

Original Cheap Cash Store

# Holiday Goods ARE OPENING!

Already large lines are displayed. It is surprising to see how early the year brings forth new ideas in fancy articles, and a visit to our store will be repaid in sight-seeing.

These are the leading lines:  
**Plush and Leather Articles, Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers, Perfumery and Toilet Soaps, Jewelry, Silverware, Fancy Glassware and Queensware, Willow Work Baskets, Embroidered Slippers, &c.**

ANOTHER LOT OF THAT Wonderful 60 Cent Silk Plush

has arrived. Wonderful, because the actual value is 90 cents. It has a heavy close pile and can be had in all the popular colors and shades. We want all our prices compared with those of any other store in Carbon county.

**J. T. NUSBAUM,**  
Opposite Public Square, Bank Street, Lehigh, June 7, 1884

## The Carbon Advocate

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1888

### Current Events Epitomized.

- Pay the printer.
- Leap year is waning.
- Is your coal bin loaded?
- If winter is getting closer.
- Mud! mud! mud! oh, mud!
- An open winter is predicted.
- Are you ready for the fall?
- Patronize home institutions.
- Sparks ministers on the 30th.
- Apples are cheaper than ever.
- We will print sale bills cheap.
- December 21st will be the shortest day.
- A new time schedule has gone into effect on the Valley road.
- Go to Val. Schwartz's for all kinds of furniture. Prices very low.
- A reliable watchmaker.—D. S. Book opposite the Public Square.
- A few flakes of snow fell on Friday evening the first for the season.
- Aaron Krum will erect another frame dwelling house on Lehigh street.
- The Lehigh Orchestra will play at the teachers' institute next month.
- If you go hunting on Sunday you are liable to a fine of twenty-five dollars.
- Full line of Ingrain and Brussels carpets at V. Schwartz, on Bank street.
- The oyster supper at Packerton on Thanksgiving will be a very successful event.
- Clark's Beer Hall has been artfully re-opened. Ditto the reading room at the Carbon House.
- Miss Sydney Worth played East Lynne in the opera house, here, for three successive nights last week.
- Jewelry! Nothing like it in beauty, durability and variety to select from as at H. Hohl's, Mauch Chunk.
- The Fallharmonic singing society was re-organized for the winter at the home of Miss Emma Ober, on Bank street.
- Evelyn Drummond was made happy on Sunday evening last by his good wife presenting him with a bouncing baby girl.
- Lots of new and pretty things suitable for Christmas presents already on hand at E. H. Hohl's Jewelry Store, Mauch Chunk.
- Buy your winter suits and overcoats at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk, and save 25 cents on the dollar.

—If you every heard of Wall Paper being sold, Banks at 25 Cents at 50 Cents, come and tell us so. E. F. Luckenbach, Mauch Chunk.

—James Geiger, a Valley railroad brakeman, who had his left arm crushed between the bumps of two coal cars a while ago, is improving nicely.

—Rev. J. H. Kuder, pastor of the Lutheran church, preached an interesting and instructive sermon to a large audience on Sunday evening.

—Ledy Washington Council, No. 20, D. of L., of town, are making preparations for holding a grand ball on New Year's Eve, in Gabel's Hall, on Bank street.

—Northampton street, from the school house to the Catholic church, is almost entirely sidewalked. This improvement has been made during the past summer.

—The Pine Run Stone Company is a corporation of men from this place and Weisport, with such gentlemen as Esch-Schiffel Hausenbush, J. J. Gabel and Dr. J. G. Zern at its head.

—Philadelphia and New York Sunday papers are now circulated here at ten o'clock on the above day. A change in the schedule giving us a Sunday morning train enables us to enjoy this great convenience.

—Section Boss Waterbury cut up in the Packerton yards one day recently a new three throw point switch. If the new switch gives satisfaction it will generally replace the old ones along this division.

—The Engineer's ball on next Wednesday evening, is a pleasure you want to take in. Good music has been engaged for the occasion and a genuine good time is sure to be had. Tickets, admitting gent and ladies, one dollar. Don't miss it.

—Sabbath services in Jamestown; Sunday School, at 9 A. M.; Young Peoples' meeting at 7 P. M.; Preaching by the pastor at 7:30. Prayer meeting on Tuesday evening. You are all cordially invited to attend these services. C. BROWN.

