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# Won't Share the Benefits.

EDITOR

The window glass workers' union have asked their employers for a share of the benefits of the DINGLEY bill. This is no more than they are entitled to, but the window glass manufacturers association are by no means disposed to grant this reasonable request.

These manufacturers are decidedly hoggish. They have received a large increase of protection on their product, and it was claimed that this was intended principally for the benefit of the workers, but since the bonus has been granted the bosses want ver Bow basin and Treadwell, received a the whole of it.

Congress was kind enough to invite the manufacturers to state what they wanted in the way of duties, and they got every thing they ask for. There was nothing denied to these beneficiaries in fixing up the schedules. Duties were in many in- British possess stances put high enough to make them almost, if not quite, prohibitive and nothing was allowed to interfere with the trusts and other protected interests working the skin game on the people. When the thing was fixed up in this way isn't it rather a part of the spoils?

big strike because the operators won't allow them their share. The glass-men have mer in a flourishing condition. Most of been refused when they put in their claim, the gulches were then running, miners and so it will go in every department of "protected" industries.

It won't be surprising if in a year's time from now strikes, lockouts, and other manifestations of industrial dissatisfaction, including an occasional labor riot, will fill large spaces in the news columns of the journals. Such occurrences will public naturally be the result of the workers getting mad at being cheated in the tariff deal

# Spantsh Premier Assassinated.

Senor Canovas Del Castillo Murdered by an Italian Anarchist Sunday at Santa Agueda.—He Fell Dying at the Feet of His Wife, Lingered for an Hour and Passed Away with the Cry of "Long Live Spain' ' Upon His Lips,

MADRID, Aug. 8.-4.40 p. m.-An offi-Agueda says Senor Canovas Del Castillo, prime minister of Spain, was murdered there by an anarchist, who fired three shots from a revolver. Senor Canovas lived one hour after he received his injury. His last words were: "Long live Spain."

MURDERER IS AN ITALIAN ANARCHIST. MADRID, Aug. 8.-Senor Canovas Del about half as many on Hunker creek. Castillo, prime minister of Spain, was as-The murderer fired three shots, anarchist. one of which struck the premier in the fore-

The Yukon Gold Region. Report Made After a Thorough Investigation in Alaska-Gold Production Figures.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 8.-The report on the Yukon gold region by Joseph Edward Spurr, the geological survey expert, who headed a party that made a thorough investigation in Alaska last summer, giving new facts about the interior, was made public yesterday. It is a comprehensive document and reviews, in detail, the work in the various districts.

It says as to the Forty Mile gold district that in the latter part of 1887 Franklin gulch was struck, and the first year the creek is estimated to have produced \$4,000. Ever since it has been a constant payer. The character of the gold there is nuggetty, masses of \$5 weight being common. The yield of the first year after the discovery of Forty Mile has been variously estimated at from \$75,000 to \$150,000, but \$60,000

probably covers the production. The discovery of Davis creek and a stampede from Franklin gulch followed in the spring of 1888. In 1891 gold mining in the interior as well as on the coast, at Silgreat impetus. The event of 1892 was the liscovery of Miller creek. In the spring

of 1893 many new claims were staked, and it is estimated that eighty men took out \$100,000. Since then Miller creek has been the heaviest producer of the Forty Mile district, and until recently of the whole Yukon. Its entire length lies in The Great Inter-Town Picnic at Hecla DOUBLED EACH YEAR.

The output for 1893, as given by the mint directory, for the Alaskan creeks, all but Miller creek being in American possessions, was \$198,000, with a mining population of 196. The total amount produced by the Yukon placers in 1894 was double rough on the workers that they are denied that of the previous year. In 1895 the output had doubled again.

