WAR ON THE MANAGEMENT

An Organized Effort to Oust Lehigh Valley Officials.

THE CANVASS FOR PROXIES.

Circulars Issued to the Stockholders by the Committee Organized in the Interest of a Change in the Administration of the Road.

By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—The opposition to the present management of the Lehigh Valley Railroad company has assumed formal shape by the announcement of a committee having been formed to solicit proxies for the annual election, for the creation of a new management. The committee names no candidate. It is said that several prominent business as well as financial men of this city have been approached and are willing to assist them in making the change.

A circular has been prepared by the committee which will be sent to the stockholders as soon as the complete list, which is now being made, is in hand. These stockholders will be asked to give their proxies to the committee so that they can vote them for a new management.

The committee consists of John A. Hutchinson, George D. McCreary, William Elwood Speakman and W. A. Dick, of Philadelphia; Samuel H. Hackett, of Easton, Pa., and Charles B. Van Nostrand, of New York, each one having been delegated to act in the capacity of a receiving agent for those who desire to send their proxies to them.

The Committee's Circular.

The circular issued by the committee is as follows:

To the Stockholders of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company:

Dear Sirs—At a meeting of influential stockholders of your company held in this city, Dec. 7, we were appointed a committee to solicit proxies to be voted at the annual meeting of the company in opposition to the present management.

As is already well known to you, the company after thirty-five years of successful operation has been dropped from the list and lost its standing as dividend payer, and yet we are unable to obtain from the officers of the company proper statements as to the financial condition and prospects of the company.

A complete statement of assets and liabilities, to our knowledge has never been issued, but from the figures reported by the company we find that it has outstanding a large floating debt. We pass no opinion on the conduct of the present management. Comment is unnecessary so long as you are face to face with the salient facts that the company pays no dividends and barely earns its fixed charges. The forceful eloquence of such pregnant results teaches its own humiliating lesson and imposes the imperative necessity of prompt and concerted action for the defense of your vested rights and the protection of your property interests.

It is proposed that on receipt of a sufficient number of proxies a public meeting of stockholders be called, to decide upon such a ticket, and which shall have the support of a majority of the stockholders at the coming annual election.

Unless you join with us in prompt action, we run the risk of another year of the present administration.

It is hoped that you will immediately sign, and return to the committee, the enclosed proxy.

BUSINESS PARALYZED.

Worst Fears of the Panic of Newfoundland Are Realized.

By the United Press.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 12.—Latest information from St. John's is to the effect that the worst fears of the effects of the panic will be realized. The Commercial bank is a hopeless wreck, and nearly all its directors, who were among the principal merchants, are also bankrupt. The panic has brought about absolute chaos.

Except a very limited number of Canadian and United States bank notes, the money of Newfoundland consists of the bills of the two banks. No one will now accept these bills, hence all business is paralyzed.

THREE CONVICTS ESCAPE.

They Force Their Way Out of the Schuylkill Prison at the Noon Hour.

By the United Press.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 12.—Three convicts escaped from the Schuylkill county prison at the noon hour today while soup was being served to the hundred inmates of that institution. Their names are Frank Mullen, a tramp undergoing sentence of four years and nine months for assault with intent to kill Yardmaster Sabold, of Palo Alto, in March, 1893; Michael Welsch, of Shenandoah, sentenced by the last term of court to one year for house breaking, and George Boehmer, convicted last July and sentenced to fifteen months for robbing railroad cars at Mahanoy Junction.

They succeeded in effecting their escape by sawing the bars in front of the window of their cell and forcing the lock of the large door in the prison wall leading out upon an unfrequented street. Searchers are out in pursuit and telegrams have been sent in every direction offering a reward for their apprehension.

WHEN YOU FEEL LANGUID, dull and heavy, it's your liver that's at fault. A sluggish, torpid liver deranges your stomach and kidneys and bowels. It poisons your blood. You feel it "all over."

