"Original Cheap Cash Store."

New Silverware!

We have just opened an elegant line of SILVERWARE which came direct from one of the largest and most reliable manufacturers in the United States.

A great collection of LADIES' and GENT'S FANCY LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS can be seen in Plain White, Bordered Hem-Stitched and Embroidered.

In CRASHS we have almost everything. Plain, Twilled, Russia, Striped, Plaid, Fancy Stair and Fine Bleached for Emeroidering.

We have a large stock of Ladies Silk, Lisle Thread and Berlin Gloves that have been reduced to cost.

J. T. NUSBAUM,

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

—The Davis Sewing Machine Company is a solid company, and when they warrant each of their machines for a term of five years, you can rest assured that they will make them of the best material, and with the greatest care. There is no boubt the "Davis" will wear three times as long as it is warranted.

Geo. W. Nusbaum, Agent,

Bank Street, Lehighton.

The Carbon Advocate

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 1887.

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.

—Get registered.

—Pay your subscription.

—Daylight is decreasing.

—Thus endeth the dog days.

—Look out for chicken thieves.

—A syndicate will drill for natural gas at Allentown.

—Counterfeit five cent pieces of the date of 1887, are in circulation.

—Don't fail to see the new goods at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Next month having an r in it will bring the oyster into market.

—For a big assortment of fine gold open face watches see E. H. Hohl's new stock.

—Read A. W. Raudenbush's advertisement—it contains very important information.

—For best makes of carpets at lowest prices, go to Kemerer & Swartz, Bank street. tf

—Furniture of the best makes at prices to astonish the buyers, at Kemerer & Swartz's. tf

—There was a total eclipse of the sun on the 18th inst. It was not visible in the United States.

—Whether you wash your feet in the dishpan or coal scuttle, always use Tulip soap the best in use.

—Something entirely new in design, Pins, rings, sleeve and collar buttons at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Bismarck says of Tulip: "Mit dot soap I can vash myselluf mit yon hand und chew a pretzel mit der udder yon."

—Farmers and others should not fail to prepare for the coming county fair—make the exhibits larger and better than ever before.

—The oldest German Reformed congregation in Northamption county is the one at Petersville, the corner stone of which was laid in 1723.

—A country editor said of his rival: "Aside from his beery flights and fancies his paper is pretty good, as it advocates the use of Tulip soap."

—Lewis Werner, of Lehigh street, has received the contract for the erection of a new Evangelical church at Lansford. The building is to cost $2,500.

—Time has told the tale, and now the Singer Sewing Machine stands without a rival—the best. Sold on easy monthly installments. C. F. Delbert, agent.

—Charles Leinberger, of town, an employee in Snyder's planing mill, lost part of the little finger of his right hand last Saturday by coming in contact with a circular saw.

—The CARBON ADVOCATE printing establishment at Lehighton, Pa., has placed a new Potter power printing press into their office. It improves the print of the paper.—*Stroudsburg Jeffersonian.*

—The East Penn Cornet band will hold a grand picnic in the beautiful grove near George's Hotel, in East Penn to-day (Saturday). A dancing stage has been erected and a good time generally can be expected. Don't miss it.

—The *Valley Record*, of Catasauqua, entered in its eighteenth volume last week. The *Record* seems to be in a prosperous condition—well filled advertising columns and lots of news—characteristics that denote success.

—The annual picnic under the auspices of the Millport Sunday school will be held in the grove near the school house, in that place, on Saturday, September 3rd. Several speakers will be present, and a day of heartful enjoyment and recreation is anticipated.

—Wall Paper.—Before getting in our fall stock of wall paper we offer: Browns at five cents; Whites at six cents; Gilts at twelve cents; Borders at one-fourth regular price. These prices will sell them quick. E. F. Luckenbach, 61 Broadway, Mauch Chunk.

—Our young friend Wilson Muschlitz, of Lower Towamensing, announces himself in to-day's ADVOCATE as a candidate for the Democratic nomination of county treasurer. Mr. Muschlitz is a deserving young Democrat and there is no doubt but what he would make an honest and efficient official.

—H. A. Beltz, Justice of the Peace, is the authorized agent for Carbon county, for the Berks County Live Stock Insurance Co. This company insures against loss by death or theft, and is one of the most reliable companies in Pennsylvania. Farmers and others owning stock should make a note of this and call and see Mr. Beltz.