—It is reported in some circles that Leopold M. Cox, of the Packerton Hotel is about completing negotiations for the sale of his hotel at the above place. There have been a number of applicants for the place, among them Fred Horlacher, of Slatington and Zach Hon, of Mahoning township. The latter gentleman is expected to secure the prize. Mr. Hon will make a good hotel man.

"I had rather be a kitten and cry mew" than growl all night and scold all day with neuralgia, when one little bottle of Salvation Oil would make me gentle and mild. "Jusay, wouldn't you?"

Coughs, hoarseness, asthma or any irritation of the throat or bronchial tubes will be relieved by taking R. H. Hohl's Cough Syrup. It has cured thousands. Recommend it to your friends and neighbors.

—The lecture was able and eloquent. The life of the great statesman was sketched in a vivid and scholarly manner. Dr. Aubrey has a clear, well-modulated voice, and his gestures and eloquence recalled. Tribesmen have in this cultured Englishman an advocate they may be proud of.—Kingston (N. Y.) Daily Freeman, Dec. 11, 1888. Dr. Aubrey will lecture before the Institute next week. Secure your course tickets at Reber's drug store.

## IN THE LABORING WORLD.

Items of Interest Gleaned from the Busy Working World.

—The potato production in the United States this year is over 210,000,000 bushels. Michigan leads with a product from 125,000,000 bushels, each acre averaging 90 bushels.

—There are 7,000,000 negroes in the United States. In the South there are 16,000 colored school teachers. They have colleges, universities, and seminaries, and are worth \$2,000,000 in property.

—The smallest steam engine ever manufactured is on exhibition at Paris. It is only three-fifths of an inch in height and weighs less than one-ninth of an ounce. A watchmaker constructed it of 180 pieces.

—The Real Estate Record says: Get into your own house. If you are saving and industrious you can lay by enough money to buy your own house. You can get help from a building association or a savings bank.

—Professor Blackie says: "Never whip your brain. All high pressure is dangerous. Study to think as easily and as quietly as you breathe. Never force yourself to learn what you have no talent for."

—Monroe county people have not given up hope of striking oil. The well in Price township has been drilled to a depth of 500 feet and the indications are encouraging. A company is to be formed to sink the well 2,000 feet.

—The American Builder says: "There is no material that can be used for construction equal to brick. Every brick bears its own weight. Bricks have already proved the fiery ordeal before they are used in buildings, and are tempered."

—The London Pottery Gazette says: "The present condition, as a whole, of our manufacturing, mining and commercial progress is unquestionably a great industrial triumph, but this wonderful picture of national growth has, quite naturally, a series of reverse sides as well."

—The 125 Albany, N. Y., switchmen, who received \$40 a month, and yardmen and pin-pullers receiving \$55 and \$60 per month, and who struck for an increase in pay equivalent to \$10 a month, have won their demand. They were out only thirty-six hours.

—If the advice of William Wallis is observed the Lehigh K. of L. Assembly will soon experience a boom in membership. The masses should be organized for their mutual benefit and protection, and the way to secure healthy organization is by continual agitation.

—The Wilmington, N. C., Messenger says: "The old fashioned colored men and women who every Southern man and woman is bound to cherish with an affection peculiar to the institution of slavery, are growing rarer every day, and in their place come a set sprung up since the war, who often show no appreciation of their duties of life, and have no consideration for or sense of politeness toward the white people."

—The Weisport Bridge. The Grand Jury has already given its official approval of the proposition to build a new and more substantial bridge across the Lehigh at Weisport, and it only remains for the possession of the land to authorize the Commissioners to go ahead. It will be a matter of considerable expense to the county. Should the bridge be located as now, it would be necessary first to erect a temporary structure to be used by the public until the new one is completed. But to make a good job of it, the location must be changed so as to avoid the sharp corner at the Lehigh end. The course should be in a line with the main street in Weisport, direct across to a point nearly or in line with the street from the Lehigh Valley station up to the main street. East of a change of location, as suggested, and under consideration would cost nearly or quite \$10,000 more than placing it on the old piers, which would, on the other hand, necessitate the unavoidable expense of the temporary bridge. All considered, we believe a new bridge with change of location would be by far the best, most expedient and that it would meet the general approval of the taxpayers. Let it be remembered that in point of importance it is second to no other bridge in the county, as the people of Franklin and Upper and Lower Townships, and all from the districts of Monroe County having lands either at Mauch Chunk or Lehigh, (and most of the market supplies come from these districts) must all cross the bridge at Weisport.