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There's no need for you to go. You get precisely the same treatment in the Carlsbad Sprudel Salt, the water solidified at the Spring, or in the imported waters. In catarrh of the stomach, dyspepsia, habitual constipation, diabetes, or any gouty or rheumatic affection, they have been a specific for hundreds of years.

Take only the genuine imported article with the signature of "Eisner & Mendelson Co., Sole Agents, New York," and the seal of the city of Carlsbad on every bottle. Beware of the many worthless imitations sold here as "improved" or "artificial" Carlsbad Salt, which consist only of a mixture of common Glauber Salt and Seidlitz Powder, and in no way have the same action as the genuine natural remedy of Carlsbad. Insist upon the genuine.

MRS. SPRAGUE'S STRAITS.

Salmon P. Chase's Famous Daughter Being "Sold Out."

By the United Press.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11.—Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, the once brilliant and beautiful daughter of Salmon P. Chase, and wife of Governor Sprague, of Rhode Island, is in financial straits, through the mismanagement of her estate.

Her home in the suburbs of Washington, "Edgeworth," and other real estate, was advertised for sale last week, and today the sale of her personal property to satisfy creditors was also announced.

HAD TO ANTE UP $50.

Result of Violating the Tariff Laws Regarding Playing Cards.

By the United Press.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The first case of violating the provision of the new tariff law as to the tax on playing cards received the action of the treasury department today. The offender, who lived in Pennsylvania, sold one dozen packs of cards without their being stamped.

Secretary Carlisle imposed a fine of $50.

STRUCK BY A TROLLEY CAR.

An Aged Lady at Archbald, Receives Severe Injuries.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Archbald, Dec. 12.—Mrs. Geibich, an aged lady who lives with her nephew, John Ritter, of South Main street, was struck by an electric car yesterday afternoon and seriously hurt. She was crossing the track in front of her home as the car was descending the hill. Being deaf, the old lady did not hear the signal of the motorman, and the car could not be stopped before it was upon her. She was thrown down, and dragged about 100 feet. She was also cut about the head and otherwise badly shaken up.

It is doubtful if Mrs. Geibich recovers from the shock, for she is more than 80 years old. She came here from Petersburg only a few months ago.

INDUSTRIAL TOPICS.

No. 11 colliery, of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company, which was on fire some time ago, will be ready to resume Jan. 1.

Byron Adkins, outside foreman for the West End Coal company at Mocanaqua, has resigned and William Briggs has taken his place.

Charles Emigh, assistant freight agent at Pittston junction, has resigned his position to accept one with the Metropolitan Insurance company.

Will the Jersey Central's quarterly dividend be reduced? That is an all absorbing question now. Upon a rumor that it will the stock is hovering about near 90.

A 10-inch vein of coal has been discovered by the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company in the tunnel which is being driven in the east side of its No. 11 slope.

The Lehigh Valley has just broken the record by getting a car load of freight through from Chicago to Wilkes-Barre in fifty-three hours and thirty-five minutes.

Contractor Edward Lynott has been awarded the contract for driving the rock tunnel in the Lance colliery, No. 11, Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company, at Plymouth.

The Lehigh Valley officials are talking of abandoning the changing of engines on passenger trains at Mauch Chunk. It is almost certain, says the Record, that in a short time the new rule will be announced and engines will take trains from Wilkes-Barre to Easton without change.

The recent dispatch to the effect that E. W. Clark had been elected to the presidency of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company turns out to have been incorrect. The election has been postponed until it can be known for a certainty whether Mr. Harris can be a candidate or not. He is seeking re-election to the presidency of the Reading and if he should fail will go back to the Navigation company.

Pittsburg, Dec. 12.—Many of the railroad coal operators of the Pittsburg district will reduce wages within the next ten days. The initiative has already been made by Henry Florsheim, owner of the Germania and Nottingham mines at Finleyville, on the Wheeling division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad. This morning notices were posted at his mines that on and after next Monday the rate for mining will be 55 cents per ton.