This will be found to be the case all 1896, is described in the report as looking along the line, and it is going to make lots as if it had seen its best days, and unless of trouble. The coal miners are out on a several new creeks are discovered it will lose its old position. The Birch creek district was last sum-

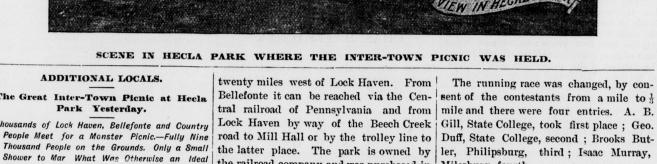
fect creations. were working on double shifts, night and Lock Haven and Bellefonte were like day, and many large profits were reported. dead. Nothing but the banks and hotels On Mastodon creek, the best producer, over thirty miners were at work, many exwho could get away was at the picnic. It pecting to winter in the gulch. As to the hydraulicing, the report says : 'Some miners have planned to work this and other good ground supposed to exist under the deep covering of moss and gravel in the wide valley of the Mammoth and Crooked creeks by hydraulicing, the water to be obtained by tapping Miller and Mastodon creeks near the head. It will be

several years before the scheme can be operated, because both of the present gulches are paying well and will continue ly deserted, but the great crowd had hardto do so at least five years.'

REPORT ON KLONDYKE DISTRICT.

Following is the report on the Klondyke district : "With the announcement of cial telegram just received here from Santa gold here in the winter of 1896-97, there was a genuine stampede to the new region. Forty Mile was almost deserted. But 350 men spent the winter on the Klondyke, in the gulches and at the new town of Dawson. The more important parts of the district are on Bonanza and Hunker creeks. According to the latest information 400 claims had been located up to Jan. 1, 1897:

"There is plenty of room for many more sassinated to-day at Santa Agueda, by an prospectors and miners, for the gulches and creeks which have shown good prospects spread over an area of 700 square miles. head, and another in the chest. The The estimated Alaskan gold production for wounded man fell dying at the feet of his wife who was with him, lingering in agony 000. The report points out the difficulties in which the way of speedy development of the country. First, the climate, with short summer season and long, cold winter. The place is between San Sebastian, the Prospecting is done in the winter more and summer residence of the Spanish court, and Vittoria, the capital of the province of renders traveling over the swampy, mosscovered country more easy, and the miner The premier went there last Thursday to is thus able to begin work with the first



the railroad company and was purchased in Milesburg, fourth. the fall of 1894. It includes forty-five of Between nine and ten thousand people the choicest acres of the old Strunk and of Clinton, Lycoming and Centre counties, Gordon estates and was purchased because all in joyous holiday mood, assembled at of its admirable location and natural advantages for a pleasure resort.

THE BICYCLE RACES.

The bicycle races were be under the sanc-

tion of the L. A. W. and were directed

Sheffer, Reuben Miller and R. B. Barn-

hart, Bellefonte; Harry Mills, Forney

Winner, Gus Brendle, Lock Haven ; B. F.

Leroy Kepler, Westport ; M. D. Moore,

Bud Moore, Williamsport. First prize,

gold medal, \$10; second, valise worth \$5;

B. Moore, first ; Sheffer, second ; M. D.

Anthony, of Lock Haven.

third, touring case, \$2.

In addition to the beautiful groves of oak, chestnut, maple and hickory trees morning was ideal, the afternoon was ideal there are two lakes or dams covering an area of eight acres and furnishing water for boating, as well as lending that charm to the landscape that is always effected by North, Williamsport ; C. M. Goodman and bodies of pure water. A large athletic in the two towns were open and everybody field is included in the park. It has a magnificent 1 mile track and carefully graded grounds for base-ball and foot-ball. The athletic field, being enclosed, gives it an additional value.

Moore, third. Time, 2:47. One Mile Novice-Ed Rine, Thos. Gren-Though the park was not opened until late in the season of 1895 it has already ninger, Rube Miller, Lee Larimer, Bellegained a reputation, all over the central fonte; Ellis Winner, Harry Mills, Lock part of the State, for its beauty and at- Haven ; C. M. Goodman and Leroy Kepler, tractiveness as a pleasure resort. Its many | Westport, Bart Smith, Renovo. First prize,



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Merrill, L. H.	-	5	-		5
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The base ball game between the Williamsport and Lock Haven River league clubs resulted in favor of the former by the score of 4 to 2.

The consolidated Coleville-Milesburg, Pleasant Gap, Undine, Lock Haven and State College bands were there and all played exceptionally well. TICKETS SOLD.

The number of tickets sold from the Mill Hall station, alone, was 2,350. From Bellefonte there were 2,200 sold. At 11:59 the last train pulled out of the park and not a soul was left there where so many thousands had spent so memorable a day. The Central handled the great crowd admirably and not an accident was reported.