—That a new bridge there has become an absolute public necessity is unquestionable. The old one is no longer safe. It can only be repaired at a considerable expense, and even then, at best it will be a dilapidated old bridge.—Mauch Chunk Democrat.

—The above is in substance and fact what has been from time to time reported in our columns, but we reproduce the pertinent article from the Democrat to show that public opinion calls for the erection of a new bridge on a better location. We have referred to the fact that the viewers' report had been confirmed by the court, and that if no objections are presented the January court will confirm the report absolutely. Thereafter it remains with the Commissioners to act on this important matter, the action of the court, not being mandatory. It strikes us very forcibly that in view of the fact that the bridge in question being one of the most important in the county the Commissioners should not fail to approve of the report presented and confirmed by the Court. The new bridge is an absolute necessity and the change of location will be a wise one in every particular. We have been informed that the Lehigh Valley railroad will donate a fair proportion of the increased expense incurred by erecting the bridge on a new site, this being the case the County Commissioners should not hesitate in their approval of this important matter. Gentlemen act quickly and wisely.

—Merchant's Warning. In this department you will find all the latest styles of suitings and overcoatings, which will make up in the best style and manner at the following low prices: All-wool suits, \$12, \$15, \$20 and up. All-wool pants from \$4 to \$8. These prices prevail only at Sondheim's Merchant Tailoring Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—Sparks Bro's. Conjur. This well known troupe of celebrated artists will give one of their very enjoyable entertainments at the Lehigh Opera House, on Friday evening, Nov. 30th. This company appeared here last year and gave an excellent performance, and this year the troupe is much larger, and the list of artists embraces some of the best known talent. Everything new this year and first class. Secure your seats at once and avoid the rush. Seats on sale at Zern & Snyder's store.

—Flash Costs and Newmarkets. Ladies, if you need a plush coat or a beautiful newmarket, bear in mind that you can find the latest styles and best makes of these goods at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—Kemper's Bedsteads have a stock the largest line of bedsteads and parlor stoves to be found in this section. Prices low.

—Boys don't forget that you get a school bag free for every suit of overcoat you buy at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

## COUNTY SEAT CORRESPONDENCE

Timely Topics Plainly Written Up by a versatile Quillist.

—The genial "Squire" Boyle spent several days at Salsp North last week.

—We expect soon to have an addition to our medical fraternity.—Dr. J. H. Tweedie, of Weatherly, being about to remove to town.

—The new officials, elected at the November election, will be sworn into office and placed under bonds on the 1st day of January, 1889.

—Dr. E. H. Bach, of the Second Ward, is about opening an office in the rooms formerly occupied by the late Dr. Horace DeYoung, under the American Hotel.

—On Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week the school-room in St. John's Chapel, East Mauch Chunk, will be open, it having been converted into a reading room.

—The Adams Express Company will erect a building 20x30 feet in close proximity to the Lehigh Valley Depot to be used for express purposes. Josiah Sontel has secured the contract.

—It is said by those who seem to know that some of our capitalists have joined with a number of Nanticoke, Pa., merchants and will soon open a National Bank at the latter place.

—Mrs. Frank Walter has had a family vault built in the cemetery, on the hill, at a cost of \$1,000, and has commenced work on the exterior. The outside of the vault is of granite and the interior is lined with marble.

—Mrs. John Lynch's house at East Mauch Chunk was set on fire Friday by some children who had been left in an upper room. The fireman rescued an infant which lay on a burning bed, but not before it had been severely, and perhaps fatally burnt.

—Constable George E. Williams was testifying in the Baranovich murder trial at Pottsville this week. It will be remembered that Williams arrested the murderer, at Penn Hayen Junction some months ago as he was about escaping.

—The residence of James Keifer, Esq., was forcibly entered by burglars on Monday night last and an overcoat, pair of opera glasses and several other minor articles were stolen. The thieves forced an entrance in the rear of the house and declined their search for booty by the light of a candle.

—The St. Alban's Total Abstinence Society have changed their place of meeting from Oak Hall to a commodious room in Dolan's new building on Market Square. In connection with the room for meeting purposes they have fitted up and furnished a room adjoining for a library. The library is open at all times for the members of the society.

