ORIGINAL CHEAP CASH STORE

The Holiday Season.

Our stock of Foreign and Domestic Holiday Goods is now ready for inspection.

THE DISPLAY IS ONE OF THE BEST!

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Umbrellas, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs, Wool and Silk Mufflers, Mosiery, Gloves, Neckties, Cuffs and Collars, Underwear, Cardigan Jackets, Jersey Coats, Flannel and Dress Shirts, Shawls, Skirts, Table Covers, Napkins, Towels, Counterpanes, Blankets and Comfortables.

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Rugs, Mats, Lunch and Work Baskets, Fine Shoes and Slippers.

N. B.—We have just received one hundred bushels of Extra Large Shellbarks and ten hundred pounds of Choice Mixed Candy.

J. T. NUSBAUM,

First Street, between South and Plum Streets, Lehighton, Pa.

The Carbon Advocate

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1890.

OUR MAN WITH THE CAMERA.

Flash Pictures of Familiar Faces Coming and Going.

—Miss Phoebe Lawfer, of Bankway, is in Philadelphia.

—George Shultz, of Great Bend, was a Sunday visitor in town.

—Frank Obert was doing business at Catasauqua on Tuesday.

—Miss Lizzie Arner, of Mauch Chunk, visited Kate Arner, on Mahoning street Friday.

—Miss Maggie I. Huntzinger spent Saturday and Sunday very pleasantly at home in Tremont.

—The genial George Huntzinger, of Summit Hill, was a well-known visitor in town on Tuesday.

—Joseph B. Seidel and wife, of First street, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Reading, Pa.

—Fat and jolly Erve Schoch and Tobacconist H. A. Deitlenderfer circled at Allentown on Saturday last.

—John Stark, the South Easton baker, fatter and jollier than ever, circulated among friends here on Sunday.

—Mrs. George Swartwood, of Mauch Chunk, accompanied by her niece Miss Jennie Hughes spent Monday very pleasantly in town.

—Mrs. Ike Overholtzer and daughter Lillian, have returned from a very pleasant visit of several weeks to relatives at Columbia, Pa.

—J. F. Snyder, at one time the able and successful principal of the Weissport public schools, but now a merchant of Mountain Top, made our sanctum a short call Monday.

—The genial big hearted Harry Rader, of Allentown, was in town Tuesday for the first time in four years. He still believes "this country the best in America."

—Lewis N. Nesley, wife and daughter, of Mauch Chunk, were in town Sunday. Mr. Nesley, it will be remembered, was a candidate before a recent Democratic county convention for Treasurer and come out third high on the final ballot. Mr. N., is a staunch and popular Democrat and will be heard from again.

—J. W. Raudenbush and daughter Sallie, were in attendance Sunday at the funeral of George Raudenbush, who was a twin brother to J. W.'s father, Adam Raudenbush, who died at Packerton sometime during the year 1863. George Raudenbush was aged 92 years, having first seen the light of day at the Trappe, Montgomery county in 1798. He was a life long resident of the latter county and was buried near Pannsburg.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Two coal engines, with large fire boxes for burning pea coal, are now being built at the Weatherly machine shops, No. 173 just left the shops and looks almost like a new engine.

The number of employes on all the railroads of the country amounts to 700,000. There are 1,518 different railroad corporations, and the total mileage of these railroads is 156, 400 miles.

Box cars have been scarce on the different railroads during the past summer. The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company lost freight traffic to the extent of $200,000 by being unable to furnish cars.

A palace horse car intended to run on passenger trains and carry race horses and sulkies in the summer, and a theatrical scenery in the winter, has been completed at the Lehigh Valley car shops in South Easton.

The Lehigh Valley is in the market for 2000 standard house cars of 60,000 pounds capacity, for which bids will be received up to Dec. 1. These cars are to be similar to the 2500 house cars which were built for the road last winter.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad Company is experimenting with a new system for lighting their passenger cars. Small tanks of gasoline are placed on top of the cars, the tanks are connected with the air pressure, when a gas is formed and is forced through the burners. A car has been fitted up with the new system and will be tested by the officials of the company, with a view of adopting it for all of their passenger coaches if it proves a success. It is claimed for the new process that it will light a car for 100 hours.

