ORIGINAL CHEAP CASH STORE

Our stock of Underwear is somewhat broken and in order to move the balance quickly we will cut the prices. Comforts and Blankets are in bad shape at this season of the year, to move the broken stocks. You can save money by calling and learning prices they are astonishing.

Table Linens from 18c a yard to 75c a yard the most handsome line ever shown.

Turkey Red Table Linens they are beauties and can not be equaled for price and quality.

Towls ! Towls !

we can not speak to highly of this stock as we are positive our line of Towls excells anything in this valley for Style, Quality and Price.

Russian Crashes from the cheapest to the finest Embroidery Crashes.

A very large assortment of Linen Crashes, Plain, Plaids and Stripes, ranging from 6c to 14c. Compare our prices with any rival. Bar none.

J. T. NUSBAUM,

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

The Carbon Advocate

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 18, 1892

WEATHERLY.

—The P. O. S. of A. band, of Weatherly, will give a concert at the Beaver Meadow fair on Saturday night

—Invitations are out for the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Houck. The happy event takes place Monday evening the 20th inst.

—Mrs. Jacob Sevison, was buried Monday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Stout. She had been an invalid for many years. She died last Saturday. The pastor of the Luthern church officiated.

—The town council gave the name Weatherly No. 1 to the new hose carriage recently ordered. The hose department of the fire company selected the name Florence in honor of the daughter of the president of the company, but council ruled otherwise.

—Miss Laura Hofford, of Lehighton, daughter of an ex-County Superintendent R. F. Hofford, of the Carbon county public schools, has been visiting for a week or more with the families of Principal Ritter, of the public schools, and Thomas Hall. She returned home Tuesday.

—An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rabenthal died on Saturday. Interment was made on Wednesday.

—The Junior American Mechanics and the P. O. S. of A. have arranged things for a parade on Washington's Birthday to be followed by the raising of flags on our public school building.

—The regular monthly teachers' meeting was held in the high school room last Monday evening. Intellectual education was the subject under consideration. On account of the inclemency of the weather several of the teachers were not in attendance at this meeting. Next meeting will be held on the 6th of March.

—The Weatherly Fire Company will have a grand ball in Cassler's Rink the coming Friday night. First-class music has been engaged for the occasion thus affording all an opportunity to engage in an exercise that is considered most healthful. The body as well as the mind feels its gladdening influence. No amusement seems more to have a foundation in our natures. The animation of youth overflows spontaneously in harmonious movement resulting in an ease and grace, and the sense of the graceful is one of the highest faculties of our nature.

EAST PENN.

—The people of East Penn are exercised over a three legged calf. The animal is perfect in all particulars with the exception that where there should be two legs at the front part there is but one. The appendage hangs at the side. This freak is the property of Nathan German.

—A circular variously posted up throughout this district reflecting on Eli Heintzleman, James Balliet and others is said to be from the hands of Dr. Sitler. If this be so the doctor is even a smaller potato than we thought him to be. He should try again, however, for this circular only reflects his own smallness and does the gentlemen attacked no harm.

A Mare For Sale.

—Henry J. Danzer, Sr., of Beaver Run, offers for sale his 6 year old mare. She is perfectly safe, not afraid of engines and a steady and reliable driver. For further particulars apply as above. tf.

Special Notice.

Our entire stock of men's and boys' suits and overcoats comprising all new styles and makes will be sold at ½ less than manufacturing price which means a discount of 33 per cent for you by calling at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk, for your clothing

Wanted.

A number of young girls and boys can find steady employment at good wages, by applying immediately to John Yost, superintendent Lehighton Hosiery Mill. tf.

Do You Want Shade Trees?

L. J. Heidt, of Second street, has accepted the agency here for a first-class nursery firm, and will be pleased to supply all who are in need with fine fruit and shade trees, grape vines, &c., at low prices. He also has for sale a fine lot of seed potatoes. Call and see him.

"ON TO WASHINGTON!"

Reading Railroad's Reduced Fares to the Inauguration.

The imposing ceremonial of installing Grover Cleveland in the Presidential chair, the accompanying pageants both military and civic, and the always interesting sights of the National Capital will attract many thousands of visitors from this section. For their accommodation the Reading Railroad will sell special round-trip tickets at figures considerably below the regular fares, good going March 2d, 3d and 4th and to return up to and including March 7th. The route is over the world-renowned Royal Blue Line, the terminus of which is directly opposite the Capital building. It is probable that special through express trains will be run from the various divisions of the Reading System, announcements of which will be made later. Information regarding rates, etc., may be had at Reading Railroad stations and ticket offices.

WALP'S EAGLE STORE.

People who buy at our Store always go away satisfied because we give them their money's worth, then too, they have a large assortment of all kinds of General Store Goods to select from. Some goods, those of Fall and Winter patterns we are closing out at reduction prices in order to make room for our spring arrival of goods which we intend to surpass all previous exhibitions. We again cordially invite you to come and see us.

Robert Walp,

First street, Op. Round House.

NEWSY OCCURRENCES.

LOCAL MATTERS OF MORE OR LESS IMPORTANCE.

What Has Occured in this City During the Week Particularly Epitomized by Our Special Reporters.

—Fine teams for all purposes at the South End Livery.