—An early fall is predicted.

—Fumigate your outhouses.

—It is the general impression that our club can play ball.

—Watches of all description at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—Largest assortment of fine gold watches at E. Hohl, Mauch Chunk.

—Wedding rings of all description at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—This is the year for a change of text books in our public schools.

—Latest and finest designs in silverware at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—John Blose, the candy man, sports a brand new delivery wagon. She's a daisy.

—Before purchasing elsewhere, see Kemerer & Swartz's large stock of furniture, etc. tf.

—Froz. Roeder, our popular tonsoral artist, will have his barber shop heated by steam.

—A number of Jr. O. U. A. M., of town, spent Wednesday evening at Glen Onoko.

—Largest selection of ladies handsome gold watches is at E. H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.

—John Blose, the lower Bank street confectioner, lost a valuable horse by death last Saturday.

—Two Lots on Pine street, Lehighton, for sale low for cash. Apply to H. A. Beltz, J. P. 2w.

—Brother Rinker, of the Weatherly *Herald* kindly offers us his "depot convincer." Thanks!

—The washboard is a piano upon which women can play a tune of happiness with a cake of Tulip soap.

—A number of new and important improvements in connection with the L. & S. depot are contemplated.

—Go to Sweeny's Corner Store for melons, canteloupes, peaches, sweet potatoes, &c. All fruits in season.

—Delay is a darkey who steals the chickens of opportunity off the roost of Time. Wash yourself with Tulip soap.

—John D. Bertolette Post 484, G. A. R., will go to Shenandoah on September 8th to participate in the re-union of veterans.

—The chestnut crop will be large, consequently we may expect an immese yield of buckwheat; at least, so say the farmers.

—The members of the M. E. Sunday school, on Bank street, will picnic in Linderman's grove on Thursday, the 25th instant.

—At the October term of our county court Summit Hill will again make an effort to become a borough. May she succeed.

—George Weiss, a compostor in the Allentown *Democrat* office fell dead Monday morning while standing at his case setting type.

—If I had my choice, I belieb I'd radder nab a box ob Tulip soap dan a gross ob de finest rayzers." Givadam Jones of the Lime Kiln Club.

—LOST.—On the 1st instant, a dark wool-mixed vest, between Weissport and Beltzville, the finder will be suitable rewarded by leaving it at this office.

—A Temperance lecture will be delivered by the Rev. J. E. Freeman on the Public Square in this place, on Saturday evening next. Aug. 20. S. Hagaman chairman com.

—If your watch or clock don't run correctly, take it to Hagaman, on Bank street, and if it then fails to keep time he will make no charge. March 26—6m*

—Sneak thelves are reported to be working the cellars and chicken coops of many farmers in the valley. They should be received with a double-barrelled gun loaded with bird shot.

—Special sermons at the M. E. church by the pastor, Rev. Wm. Major, next Sabbath. Morning, "The way to Heaven." Evening, "The Heart claimed." A cordial invitation to all.

—For the week ending on the 13th inst., there were 98,826 tons of coal shipped over the L. & S. R.R., a total to date of 3,057,233 tons, showing an increase as compared with same date last year of 198,353 tons.

—The CARBON ADVOCATE has just had a new Potter printing press placed in position in its office. The new press has made a decided improvement in the appearance of the paper. —Hazleton *Plain Speaker.*

—For the weekending August 13th there were 171,102 tons of coal shipped over the Lehigh Valley railroad, making a total to date of 5,047,026 tons, and showing an increase of 722,902 tons compared with same date last year.

—U. S. Litzenberg, of the popular and successful pension claim agents, of Allentown, will be at Mantz's Exchange Hotel, on Friday, August 26. All those desiring the services of a first class claim agent should not fail to call on him.

—Leopold Meyer, of the Dolonsburg Hotel, has first-rate accommodations for six or eight good boarders, at $3.50 per week. Persons who wish the comforts of a home should not miss this opportunity. Leopold keeps a nice clean and quiet place.

—The attention of the people of Summit Hill, Lansford and vicinity is directed to the fact that George F. Huntzinger, of the popular Switchback Restaurant, is authorized by us to receive subscriptions and moneys for the CARBON ADVOCATE.

—In to-day,s issue of the ADVOCATE will be found the political announcement of George W. Keiser, of Weatherly, for county treasurer. Mr. Keiser is well-known in the field of politics, and will no doubt give his opponents a heavy pull.