—Judge S. S. Dreher heard a case before one of our Attorneys Tuesday. Speaking of Judge Dreher reminds us that for almost twenty years he has been a familiar figure in our courts—his hair having turned gray in the service of the star-eyed goddess of Justice. His term will expire two years hence and we have no doubt but what the Judge will be glad to retire after twenty years' continual service. Our correspondent knows him as a genial, pleasant, able gentleman, well versed in legal lore, and fully capable in the possession of our courts of occupying a seat in the higher courts.

—Jury Commissioner Stemler with the assistance of his clerks, put five hundred names in the Jury Wheel this week for the year 1889. The proportion of jurors allocated each town is as follows: Audenried, 17; Beaver Meadow, 20; East Penn, 13; East Mauch Chunk, 32; Franklin township, 32; Kidler North, 8; Kidler South, 3; Lansford, 43; Lausanne, 2; Lehigh, 6; Lehigh, 44; Little Gap, 7; Millport, 19; Mahoning, 10; Mauch Chunk, 14; Ward, 34; Mauch Chunk, 2nd Ward, 30; Nesquehoning, 23; Packer, 7; Packerton, 11; Parysville, 8; Penn Forest, 7; Summit Hill, 44; Townsaming, 14; Weatherly, 40; Weisport, 7.

—The Board of Government of the Total Abstinence Union of the Seranton Diocese has decided to employ Attorneys C. C. Donoran and J. P. Kelley of that city to assist District Attorney Rapsler in prosecuting the employees of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company who caused the Mud Run disaster. The trial will come off at the January term of our county courts, and will no doubt attract a widespread attention. As stated sometime ago in your columns the extreme penalty is \$5,000 fine and five years imprisonment; but it is hardly possible that the extreme penalty will be inflicted in any of the cases. The defense however, expects to deduce evidence that will result in an acquittal, but in view of the facts presented to the coroner's jury and the finding of that body it is hardly probable.

—A Pretty Marriage at Parysville. On Tuesday, November 20th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Peters, at Parysville, Miss Leah L. Peters and Charles L. Miller, of St. Louis, Mo., were happily united in the bonds of matrimony. The Rev. O. C. Hurt officiating. Mr. Miller was formerly the assistant superintendent of the Carbon Iron and Pig Co., at Parysville, but at present holds the position of Supt. of Missouri Furnace Co., at St. Louis, Mo., having succeeded James Gayley, of Catsaunks. The bride was attired in white silk with lace drappings and wore diamonds (the gift of the groom). The parlor and dining room were beautifully decorated with Chrysanthemums, Marshal-neal roses, ferns and potted flowers. The presents were numerous, costly and beautiful. The young couple left under a shower of rice and well-wishes for a short sojourn in New York, Albany, Brooklyn, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and thence to St. Louis where they will make their future home. Parysville, Pa. ANON.

—Sudden Death. On Tuesday morning Mrs. Oliver Stroup, of Lehigh Gap, died very suddenly. She left the house about nine o'clock to go to the out house and not returning a half an hour later, she was found therein dead. The cause of her death is unknown. She leaves a family of four children and a husband to mourn the untimely death of a kind mother and a faithful wife. Deceased was aged about thirty-five years; interment takes place to-day (Saturday).

—List of Letters. Remaining unlisted for in the Lehigh Valley, Pa., Post Office, for the week ending Nov. 17, 1888.

Beer, Miss Annie (Smith, Miss Ellen)

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

JAMES P. SMITH, P. M.

—Temperance Meeting. At Jamestown, Sabbath evening next, under the auspices of the I. O. G. T., a gospel temperance meeting will be held by the members of the lodge, to which all are invited. A good program has been arranged, and a good time may be expected. Gospel Trunks will be sung—bring them with you.

—To be Closed on Thanksgiving. The following merchants will close their respective business places on Thanksgiving day:

Wm. Keuserer, (H. H. Peters, Zern & Snyder, Mehrlan & Son, (Sweeney & Son, C. H. Brown, J. T. Nusbaum)

—Head Quarters. For Christmas services for Sunday schools, hymn books, pencils, ballpens, plush cases, gold pins, album, fountain pens, children's books and games, is at the Lehigh Valley Book & Stationery Store, 20 N. 7th street, Allentown, Pa.

## PEOPLE WHO CURE AND GO.

Personal Gossip about People who Visit and so.

—John Seabold, of Lehigh, representing the large shoe factory of Allentown of which he is owner and manager, was in town yesterday doing business among the shoe dealers.—Wednesday's Hasleton Plain Speaker.

