of some of the disciples. Peter, in his old, impetuous way, says, "I go a fishing." And immediately the others declare their intention of going with him. He leads them. All night long they toil but catch nothing. Just as day dawns a stranger, apparently, stands upon the shore, and tells them to cast their net upon the right side of the ship, and they will be successful. Thinking that He had a better chance of seeing a shoal than they had, they follow His directions and almost at once their net is filled with fishes. The net was so heavy that they could not lift it into the boat, and had to draw it to land. John recognizes in the person on the shore his Lord and Master, and said to Peter, "It is the Lord." Peter, in his impetuous zeal, girded his coat about him and jumped into the sea to swim ashore and greet his Master. The characterists of the men are strikingly brought out in this scene. When the boat reached the shore they counted and found that they had caught 153 large fishes, a miraculous draught.

A fire is kindled and some fish placed thereon, and breakfast prepared. "Come and dine," said Christ, and He gave them bread and fish to eat. When the meal was over, He turned to Peter and asked him, "Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these?" Peter answered Him, "Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love Thee." The question and answer, in similar terms, was repeated twice, the last time Peter answering, "Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee." Three times in the high priest's hall Peter had denied his Master; three times on the shores of Galilee he confessed the Christ. In the impassioned excitemant of the hour Peter had often forgotten that Christ was divine, and he had relied on human agencies, as when he cut off the ear of the high priest's servant; but now, in the humility of his restoration, he confesses Jesus the son of the ever-living God.

Then Christ tells him what death he should die; the death by crucifixion. The years swept out into the voiceless oblivion of the past, and Peter was in the city of Rome. Those years had been eventful ones to him, years of work and toil and suffering for the cause of Christ. Under the cruel persecution of Nero the Christians had suffered much. Paul, the apostle, had been taken out to the Ostian road and his life sacrificed for the faith. The remorseless fury of the king reached Peter, the brave and consistent follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. The words of the Lord in this lesson were fulfilled; another girded him and carried him out to the Ostian road, and there he stretched forth his hands on the cross and rendered up his soul to God. It is said that he was crucified head downwards, as he was unwilling to suffer the same death as his Lord not counting himself worthy.

LESSON THOUGHTS.

1. Christ restores the erring to His love and favor.

2. We may be fishers of men.

3. Jesus takes care of those who work for Him.

4. Christ says to you, "Lovest thou me?"

LEHIGHTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Principal of our public schools makes the following report as to the attendance, visits, condition, etc., for the month ending Oct. 26th:

High School,	No. pupils,	29	aver. att.	27
Grammar,	" "	31	" "	28
Intermediate,	" "	47	" "	42
Secondary,	" "	49	" "	41
4th Primary,	" "	61	" "	54
3rd Primary,	" "	65	" "	56
2nd Primary,	" "	83	" "	74
1st Primary,	" "	107	" "	90
Total		472		412

Visitors: Prof. T. A. Snyder, Dr. C. T. Horn, Prof. Rothermel, Messrs. T. Beck, Sr., Straup, A. Graver, Mrs. J. Hauk, Mrs. Muntz, Misses Emma Koons, Ella Swartz, Clara Muntz.

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

HIGH SCHOOL.—Mary Dreibelbies, Mamie Gabel, Carrie Hough, Maud Wheatley, Anzie Montz, Irene Fenstermacher, Ella Peters, Etta Drissel, Willie Clauss, Chas. Hauk, David Miller, Chas. Mertz, Allen Peters, Abram Wolf, Chas. Bowman, Albert Bartholomew, Bertie Durling, Horace Gross and Edgar Xander.

GRAMMAR.—Chas. Raudenbush, Robbie Hollenbach, Howard Acker, Franklin Schoch, Clement Bretney, David McCormick, Oscar Hellman, Pierce Trainer, Emma Frey, Ella Fink and Emma Miller.

INTERMEDIATE.—Della DeFrehn, Ida Williamson, Ella Schumacher, Lizzie Schoch, Laura Klotz, Annabel Brokste, Annie Raudenbush, Flora Siller, Emma Fortwangler, Maggie Harp, Thomas Trainer, Harry Gerber, Robbie Snyder, Harry Geggus, Robbie Trainer and Harry Wolfe.

SECONDARY.—Gertrude Peters, Lizzie Schmidt, Mamie Fritzinger, Irene Weidaw, Savilla Faust, Clara Hellman, Gertrude Weidaw, Bessie Noll, Alice Wolf, Mary Fenstermacher, Katie Fenstermacher, Helen Xander, Bertha Farren, Minerva Held, Emma Kline, Carrie Bachman, Hattie Geggus, Mattie Horn, Allen Greenawald, Geo. Clauss, Attahanay Schultz, Edgar Seiler, Eddie Peters, Harry Stocker and Charles Peters.

FOURTH PRIMARY.—Arthur Held, Daniel Frey, John Trainer, James Nusbaum, Cyril Rehrig, Jacob Heberling, Robbie Daniels, Freddie Rex, Gustave DeTschirschsky, Edgar Albright, Robbie Hontz, Daniel Schoch, Freddie Miller, Harry Weidaw, Walter Weiss, Harry Trainer, Ralph Raudenbush, Alice Koch, Lizzie Geggus, Lena Langkamer, Sallie Bender, Ida Buss, Emma Buss, Hattie Rex, Ella Troxler, Laura Louer, Ada Webb, Manda Billman, Clara Smith, Lillian Schoch and Eva Fritzinger.

THIRD PRIMARY.—Eugene Acker, Chas. Auge, Eddie Smith, Andrew Snyder, Chas. Sanders, Harry Nothstein, John Xanders, Robert Stout, Willie Nothstein, Geo. Fritz, Geo. Heberling, Alice Albright, Willie Kipp, Calvin Hill, Edgar Auge, Nellie Geggus, Sallie Frey, Ella Beck, Gertie Bagley, Laura Snyder, Ella Peters, Emma Acker, Hattie Trainer, Alice Hontz, Nora Williams, Mary Rehrig, Emma Peters, Sadie Peters, Laura Hellman, Carrie