—"There is no one like mother to me," by Charles A. Davies, is one of the prettiest songs ever written. It can be played on piano or organ with equal effect. Send eleven two cent stamps to the publishers, J. C. Greene & Co., 30-40 Arcade, Cincinnati, O., and secure a copy.

—The Presbyterian congregation of Hokendauqua is to be favored next Sunday morning, August 21, with a special discourse by the Reverend Doctor James A. Little, on a very interesting and practical subject, "Religious Railroading." It will will no doubt be a suggestive discourse.

—Notice.—All members of Carbon Castle, No. 111, K. G. E. are requested to be present at the next stated meeting, Monday evening, Aug. 22, as business of great importance will be transacted. An important meeting of the commandery will also be held the same evening. Fail not to be present. C. W. Bower, M. of R.

Teachers' Examination.

The Carbon county teachers' examinations for 1887 will be held as follows:

At Millport, for Lower Towamensing township, on Saturday, August 20.

At Stemlersville, for Upper Towamensing township, on Tuesday, August 23.

At Koch's Hotel, for Penn Forest township, on Saturday, Sept. 24.

The examinations will be in writing and all applicants should come prepared with paper and pencils. No certificates will be granted to applicants under seventeen years old.

—WANTED $1,500 or $2,000, on approved security. Apply at this office.

OUR STROLLER AT WEISSPORT.

Interesting Items picked Up and Assortedby the Stroller.

—Messrs. Aaron and Milt Snyder spent Sunday at Tamaqua.

—The Lone Star base ball club played a game of ball at Stroudsburg Wednesday.

—Miss Ellen Billig, who has been visiting at Olyphant, returned home this week.

—Misses Lillie Guth and Carrie Deibert are sojourning at Ocean Grove watching the wild sea waves.

—Fred Schmidt has commenced excavating on White street for the erection of a new two story dwelling house.

—The political cauldron is beginning to seeth and boil, and we can expect a lively time of it prior to the convention.

—Laury & Sewell are doing a rushnig business. They make a good article of bread and the people appreciate it.

—A new trestle is being erected for the C. R. R. of N. J.'s double track, which is expected to be completed before fall.

—Rev. A. F. Leopold and wife left Thursday morning for Ocean Grove, where they will spend several weeks the guests of their son

—A young man named Guth, of Allentown, was buried in the East Weissport cemetery Monday. He was a brother of our townsman Al. Guth.

—Don't forget MacDaniel's raffle for a beautiful gold watch and a handsome hanging lamp. Raffle, Saturday night. Tickets, twenty-five cents.

—Josiah Fenner, of Weatherly, passed through town one day this week, for Monroe county, where he will spend a few days angling for the finny tribe.

—Mein host Christman, at the Fort Allen House, reports business as booming. Henry has a first-class livery connected with his hotel; when you want teams remember this.

—Andrew Graver and family have moved back to town and occupy the Weiss residence on White street. Mr. Graver has secured the old Kistler stand and will continue in the dry goods and grocery business.

—Our old time friend, Fred Wassum who for the past three years has been located at Chicago, Ill., returned home Saturday night for a several weeks visit to relatives and friends. Fred looks well, a conclusive fact that the western atmosphere agrees with him.

—The "Strollers" attention has been directed to several young men who peregrinate White street, and make night hideous with their unearthly noises. Boys, stop it. It reflects but little credit upon your home training, which if neglected you should try to remedy before it is too late.

—Our old friend Henry Trapp, sr., left for Philadelphia this week where he has placed himself under the treatment of a first-class optician. Mr. Trapp has been troubled for some time with an optical difficulty, and the Stroller hopes to see him all right again when he returns.

—Several weeks ago a young girl thoughtlessly plunged a steel crochet needle in the right limb of Howard Christman. A few days later blood poisoning set in, and now the boy lies in a very precarious condition at his home in Franklin township. The limb has been operated upon three different times by Dr. Andreas assisted by Dr. Haas.

Farewell.

"Fare the well! and if forever,
Still forever, fare the well."—BYRON.

It is never a very agreeable obligation to bid farewell and separate from friends whom we have learned to love and respect for the sake of their character and works, and yet it is very true that the thought symbolized by this word "mingles with every cup of joy, and shatters the fairest images in fancy's mysterious realm, it whispers from amid summer zephyrs and sighs in the Autumn wind," for

"Life hath its many farewells
As it hath sunny hours,
And over some are scattered thorns
And over others flowers."

The Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle of this town, have several times found it necessary to sever ties woven of love, friendship and association, to say farewell to some of its honored members, and on such occasions think it proper to give some tangible evidence of the esteem and good will by a special meeting of the friends and members of the Circle, such a meeting being called a fairwell meeting. A meeting of this kind was tendered Rev. Mrs. Cook, Prof. Frank Barr, and on Wednesday evening last, they were called upon by a feeling prompted by amity and benignity to do honor to Rev. W. G. Stibitz, the late President of the Circle and his excellent wife.

As usual they met at the Mecca of the Chautauquans in this community—the pleasant home of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. M. Seiple to render a well prepared programme, and have a pleasant time together. The programme consisted principally of seven tableaus interspersed with music of a very choice character rendered by Miss Kistler, the talented music teacher of town, and Miss Kate Adams, of Harrisburg, another fine performer on the piano; and song by the accomplished Miss Mertz, of Philadelphia.

The tableaus were mostly serio-comic, and produced much merriment and frequent outbursts of laughter by the grotesque combination of the sublime and rediculous.

Rev. J. L. Freeman on behalf of the Circle presented Rev. and Mrs. Stibitz with very handsome copies of the works of Milton and Tennyson. Rev. Stibitz replied in a very appropriate address thanking the circle for the honor done him and expressing his appreciation of the work done by the Circle as an educational agency. Prof. Roberts, the Vice President, who presided during the evening, was called on, and responded in a short address voicing the feeling of the Circle at the pleasure of having had Rev. and Mrs. Stibitz members of the same and regretting very much the loss sustained by the necessity of severing the pleasant ties of association. Several other members were called on and responded in words of regret and wishes for the success and prosperity of the leave-taking members. Miss Major, the Elocutionist, gave one of her excellent recitations which was much enjoyed, and after the class of the arranged programme a number of spirited games were played which were highly relished by those present.

By the departure of Rev. Mr. Stibitz the community has lost one its best men, the church one of its most able and pious ministers, and the Chautauqua L. and S. Circle one of its most active and intelligent members.

"His life was gentle; and the elements
So mixed in him, that nature might stand up,
And say to all the world, This was a man.

—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. Our stock of handmade shoes cannot be beat by any dealer in the county.

People as They Come and Go.

—Chas. Wieand, of Reading was in town this week.

—'Squire Werner, of Lansford, was in town Monday.

—Miss Lulu L. Zehner, of Bank street, is visiting Reading friends.

—Mrs. W. W. Morthimer is visiting relatives and friends at Walnutport.

—Mrs. M. A. Weiss, of Wilkes-barre, is visiting relatives and friends in town.

—George Berlin, of Allentown, is the guest of relatives and friends in town.

—Misses Lillie and Mary Meyers, of Bath, are the guests of Mrs. C. Fortwangler.

—P. A. German and family, of Bank street, spent last Sunday at Slatington.

—Aaron Krum, of Northampton street, was on a trip to Elmira, N. Y., last week.

—Miss Kate Nothstein, of Normal Square, made us a very pleasant call last Saturday.

—Wilson D. Peters and family, of Lehigh street, spent last Sunday with Slatington folks.

—Miss Etta Drissel, an estimable young lady has returned home from a visit to Alden Pa.

—"Andy" Green, of Scranton, was seeing "auld acquaintances" here several days last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Spohn, of Mauch Chunk, gave us a very pleasant call Sunday afternoon.

—Miss Lillie Butz, an estimable young lady of Allentown, is visiting relatives on Lehigh street.

—O. A. Neff and family, of Slatington, spent Sunday with Wm. Anthony and wife, on Iron street.

—Misses Emma Geggus and Jennie Erwin, of town, are visiting Miss Annie Swartz, at Sayre, Pa.

—Miss Lucy Palsgrove, of Norristown, Pa., who was visiting friends in this place returned home Thursday.

—Miss Sallie Raudenbush and Aggie Reichard, of town, are sojourning "down by the sea"—Ocean Grove.

—Miss Sallie Ott, an estimable young lady of Easton, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Raudenbush, on Bank street.