—All kinds of books and fine stationery at Luckenbach's, Mauch Chunk.

—Fine free lunch will be served at W. A. Peters' restaurant on Saturday evening.

—Hucksters supplied with fish, &c., at D. F. Rickert's, East Weissport. Cheap—terms cash. tf.

—Just make it a point to see David Ebbert when you want a team for business or pleasure. Lowest prices.

—Ed Ratcliffe this week bought P. A. German's fine thoroghbred Irish Bagel Hound.

—Go to C. A. Harding's livery on North street for teams for pleasure purposes or for weddings or funerals. Lowest prices.

—Fish, oysters, cheese, oranges and lemons, peanuts, etc., wholesale at D. F. Rickert's, Campbell's old stand, East Weissport. tf.

—Musical College.—The Spring Term opens May 1st., in Vocal and Instrumental Music. For catalogues address Henry B. Moyer, Freeburg, Pa. 3t.

—Ed Jones, for a long time at the Exchange Hotel as general utility man, is now with the Valley House, in the same capacity.

—All the latest shapes in fine gold wedding rings can be had at E. H. Hohl's Mauch Chunk jewelry store.

—Do you want to see a handsome lot of parlor clocks at reasonable prices? Then go to E. H. Hohl, Mauch Chunk, Pa.

—A $15.00 ladies' coat sold at $2.94 at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—Ladies' and misses' jackets sold at $3.00, $4.00 and $5.00, worth from $12.00 to $18.00 at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk.

—Rev. J. S. Newhart pastor of the Evangelical congregation will preach his farewell sermon on Sunday evening

—The Young People's Alliance of the Evangelical church meets Friday evening. All are invited.

—Peters Bros., of Petersville will supply a fine iron fence for the Moses Heilman property on the corner of Third and Alum streets.

—The CARBON ADVOCATE job rooms has just closed a contract to print a drug company 50,000 four page circulars.

—Presiding Elder W. A. Leopold, of the Evangelical congregation, will preach in the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening. All are invited to these services.

—The first lot of the new Columbian postage stamps were received at the Lehighton office by Postmaster A. W. Raudenbush on Monday. There were 10,000 in all.

—While coasting on Second street last Saturday evening, Sadie, daughter of Doug. Miller, was knocked down and sustained a severe contusion on the head, above the eye.

—If you want a watch of any kind don't fail to see E. H. Hohl's elegant stock and get his reduced prices. It will positively pay you a good day's wages for the trouble. Mauch Chunk.

—The young friends of Miss Alice, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gable, who is in Philadelphia, under treatment for affected hearing, will be pleased to learn that she is gradually improving.

—The first time you go to Mauch Chunk don't fail to take a look at the many new and pretty things in silver E. H. Hohl, the jeweler, is now displaying. Nothing like it was ever shown in this vicinity.

—It is said that Mrs. Remaley, of Carbon street, who fell and sustained injuries on the pavement in front of the Robert Walp property on north First street, will bring suit against the borough for $5000 damages.

—Something new are our hickory suits for boys. Age from 4 to 18 which will stand more racket than any other suit and can be bought at the One Price Star Clothing Hall, Mauch Chunk, at rock bottom prices.

—The directors of the Lehighton Cemetery met at the office of J. & H. Seaboldt, on Saturday evening and elected the following officers: President, Philip Miller; secretary, John Seaboldt; treasurer, D. H. Straup.

—Constable Raworth on Tuesday arrested James Snell, of Mackrelville, charged by D. O. Christman, with breaking a sleigh. Snelle was driving and upset. The horse ran away and the sleigh was damaged. It cost him $16.10.

—Walter Drumheller, of Lansford and Miss Lizzie Schoch, of Fourth street, this city, were united in the golden bonds of matrimony on Thursday morning. The young couple have the best wishes of a large circle of friends for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

—John Exner, of Beaver Run, has in the past 18 years during which time he has been employed constantly at Packerton, walked a distance of 22,000 miles to and from his work. He lives two miles and a half from the shops and making the trip once a day runs the figures up as above.

—Some of the property holders on the east side of First street talk of making an effort to have an alley opened in the rear of their properties from north Main Lane to the Central railroad depot. The idea is a most excellent one and all the owners of property on the east side should co-operate in the plan.

—Paul Kresge, for a long time justice of the peace at Stemlersville, where he is also in business, has been quite ill for some time past. The other day big hearted Jos. F. Rex furnished a fine team and sent Jacob Kresge and Al Whittingham out to attend Paul. All are G. A. R. men and the visit made Paul feel a 100 per cent better.

—The social gathering together of all the members of the Germania Sangerbund in their rooms at their rooms at the Valley House on last Saturday evening was a very pleasant and long to be remembered occasion for all who were present. The evening was spent in vocal and instrumental music, pleasant repartee and lunching.

AUDENRIED.

—Patrick Brady, who was injured by a fall on the ice five weeks ago, is lying in a critical condition at his home in Honey Brook.

—Daniel Hughes, rock contractor, of Audenried, has completed the work of grading the No. 11 slope at that place. And hereafter two cars can be hoisted at each trip.

—The scarlet fever is now prevailing in the vicinity of Honey Brook. Three of the family of Edward McFadden are prostrated with the dreadfull disease. Dr. Mears is using the most effective means to prevent its spreading.