A new style of bumping post, for the open end of switches and tracks, is about to be tried on the Lehigh Valley. A gentleman from Chicago, who represents a patent contrivance brought one of his appliances here this week for the inspections of Roadmaster Caffrey. It will be erected at a convenient place and thoroughly tested preliminary to its adoption. It is a common occurence for cars to be shoved off of open ends of switches, and though rail bumpers, stone walls, posts and other devices have been tried to prevent this, none have thus far been considered sufficiently practical as to warrant their coming into general use. The new bumping post will therefore be regarded with considerable interest.

Allentown Complimentary.

MANY THANKS, BROTHER.

Allentown Critic.

The CARBON ADVOCATE was eighteen years of age last Saturday. It is a sprightly, fearless and well conducted weekly and well deserves the success it has won by hard and earnest labor. We congratulate Brother Morthimer upon his past good fortune, and wish him a yet greater share in the years to come.

A SPRIGHTLY PAPER.

Hazleton Plain Speaker.

The CARBON ADVOCATE, edited by Mr. Morthimer, at Lehighton, was eighteen years old on last Saturday. Mr. Morthimer edits a spightly newspaper and he has many friends in this section who wish to see him prosper and who congratulate him on his success of the past.

AS GOOD AS THE BEST.

Mauch Chunk Times.

The Lehighton ADVOCATE reached its nineteenth volume last week. The Morthimers have as good a little newspaper plant as there's one in the Valley and they may feel justly proud of it.

DESERVES SUCCESS.

Slatington News.

The CARBON ADVOCATE has entered its 19th year. It is a well-conducted journal and deserves success.

Just What You Want.

For hardwood mantels in all the latest designs, also slate mantels, open fire places and tiling of every description, call at the warerooms of

CRANDALL & KLECHNER,
No. 820 Hamilton Street, Allentown, Pa.

LOCAL SANDWICHES.

Breezy Happenings as Caught by Wide Awake Reporters and Spitefly Told to "Advocate" Readers.

—Clean your gutters.

—Rishel's photo work is best.

—Lehighton is promised a Chinese laundry.

—Three months of the school term has already passed.

—Full line of Ingrain and Brussels carpets at Henry Schwartz.

—Thomas Swartz, of town, is a Prudential Insurance agent.

—Save money by buying wall paper at Luckenbach's, Mauch Chunk.

—Monday will be the 136th anniversary of the Gnaden Hutten Massacre.

—We have a few delinquent subscribers whom we would like to see square up.

—Put in crossings on First street. The convenience of pedestrians demand this.

—We print sale bills at lowest prices, and give you a notice in our popular sale registry.

—216 fat hogs were slaughtered at Obert's Pork Packing Establishment on Monday.

—The macadam of First street will likely be extended as far south as the Zehner residence.

—The borough ordinances should be revised and published, so that people may know the law.

—Fred Schmidt, of Parryville, has sold his farm, and again talks of taking up a residence here.

—Ladies long coats and jackets cheaper than ever at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—Lehigh stove foundry lay idle for several days this week while numerous repairs were in progress.

—To be quite in style you must hire your teams of David Ebbert, the popular north street liveryman.

—Granville Bretney's Second street home was brightened Monday by the arrival of a little girl visitor.

—The five percent, additional will be added to your taxes after December 10 and not 15 as we made it read last week.

—The "Ragpickers Child" in the Opera House, Monday, was first-class and much appreciated by a fair sized audience.

—The finest, latest and cheapest styles in ladies coats you will find at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—David Kleintop, of Bankway, is back to work in the machine shops at Packerton, after nursing a sore hand for two weeks.

—The progressive Ashland *Telegram*, refers to the CARBON ADVOCATE as "one of the brightest and best weeklies on our exchange list."

—A new schedule went into effect on the Lehigh Valley Railroad Sunday, and the corrected time table appears elsewhere in to-day's issue.

—A little girl named Flossie Blose, of lower First street, fell down a flight of stairs Wednesday morning and almost severed her tongue.

—Owen Rehrig will artistically repaint and decorate J. W. Raudenbush's dwelling house on First street recently, purchased from Lewis Marsteiner.