—Misses Mary Kutz, Sue Walter and Laura Weaver, of Allentown are the guests of J. J. Kutz and family on Bank street.

—Our old Democratic friend A. C. Brodhead, of U. S. Mint, at Philadelphia, is spending his vacation with Lehighton friends.

—Cyrus Derhamer and family, of Bethlehem, who have been visiting L. S. Houser and wife, on Bank street, returned home Saturday.

—James Riddle and daughter, of Allegheny City, Pa., were visiting L. H. Nothstein, on Northampton street, during the past week.

—Miss Lizzie Keefe, who has had charge of Mrs. M. Culton's millinery establishment during the past summer, returned to her home at Elmira, N. Y., Saturday.

Adjourned Meeting of the School Board.

At an adjourned meeting of the school board held Tuesday evening, Butler's Series of Readers were adopted for use in our schools. By application to the different teachers these new readers will be furnished in exchange for the old ones and a slight additional charge; no matter what condition the old reader may be in, if torn or mutilated, it will be accepted at the exchange rate. A resolution was also passed requiring all parents whose children have arrived at the proper age (six years) to attend school, to accompany the child to one of the directors, certify to its being of the required age, and receive from the Director a permit which will authorize the teacher to receive the child. Without this permit they will not be admitted; this rule applies only to those children who are about to "commence going to school," and will be enforced this year and hereafter. The Directors are Messrs. W. P. Long, Dr. C. T. Horn, Samuel Fry, John Peters, M. O. Bryan and F. Pierce Lentz. The permit can be obtained from any of the above, and the latter will be at his office on the morning of Sept. 5th and 6th, until nine o'clock, to accommodate all who may apply.

Mahoning Items.

—Erwin Xander moved to Freeland last week.

—Adalida Steckel, of Easton, is visiting friends in this place.

—A. Arner is having show windows put in the front of his store.

—Charles Roth is visiting relatives at Lewisburg, Union county.

—W. G. Freyman and wife, of Mauch Chunk, spent Sunday in the Valley.

—Rev. Wiest, a foreign missionary, preached in the Evangelical church on Friday evening, and collected money for the missionary cause.

—The teachers' examination for Mahoning township was held last Saturday. The appointment of teachers for the coming school term was made on the same day and is as follows: Nishollow, Miss Ida E. Zimmerman; Horn's, Miss Amanda E. Balliet; McDaniel's, W. O. Xander; Normal Square, H. A. Keiser; New Mahoning, Miss E. Lilly Arner; Strauss' Valley, G. D. Kressley; Pleasant Corner, D. M. Balliet; Sendel's, G. P. Freyman; Campsie's, A. G. Musselman; Beaver Run, Miss Minnie R. Mosser. The schools will open Oct. 17th.

DASH.

Normal Square Shavings.

—Quite a number of our young folks attended the picnic last Saturday.

—Miss Adams, of Harrisburg, spent a few days with her friend Miss Seidle this week.

—Rev. M. H. Mill, of South Easton, was circulating among his friends in Mahoning this week.

—This Saturday (Aug. 20) childrens' day will be observed by the Normal Square Sunday school in Seidle's grove.

—The inclemency of the weather last Tuesday prevented a gay party of New Mahoningites from going to the Glen.

—C. D. Weirick, of Myerstown, spent a pleasant week with his school companions at Normal Square. He is a member of the present sophomore class at H. M. College.

—Rev. G. W. Stibitz, who occupied the pulpit for Rev. A. Bartholomew in the St. Peter's and St. John's church, delivered very interesting sermons. Rev. Stibitz will soon leave for Yale University, where he will take a past graduate course.

—The program of the Centre Square Literary Society was observed last Saturday evening. The question for debate for this Saturday evening is Resolve "That a prohibition amendment should be added to the constitution of the United States."

—Rev. A. S. Weber, of Maryland, accompanied by A. P. Horn, of Summit Hill, visited his old friends and acquaintances here last Monday. Mr. Weber will soon leave for Wichita, Kansas, where he is elected to the presidency of the Wichita University.

—Next Tuesday a week Messrs. C. E. Arner and G. Dreibelbies will leave for Franklin & Marshall College. On the same day Messrs. I. E. Seidle and J. H. Longacre will leave for Muhlenburg College. All these are members of the sophomore classes at the respective colleges.

AMERICUS.

IN THE LABOR WORLD.