The drilling machine which has been in operation in the east gangway at the basin of the No. 10 slope, Beaver Brook, with a view of ascertaining the depth of a smaller vein, was rewarded on Friday night, the desired seam being tapped at a depth of 41 feet. The drill bored through 10½ feet of coal, but whether this is of the thickness of the vein or not is not known. Now that the vein is found it is expected that a tunnel will be driven east from the second lift of the slope to catch the vein and develop it.

An advertisement which appears in a Sunbury paper stating that William Geiger sells river coal at $1.50 a ton and Mr. Geiger and several others are making a pile of money out of a novel venture, is thus explained by the Wilkes-Barre Record: The Mahanoy creek, which empties into the Susquehanna river, drains the great coal mines of the Mahanoy region and receives all the coal dirt. The jiggers who go out in boats have long scoops and bring up about four tons a day to a crew of two men. This coal finds a ready sale at from $1.25 to $2 a ton. "Big coal," that is coal larger than pea and buckwheat, brings $2 and $2.50. At Georgetown there are nearly 100 men engaged in jigging. At Northumberland it is a paying business, one man having taken out 1,450 loads last year. The coal deposition in the river amounts to thousands of tons yearly and the amount jigged can be estimated at about one-quarter the amount lost. It is a recognized industry now, there being two steam jiggers in operation and several more in course of construction. In the winter the jiggers cut through the ice and scrape along the bottom.

An important opinion on coal leases was handed down by Judge Woodward, of Luzerne county, Tuesday. In 1879 the heirs of Hendrick B. Wright leased to the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company about seventy-five acres of coal land in Plymouth, said lease to continue until all the merchantable coal should be mined, royalty to be 25 cents per ton, with a field minimum annual royalty of $4,000. This was paid until July, 1888, when the company refused to make further payments, alleging that the minimum royalties already paid aggregated more than all the coal covered by the lease. The heirs determined to forfeit the lease. The report of the master was to the effect that plaintiffs had mined 79,000 tons and has paid for 140,000 tons, had paid for 8,691 tons more than was minable under the tract, that the grant was a sale of all the coal in the ground and the $4,000 in annual payments was the purchase money, and had been all paid and there could be no forfeiture, that plaintiffs are entitled to a reasonable time to take out the remaining coal without further payments. Therefore, that defendants be restrained from forfeiture of lease or prevention of mining. Judge Woodward decrees that failure of coal does not discharge lessee from payment of rent. The obligation means what it says. It is therefore decreed that the finding of the master be overruled, the prayers of the bill refused and the bill be dismissed at the cost of the plaintiff.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 12.—The passing of the Patterson bill allowing pooling by the railroads led to a more confident feeling in stock circles at the opening this morning and a general advance in prices took place. After the spurt at the opening the market became quieter, but the advance was well maintained, the result of Washington advices that the senate will act favorably and quickly on the Patterson bill when it reaches that body. In the afternoon Sugar loomed into prominence, and on a more active business the price rose to 90¼, ex-dividend of 3 per cent. The rise near the close was due to the announcement that the senate had refused to take up the house free sugar bill. Distillers was higher, rising to 19⅝ on a rumor that the insiders will withdraw their plan for the reorganizatoin of the property. The market closed very firm, notwithstanding reports that at least $1,000,000 gold will be forwarded to Havre on Saturday. If intending shippers in the meantime can secure full weight gold coin the shipments will be larger. Net changes in stocks show gains of ¼ to 2 per cent, Sugar leading. The total transactions were 207,229 shares, of which 89,700 were Sugar and 24,000 Distilling.