—A catechetical class will be formed by Rev. J. Alvin Reber, pastor of Zion's Reformed congregation, Saturday evening coming at 7:30 o'clock.

—Sheriff Levan on Wednesday levied on the personal property of John Blose, who is doing a wholesale candy business on First street. The sale will come off on the 26.

—Burgess Mahlon Reichard is talked of for re-election as chief executive of this city. Mr. Reichard has certainly made a good official and deserves continuance in office.

—Handbills for the sale of real estate and personal property, handsomely illustrated with appropriate cuts to make them attractive, are printed at our office at short notice and at low rates.

—Cabinet photos $1 a dozen at Rishel's

—Much depends on the election of good borough officials. Let this fact be uppermost in the minds of our voter population from now until after the local elections. Only place good men in office. Men who will look after and protect your interests.

—A leaking valve closed up the steam escape of an engine in the Valley round house, at this place, recently, with the result that the iron steed started off, dashed through the entrance door and was only saved from the "pit" by heavy timber obstructions.

—Arion Cornet Band treated our people to another one of their delightful open air concerts from the balcony of the Exchange Hotel, Saturday evening last. The music discoursed was par excellentisimo and shows rapid advancement on the part of the band boys.

—Fred Horlacher has asked Council for the privilege of running electric wires through the town. The poles for this purpose are here, and the consent of Council only remains to be had before work is commenced and pushed to completion. Let Council act quickly.

—A red top turnip thirty-two inches in circumference and weighing eight pounds was a product of Thomas Horn's garden, on exhibition at this office during the week. It was a dandy Pattison specimen and we would like to see something "turnip" to beat it.

—Rishel's $1 a doz photos are the best.

—Much complaint is heard on account of the poor condition of the foot walk from the Valley House to the Lehigh bridge. It is dark and dangerous along this walk, and Council should remedy the evil at once by laying a new walk and erecting a lamp near the bridge.

—In giving a list of the Zehner-Hagerman presents in our last issue we inadvertently ommitted the names of J. H. Handwerk and wife, rocker; John Semmel and wife, white spread; among the presents were also a linen table cover and napkins, and chenila table cover without cards.

—Base ball for next season is already looking up. Manager Reber is keeping his left eye peeled and has commenced to negotiate with well-known amateur players in neighboring counties who will make a record for Lehighton next year. The people ask for good base ball and they will very likely get it.

—We see it announced that O. A. Clauss, of Lehighton, is likely to be a candidate for Prothonotary. Mr. Clauss is thoroughly equipped for the position; has always been an active, earnest Democrat, and is a resident of a town that always supports the Democratic ticket. We predict that should Oliver enter the field he will make a rattling campaign.—*Democrat.*

—The Hazleton *Plain Speaker* evidently has no fear of Postmaster General Wanamaker and his club. In Tuesday's issue it prints prominently in its local columns the result of a raffle at a Hazleton saloon—and the edition goes through the mail unquestioned. There are evidently postmasters and postmasters, and there is a greater distance between Hazleton and Lehighton than the map shows.—*Allentown Critic.*

THE COUNTY SEAT.

The Gossip of the Day Told in a Short Original Manner by a Special Correspondent.

—Contractor George Diehl, of Lehighton, was a familiar figure on our streets, Wednesday.

—The County Commissioners put $12,000 worth of four per cent county bonds on sale Monday.

—The bridge crossing the Lehigh river to East Mauch Chunk is about completed and will be ready for traffic in a few days.

—Bonds in the amount of $1000 was on Wednesday issued to Mrs. Lena Raditz, of Lehighton, by the County Commissioners.

—The national stars and stripes will be placed in the Catholic parochial school on West Broadway, Thanksgiving afternoon.

—Messrs. Rapsher & Cassidy were attending Court at Pottsville during the week, defending an important case of conspiracy.

—Michael Oates, of the east side, employed on the new bridge, was hit on the head by a falling piece of timber and badly injured the other day.

—Carbon county's actual indebtedness is $23,250. Taxable valuation, $495,000. Added to the first will be an increase of $12,000 to pay for the East Mauch Chunk bridge.

—The Democratic ox roast and jollification on Saturday afternoon and evening last proved quite an interesting affair. Many prominent Democrats from all over the county were in attendance.