Specially Compiled for the Toilers by an Advocate Man.

—Schuylkill Haven has a stocking factory.

—The Stemton car company have received another large order for gondola cars.

—Owing to the strike of the puddlers in the little puddle mill of the Allentown rolling mill, the mill has been closed.

—The trouble between the coke manufacturers and Pittsburgh syndicate, it is said, will come to an end before long.

—The sheet mill of the Reading Iron Works at Reading, Pa. which has been idle for several months, started up Tuesday, giving employment to 250 hands.

—That the Knights of Labor are becoming stronger daily is evidenced from the fact that there are 60,000 colored members of the organization in the United States.

—A despatch from the city of Mexico Tuesday says that the locomotive engineers along the line have struck work, owing to the unjust discharge of the chairman of the engineers' committee, Harry Realer.

—Two hundred weavers in Edwards Company's mill in Augusta, Me., went on strike Tuesday for higher pay. The company says they will not grant the demand and will close the mill if necessary.

—As many of the largest coal operators in the State have arranged to pay wages semimonthly, in accordance with the law passed at the last session, there can be no doubt that the thing can be done, and there is not likely to be any difficulty about having the law enforced.

—A despath from Reading, Pa., says it was learned officially on Saturday that the Knights of Labor had arrived at an amicable understanding with the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company in regard to the test for color-blindness. The Knights are to be allowed the privilege of having representatives present when examinations are made and to see that they are fairly conducted.

—The total number of strikes from Aug. 1 to 12th in the United States is 12,938. Of this number 10,169 struck up to Aug. 5.

Since then 50 stone cutters struck at Findley, Ohio; 100 silk weavers (girls) at Harrisburg, Pa.; 600 iron workers at Youngstown, Ohio; 40 lasters, Brockton, Mass.; 26 painters, New York city; 12 messenger boys, Brooklyn, N. Y.; 80 lasters, Portsmouth, N.H.; 200 saw-mill operators, Crookstown, Minn. 20 silk workers, Allentown, Pa; 125 colliery boys, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; 70 street car drivers Memphis, Tenn.; 100 miners, Tamaqua, Pa.; 90 boilermakers, Lebanon, Pa.; 145 steamfitters, Cincinnati, Ohio; 4 carpenters, Albany, N. Y.; 60 hat makers, Orange, N. J., 75 hat makers, Newark, N. J. and 20 shovellers, Boston, Mass. Owing to the strike of lasters at Portsmouth, N. H., over 500 men are thrown out of work.

Lower Towamensing Items.

—Simon Blose is slowly convalescing after a serious illness.

—The Sunday school at Lehigh Gap will picnic in Craig's park, to-day (Saturday).

—The collection taken last Sunday in St. John's church for missions amounted to $17.63.

—Rev. J. E. Freeman will deliver a harvest home discourse Sunday in the St. John's church. All are invited.

—Francis Beers has his property for sale; persons wishing to buy a homestead in the country would do well to call on him.

—Griffith DeLong has leased the sawmill from Fred Schmidt and will hereafter devote his time to the lumbering business.

—Frank Frederick, of Sayre, Pa., died last Sunday night of cholera morbus; he was taken to Bethlehem on Wednesday for burial. His bereaved wife has the heartfelt sympathy of his many friends here.

—Jacob Boyer an aged resident of Franklin township, residing near Maria Furnace, is suffering great pain from a cancer. The St. John's congregation of which he is a member contributed six dollars toward his wants.

—St. John's Sunday school, at Lentz's, will hold a day of jubilee in the grove near the school house on Saturday, Aug. 27. It will be a diversion from the old fashioned picnic. All interested in the work of christianity are invited to attend as a good time is anticipated.

—Two dwellings are being erected at Bowmanstown. CONFIDENCE.

Our Normal Square Regular.

—Obert & Hofford have got their saw mill machinery in working order and we opine that it gives full satisfaction.

—Prof. E. S. Stoffiet will deliver a German discourse in the Normal Square school house to-morrow (Sunday). All are cordially invited.

—Prof. E. S. Stoffiet, N. M. Balliet, Calvin Arner and J. H. Longacre will deliver addresses at the Childrens' Day celebration to-morrow (Sunday).

—The new iron bridge crossing the Mahoning creek between the farms of Messrs. Shoemaker and Koch has been completed. It seems to be a first class job.