—M. J. Mulhall, the able principal of our schools, who has been teaching night school since it commenced, resigned the latter position. P. F. Boyle, of Beaver Meadow, is now teaching in the evening.

—The United States Express office has been transferred from this place to the Philadelphia & Reading station at Yorktown. John J. Hepplewhite, the genial and obliging station agent, will take charge of all express matter in the future.

—At 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon John J. Sweeney and Miss Sarah Gallagher, of Treskow, were married in St. Patrick's church, Audenried, by the pastor, Rev. T. J. Marron. Hugh O'Donnell, of Leviston, and Miss Mary A. Sharkey of Leviston, were groomsman and bridesmaid respectively.

—The Lehigh Valley Coal Company paid its Yorktown employes on Saturday. As a consequence the foreign element of Slabtown, donned their war paint and commenced hostilities in the evening. After the usual program of dancing and singing was carried out the grand wind up took place. Result, several broken window panes, two fractious Hunks with their clothes full of sore bones.

HO! FOR ENZIANS!

Everybody is on the rush to ENZIANS popular north end store where they buy Pretty Umbrellas, Society Emblems, Beautiful Lamps in great assortment at the lowest prices possible. Join the big rush and come and see us.

SECRET SOCIETY DOINGS.

Society Tid-Bits of Interest to the Members of the Fraternity.

* It is said that considerable opposition is manifesting itself by secret societies and kindred organizations to the bills introduced in the legislature by Representative Boyer, of Philadelphia, and Miller, of Somerset, respectively, providing that such organizations shall make annual reports to the insurance commissioner of Pennsylvania, and be under his control in certain other details, although not so fully as insurance companies. The Boyer bill excepts the Free Masons and Odd Fellows, but the Miller bill goes much farther and includes all secret societies, beneficial societies organized by members of religious bodies, and by employes of any corporation or firm, which have a system of death, disability, or sick benefits. Some of the highest offices of the A. O. U. W. favor it, but the rank and file of the various orders and societies condemn the bills, and there is some talk of circulating petitions to the legislature, opposing its passage.

COUNCIL MEETING.

The Last Regular Meeting of the Old Council.

The last regular meeting of the present town council convened at the residence of the secretary on Tuesday evening. B. J. Kuntz presided. Members present, J. P. Smith, L. J. Heidt, Moses Heilman and H. T. Straup.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Committee on truck house reported that suitable planks should be secured to allow the running out of the truck when necessary. The building being old it would not pay to make a further change in it. The report was accepted and the committee was discharged.

The monthly report of the Board of Health was read and ordered to be spread on the minutes. The report shows.

No. of communicable diseases reported	3
No. of houses quarentined	2
No. of death certificates record	4
No. of burial permits granted	4
Amount of cash received	$1 00

The secretary reported the following monies received since last meeting.

E. W. Clauss, license	$ 8 90
E. B. Raworth, license	131 22
Krum & Kistler license	25 79
Water Company	3 12
M. E. Church	5 25
Board of Health	3 00
	$ 179 28

The following bills were presented and ordered paid.

Carbon Co. Imp Co lights	$ 146 25
G. W. Morthimer, salary	18 75
B. J. Kuntz, salary	25 00
D. H. Straup, salary	25 65
Labor for Janury	19 81
C. W. Bower salary	12 50
Total	$ 247 32

Council adjourned.

LITTLE GAP.

—Levi Berger, of near this place, for the past year was greatly affected with Cancer, and was under treatment by various physicians throughout the county, with little or no signs of becoming less. In the meantime Mr. Berger was advised to try C. E. Delcamp, the Homepathic doctor, of Lehighton, Pa. Mr. Berger is very glad to announce to the public that he received scientific treatment under the above doctor, and is greatly improved.

—The Democratic caucus was held at the public house of John Eckhart on Saturday afternoon. A. H. Green presided and George Beer and Lewis W. Green were chosen secretaries. The following nominations were made. Justice of the peace, Charles Green; tax collector, John Strohl; supervisor, W. H. Strohl; school director, Oswille Kern; overseer of the poor, Wesley Buck; auditor, Jeremiah Kern; assistant assessor, Levi George; judge of election, A. H. Silfies; inspectors, Edwin George and Lewis J. Christman.

—A. H. Silfies, teacher, informs us that the following pupils attended the George's school every day last month: Preston E. George, Nathan H. George, Quincy H. Berger, Oscar Gouger, Herbert A. Gouger, Eugene B. George, Lucetta George, Clara A. George, Amanda L. George, Lillie C. Beltz, Hattie M. George, Emma J. George and Hattie S. Gouger. The following were visitors of the above school during the month: Co. Supt. T. A. Snyder, Nathan George, director, Lewis Ziegenfuss, director, Prof. W. F. Porter, George Beer, Josiah A. Beltz and Miss Sally A. George. Addresses were made by T. A. Snyder and W. F. Porter.

STOLEN BANK CHECKS.

They Turn Up at Perth Amboy, N. J., and Frank Semmel Runs Down the Thief.