—Recently a citizen of Montour county died who had been a Clerk of Courts for twenty-three consecutive years. This goes to show that people appreciate safe and reliable public officials and continue them in office.

—We erred in saying that the genial Tom Arner had served three years as clerk in the Commissioners office. He has been in the office two years, but in that time he has proved his efficiency by a careful discharge of the duties falling to him, and he should be re-elected.

—Lewis Romaniskey, keeps a notion store on Susquehanna street. Early Friday morning he was awakened from his dreams of big profits and wealth by a passer by who informed him that his bon marche had been forcibly entered and robbed of goods to the value of $20.

—The well-known firm of Rex Bros., has dissolved partnership, Mr. Ed Rex, retiring. Mr. Rex has purchased the Corner Store, of Williams & Kauffman, who in turn have bought an established wholesale fancy notion house in New York city. Possession will be given on or about December 1st. The popular Rex Bon Marche will be continued by C. A Rex, and people looking for bargains will find them at the old stand.

Death of Augustus Seeboldt.

We regret to chronicle the death of Augustus Seaboldt, of Pottstown, for many years past train dispatcher on the Perkiomen Railroad. Deceased was a son of John Seaboldt, Sr., and a brother of William and John Seaboldt, all of town. He was aged fifty-six years and leaves a wife, two daughters and one son to mourn his death. Augustus Seaboldt served four years in the late rebellion and had a soldier record to be proud of.

Just the Thing.

Merchants, now is the time to begin your holiday advertising. Waken up. The merchants of surrounding towns have already begun telling the people, through the columns of their newspapers, what great bargains and special sales they will make before and during the holidays. There is no necessity for arguing the question of whether advertising pay or not. If you think it don't, take in your signs and pull down the blinds. Keep quiet—the goose may lay a golden egg in your woodshed.

His Confession.

The merchant who wrote the following which we find in an exchange, has our sincere sympathy. He has confessed like a little man and we hope that he may get another start in the world: "You'd not expect one of my age in merchandising to engage, and hope to get a paying trade, without the local paper's aid. And yet I did that very thing; I opened up a store last spring—this month the sheriff took my stock and sold it from the auction block. Don't view me with a scornful eye, but simply say, as I pass by: There goes a fool who seems to think he has no use for printer's ink. There is a truth as broad as earth, and business men should know its worth; 'tis simply this: The public buys its goods from those who advertise."

Bowmanstown Special.

—Dallas Blose is erecting a cosy little home at Kittatiny.

—Mrs. Henry George is convalescing from a serious illness.

—Peter Markle and family have taken up a residence at Stony Mountain.

—Jacob Blose and Robert Wright lost fat porkers last week with hog cholera which prevails alarmingly in this section.

—Twelve employees of the Carbon Iron Company at Parryville quit work one day last week because one man was suspended from each shift at furnace No. 3.

—The National Camp, P. O. S. of A., in session at Boston recently adopted a new constitution to go into effect Jan. 1, 1891. Camp 29 protests against the adoption of the same.

Weatherly Squibs.

—About 660 pupils are enrolled in the Weatherly schools. At the request of Principal Bitter the teachers will hereafter have monthly meeting for the study of the science and art of education.

—Engine 523 was taken to Buffalo, New York, on Monday. No. 529 was sent there some time ago, and it was on the strength of the good service that got from this engine that they asked for another of a similar grade.

—The annex of the Weatherly silk mill is nearly under roof. A five-hundred horse-power engine was lately placed in position to furnish power for the thousand spindles that will soon be put in operation. Where a few years ago a few impoverished trees grew out of the rocky soil now stands the largest silk mill in the world.

—The post office excitement at this place is not over yet, there being another petition going the rounds of the people. We see no good reason why a change should be made, the present incumbent being one of six brothers, who are, and always have been, staunch Republicans, and five of them, the postmaster among the number, having served in the late rebellion.

—Coal and Iron Police Hoodmacher, of town, had quite a number of boys in the lockup last week for jumping cars. It seems these boys have been playing truant from school and congregated above town and made a practice of jumping on and off the cars until Policeman Hoodmacher took all in hand. They were kept in the lockup for a few hours and then allowed to depart after promising to mend their ways.