—Political matters are boiling in this sections. NORMAL.

The Office Should Seek the Man.

MAUCH CHUNK, Aug. 18, '87.

EDITOR ADVOCATE:—As the Democratic county convention is set for the first week in September, would it not be well for the convention to take into consideration the motto: "the office should seek the man," and by doing so nominate F. A. Dreisbach, of East Mauch Chunk, for the office of Register and Recorder; a man worthy the confidence of the people, a gentleman in every sense of the word, and a young man who would do honor to the office, and conduct the same on business principles.

Hoping the convention will take the matter into consideration, I remain, yours,

A YOUNG MAN.

A Truthful Conversation.

Farmer—(Indignantly) All the crops that I have harvested thus far have proved a complete failure, Mr. Jones; your phosphates are worthless.

Mr. Jones—You can't blame our phosphates—this is an off year—

Farmer—Off year, be danged. Every farmer in this valley who has used Arner's Pure Bone Super-Phosphates have largely increased crops. No sir; no order from me; Arner's man was here to-day and I gave him an order. I don't want ashes, muck, sand and dirt but a Pure Bone Phosphate such as Arner's has proved to be.

Notice, Railroaders!

No extra charge for railroad men. The United States Life Insurance Co., in the city of New York, has been doing business the last thirty-eight years; has one hundred and twenty-two dollars for every one hundred dollars liabilities. This company issues an incontestable, non-forfeitable investment policy. The insured need not die to win, but can withdraw in cash the full value of the policy at the end of fifteen or twenty years. The insured will net as large a per cent of interest as any other investment would of like security, besides enjoying that many years insurance free. If you will kindly send me your age I will promptly give you an estimate of a policy on your own life; you will then be able to judge intelligently as to whether it would prove a profitable investment to you.

Yours very truly,
W. M. SELL,
District Agent U. S. Life Insurance Co., Slatington, Penna

The Democratic County Meeting.

The members of the Democratic County Committee assembled in meeting in the Court House, Mauch Chunk, Monday afternoon last at one o'clock. E. R. Siewers called the meeting to order, when, upon motion of Dr. J. C. Kreamer, Joseph Fisher, Esq., was unanimously made chairman; ex-Sheriff Zeigenfuss, of Lower Towamensing; Dr. Leonard, of Mauch; E. S. Stewart, of Packer, and E. G. Rouse, of Weatherly, vice presidents; J. W. Malloy, of Lansford; H. S. Rinker, of Weatherly, and E. H. Rauch, of Mauch Chunk, secretaries. Messrs. Michael Cassidy, of Nesquehoning; Dr. Leonard, of Mauch Chunk; E. S. Heintzleman, of East Penn; J. G. Zern, of Weissport; F. X. Cannon, of Summit Hill, and Charles Miller, of Weatherly, were appointed a committee on resolutions and reported the following as a result of their deliberations.

RESOLUTIONS.

The Democrats of Carbon county in County meeting assembled do with pleasure indorse the wise, patriotic and economic administration of Grover Cleveland, the Democratic President of the United States.

That we reindorse the National Democratic platform adopted in convention in 1884 at Chicago and the Democrats of Carbon county especially applaude that portion of the platform relating to the revenue which declares as follows:

All taxation shall be limited to the requirements of economical government. The necessary reduction in taxation can and must be effected without depriving American labor of the ability to compete successfully with foreign labor, and without imposing lower rates of duty than will be ample to cover any increased cost of production which may exist in consequence of the higher rates of wages prevailing in this country. Sufficient revenue to pay all the expenses of the Federal Government economically administered, including pensions, interest and principal of the public debt, can be got under our present system of taxation, from custom house taxes on fewer imported articles, bearing heaviest on articles of luxury and bearing lightest on articles of necessity. We therefore denounce the abuses of the exisiting tariff; and subject to preceding limitations, we demand that Federal taxations, shall be exclusively for public purposes, and shall not exceed the needs of the government economically administ tered.

Recongnizing the injury done to the people of Pennsylvania by the fraudulent defeat of the Revenue Bill thereby robbing the masses out of more than $1,000,000 for the benefit of corporations, and holding Gov. J. A. Beaver justly accountable for the gigantic wrong, we denounce him for his failure in calling an extra session of the Legislature to undo this fraud and accord the people a just relief.