The range of today's prices for the active stocks of the New York stock market are given below. The quotations are furnished The Tribune by G. du B. Dimmick, manager for William Linn, Allen & Co., stock brokers, 412 Spruce street, Scranton.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Am. Cot. Oil	25¾	25¾	24	24¾
Am. Sugar Reg Co.	87¾	90¼	87¼	90⅛
A. M. T.	94¾	95¼	94½	94½
Atch., To. & S. Fe	4⅞	5	4⅞	5
Can. South	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
Ches. & Ohio	18	18	18	18
Chicago Gas	72	72¾	72	72¾
Chic. & N. W.	98¾	98⅞	98⅝	98⅞
Chic., B. & Q.	73	73	72⅞	72¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	38½	38½	38⅛	38⅛
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	59¼	59⅝	59	59⅝
Chic., R. I. & P.	62¾	63¼	62⅝	63⅛
Delaware & Hud.	126¼	126½	126¼	126½
D., L. & W.	160⅞	160⅞	160⅛	160⅛
Dist. & C. F.	9½	10⅜	9⅛	10⅛
Gen. Electric	35¼	35¾	35⅛	35¼
Lake Shore	135⅝	136	135½	136
Louis. & Nash.	54¼	74¼	53⅞	54¼
Manhattan Ele.	105⅝	106½	105⅝	106¼
Mo. Pacific	28¾	28¾	28⅜	28⅝
Nat. Cordage	8¼	9⅜	8¼	9¼
Nat. Lead	39	39½	39	39½
N. J. Central	93½	93¾	93⅛	93¼
N. Y. Central	99½	99⅞	99½	99⅞
N. Y. & N. E.	31½	32¾	31½	32¼
N. Y., L. E. & W.	10⅝	10⅞	10½	10¾
N. Y., S. & W.	15	15	15	15
N. Y., S. & W., Pr.	42½	42½	42½	42½
Nor. Pacific, Pr.	18	18⅛	18	18⅛
Ont. & West	15⅞	....	....	18⅛
Phil. & Read.	15¼	15¼	15	15¼
Texas Pacific	10	10	10	10
Union Pacific	11½	11½	11⅜	11⅜
Wabash, Pr.	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
West. Union	88¼	88½	88⅛	88⅛

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
WHEAT.				
May	59½	59¾	59⅛	59¾
December	55	55⅝	55	55⅝
OATS.				
May	32⅝	33¾	32⅝	32⅝
December	27¼	29⅜	29¼	29⅜
January	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞
CORN.				
May	50	50½	49¾	50½
December	46¾	47½	46¾	47½
January	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞
LARD.				
January	6.87	6.90	6.87	6.90
May	7.10	7.15	7.10	7.15

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations.

No. Shs.	Par Val.		Bid.	Ask
10	100	Scranton Packing Co	....	120
10	50	Providence & Abington Turnpike	75	....
5	100	Scranton Glass Co.	....	85
5	100	Trader's Nat'l Bank	110	....
1	1000	Mt. Jessup Coal Co.	500	....
10	50	Moosic Mount'n Coal Co	....	60
60	50	Lacka. & Montrose Railroad	....	50
10	100	Scra'n Savings Bank	175	....
25	100	Third Nat'l Bank	150	....
10	100	First Nat'l Bank	600	....
15	100	Lacka. Trust & Safe Deposit Co.	130	....
400	50	Scranton Trac. Co.	....	10
20	100	Walker Automatic & Steam Coupler Co.	....	50
50	100	Walker Automatic & Steam Coupler Co.	....	50
5	100	Suburban Elec. Light Co	....	100
5	100	Suburban Elec. Light Co	....	100
30	100	Allegheny Lum'r Co.	....	110
2	500	Scranton Glass Co. (Bonds)	450	....
8	100	Wyalusing Water Co (Bonds)	....	100
7	500	Stevens Coal Com'y (Bonds)	....	500
2	100	Scra'n Jar and Stopper Co.	....	75

Scranton Wholesale Market.

