CONGRESSIONAL BUSINESS

The Annual Fight Over Checks for Representatives.

DE ARMOND'S BITTER ATTACK

Characterizes the Amendment as a Raid on the Treasury—President Cleveland Vetoes the Bill Authorizing Leasing of Arizona School Lands.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The Cuban resolution did not figure in today's proceedings of the house until just before the close of the session. Secretary Cox, of the senate, announced to the house the action of the senate and the house galleries cheered his statement. The resolutions lie on the speaker's desk, whence they may be called up at any time. It was understood this afternoon that Mr. Hitt will ask the house to dispose of them next Monday.

As soon as the journal was read, the house went into committee of the whole for the consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1897, and twenty-one pages of it were disposed of before adjournment. In the course of the general debate, which lasted until nearly 2 o'clock, Mr. Grout (Rep., Vt.) a member of the committee on appropriations, read a speech in favor of a sound and stable currency. Of the sections of the bill which passed under consideration, only one excited much debate—that relating to clerks for representatives, over which the annual fight took place. Mr. Tawney (Rep., Minn.) moved to make their employment continuous, instead of during the sessions of congress only, but this was ruled out on a point of order made by Mr. McCall (Rep., Ten.) that it changed existing law, and was therefore inadmissable upon an appropriation bill.

TREASURY RAID.

The feature of the discussion was Mr. De Armond's attack upon the amendment which he characterized as a raid on the treasury, without right or justice, a salary grab as much as the infamous measure known by that name and a stench in the nostrils of honest men. The chairman of the committee of the whole sustained the point of order reversing a ruling made in the last congress under similar conditions, and Mr. Tawney taking an appeal from the ruling it was sustained by the committee—102 to 43.

A message from President Cleveland vetoing the bill authorizing the leasing of the school lands of Arizona, was laid before the house and made the special order for tomorrow.

The conference report on the general pension appropriation bill, and the report op the elections committee No. 1, confirming Mr. Jones' title to the seat as representative from the First district of Virginia were agreed to. At 4.50 the house took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension and relief bills only.

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TESTING BLOODHOUNDS.

Narrow Escape of a Deputy Who Ran Before the Dogs—Indiana Sheriff Satisfied They Will Capture Any Criminal.

Crown Point, Ind., Feb. 28.—This morning just before daybreak Sheriff Hayes gave Buck and Jim, his two man-hating bloodhounds, a thorough trial test in the heavy timber and swamp south of the city limits. The dogs made the chase to perfection, not leaving the trail an inch from start to finish until their man was captured. William Zanders, a deputy sheriff, left the county jail at 5 o'clock, one hour ahead of Sheriff Hayes, Deputy Farley and the hounds. Zanders walked to the county fair grounds, a mile away. He went twice around the race track, taking a different route each time, then passing through the grounds in a zigzag course. After walking about two miles in the fair grounds Zanders went into a heavy piece of timber. Here he walked back and forth a dozen times, then crossed through twice in a different direction into a heavy swamp of canebrakes eight feet high. The swamp covers nearly twenty acres of land. Zanders found the cane brakes so high that he could hardly travel. Through this spot he walked in every direction, over ice and snow. He had hardly reached the edge of the swamp when he heard the yelping of the dogs about a mile behind him. Zanders, knowing he had no time to lose, made a long run for a big patch of hazel bushes a few rods away. He crawled through this place twice and then started for a tree near by. He turned around and saw Buck and Jim not over four rods behind, coming on a run without making the least bit of noise. He made a dash for the nearest tree and climbed up just in time to miss the jaws of the dogs. Had he made one misstep and fell he would have been torn in pieces, as the dogs were excited to their highest pitch. Buck stood guard at the base of the tree, while Jim leisurely walked two or three rods away and took his position, which he regularly held in Texas—"a picket on duty," both eagerly watching their captured man. Sheriff Hayes and Deputy Farley reached the spot nearly an hour afterward.

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Another Way of Looking at It.

A sulky little girl was being entertained by a friend, a middle-aged woman unused to children, who nevertheless was doing her best to arouse interest.

"Oh, look at pussy," said the hostess, "just see how nice and clean she is. See how she washes her face."

The sulky one cast a contemptuous look toward the domestic pet. "She ain't washing her face," she remarked at last, "she's washing her paws and wiping them on her face."—Brooklyn Eagle.

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INDUSTRIAL.