In this band of Republican conspirators we recognize Gov. Beaver as formost. We also denounce the same Gov. for the executive aid given to monopoly and for his veto of the Pluck me Store Order Bill. The Republican Legislature of 1886 with the Senate as a bulwark to monopoly was on a par with Gov. Beaver, and also merits the emphatic condemnation of the people.

The actions of our late represntation in Congress the Hon. J. Storm, meet with the heaity approval of the Democracy of Carbon County.

We endorse the actions of Senator Shull, of Monroe and Hon. Daniel Bachman, of Carbon as faithful representatives of the people in the Legislature of Pennsylvania and we characterize the Legislative career of Representative Anthony Raudenbush, as that of a typical, stalwart Republican all for bosses nothing for the people and as such deserving the utmost reproof of the citizins of Carbon county, irrespective of party.

Upon motion it was agreed that the delegate election be held at the several regular voting places on Saturday, September 3, and the nominating convention on Monday, the 5th proximo. The following named persons are appointed to hold the delegate election in the several districts and boroughs—the first named to act as judge and the two last to act as inspectors:

Audenried—H. Ferry, John Boyle, Dennis Boyle.
Beaver Meadow—W. J. Coyle, Thos. Corragan, Bernard Moore.
East Mauch Chunk—Harry Beineman, Lewis Schwab, Henry Curran.
East Penn—W. S. Heintzleman, James Andreas, Jas. R. Steigerwalt.
Franklin—Jacob Boyer, sr., R. F. Peter, J. J. Markley.
Lehighton—G. W. Morthimer, E. J. Rehrig, T. J. Nusbaum.
Lower Towamensing—Levi Harleman, Albert Meendsen, Samuel Fields.
Lehigh—Vincent Horn, Cap. Mantel, Barney Laughlin.
Lansford—Ed. Harkins, Chas. Ferry, E. K. Shoemaker.
Lausanne—Wm. Kennedy, John Potters, Neal Breslin.
Kidder S—Emery Getz, Charles Wernet, Serfernes Hawk.
Kidder N—J. F. Holcomb, T. J. Byrnes, Frank Scally.
Mauch Chunk, 1st Ward—J. E. Yeager, Thomas Miller, Walter Conray.
Mauch Chunk 2nd Ward—John Steinman, Chas. Swartz, Ed. Conray.
Mahoning—C. H. Seidle, Harvey Keiser, Granville Freyman.
Nesquehoning—Michael McGarrey, Hugh Riley, James McCann.
Packerton—W. Lee Stiles, A. W. Bowman, Paul Horn.
Packer—R. W. Stewart, W. H. Bittner, B. D. Garhard.
Summit Hill—Wallace Kleckner, John Kochran, William Shea.
Penn Forest—Charles Swink, Levi Kuehner, Enos Koch.
Weatherly—M. S. Rinker, E. F. Warner, Ed. Fortwangler.
Weissport—Oscar Arner, Austin Boyer, Milton Emery.

COUNTY COMMITTEE.

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Beaver Meadow—Cormick McGarvey, William Coyle, Bernard McHugh.
East Penn—E. S. Heintzleman, A. S. Steigerwalt, T. W. Steigerwalt.
East Mauch Chunk—James Appenzeller, Condy Boyle, George Hiller.
Franklin—T. F. Arner, W. H. Reber, Philip Walck.
Kidder N—Conrad Hoffman, T. J. Byrnes, H. Weider.
Kidder S—Serfernes Hawk, Charles Wernet, Emery Getz.
Lansanne—Wm. Kennedy, John Potters, Neal Breslin.
Lansford—James Early, Frank Heister, J. B. Breslin.
Lehigh—Daniel Cannon, Henry Fritz, James Reeney.
Lehighton—J. W. Raudenbush, George Blank, O. A. Clauss.
Mauch Chunk 1st Ward—D. C. Heberling, Henry Glace, Dennis McClafferty.
Mauch Chunk 2nd Ward—John Warncke, John Fagan, John Faga.
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Nesquehoning—Felix McGarvey, Jacob Buss, Patrick McMahon.
Packer—J. C. Bittner, Jonas Gerhard, Reuben Steiner.
Packerton—George Dolon, Alfred Mertz, Wilson Bittner.
Penn Forest—Franklin Smith, A. A. Green, Enos Koch.
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Lower Towamensing—Moses Straup, John Costenbader, W. H. Ginter.
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