Fruits and Produce—Dried apples, per lb., 5a6c.; evaporated apples, 8a 9c. per lb.; California prunes, 6½a8c.; English currants, 2½a3c.; layer raisins, $1.75a180; muscatels, 4½a5c. per lb., $1a1.40 per box; new Valencias, 6a7c. per lb. Beans—Marrowfats, $2.30a2.35 per bushel; mediums, $1.70a 1.75, Peas—Green, $1.10a1.15 per bushel; split, $2.50a2.60; lentels, 5a8c. per lb. Potatoes—55a60c. bushel. Onions—Bushel, 55a60c. Butter—17a24c. per lb. Cheese—9a11½c. per lb. Eggs—Fresh, 24a25c.; coolers, 17a 18c. Meats—Hams, 10c.; small hams, 10½c.; skinned hams, 11½c.; California hams, 8c.; shoulders, 7½c.; bellies, 8c.; smoked breakfast bacon, 10c. Smoked Beef—Outsides, 13½c.; sets, 15c.; insides and knuckles, 16½c.; Acme sliced smoked beef, 1-lb cans, $2.45 dozen. Pork—Mess, $15; short cut, $16. Lard—Leaf, in tierces, 9c.; in tubs, 9¼c.; 10-pound pails, 9¾c. per pound; 5-pound pails, 9⅞c. per pound; 3-pound pails, 10c. per pound; compound lard, tierces, 6½c.; tubs, 6¾c.; 10-pound pails, 7¼c. per pound; 5-pound pails, 7⅜c. per pound; 3-pound pails, 7½c. per pound. Flour—Minnesota patent, per barrel, $4.10a 4.25; Ohio and Indiana amber, $3.25; Graham, $3; rye flour, $3. Feed—Mixed, per cwt., $1.10. Grain—Rye, 65c.; corn, 53a55c.; oats, 45a50c. per bushel. Rye Straw—Per ton, $12a15. Hay—$14a50a16. Buckwheat Flour—$2.15a2.20 per 100.

Buffalo Stock Market.

By the United Press.

Buffalo, Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,720 head; on sale, 40 head; market opened and closed steady; good steers and heifers, $3.25a3.40; fair fat cows, $3.40; sausage bulls, $2.25a2.65. Hogs—Receipts, 13,950 head; on sale, 7,650 head; market opened stronger for pigs and Yorkers, steady for others, closed steady and firm with bulk sold; good Yorkers, $4.45a4.50; light, $.40a4.45; mixed packers, $4.45a4.50; good mediums, $4.50a4.55; choice heavy, $4.60; roughs, $3.75 a4; stags, $3.25a3.75. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,800 head; on sale, 8,600 head; market opened stronger for good lambs, easier for heavy sheep, closing steady with bulk sold; cull lambs dull at $2a2.25; Canadas, $4a4.10; choice lambs, $3.75a4; good, $3.50a3.75; fair, $3a3.40; good mixed sheep, $2.25a2.65; fat, 90 to 100-pound wethers, $2.85a3.25; export wethers, $3.65a 3.95; export ewes, $3.25a3.75; ten loads of Canada lambs were reported to arrive.

Chicago Stock Market.

By the United Press.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 16,000 head; market firm; common to extra steers, $2.90a6.35; stockers and feeders, $2a3.35; cows and bulls, $2a3.40; calves, $2a5. Hogs—Receipts, 32,000 head; market strong; heavy, $4.35a4.60; common to choice mixed, $4.25a4.50; choice assorted, $4.25a4.35; light, $3.85a4.25; pigs, $2.25a3.75. Sheep—Receipts, 13,000 head; market weak; inferior to choice, $1.25a 3.25; lambs, $2a4.

Philadelphia Tallow Market.

By the United Press.

Philadelphia, Dec. 12.—Tallow is quiet and steady. We quote: City prime in hhds, 4⅝c.; country, prime, in bbls, 4⅝c.; country, dark, in bbls, 4¼a4½c.; cakes, 5c.; grease, 4c.

Oil Market.

By the United Press.

Pittsburg, Dec. 12.—Oil opened and lowest, 89¾c.; highest and close, 90c.

ONE CENT A Word.

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Removal.