—Buy your ladies plush Jersey and beaver jackets at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

PERTINENT TOPICS.

What People Find Time to Talk About Here and Elsewhere.

☞ Fancy pictures a calmly beautiful night with only the hooting of a night owl, the creaking of the leafless branches, the mournful ripple of the waters and the echo, perhaps, of the rifle shot as it reverberated over hill and vale. Such a night, we opine, was the one on which the God fearing band of Moravians met their sad fate one hundred and thirty-six years ago on next Monday. Late on that night, almost a century and a half ago, the mission house of the Moravians was attacked, burned to the ground and the inmates put to a cruel death. They were eleven in number Gotlieb and Susanna Andreas, with their child Johanna; Martin and Susanna Nitchman, Leonard Gattermyer, Christian Fabricus, clerk; George Schweigert and Martin Presser. It is unfortunate that so important an event in the early history of our town and county is left to go by in default. This godfearing band of christians deserve more than a passing thought. They opened up to civilization, by daring trials, misfortune and death, Carbon county and the country surrounding. Phœnix-like a prosperous little town has sprung up from the ashes of Gnaden Hutten which to-day stands as a living monument to their christian fortitude and bravery. In the cemetery, here, only a plain marble shaft marks the resting place of the martyred band, but to him who can correctly appreciate God's blessings it tells a wonderful story—suffering, death—of a little band of disciples who went down to death in their endeavor to build for themselves homes and the establishment of God's word in Carbon county. In the various churches next Sunday the pastors should at least be able to find one word expressive of the heroism, the christian fortitude and bravery of the martyred band of Moravians.

☞ The political wiseacre is at it already for next fall, and he has the following names on his slate: for Sheriff, John Brighton, of Coalport; Charley Gallagher, of East Mauch Chunk; Oscar Arner, of Weissport; Jonathan Kistler, of Lehighton. For Prothonotary, the present able incumbent, G. W. Esser, of Mauch Chunk; Eugene Williams, of Weatherly; E. R. Siewers, of Mauch Chunk, and O. A. Clauss, of Lehighton. District Attorney, Frank P. Sharkey, of the County Seat. These are only Democratic possibilities.

☞ It was a class lesson in objects and the teacher had drawn the figure of a hen on the board. Up goes a hand at the foot of the class and the bright little hopeful lisps, "I know what it is." "Well, what is it?" asks the teacher. B. B.—"A hen." T—"What is a hen?" B. B—"A chicken." Class dismissed.

☞ The Horlacher dam, on the Lehigh river, just below the Jersey Central railroad bridge, is the feeder to the strongest waterpower in the state. The dam is four and a half feet deep and 450 feet wide, and the chartered right to erection was granted to the Weiss' way back almost a century ago. Recently it was purchased by Mr. Horlacher from Albright & Yeakel for $17,000, and he has made many important improvements. Mr. H. in turn sold a large interest to a syndicate of well-to-do New Yorkers and several industrial plants now are in early prospective, among the number being electricity.

Public Sale.

On Saturday, 29th instant, there will be exposed to public sale at the Andreas Dairy Farm in East Penn township, 22 head of Jersey and Holsteen cows and ten fine blooded heifers and calves. This will be a rare opportunity for parties desiring to secure blooded stock. See advertisement

It Was a Tie.

In a shooting contest in this place on Saturday last between Porter, of Hokendauqua, and Laf. Schoch, of town, two ties resulted—the score standing as appended below, each killing nine birds out of a possible twenty. The same parties will shoot again Saturday:

Porter——0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1 1
Schoch——1 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 1 1 1

Restitution Money.

On Tuesday, Lewis Weiss, who kept a store in Weissport for many years in partnership with James Bowman, received a letter addressed to Bowman & Co., in care of Lewis Weiss, the letter contained fifteen dollars, and read as follows:

WEISSPORT, November 11th, 1890.

Messrs. Bowman & Co., Sirs: Enclosed find fifteen dollars, conscience money, the same being principal with interest to date. I have turned a new leaf and now conscience tells me to pay it. Yours truly.

Please let me know through the CARBON ADVOCATE.

A Necessity to the Town.