—Dr. J. A. Mayer, Mauch Chunk's popular dentist, was attending to patients in town Tuesday. The doctor also made our sanctum a very agreeable call.

—Mrs. Van Valzah, of New Berlin, Union county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Smith, on Iron street.

—Miss Ella Graver and Emma Lentz, of Bank street, spent Sunday at Allentown.

—Mr. Frank Gerber, of Lehigh street, visited Allentown friends over Sunday.

—F. Clark circulated at Mauch Chunk and Nesquehoning on Wednesday.

—Joseph Fritzinger, was on a business trip to Philadelphia on Tuesday.

—Miss Jennie Hughes, of South street, spent Sunday at Mauch Chunk.

—Politics a year and two years hence as seen through the spectacles of a Mauch Chunk correspondent to the Lansford Record.

"Now that the election is over this town is as quiet as a country churchyard. Still, you hear faint whispers about next year and the year after. Next fall the offices of District Attorney and Associate Judge are to be filled. On the Democratic side the District Attorneyship is conceded to J. S. Fisher, of East Mauch Chunk, who by the way, will make an excellent official. His opponent will be either Kiefer, Heydt or Gilman. The Republican Judgeship nomination is conceded to W. H. Stroth, by virtue of his appointment.

"Two years hence will be a lively campaign. The offices to be filled will be Judge Legislature, County Treasurer, Register and Recorder and County Commissioners. For the Judgeship, Judge Dreher and District Attorney Rapsler will be candidates, and who knows but that Hon. Allen Craig may nicker on his armor for the combat.

"As Ed. Mullenback has stated that he will not again ask his Democratic friends to cut their ticket, or in other words, that he will not endanger his health by going into a hard canvass, it may be a pretty fight between two new men for the Legislature honor.

"There is no denying the fact that James Handwerk is laying his ropes for a fourth term. This fight may be between the same contestants as last year—Lentz and Handwerk. In that fight Lentz was beaten principally through the opposition of Dr. Kramer, who believed himself deceived by Lentz at the nomination, in not getting the Mauch Chunk delegation. For this Lentz was not to blame, for the reason that Geo. Dolan's friends made it nigh impossible to deliver them against him. To deliver this delegation for Kramer Lentz would have endangered his own chances. Handwerk's majority after all was but 126, and that with a Labor ticket in the field.

"For Treasurer it will be a free-for-all race on both sides. As it is the best office in the county, we know a dozen good men who are willing to take their chances of election. On the Republican side: Wm. Kane and Wm. Thompson of Upper Mauch Chunk; Nathan Tanner, of Lansford; Harry Bower, of Lehigh, and others will trust their chances to Democratic liberality in the bosom of "stickers." Within the Democratic ways of those who fell outside the brackets last year, these lingers dream of handling the county affairs. And who knows but that Weatherly may present his energetic candidate of several fights, in the person of E. W. Williams, now that he has become "an offensive partisan" through Cleveland's defeat.

"The present Commissioners may succeed in being nominated, and they may not. It all depends upon how they stand with the party workers. If Hawk is again the minority nominee his chances for election are good."

—Wall Paper Remnants. Two cents for Blanks. Five cents for Gills.

E. F. Luckenbach, Mauch Chunk.

Ladies, we can tell you Where to get the fancy hedges with arms and legs to match, the gilt stars, bordering and white lace for trimming, gold and silver paper, the thin wire for spoons for making Christmas tree ornaments, everything to be had at Shaffer's Popular Book Store, 33 N. 7th street, Allentown, Pa.

—Genuine Scotch H. H. caps at 25 and 50 cents and upwards at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—We learn that Z. H. Hon, of Mahoning Valley, has purchased the Dolansburg Hotel, from Leopold Meyer.

—1500 men and boys suits at \$3.50, \$5, \$7, \$10 and upwards, at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—The employees of the Packerton car shops are now taken to work in covered cars.

—We can tell you a way to use Wall Paper remnants, that will astonish you; to know how little it costs to paper a room with gilt paper. E. F. Luckenbach, Mauch Chunk.

—William R. Niess, a youth of 17 years, fell from a coal train at Bethlehem, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad and was instantly killed by another passing train. His body was horribly mangled.

—For a fine suit or overcoat made to order at \$18, \$15, \$25 and upwards at Sondheim's One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk. Lowest prices and best goods.