Frank Semmel lived at Weatherly last August and was the proprietor of the Gilbert House and of an incident of the time the Hazleton Standard says this:

"Last August, when the little borough of Weatherly was in danger of being wiped out of existence by a fire, there was considerable plundering going on during the progress of the fire. Among the number that were robbed while making every effort to save their little all from destruction, was Frank P. Semmel, then proprietor of the Gilbert House. On the night of that fire there was great excitement at the Gilbert House. Nearly all the furniture of the hotel had been carried out of the building. Among other things was a trunk from Mr. Semmel's bed room containing a large portion of his valuables. The trunk was left on the store porch of W. W. Blakslee on the opposite side of the street. A few moments after the trunk had been left on the store porch, it was missing and the following morning was found on a vacant lot in the rear of Cassler's Rink, rifled of all its contents.

Ever since that time Mr. Semmel has endeavored to locate the thief. He notified the cashier of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad Company and that official kept an eye on the checks. By this means they were traced as coming from Mr. Lauchner. The fire happened in August and it appears that he carried the checks in his pocket until December when he traveled to Perth Amboy and then had them cashed. A check in favor of Charles E. Montz for $30.50 was exchanged with Frank E. Mead, a Perth Amboy jeweler, for a watch. Lauchnor received $15 in change. A check in favor of Edward Dunnigan for $34 34 was exchanged with Press Bros., also of Perth Amboy, for dry goods, and a check in favor of Harry L. Gangwere for $3.04 was cashed at the Perth Amboy Bank.

After being informed of the above facts, Mr. Semmel at once swore out a warrant before Squire Boyle, of Mauch Chunk, for Lauchnor's arrest and placed it in the hands of Coal and Iron Policeman Hoodmacher, who arrested Lauchnor at Weatherly Monday evening. He was given a hearing Tuesday morning before Squire Boyle, of Mauch Chunk. Mr. Lauchnor protested his innocence, stating that he had found the checks, but the Squire held him in the sum of $600 bail for his appearance at the next term of Carbon County Court. County Commissioner Sendel became his bondsman.

The arrest has created considerable excitement among the people of Weatherly, as Mr. Lauchnor has always been known as a hard working and industrious young man, and bore an excellent reputation prior to his arrest. He has been a resident of Weatherly for a number of years, owns his own home, and has a family consisting of a wife and a 13 year-old daughter. The total amount taken from the trunk was $325, of which $320 was in cash and the balance in Philadelphia and Reading Railroad checks."

A Martha Washington Tea

will be given at Gabie's Hall on Saturday evening, Feb. 25, by the Girl's Society of the Zion's Reformed Church. A program will be rendered consisting of praise in song and speech of the Grand Old Patriarch, Geo. Washington, and Martha, his amiable spouse, interspersed with instrumental music in solos, duetts and quartettes. The object for which the entertainment is given is a most deserving one, and the programme is such a complete one that it calls forth the hearty support of all. Come, ye Patriotic Sons and daughters. Admission fee is the small sum of ten cents, which entitles you after the rendition of the program to refreshments "served free." Doors open at 7.00. Exercise 7.30.

Proclamation.

For the next 30 days we will make to your order 12 new styles of diagonal pinjacks and worsted suits at $20.00, each suit worth $28.00, 10 styles at $15.00, each suit worth $20.00. This offer is only good for a short time at Soudheim's Merchant Tailoring Hall, Mauch Chunk, where fit, styles and workmanship are guaranteed.

Sold His Farm.

Robert Ruschlitz, of Slatington, has sold his large farm at Millport to Wm. George, of Little Gap. Consideration $8,250.

WEISSPORT AND AROUND.

SPICY HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY EPITOMIZED.

The Doings of the Week Interlarded With Personal Mentions.

—Robert Anthony was at Slatington on Tuesday.

—Henry J. Shoemaker, of Franklin street, was at Easton on Monday.

—E. C. Smith, of Lynnville, Lehigh county, is a new employee in Flory's popular harness factory.

—Frank Irvin and wife, of Lansford, Sundayed with Jonathan Deibert and family on the east side.

—Messrs. Levi Harleman and R. J. Hongen were doing business in Northampton county Tuesday.

—Hiram Green has a contract to build a barn 48x66 feet in dimensions for Oscar Diehl at Big Creek.

—Hon. W. F. Biery, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. C. W. Laury, spent Sunday at Perth Amboy, N. J.

—The Franklin Social Club will shortly add an elegant pool table to their club room in Snyder's block.

—Charley Wentz, of Union Hill, who took a tumble through the hay loft one day last week, is still unable to move about.

—Robert Rehrig, who for some weeks past had been in a Philadelphia hospital under treatment, is back home, looking first class.

—J. G. Everitt and J. A. Walp are now in full possession of the Hongen blacksmith shop. The business is in management of Mr. Everitt, who is a practical, experienced mechanic.

—Rev. J. S. Newhart, pastor of the (Bowman) Evangelical congregation, will preach his last sermon for this conference year in school hall on Sunday morning at the usual hour. All are invited. Conference convenes at Reading next week.

—Rev. I. J. Reitz, pastor of the Evangelical congregation, (Anti-Bowman), will preach farewell sermons to his congregation on Sunday morning and evening. In the morning in the German language and in the evening in the English language. Rev. Reitz will go to conference at Bethlehem next week and he may not be returned here.