Our townsman, Benj. J. Kister, of Home Fertilizer fame, has under his supervision a factory located at Jamestown, where he intends to convert refuse matter, such as dead animals butcher shop refuse &c., into fertilizer. The plant is under the management of Mr. Lechnor, who will upon being notified, remove any refuse or dead animal free of charge. A Lehighton, but her was the first to patronize the establishment, and says it relieves him of a great deal of work. Word can also be left with Dr. O. W. Snyder at the Carbon House, Mr. Kistler will be absent during the coming winter establishing other plants in different parts of the United States.

Quite a Success.

The grand concert given last Friday evening, Nov. 14, 1890, under the auspices of the Daughters of Zion of the Reformed church of Lehighton, was indeed a rare treat. The program in its entirety was a grand success. The music furnished by the Ursinus College Glee Club was excellently rendered and unanimously applauded, and under the efficient leadership of Prof. Nathan Balliet will continue to elicit the applause of all who may have the pleasure of hearing them.

The balance of the program consisted of difficult drills and pantomimes; and this particular we note the tambourine drill by thirteen girls, the drill and chorus by a number of small boys, the vocal duet by Katie Farren and Alice Blank, and the tableaux by pretty little Millie Warner.

The Daughters of Zion, and Mrs W. G. M. Seiple and Miss Emma Kistler in particular, deserves the highest commendation for the rare treat afforded our people. The two latter ladies can always be counted on as producing something strikingly original and intensely interesting when concerned in the promulgation of a program, and to them is due much credit for the success of the entertainment.

For 30 Days Only.

We will make fine black dress suits to order for $20 worth $25. All woolen overcoats to order for $15 worth $20. You will positively save 25c on every suit or overcoat you get measured for at Sondheim's Merchant Tailoring Hall, Mauch Chunk, Pa.

—Clearance sales of wall paper below cost at Luckenbach's, Mauch Chunk.

CARBON COUNTY TIPS.

A Glittering Casket of Crisp Condensations. Original and Stolen from the Newsy Creation.

—Al Brown, of New Mahoning, on Tuesday killed a snake which measured four feet in length.

—Charles Grim, for twenty years past a Coal and Iron Police at Jeanesville, has resigned and will go to Virginia.

—At the Jeanesville collieries the demand for buckwheat coal is so great that a force of extra men have been put to work.

—At the advanced age of 82 years, Barnard Murphy died at Jeanesville on Saturday. He was a respected resident of the community.

—The Crane Iron Company is receiving 2000 tons of foreign iron ore for its Catasauqua and Parryville furnaces from the Philadelphia wharves.

—The jewelry store of Joseph Benninghoff, at Nesquehoning, was broken into and robbed one night recently. There is no clew to the theives.

—A quilting party to conclude with a grand hop is arranged to come off at McDaniel's popular Eagle Hotel, Pleasant Corner, on Thanksgiving evening.

—Thieves forced an entrance into the home of Mrs. Evans, of Coaldale, Sunday, and ransacked her trunk of $200 in cash, a valuable watch and a package of papers.

—The Young Men's Catholic T. A. B., Society, of Jeanesville, initiated fifteen new members on one meeting night recently. The society now numbers forty-one.

—Bishop Thomas Bowman, of the Evangelical Association, will preach next Sunday morning and evening at Milliport. The services in the morning will be in German and in the evening English.

—Samuel Noll, of Lizzard Creek, aged 86 years, was cracking coal recently when a flying splinter struck him in the right eye and inflicted a wound from the result of which he has lost the sight of that optic.

—A man who is supposed to have been "a little bit off his base" jumped from No. 7 passenger Friday night at Parryville, while the train was moving rapidly. Conductor Murphy stopped the train but no trace of the man could be found.

—A series of revival meeting are now in progress in the Evangelical church at Beaver Run, and there are nightly accessions. The services last Sunday evening were conducted by Revs. Jackson; of Packerton, and McCartney, of Parryville.

—While driving through Beaver Meadow Wednesday morning Joseph Horn, a farmer, ran over and killed John Stifanko's four-year-old son. A party of Stifanko's friends pursued Horn with the intention of killing him, but took the wrong road and failed to catch him. Horn drove to Hazleton and surrendered himself.