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Charter Application.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Lackawanna county, or one of the judges thereof, on Monday, January 8, 1895, at 9 o'clock a. m., under an act of assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved the 29th of April, 1874, and supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "The Mount Zion Primitive Methodist Church of Pyne and Archbald," the character and object of which is to provide for and promote the worship of Almighty God, according to the faith, doctrine, discipline and usages of the Primitive Methodist Church, and for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights and benefits of said act of assembly and its supplements. Said application is now on file in the Prothonotary's office of Lackawanna county at No. 278, January term, 1895. CHARLES OLVER, Solicitor.
Scranton, Pa., Dec. 6, 1894.

Situations Wanted.

SITUATION WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN aged 21, as assistant bookkeeper, collector or general office work. References. Address O. O. O., Tribune.

SITUATION WANTED FOR WASHING ironing or cleaning by the day. Call or address L. B., 534 North Sumner avenue, city.

A SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG widow as housekeeper. Address Mrs. J. C., 1726 Cedar avenue avenue, Scranton, Pa.

SITUATION WANTED AS HOUSEkeeper, good cook, will do washing and ironing. Address Mrs. E. Jackson, 809 Hampton street, city.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A YOUNG girl to do housework or to take care of children. Address A. E., 725 Fillmore avenue.

New York Produce Market.

By the United Press.

New York, Dec. 12.—Flour—Dull, steady. Wheat—Quiet, firm; No. 2 red store and elevator, 69½a69¾c.; afloat, 62a63c.; f. o. b., 61½a62¾c.; ungraded red, 55a61c.; No. 1 northern, 69¾c.; options closed firm at ¼a ¼c. over yesterday; May most active; sales included No. 2 red January, 61c.; February, 62c.; March, 62⅝c.; May, 63⅝c.; June, 63⅞c.; July, 64¼c.; December, 69⅝c. Corn—Dull, firm; No. 2, 56½c. elevator; 57½c. afloat; ungraded mixed, 52⅝c.; No. 3, 48½a49c.; options closed firm with December ½c. down and other months ⅛a ½c. up; December, 54¼c.; January, 53⅞c.; February, 53⅝c.; May, 54¼c. Oats—Dull, steady; options dull, neglected, easier; December, 34⅜c.; January, 34⅞c.; February, 35¾c.; May, 36½c.; spot prices, No. 2, 34⅝a34½c.; No. 2 white, 38⅝a39¼c.; No. 2 Chicago, 35⅝a35½c.; No. 3, 34c.; No. 3 white, 35¼c.; mixed western, 34½a35c.; white do., 39a42c.; white state, 39a42c. Beef—Dull. Tierced Beef—Dull. Cut Meats—Quiet. Lard—More active, firmer; western steam, $7.17½; sales, 1,360 tierces at $7.15a7.17½; city, 6⅝c.; January, $7.20; December, $7.20 asked; May, $7.45, nominal; refined, dull; continent, $7.60; South America, $8; compound, 5½a5¾c. Pork—Quiet, steady; mess, $13.25a14. Butter—Quiet, fancy steady; state and Pennsylvania, 12a22c.; do. creamery, 17a23c.; western dairy, 10½a15c.; do. creamery, 15a24c.; do. factory, 10a16c.; Elgins, 24c.; imitation creamery, 13a18c.; June creamery, 16a 21½c. Cheese—Dull, fancy colored firm; state large, 9a11¼c.; do. fancy colored, 11¼c.; do. white, 10¾a11c.; do. small, 9½a 12c.; part skims, 3½a9c.; full skims, 2½a3c. Eggs—Dull, easy; state and Pennsylvania, 25a25½c.; held fresh, 20a21c.; western fresh, 24a24½c.; do. per case, $3a4; southern, 22a 24c.; limed, 15a15½c.

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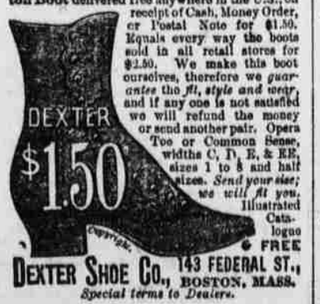

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