—The members of the Lutheran and Reformed congregations of this town, after worshiping God in the same edifice since 1839, have at last concluded that it will be clearer sailing for each congregation to worship in their own respective buildings. To this end the Lutheran congregation on last Saturday sold their interest in the union church to the Reformed congregation for $1,300. The Lutheran congregation will buy a lot and put up a pretty modern edifice. The latter people have about 140 members and the Reformed folks claim 240.

—Lizzie Rebrig was hauled up before Squire John S. Miller, Tuesday, charged by Owen Caden, of Mauch Chunk, with having purloined about $35 from his inside pocket. The night before Caden wasn't steady on his "pins" it seems, and they say that the festive Lizzie wasn't far off being rocky on her "uppers" either. She was on to her man, however, judging from the "pull" she made. The star eyed goddess of justice weighed the gay Lizzie and the doubly repentant Owen and found Lizzie wanting. It cost her $25 and the expenses of prosecution. She whacked up the bill like a little man.

—A representative of this paper on Tuesday visited the new pretzle bakery of C. W. Laury, Weissport's enterprising citizen and baker. The ovens were built under the special supervision of Mr. Thomas H. Keller, of Lititz, Lancaster county, Pa., who is an expert in this business. The daily capacity of the ovens will be 7000 to 8000. The pretzles are of the genuine Lititz brand, popular all over the state for their pleasant taste. In Lancaster county the Lititz pretzle has knocked the soda cracker into a cocked hat. It will likely do the same here. Mr. Laury intends to wholesale and retail pretzles and judging from the present demand it won't be long before this will be the most improvement part of his already large business. We wish Charley success.

PACKERTON.

—Mrs. Andrew J. Snyder is sojourning with friends and relatives at Weatherly and Mountain Top.

—Misses Rosa Miller and Laura Behler were the guests of Mrs. Douglas Strohl this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Grant Tobias, of Mauch Chunk, spent last Sunday pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brodhead and family.

—John Snyder, of White Haven, is the new salesman in the store of J. L. Harleman, versus Harry Wolf, resigned.

—The nightly meetings which have been held in the M. E. Church for the past four week have been dispensed with for the present.

—We deeply sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Snyder, in the loss of their little son, through that monster, death. The child had been ill for some time, but it was not thought its illness would terminate so suddenly. The burial took place on Thursday forenoon at Lehighton.

—Wm. Rabenold, of the Hotel Everitt, has been confined to the house for several days suffering from a severe cold. George Emory, of Weissport, has been attending to the duties during his absence.

—Owing to the accumulation of work in the several departments connected with the Forwarding Office, Mr. E. M. Williams, the Forwarding Agent, has hired a stenographer, which was a much needed necessity, since the combination of the company. The work in this particular department has increased daily.

—We exceedingly regret to announce that H. S. Kidd, the efficient principal of our public schools, is about to depart from us, his future home will be Marboro, in New York state. Mr. Kidd has resided here for the past four years and during that time made many friends who will be indeed sorry to see him go. However, he goes into this new field of labor with the best wishes of the people of Packerton for his future prosperity. Mr. Porter, of White Haven, has been elected to fill the vacancy.

—On last Friday night about twelve o'clock the ice on the dam at the rear of the Forwarding Office began to break up. It came down with a rush taking with it a few of the old out houses, it also moved the middle peer under the foot bridge about one foot nearer to the embankment. No serious damage was done, with the exception that Tug Wilson, the operator, claims that janitor Fegley's office, which was situated upon a lofty peer adjoining the engine house, had disappeared, where, no one seems to know, but he rejoices in the fact that his nibs, the operator was spared from this awful catastrophe. All this may have a tendency to create agility about the old gent. An extra polish may appear upon the stained glass windows, which surround the operator's desk.

A Grand Present.

Capt. M. O. Bronedict, of Philadelphia, who is getting up a series of record books for G. A. R. Posts of the rarest and most costly character, has these books presented to the Posts through liberal minded citizens. The book is known as the "Personal Memior Book," containing 300 to 400 pages each, of which is engraved in appropriate designs, and elegantly bound in Turkish Morocco. The citizens of Lehighton and Mauch Chunk who unite in giving this elegant work to John D. Bertolette Post, No. 484, G. A. R., are Fred Bertolette, James Loose, Amos Reigel, Daniel Olewine and B. J. Kuntz. The record is a 200 page book and costs $75. The first page will contain the biography and military history of Col. J. D. Bertolette after whom the Post was named. The next pages will contain brief notices of the donors, then will follow a sketch of the life of each member of the Post, whether living or dead, together with his war record. These will be written by a fair penman. Near the end of the last volume will be a record of the dead, consisting of the name, date of death, companies and regiments served in during the war, and cemetery where body is interred. The last page of the book will be reserved for the last meeting of the Post. A formal presentation of the volume of the Post will take place sometime in the near future when the book is received.

For Sale.

A piano box buggy in first-class condition. Apply to B. K. Culton, opposite the park, First street, Lehighton. tf.

THE COUNTY SEAT.

IT SHOULD BE LOCATED AT LEHIGHTON.

We Have an Excellent Site on Ground Not Leased. No Noise or Foul Odors but Free and Healthy. Then Let it Come Here.