IT WAS BUILT BY A BELLEFONTE FIRM .- Saturday's Tyrone Times has the following to say of the fine wagon manufactured by McQuistion and Co., of this place, for the Kirk-Camp furniture company, of Tyrone.

by J. D. Walker, of this place, and L. H. The Kirk-Camp furniture Co., owns a handsome new delivery wagon, especially fitted for their business. It is large, light and very pretty and calculated for one or two Mile Dash-John Teats, H. C Yeager, Ed. Rine, Thos. Grenninger, A. Lester horse

> FOSTER PREDICTS CLEAR, COOL WEATH-ER.-My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm wave to cross the continent from August 4th to 8th, and the next will reach the Pacific coast about August 9th, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 10th, great central valleys 11th to 13th, and eastern States 14th.

> A warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about August 9th, great central valleys 11th, and eastern States 13th. A cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about August 12th, great central valleys 14th, and eastern States 16th.

The fourth storm wave of August will reach the Pacific coast about the 15th, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 16th, great Central valleys 17th to 19th, and eastern States 20th.

A warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 15th, great central valleys 17th, and eastern States 19th. A cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 18th, great central valleys 20th, and eastern States 22nd.

Temperature and rainfall of the week ending August 14th will average below normal, and storms will be of great force. An average of the whole month of August the temperature will range below

is a low estimate to place the crowd at nine thousand people, by far the largest ever gathered at the park, and not an accident occurred to mar the pleasure of the day. The slight shower that passed over the grounds, just at noon, caused temporary consternation and lunch baskets, sports and every amusement enterprise was hasti-

Park Yesterday.

Hecla Park yesterday for the great inter-

town picnic that the people of Lock Haven

and Bellefonte held at that place. The

and the evening one of nature's most per-

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ly deserted, but the great crowd had hard-ly found the shelter they sought until the ions, refreshment booths, band stands. \$5; third, bicycle stockings, \$1.50.

for an hour and then passing away with the cry of : "Long live Spain," were the last words, upon his lips.

Santa Agueda is noted for its baths. Vittoria, the capital of the province of Alava, about thirty miles south of Bilbao. take a three weeks' course of the baths, spring thaw. after which he expected to return to San Sebastian to meet United States Minister Woodford, when officially received by the queen regent.

The assassan was immediately arrested. He is a Neopolitan and gives the name of Rinaldi, but it is believed that this is an pearing from the region for twelve months ssumed name and that his real name is Michelo Angino Golli.

At a special meeting of the cabinet, today, under the presidency of Senor Cos-Gayon, minister of the interior, the latter announced that he had been intrusted by the queen regent with the premiership ad

# Provisions and Money Wanted.

Appeals Were Numerous at the Headquarters of the Miners' Officials in Pittsburgh Sunday.-A Wail from Every Section.—Secretary Warner Kept Busy Answering the Appeals.—Last Night He Said He Had Sent More than \$1,000 Worth of Groceries and Provisions into Different Parts

to-day. It appeared as if there was a small tary Warner was kept busy answering the appeals. He said to-night that he had one in each gulch or creek. sent more than \$1,000 worth of groceries and provisions into various parts of the dis-The appeals are now coming in from trict families the heads of which are at the var-

ious mining camps using their influence to keep other men from working.

A series of meetings are to be held all

## Troops Ready to Move.

The Fifteenth Regiment Under Orders to Go to the Scene of the Strike on Short Notice.

SHARON, August 9.-Colonel W. A. Kreps, commanding the Fifteenth regi- cape from a window when he heard the ment, National Guard of Pennsylvania, has issued orders to the different companies to be in readiness to go to the scene of the back, and at the risk of his own life strike at Scottdale and at Turtle Creek on brought the unconscious fireman through short notice.

military accoutrements, which are now About two thousand rounds of ammunition have been provided each company.

# Authorized to Begin Business.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 9 .- The First national bank of Ebensburg, Pa., has been authorized to begin business. Capital, \$50,000.

NOT SELF-SUPPORTING AGRICULTURALLY. Whatever Alaska may be in the future it is not now self-supporting agriculturally.

Moose and caribou here are variable in quantity, abundant one time and disapat a time.