Pittston Gazette: If the new Mount Lookout breaker, now being built to take the place of the one recently destroyed by fire, is not the finest and best in the valley, it certainly will be no fault of the officials of the company, who are sparing no expense or labor to make the plans as nearly perfect as it is possible to have them, and to adapt them to the conditions found at the colliery. General Manager J. L. Crawford is giving his personal supervision to the work of preparing the plans, and they are now almost completed. In some respects the new breaker will be exactly the same as the old one, while in other respects it will be materially different, and a statement of the points of difference will be of interest to mine workers generally. The new breaker will occupy exactly the same site as the one destroyed by fire. The new building will be larger, however, for the reason that it will be double, while the former one was single. To make it so a wing will be built on the northeast corner. The foundation for the wing is also in readiness, it having been built some time ago when it was proposed to enlarge the old breaker. Some idea of the massive character of the new structure may be gained from the statement that 1,300,000 feet of timber will be required in its building. The coal will be hoisted to the top of the breaker by means of a plane, as before, and the manner of handling cars will be the same. From the dumping platform downward through the breaker, however, are radical changes from the old style, which it will be interesting to watch very closely. Just below the dumping platform are two pairs of crushers, and here the changes begin. Into one pair of crushers, 40 by 48 inches in size, goes all of the pure coal. Into the crushers, 36 by 36 inches in size, goes all doubtful and bony coal. Both classes of coal are treated alike as to crushing and separating, passing from the crushers into counter screens 5 by 7 feet in diameter and 24 feet long. Out of these screens broken and egg coal is prepared over automatic slate pickers. There is also an extra pair of crushers, by means of which the broken and egg coal may be reduced, if desired, to lower sizes. The pure coal under broken and egg goes to the main screen, from which the stove and chestnut sizes are prepared over automatic slate pickers. The chestnut and pea coal then passes over shakers and automatic slate pickers, thence going direct to the pockets. The pickings from all of these sizes of coal are elevated and repicked. Going back to the top of the breaker, the course of the doubtful and bony coal may be traced. This, after leaving the counter screens, instead of going to the main screens, as the pure coal, passes, together with the coal from the mud screens, under the bars, over a series of shakers, and after being separated into sizes by the shakers, run into twelve Lehigh Valley pattern jigs (of the same style as those in use at "Maltby"). All doubtful coal, even the buckwheat size, is jigged. After being jigged it passes over automatic slate pickers, and thence goes to the chutes, ready for market, the long and perfect cleaning process through which it has passed being expected to make it clean enough to pass the most rigid inspection. The breaker is equipped with three lines of elevators, each 96 feet high—one for lip screenings, one for doubtful coal and one for rehandling condemned coal. The work of rehandling condemned coal, frequently a cource of much trouble and expense, will in the new breaker be reduced to the minimum, a deep pit having been prepared under the breaker, into which the coal can be dumped and then elevated to the top of the breaker to pass through the picking process a second time. It will not be necessary to use a shovel on condemned coal. In all there will be ten shaking screens and six round screens in the breaker, and the total capacity will be about 2,000 tons a day. The capacity of the new breaker will not be much greater than the old, the additional space and improvements being used to better prepare the coal rather than increase the product. All of the modern breaker accessories will be furnished, such as electric light, steam heat, water for fire purpose, etc. Altogether, it is safe to say that it will be the best equipped coal-preparing plant in this region.

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Conductors and trainmen on the Lehigh Valley passenger trains began last Sunday wearing their new service badges. Those for the conductors are heavy gold plate, while the badges for the trainmen are made of aluminum. Each shield is numbered according to the length of service of the employe.

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Beginning March 1 the Erie will charge for carrying bicycles whether accompanied by owners or not. The minimum charge is fixed at 15 cents and the rate is not to exceed 20 per cent. of the passenger fare. The Erie will charge 15 cents on all fares between 5 cents and $1.

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If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over Fifty Years by Millions of Mothers for their Children while Teething, with Perfect Success. It Soothes the Child, Softens the Gums, Allays all Pain; Cures Wind Colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. ••

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When Comedian Crane discovered that there were thirteen characters in "The Governor of Kentucky" he went to the author to see about it. There was a Mr. Leonard spoken of during the play who was never seen. It was easy to introduce Mr. Leonard in the play, and thus it was given fourteen characters.

THERE'LL BE A FRESH SPECIAL

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Buyers mentioned in this space daily for the next two weeks, because

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THE WORLD OF BUSINESS

Wall Street Review.