—Cure of Pneumonia. How ROAN, NIAGARA CO., N. Y., March 24, 1888.

About a year ago I was taken with a severe pain in both lungs. I was first attacked with a violent chill, then a dreadful pain and then a cough accompanied by considerable fever. It looked very much like a bad attack of pneumonia. A friend of mine procured five Alcock's Plasters. One he put under each arm, one under each shoulder blade, and one on my chest close around my throat. In a few hours the cough ceased, the pain gradually abated and I broke out in a profuse perspiration. I fell into a profound sleep, and the next day was almost well. I wore the Plasters eight days afterwards, and have never had any trouble since. WILLIAM A. SAWYER.

—Auditor's Notice. In the Orphan's Court of the County of Carbon in the matter of the first and special account of JAMES LONN, Executor, &c., of the last Will and Testament of MARY J. LINDEN, late of Packerton, Carbon county, Pa., do hereby give notice to parties entitled thereto according to law, that on THURSDAY, the 29th day of DECEMBER, A. D. 1888, at 10 O'CLOCK P. M., at the office of W. M. RAPSHER, of Southampton street, Mauch Chunk, Pa., he will meet all parties having claims on said funds or account, who are required to present before said Auditor, or be debared from coming in for a share of said funds, by the order of the COURT. Auditor.

## THE STROLLER AT WEISSPORT.

A Batch of News Items Picked up by Our Special.

"Pierce Boyer, of Silver Brook, spent several days in town with his folks.

—Miss Minnie and Lizzie Laubach, of Lansborough, spent Saturday with friends here.

—Miss Mattie Allen, of Stockton, Pa., spent several days last week with Miss Mary Lairy.

—The burning necessity of the moment. A crossing from the canal bridge to the Central railroad tracks.

—We are sorry to note the continued illness of our friend B. F. Peter and trust that he will soon be convalescent.

—Key, Aaron Leopold and wife, are sojourning with numerous relatives and friends in one of the Western counties. We wish them a pleasant visit.

—The borough council have given property owners thirty days more grace to pay taxes. At the expiration of that time the borough authorities will take prompt action in the matter.

—The gang of overgrown boobies who make a practice of pulling door bells and throwing mud against shop windows, &c., in the precinct of East Weisport must stop their funny business or they will land in the "little stone jug."

—Dennis Nothstein, of Normal Square, has his portable steam saw mill now located on the Lehigh, and has commenced work on the six hundred logs caught in the Lehigh river, into lumber and fire wood. It is a job that is expected to last until Christmas.

—Letters in the Weisport office, for the following persons, remain uncalled for: William Wesley, Sylvester Weiss, Miss Lizzie Sherry, Ed. Soli, J. F. Horn, John Bergard and Annie Barber. Say "advertised" when calling for any of the above specialties.

—On Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Glass, in Great Bend, Pa., Miss Mary J. Lairy and Robert J. Sawell, of Weisport, were happily joined in the golden bonds of wedlock. "The Stroller" extends congratulations and best wishes for a safe and prosperous journey through life.

—Who will be the next postmaster? is a question frequently asked just now. For a few, we don't know, but "The Stroller" has overheard the following interesting conversation bearing on the subject: John S. Miller, Alfred Whittingham, Daniel Albright, B. K. Culton and Frank Lairy, either or all of them would make good postmasters to our mind, but we opine to the belief that when it comes to a final distribution of the spoils "Squire Miller" will come out one point ahead, of course, this is only our own private opinion, but keep an eye on the result.

—The following are the names of pupils on the East Weisport schools, who have been in attendance every day, since entering: GRAMMER—W. E. Smith, Principal; Guy Zern, Emma Snyder, Tillie Snyder, Arthur Hatch, Harry Rickett, Emma Boyer, Wm. Smoyer, Edith Pohl, Urban Graver, Intermediate—C. A. Hank, Teacher; Harry Weber, Willie Friend, Chas. Ruff, Hara Blase, Chester Setzer, Eva Simawer, Robt. Hartman, PHARMACY—Miss Gertrude Horn, Teacher; Arthur Mertz, Mamie Beck, Chas. Boyer, Lizzie Rhoads, Hildes Beck, Gertrude Stever, Gladys Rhoads, Lillie Ruff, Frank Long, Minnie Hattman, Howard Krage, Della Hill, Albert Rex, Flossie Kromer, Frank Hill, Belta Rext, Emma Soli.

W. E. SMITH, Principal.

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