For a number of years past, off and on this newspaper has said that the County Seat of Carbon county should be Lehighton, and just so often have we set forth the why and the wherefore for this claim. There were those however who said that this was impossible and so the matter stood. In the meantime, however, changes in counties and new counties have been made and it now looks as if Lehighton had at least a fighting chance, and our people with no exception intend to take advantage of it.

Why should it not be here?

There is no place so well suited as is Lehighton. Excellent railroad accommodatations, good hotels, and above all a site for the Court House that has no equal in the county. A full square on an eminence, located with South street the south, North street on the north, Third street on the west and Second street on the east; easy of access, with good air, plenty of light and water and only five minutes walk from the Lehigh Valley station at one end of town, and from the Jersey Central station at the other end of town. Compare this with the site now occupied by the County Buildings, at Mauch Chunk the Court House is on ground that is practically leased from the Lehigh Coal & Navigation Company. Here the and will be deeded to the county. There then is noise and confusion Here, though easy of access and egress, is a site that is free from noise, by reason of its distance from railroads. There the Court House will, from necessity, be located back in a hole, with little light and less ventilation. Here there will be no such objections. Are these not reasons sufficient why Lehighton should be the county capital? Our people are satisfied that it should be left to a vote of the people at least and will abide by such a decision.

To secure this end there was a citizen's meeting at the Exchange Hotel on Saturday evening. B. J. Kuntz, presided. Among the prominent men present were Jos. Obert, W. E. Ash, John Obert, Philip Miller, County Commissioner Miller, and a goodly number of others Dr. F. I. Smith stated the object of the meeting. The chairman stated that he and Commissioner Miller had been to Allentown to see Senator Henninger on the matter and that the latter gentleman would advise them by Monday what course to take. Following this advice adjournment was made until Wednesday evening.

The public meeting of our citizens in the interest of making Lehighton the county seat was continued Wednesday evening in the basement of the Exchange Hotel. Burgess Kuntz presiden and Mr. Beidler acted at secretary. Following many expressions of assistance and good will from our people the following committee were appointed to report at a meeting to be held at the same place on Monday evening next. B. J. Kuntz, Joseph Obert, P. J. Kistler, Val Schwartz, R. F. Rofford, Jesse L. Gable, A. J. Durling and O. A. Clauss. The meeting then adjourned.

THE INVALID PENSION BILL.

Representative Mutchler Wants to Reduce the Amount Appropriated.

The house Thursday, in committee of the whole, proceeded to the consideration of the invalid pension bill. Mr. Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, in charge of the bill, stated that the appropriation recommended was $166,400,000. It was proposed to amend the measure so that the amount would be reduced to $166,000,000. The bill carried about $4,000,000 in excess of the amount that would be expended during the present fiscal year. This was the heaviest appropriation that has ever been before an American congress. In only three years in the history of the government were the expenditures for a single year greater than would be the expenditures during the next fiscal year. The committee on appropriations had come to the conclusion that there should be a retrenchment, that a reform in the granting of pensions must begin somewhere, and that the time had come when that reform should be inaugurated. It was not the desire of the committee to deprive a union soldier who was deserving of a pension of any pension he now received. There was nothing in the bill that would take a cent from any pension that had been granted to a deserving soldier. The committee had recommended several amendments which it thought would institute a reform, and he thought the most important was that providing for the transfer of the pension bureau from the interior to the war department. Such transfer would lessen the amount of money appropriated for pensions and would not deprive a single deserving soldier of the pension which he might hereafter obtain. The pension bureau could not be taken out of the arena of politics until it was put where political influence did not count.

WEST PENN.

—Alfred Steigerwald, of Kepners, will soon open his new store at Snydersville.

—So far this winter upwards of 60 sleighing parties had chicken and waffle suppers at Frank Schwartz's North Penn hotel.

—David Hill, of North Penn, was stricken with paralysis, which rendered one of his arms and hands useless. Up to this writing his condition is such that it is feared he cannot recover.

—Deputy Sheriff Salada, on Wednesday of last week, closed out the personal property of Lewis Ziegler, of near Leibysville. There was a very large crowd of people present. The sales amounted to between $800 and $900.

—It has been reported that during the extreme cold weather lots of potatoes, apples, etc., were frozen throughout this section, and that in rooms where fires were burning brightly all night water in glasses were frozen solid.

—It is difficult to tell which is the most attractive part of Snydersville at the present. The town is spreading in all directions, and as a town established a few years ago, contains a post office, a large dry goods store, a tavern, machine shops, foundry, blacksmith shop, pattent iron fence factory, a saw mill, and a large warehouse of farming implements, &c., a P. O. S. of A. Camp with 65 members, a Council of Jr. O. U. A. M., and a flourishing cornet band.

—At a primary election recently held by the Democrats of the various districts in the township, the following persons were chosen as candidates for the respective offices to be filled at the spring election, February 21st: Supervisors, Moses Steigerwald and Nathan Knepper; School Directors, M. C. Troxell and D. C. Miller; Tax Collector, Aaron Zimmerman; Auditor, L. H. Guidner; Constable, J. J. Schaeffer. Northeast Ward: Judge of Election, F. E. Zimmerman; Inspectors, Daniel and Frank Zehner.