—The ball of the Manhatten Club of the Lehigh Valley, to be held in Cassler's rink, Weatherly, Dec. 19, promises to eclipse any of the season. Special rates will be given parties from the South Side desiring to attend. The club is composed of members from Bethlehem, Allentown, Slatington, Lehighton, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly and Hazleton.—Hazleton *Plain Speaker.*

—Solomon Kemmerer, of Mahoning, living with his son-in-law, Wm. Mantz, was on the occasion of his 84th birthday, recently, honored with the biggest surprise party ever held in the Mahoning Valley. Dancing was the principal feature, the old man playing the violin himself during the entire night. The assemblage separated in the "wee sma' hours" of the morning, bearing with them feelings of gratification over the pleasures they had enjoyed.

Mahoning Items.

—Nathaniel Torrance, of Philadelphia, is visiting in the Valley.

—N. M. Balliet, professor of Latin and Greek in Ursinus College, spent Sunday at home.

—G. K. Musselman and wife, of Kansas City, Mo., spent a few weeks visiting relatives and friends here.

—Rev. A. Bartholomew will preach in the English language in St. John's church on Sunday morning, November 30th.

—Mrs. John Freyman, after being confined to her bed for about a year and a half, died last Sunday. Interment took place Thursday, at St. John's church.

—Mahlon Nothstein, the well-known horse shoer and blacksmith, is full of work. He has resided here for twenty years past and his record for fair and honest dealing now makes it necessary for him to employ extra help. When you want anything in his line give him a call.

—The Evangelical church having been repaired, will be dedicated on Sunday. On Saturday evening Rev. J. J. Reitz, of Weissport, will preach and on Sunday Rev. Miller, of Mahanoy City. On Sunday evening protracted meetings will begin under the direction of Rev. A. M. Sampsel the pastor of the church.

Parryville Items.

—John E. Beitz is confined to the house with an attack of nervous prostration.

—Al Gumbert stumbled against a cinder car on Saturday and had the side of his face severely burned.

—Osterbach & Co., of Rittersville, have a gang of men at work repairing the boilers and stacks of the Carbon Iron Co's furnace.

—A little strike at the Furnace last Friday caused considerable excitement for a short time. The matter has, we understand, been amicably settled.

—All praise to our borough fathers. The street lamps have been put in proper order and their effulgent rays cheer the belated pedestrian on his way. Right!

—The application for a charter for a Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle is still open. Those of our citizens who desire to join should sign the application at once.

—Mrs. Robert Pettit has just received an immense stock of three and five cent goods. Call and see the wonderful array of articles which the small sum of five cents will buy.

—The genial Dildine Snyder continues to improve and we hope soon to see him on the streets again. VERNON.

East Penn Clippings.

—William Kistler, of Ohio, is visiting his parents.

—Peter Collins, of Bellefonte, is visiting Penrose George.

—Hog cholera prevails extensively among the porkers hereabouts.

—Miss Mary Warlow is enjoying the pleasures of rural life.

—Joseph McFarland and family have taken up a residence in Parryville.

—Frank DeLong, of Allentown, spent last Sunday with his brother James.

—James DeLong is convalescent from a serious illness much to the pleasure of his many friends.

—See elsewhere in this paper the advertisement of the big sale of blooded live stock to come off on the 29th at the Andress dairy farm.

—A fat hog, belonging to Reuben Wertman, that walked with impunity on the new railroad the other day, was run over and sausaged without charge.

—The East Penn school board met at Ashfield Saturday evening, paid the teachers' salaries and transacted other business. When it came to Physiological Charts however there was quite a rumpus.

—Penrose George, Edwin Loch and Jonas Rehrig were arbitrators in a suit for damages instituted by Jacob Eck against H. H. Schleicher, whose cattle had played havoc with a piece of land that had been seeded. Eck was awarded $6.00.

NEWSY WEISSPORT.

The Doings of a Lively Town Briefly Chronicled in Short Snip-Snap Order by the "Stroller and Chum."

—Merchant Joseph Fenner circled at Allentown Tuesday.

—The Emery Wheel is working again after a week's idleness.

—Rev. W. A. Leopold, of Allentown, was a visitor here Monday.

—Hiram Arner and wife, of Nescopec, were guests of Samuel Welch this week.