New York, Feb. 28.—The stock market, under the influence of higher quotations from London and the receipt of buying orders from that center opened strong to buoyant. An advance of ¼ to ⅞ per cent. occurred in the first transactions, but the rise soon checked by a drop in Leather Preferred from 62 to 59¾, the stock still feeling the effect of the passing of the dividend. The bears then seized upon the Washington news concerning the agitation in the senate looking toward the recognition of the Cuban belligerents as a pretext for a break in prices, and hammered the list with great vigor. Prices yielded slowly at first, but as round amounts of the share were thrown upon the market the downward movement was accelerated, and during the afternoon a general decline of ½ to 5 per cent. ensued. The fact that houses with Washington connections were prominent as sellers gave color to the reports that a feeling of apprehension existed as to the outcome of the much-talked-of senate resolutions on the Cuban question. Many stop orders were caught on the way down and a number of small traders were shaken out of their stocks. Particular attention was paid to Sugar, and the stock broke from 118⅝ to 112⅞ on sales of nearly 86,900 shares. The leading insiders were credited with heavy purchases at the lower range. General Electric, Chicago Gas, Louisville, Manhattan, the Grangers, Lackawanna, Tennessee Coal and Iron, Jersey Central, the Soutewhstern shares and Pacific Mail yielded anywhere from ½ to 3 per cent. Tobacco was rather firmer than the rest and North Pacific ruled positively strong, rising 1⅛ to 17½ and closing at 16½. Shortly before the close there was a rush to cover and prices rallied ¾ to 2 per cent. Burlington and Quincy, Leather Preferred, Sugar and Tobacco leading. Among the specialties aBltimore and Ohio rose 2¾ to 30, but later lost the improvement. The total transactions were 410,500 shares. Speculation left off steady in tone at he recovery noted.

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	Op'n-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
Am. Tobacco Co.	79	79	77⅝	79
Am. Cotton Oil	17	17	17	17
Am. Sugar Re'g Co.	118¼	118⅛	112¾	115
Atch., To. & S. Fe	17	17	15⅞	16⅜
Canada Southern	50⅝	50¾	50	50½
Ches. & Ohio	17½	17½	16½	16½
Chicago Gas	68¾	68¾	66⅝	67⅜
Chic. & N. W.	105	105	103¼	103⅞
Chic., B. & Q.	80½	80½	76⅞	78¾
C. C. C. & St. L.	37¼	37½	35¾	36⅝
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	78⅛	78¼	75¾	76½
Chic., R. I. & Pac.	74⅛	74¼	70	72⅛
Del. & Hudson	127¼	127¼	126½	127
D., L. & W.	162⅜	162⅜	160⅝	160⅝
Dist. & C. F.	18⅜	18½	17	17½
Gen. Electric	32½	32⅝	30⅛	30⅝
Lake Shore	149	149	149	149
Louis. & Nash	54⅝	54⅝	51⅞	52¼
M. K. & Texas, Pr.	31⅛	31⅛	29	29
Manhattan Ele.	106¾	107⅛	105	106⅜
Mo. Pac.	23¾	23¾	22¼	23¼
Nat. Cordage	5⅝	5⅝	5⅜	5⅜
Nat. Lead	25	25	25	25
N. J. Central	107½	107½	106	106
N. Y. Central	98¾	98¾	98	98
N. Y., L. E. & W.	16	16	15⅛	15⅞
N. Y., S. & W., Pr.	28	28	27	27
Nor. Pac.	4⅞	5	4⅝	4⅝
Ontario & West	15½	15½	15	15
Omaha	40½	40½	40½	40½
Pac. Mail	29⅝	29⅝	27½	28¾
Phil. & Read	13	13	11½	12½
Southern R. R.	10¼	10¼	9¾	9⅞
Southern R. R., Pr.	32⅞	32⅞	30¾	31
Tenn. C. & Iron	33	33	29¾	30¾
Texas & Pacific	8¾	8¾	8⅛	8⅜
Union Pacific	8¼	8¼	7½	7¾
Wabash	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞
Wabash, Pr.	18¾	18¾	18	18
Western Union	85¼	85¾	83⅞	84¼
W. L.	11⅝	11⅞	10¾	11¼
U. S. Leather	9⅞	9⅞	9	9⅛
U. S. Leather, Pr.	62	62	59¾	60⅝
U. S. Rubber	28½	28½	27½	27½

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE PRICES.