About Street Illumination

In Mauch Chunk there are thirty arc lights burning all night and every dark night in the month, for which they pay $120 a light a year. The borough of Weatherly operates its own plant with thirty arc lights. The estimated cost is $60 a light a year. Lansford borough found it unprofitable to run its own plant, and sold out to the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company. The latter has agreed to furnish lights all night for a certain term of years at $100 a light a year.

Lehighton has the miserable little incandescent light that is hardly worth a picayune. The Carbon County Improvement Company however, will soon present to Council a proposition to furnish the arc light at a figure less than any of the above, and when it comes the proposition should be very seriously considered. Nobody denies that we need better street illumination.

MAUCH CHUNK.

—Mike Ritzel, of Weatherly, was arrested Monday morning at the Mauch Chunk station by Coal and Iron Policeman Hoodmacher, of Weatherly, upon a warrant charging him with false pretence. Mr. Ritzel has been a resident of Weatherly for a number of years, during which time he was employed there, and was about to remove to Pottsville. Dr. Tweedle, whose tenant he was, had the warrant issued, stating that Ritzel was endeavoring to escape without paying the rent due him.

Dr. Danzer at the Exchange Hotel.

—Dr. W. F. Danzer, the well-known eye, ear and nose specialist of Hazleton will be at the Exchange Hotel, on Friday, the 24th. Persons desiring his services will please call.

ON THE RAILROAD.

BRIEF MENTION OF A WEEK'S DOINGS ON THE RAIL.

Short Paragraphs That Will be of Interest to the Railroad Boys.

‡ The Pennsylvania Railroad will in the future heat its passenger cars on the Sunbury and Hazleton branches with steam. All the cars on the main line have been heated by this process for years.

‡ The Pennsylvania Railroad was severely taxed during last year to supply enough cars to meet the coal demand. To meet the demands of the coal shippers it has been decided to build at least 2,000 new coal cars.

‡ In line with the policy of President McLeod to give greater diversity to the interests of the company, C. W. Sheldon & Co. have been appointed import agents of the Philadelphia and Reading system of railroad lines to look after foreign traffic imported through the ports of Philadelphia and New York.

I observed a locomotive in the railroad yards one day;
It was waiting in the roundhouse, where the locomotives stay;
It was panting for the journey; it was coaled and fully manned,
And it had a box the fireman was filling full of sand.

It appears that locomotives cannot alway get a grip
On their slender iron pavement, 'cause the wheels are apt to slip;
And when they reach a slippery spot their tactics they command,
An to get a grip upon the rail they sprinkle it with sand.

‡ An exchange says: "All the conductors, brakemen and uniformed employes of the Philadelphia and Reading were notified Monday that an inspection of their summer uniforms will be made on Wednesday, Feb. 15. The employes on the Mahanoy branch will be inspected at Delano, and those of the Beaver Meadow and Hazleton divisions will be inspected in Hazleton. This, no doubt, will mean more new uniforms."

‡ The Reading Railroad Relief Association continues to make gratifying exhibits of the organization's excellent work. The statement for January, 1893, shows payment aggregating $18,994.30, of which there was paid on account of deaths, $8,000; on account of accidents and disablements, $6,793.50 and sick disablements, $4,200.80. The total number of cases reported during the month was 1,978. There were seventeen death claims paid, eleven from accidents and six from natural causes.

‡ The New York Herald says: The Reading's president has a name capable of being pronounced in more different ways than that of any other railroad man in the world. Perhaps this is an attribute of versatility. Here are some of the pronunications most generally used: McLoyd, McLoud, McLade, McLed, McLid, McLood, McLud, McLeed. None of these is the pronunciation used by the possessor of the name. He utters it in this way, "McLee-od."

‡ The Easton Express says: "Henry S. Mattes has been promoted from assistant freight agent to freight agent at the Lehigh Valley freight depot at Easton, vice William C. Ackerman. Mr. Ackerman has been assigned to other duties, probably to devote his entire attention to the soliciting of freight in this locality, which position he has been filling for some time in connection with his position as agent. Mr. Mattes has been connected with the office for some time and is a popular, efficient officer."

‡ A movement which has the active encouragement of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company has been started to construct a railway through the northwestern part of Schuylkill county. The residents of Reading and Bernville met Monday at Reading and took the preliminaries toward furthering the enterprise so far as to construct a line from Reading to Bernville, thirteen miles, over the route of the old Union Canal. This line it is proposed to extend, passing over a portion of the abandoned South Mountain Road.

‡ The Reading Railroad officials have issued the following notice to agents and conductors, by order of C. G. Hancock, general passenger agent: "Commencing with this date, agents will discontinue the sale of 'clerical tickets' to points on or via the Pennsylvania Railroad, leased or controlled lines, excepting that such tickets can be sold from Lehigh Valley points to Pottsville, and to and from Shamokin, as at present; also to points on or via the Pennsylvania Railroad between Wilkes-Barre and Pottsville by agents authorized to make such sales, in accordance with circular dated Dec. 29, 1892."

‡ General Traffic Manager Taylor, of the Reading system, has issued the following circular to all the freight agents of the company: "We are advised that the Cleveland, Cincinnatti, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad Company will, for the present, decline to receive any freight, in carloads or less, from connecting lines at Cincinnatti or Columbus, Ohio, destined to points on or reached by the way of their system, except shipments of live stock, perishable freight and coal for company's use. Until further advised Central States Despatch or other shipments for points on or reached by the way of Cincinnatti or Columbus and the Cleveland, Cincinnatti, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad will be diverted to other routes."