—Jacob Christman is about leaving on a two week's visit to numerous friends in Bucks county.

—Mrs. Jacob Wentz, of Union Hill, is said to be quite ill, and many anxiously look for her speedy recovery.

—Already the members of Ebenezer Evangelical Sunday school are making preparations for their annual Christmas entertainment.

—Jerome H. Smith, of Lehighton, a local preacher of the Evangelical church, discoursed to Ebenezer's congregation last Sunday evening.

—Special agent Frank Heffelfinger, of Lehighton, was doing service at the Central station here for the past two weeks in the absence of Agent Benninger.

—Somewhere the "Stroller" overheard some one say that a number of young trees were to be planted in the square, and—it don't look very much as if there was any truth in it.

—Rev. I. F. Heisler, of Mauch Chunk, will preach to Ebenezer Evangelical congregation on next Sunday morning at the regular church service hour. All are cordially invited to attend.

—We regret to announce the death of Mr. Benninger, of Walnutport, father of our esteemed townsman, Central agent J. D. Benninger. Interment took place on Saturday and was largely attended.

—When the economic housewife wants to buy potatoes, apples, or other seasonable vegetables and fruits, she goes to O. J. Seager's store over the canal bridge. So do hucksters who want to save the freight.

—The Franklin Independent School District will shortly issue $6000 worth of bonds at four per cent. It is thought that there will be no trouble to secure this amount—an Allentown capitalist having already offered to take the whole amount.

—The jubilent Democracy will celebrate the election of Governor Robert E. Pattison on Saturday by a grand jubilee and ox roast in the public square. There will be brass band music and speeches, and a happy re-union of all friends of pure government.

—A very pleasant birthday party in honor of Miss Emma Albright came off at her home on Tuesday evening, and was made the occasion of much pleasure by many young friends from town and Lehighton. At a late hour a delectable repast was served to the guests.

—It will no doubt greatly interest old friends here to learn that B. F. Vogt, who was born and raised here, is meeting with fair success in life. He is now in Princeton, Va., after having made an extensive trip through Tennessee and Mississippi. He sends kind regards to old friends.

—Chas. Roth, of Hamburg, Berks Co., was an old Weissporter back seeing friends and acquaintances during last week. Charley has changed but little, and, if anything is looking better now than ever. Mrs. Roth accompanied him here and spent some time with her many lady friends.

—The jovial Joe Pohl is back from Buffalo, N. Y., where he has been located for a year past. It will be remembered that Joe was badly injured in the Mud Run wreck in October, 1888. He has, however, almost entirely recovered from the effect of his injuries and is as light-hearted as ever.

—The importance of a draw bridge over the canal becomes more apparent every day. As an instance, and not an uncommon one, travel was stopped for a half hour Tuesday while coal and freight trains rushed by. Our people should agitate the draw bridge, it would be a big improvement.

—The imperturbable small boy of the east side is at it again. This time he is destroying property belonging to the Franklin Independent School District, and is very likely be "pulled in" and punished if he continues. It strikes us that a good hickory stick in generous doses would do as much good as anything in a case of this kind.

—The prop business which started up here almost ten years ago and assumed great proportions under Zern & Marsh is not as brisk now as it might be, though the business still continues,—the props being shipped chiefly to Hauto. When the business started up Zern & Marsh made Samuel Welch shipping superintendent and he has done service in that capacity continuously since.

—The employers in Snyder's planing mill have organized themselves into a Relief Association and opened a fund of relief into which each member will pay $1 00 per month during the period in which any member may, by reason of injury, be incapacitated from following his usual occupation and the earning of a livelihood. There are twenty-two members in the fund and they have elected the following excellent corps of officers: President, Oliver Trine; vice president, Daniel Krauss; secretary, Benj. Roth; treasurer, Milton Snyder.

—Weissport is taking action in a matter that still further entitles them to the distinction of a live progressive town. At a meeting of Good Will Hook and Ladder Company last Saturday, it was decided that an effort be made to have the Lehighton Water Company extend their water mains to this town. Council will be petitioned to contract for a suitable number of fire plugs and the Fire Company will equip themselves with a hose carriage and hose. This is an improvement that will cost our town very little, and it should be pushed to a successful finish.

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