Ten dollars a day is the general wages paid, \$12 for a day of ten hours being paid in some of the more remote gulches. In winter the price for labor is \$5 to \$8 per day of six hours. Many times the professional and trades-men were there miners have been at the point of starvation; and the towns of Lock Haven and Bellehardly a winter when they have not been put on a ration basis. Universal suffrage

given, and all have an equal vote. Penalties include : For stealing, banishment from the country, also whipping; threatening with weapons, the same ; murder, hanging, but there have been no mur-

ders so far. The mining laws differ for different | tain the citizens of the other on alternate of the District.-A Series of Meetings to Be gulches. Generally the claim is for 500

feet for gulch diggings from rimrock to PITTSBURGH, Aug. 9.—Appeals for funds nd provisions were numerous at the bood and provisions were numerous at the head- claims 1,420 feet long. Crowded creeks people of Lock Haven were just a trifle quarters of the miners' officials in this city are staked 300 feet to the claim, and no man is allowed to stake more than one wail from every section of the district, and claim in his own name, save the discoverer, miners in person were present to ask that who is allowed 1,000 feet instead of 500. the suffering ones be looked after. Secre- The only officer in the republic of miners

Brave Convict's Act.

escues Fireman From Death, and May Gain His Liberty.

MANSFIELD, O., Aug. 9.-An explosion over the district. It is expected to keep up the interest in every section and strengthen every point where there is the least indication of modeline The state is the indication of modeline to be held all MANSFIELD, O., Aug. 9.—All explosion at the powder house at the Ohio state re-formatory here, late last Saturday night, al-most killed the night fireman, Wallace least indication of weakness. The vigils Robinson, and may result in gaining on the mines of the New York and Cleve-land gas coal company are to be kept up son had filled the furnace with coal, and and the vigor increased from day to day. was passing around the end of the boiler

when a 10-inch steam pipe above his head burst, and clouds of steam and gallons o hot water poured down upon his head so that he threw up his hands to protect it, and both hands were burned to to a crisp. Prisoner Freer, who was helping Robinson, was running to make his esthe window to a place of safety outside.

Each company has gathered together its Guards and officers were awakened by the explosion, and help was soon at hand. ready to be quickly taken along if called. Robinson will recover, thanks to Freer's bravery

Freer's home is in Ashland, though he was sent to the reformatory from Tiffin for larceny. Manager John Baird, who is in the city, says he is in favor of giving Freer his liberty as a reward for the brave act.

-Subscribe for the WATCHMAN.

SCENE IN HECLA PARK WHERE THE INTER-TOWN PICNIC WAS HELD.

sun came our again, clear and perfect, as if cook houses, splendid and abundant drink to atone for the momentary interruption the ing water, ease of access and the general lements had caused of the day's pleasure. good moral atmosphere that pervades

It was a great event for every one. make it truly a garden spot in one of Employer and his family mixed with Pennsylvania's most fertile and beautiful ler, Westport ; Bart Smith, Renovo ; Winemployee and his family, every class of valleys.

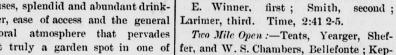
fonte were as if depopulated. The idea of holding such picnics entered some bright mind last year and for the purpose of promoting a warmer friendship between the people of the two towns it was proposed that the citizens of the one enter-

years. The first picnic was held last summer under the direction of Bellefonte. It skeptical and some of them held aloof. The success, last year, encouraged the Lock Havenites and they went in to make their picnic even larger than ours was. That they succeeded, and magnificent-

ly, no one will dispute.

# HECLA PARK.

Hecla park, the scene of the great picnics, is located in the heart of Nittany valley, just seven miles east of Bellefonte and thing after his victories.



ner, Mills, and Brendle, Lock Haven ; B. THE PROGRAM FOR THE DAY. F. North, B. Moore, M. D. Moore, Wil-The program that has been arranged and limsport. First prize daimond stud, will be strictly adhered to is as follows : \$25 ; second, tailor made suit, \$15 ; third, Music, band ......9:45 a.m. silver cup, \$5. Address of welcome, T. C. Hipple Esq., of Lock Haven......10 a. m. Tub race......10:45 a. m. Winner, third. During this race Miller, Swimming race.....11:15 a. m. Sheffer and Moore wrecked and Miller was 

Dinner. Business men's meeting......12:30 p. m. Band concert.....1 p. m. Bicycle races.....1:30 p. m. Base ball.....2:30 p. m. Trap shooting......4:30 p. m.