PARRYVILLE.

—Prof. Wolford, of Millport, spent Saturday in town.

—Henry Millheim made a trip to the county seat on Saturday.

—Benj. Steigerwalt made a tour to Lehighton on Saturday.

—Mrs. Edward George, of Allentown, is in town since Friday.

—Mrs. John Graver, of Lehighton, made a visit to town on Friday.

—John Mertz transacted business at Mauch Chunk on Saturday.

—The Carbon Iron and Steel Company paid its employes on Friday.

—Walter Anthony and his esteemed comrade spent Sunday at Seiberlings.

—Jacob Smith, of Mauch Chunk, spent Sunday pleasantly with his friends in town.

—Percy Peters, of Siegfried's, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Peters.

—Miss Alice Traub spent Saturday and Sunday pleasantly at Allentown with J. D. Kistler and family on Ninth Street.

—James Snyder, of Packerton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Remaly on Sunday.

—G. W. Bauman, chief clerk of the Carbon Iron and Steel Company, made a business trip to the county seat on Friday.

—The ice on the dam is starting to break at the upper end. Some trouble may arise from this source. All indications are that the water will continue to rise. Below the dam the ice has moved down into the river. The canal bridge crossing the Poho Poco Creek has been fastened to the railroad bridge by means of large ropes.

—On Thursday evening a farewell party was given to Miss Autelia Rinker, of Hazleton, who has been visiting her uncle, Dildine Snyder, for the last three weeks. The following convivialists were present: H. F. McAuffe, Wm. Montz, Chas. Phiefer, Miss Mattie Pettit, Miss Belle Connor, Miss Jennie Pettit, and Allie Montz. The affair proved to be creditable as well as enjoyable.

The Season of Lent.

The season of Lent commenced Wednesday and continues until the evening before Easter, comprising forty days, exclusive of Sundays which fall within that period, as all Sundays are feast days and therefore can not be a part of Lent. The season of Lent is one of fasting, humiliation, and prayer. It is kept in commemoration of the total abstinence of Jesus Christ from all manner of food for forty days during His temptation by the devil in the wilderness. The pious members of the church who most vigorously keep it, abstain during the season from all worldly amusements, observe the prescribed time laid down by the head of the church, and conform in so far as they can to the life of him who when on earth endured the temptations of the evil one, and conquered through the power of his divinity.

A Chance to Hear Eli Perkins.

Eli Perkins will lecture at Slatington on Monday evening, Feb. 20, 1893, at 8 o'clock. Arrangements have been made with the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company to have suitable train accommodations after the lecture so that Parryville, Lehighton and Weissport people can return home the same evening. COMMITTEE.

COMING AND GOING.

BRIEF ITEMS OF PURELY PERSONAL MENTION.

Concerning People Who Visit and Go a Visiting Here, There and Everywhere.

..Jonathan Kistler, of the Third Ward, was at Easton on Friday.

..County Auditor A. G. Peters, of the County Seat, was here last Friday.

..Miss Agnes Strauss, of Mahoning street, is visiting friends at Allentown.

..T. V. Ash, of Upper Lehigh, honored our sanctum-sanctorum, Saturday afternoon.

..Miss Katie Hickey, of Slatington, spent Sunday with Misses Annie and Emma Isaman.

..Landlord Bittner, of Lansford, was a prominent Lehighton visitor on Saturday.

—Engineer W. H. Plummer and wife spent several days this week with Easton relatives.

..Mrs. A. L. Campbell, of Lansford, spent several days this week with relatives and friends in town.

..William Porter, of Kidder, candidate for county superintendent of public schools, was in town on Tuesday.

..Mrs. John Esch and Misses Susie Wuest and Lydia Kibbler, of Bankway, were guests of friends at Scranton and Williamsport during the week.

..W. E. Ash and wife and A. L. Hagerman and wife enjoyed a delightful sleigh ride to Tamaqua on Sunday and spent the day with E. Brode and family.

..B. J. Kuntz and County Commissioner Miller were at Allentown on Saturday afternoon in consultation with State Senator Henninger on the proposed change of Carbon's County Seat from Mauch Chunk to Lehighton.

..Wm. Laubach, representing Coxe Bros., miners and shippers of coal, was waiting on patrons in town, Tuesday. Mr. Laubach is an Allentownian, and by the way, a very agreeable gentleman.

..Rev. A. M. Sampsel, pastor of the Evangelical church, will leave next week for the annual session of conference which convenes at Bethlehem. Mr. Sampsel's friends hope to see him returned to the charge here.

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Pitiable to Behold,

A misery to himself and almost breaking our hearts with anguish over his dreadful condition. Many a time did I **wish he was dead** and out of his misery.

"The eruption was especially severe back of his ears and over his head and the lower part of his face. We had to cut off all his hair we could, as it was impossible to comb through the mass of hard crust and matter. Physicians did him no good, and three specialists at the Eye and Ear Hospital said

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new, smooth and healthy skin formed in place of the disease and corruption. Of course it took time, but improvement was steady until at the end of the year the disease had entirely disappeared, and Joseph stood a strong and healthy boy. He is at school and progressing rapidly in his studies.

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