Supper. Band concert......7:30 p. m. Fire works.....8 p. m.

THE RACES.

The live bird shooting contest between The tub race was won by little "Duck" four gentlemen from Lock Haven and four Peters from Valentine's iron works. He from Bellefonte with Will Haines, of Snow scooped in the swimming contest from three Shoe, shooting with the Bellefonte team other competitors and simply owned every- and George Uzzle, of the same place, shooting with Lock Haven, resulted as follows :

\$3; third, bicycle lamp. \$3.

time. Time, 6:03

B. Moore, first ; H. Mills, second ; E.

For the colored race Lew Mills was

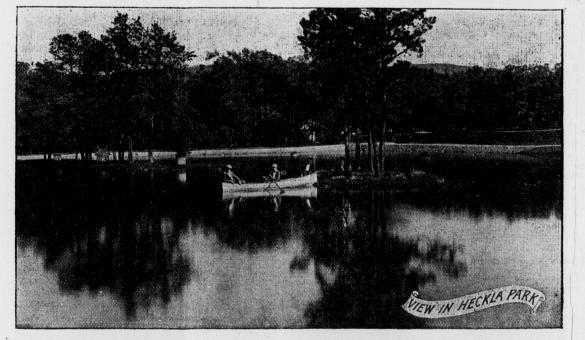
first, Henry Thomas, second ; Will Mills,

third. There were only three contestants

and all were from Bellefonte. First prize,

bicycle suit, \$5 ; second, gold cuff buttons,

THE LIVE BIRD SHOOT.



SCENE IN HECLA PARK WHERE THE INTER-TOWN PICNIC WAS HELD.

normal in the southern States and near a line drawn from Washington and Philadelphia to Chicago."

A LATER BULLETIN.

The next disturbance will reach the Pacific coast about 21st, cross the west of Rockies country by close of 22nd, great central valleys 23rd to 25th and eastern States 26th.

A warm wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 21st, great central valleys 23rd, and eastern States 25th. A cool wave will cross the west of Rockies country about 24th, great central valleys 26th and eastern States 28th.

The center of this disturbance will pass through the southern States, the low taking what is called the southern and the high the northern circuit, in consequence of which the temperature will go more above the normal in the southern than in the northern States.

Temperature of the week ending Aug. 14th, will average below normal in the northern and about normal in the southern States. Rainfall for the same period will average about normal. You may expect a general hot period during the last week in August, accompanied by severe storms badly hurt. He was unconscious for some with extensive rains through the mid-latitude States

### Special Reduced Rate Excursion to the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting via Pennsylvania Railroad.

For the benefit of those desiring to visit Ocean Grove (Asbury Park) during the great camp meeting, the Pennsylvania railroad company will, on August 25th, sell excursion tickets to that point from stations named below at the very low rates quoted.

These tickets will be good for passage to Philadelphia on the train named below, thence on regular trains leaving Broad street station at 3.30 and 4.05 p. m., that day to Ocean Grove (Asbury Park):

	Train Leaves.	Rate.
BellefonteLes	we 6.30 a. m.	\$5 75
Lemont	6.52 **	5 50
Oak Hall	6.56 "	5 50
Linden Hall	7.01 "	5 25
Centre Hall	7.13 **	5 25
Rising Spring	7.27 "	4 75
Coburn	7.44	4 75
Glen Iron	8.22 "	4 50
Millmont	8.31 "	4 50
Mifflinburg	8 44 44	4 50
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Tickets will be goo	d for return	

on regular trains until September 2nd, inclusive, and will permit of stop-off at Philadelphia within limit. 42-31-2t.

# Madisonburg.

Mrs. Romig, of this place, has been on the sick list for about a week.

Prof. Geo. Yearick and wife visited her parents in Bald Eagle valley, over Sunday. Most of our farmers have finished cutting their oats, although some are yet in the field. Prof. K. A. Miller is at present taking a trip through Potter county, visiting old acquaintances. He does not expect to return for several weeks.

Grove meeting will commence this week about two miles west of town. It is to be held in Wert's grove and is under the auspices of the Evangelical church.