	Op'n-ing.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing.
WHEAT.				
May	67⅜	68⅛	66⅞	67¾
July	67½	68¼	67¼	67⅞
OATS.				
May	21¼	21⅜	21¼	21¼
July	21¼	21⅜	21¼	21⅜
CORN.				
May	30½	30⅞	30½	30¾
July	31¾	31¾	31½	31⅝
LARD.				
May	5.42	5.42	5.35	5.37
July	5.55	5.55	5.52	5.55
PORK.				
May	9.55	9.65	9.55	9.62
July	9.75	9.80	9.72	9.80

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

Name.	Bid.	Asked.
Dime Dep. & Dis. Bank	135	...
Scranton Lace Curtain Co.	...	50
National Boring & Drilling Co.	...	80
First National Bank	650	...
Scranton Jar & Stopper Co.	...	25
Spring Brook Water Co.	...	105
Elmhurst Boulevard Co.	...	100
Scranton Axle Works	...	80
Scranton Savings Bank	200	...
Scranton Traction Co.	...	15
Bonta Plate Glass Co.	...	10
Scranton Car Replacer Co.	...	100
Scranton Packing Co.	...	95
Weston Mill Co.	...	250
Lackawanna Iron & Steel Co.	...	150
Scranton Bedding Co.	...	103
BONDS.		
Scranton Glass Co.	...	100
Scranton Pass. Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
Scranton Traction Co.	...	95
People's Street Railway, first mortgage due 1918	110	...
Scranton & Pittston Trac. Co.	...	90
People's Street Railway, Second mortgage due 1920	110	...
Lacka. Valley Trac. Co., first mortgage due 1825	...	90
Dickson Manufacturing Co.	...	100
Lacka. Township School 5%	...	102
City of Scranton Street Imp 6%	...	102
Scranton Axle Works	...	100
Borough of Winton 6%	...	100
Rush Brook Coal Co.	...	100

New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 28.—Flour—Quiet, firm, unchanged. Southern flour—Firm, unchanged. Wheat—Dull, firm; No. 2 red store and elevator, 82c.; afloat, 83½c.; f. o. b., 83a84c.; ungraded red, 70a85c.; No. 1 northern, 77½c.; options moderately active, closed firm at ¼a½c. advance on firmer cables, foreign buying, better west and local covering; May and July most active; No. 2 red February and March, 75½c.; April, 75⅝c.; May, 74c.; June, 73⅝c.; July, 73½c. Corn—Dull, scarce, firmer; No. 2 36⅝c. elevator; 37½c. afloat; options were dull, firmer with the west and on local covering; May and July only traded in; February, 37½c.; May, 36⅞c.; July, 37⅛c. Oats—Dull, stronger; options, firmer; February, 26¼c.; March and May, 26c.; spot prices, No. 2, 26⅝c.; No. 2 white, 27¾c.; No. 2 Chicago, 27½c.; No. 3, 25½c.; No. 3 white, 26½c.; mixed western, 25½a26½c.; white state and western, 27a29c. Beef—Steady, unchanged. Beef hams—Inactive; $14.50a15. Tierced beef—Dull, steady; city extra India mess, $15a16.50. Cut meats—Quiet, unchanged. Lard—Quiet, weak; western steam, $5.55; city, $4.90a5; May, $5.70; refined, inactive; continent, $5.90; South America, $6.10; compound, 4½a4⅞c. Pork—Dull, weak; mess, $10a10.50. Butter—Steady, moderate demand; state dairy, 9a20c.; do. creamery held, 13a19c.; western creamery, 14a22c.; do. held, 12a19c.; do. factory, 8a13c.; Elgins, 22c.; imitation creamery, 11a½15c.; rolls, 8a12c. Cheese—Fair demand, unchanged. Eggs—Liberal receipts, weaker; state and Pennsylvania, 11a11½c.; southern, 10a10½c.; ice house case, $1.75a2.75; western fresh, 10½a11c.; duck, 23a30c.

Toledo Grain Market.

Toledo, O., Feb. 28.—Wheat—Receipts, 4,000 bushels; shipments, 2,000 bushels; easy; No. 2 cash, 74½c.; May, 75⅝c.; July, 71⅝c. Corn—Receipts, 42,000 bushels; shipments, 3,000 bushels; dull; No. 2 mixed May, 31½c. Oats—Nominal. Cloverseed—Receipts, 1,450 bags; shipments, 1,250 bags; steady; prime cash and March, $4.25.

Oil Market.

Oil City, Feb. 28.—Petroleum—Credit balances, $1.30. At the Exchange the option opened $1.27; highest, $1.27; lowest, $1.25; closed, $1.26. National Transit runs, 18,427 barrels; shipments, 4,611 barrels. Buckeye runs, 75,063 barrels; shipments, 46,369 barrels.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 28.—Oil opened, $1.26, highest, $1.27; lowest, $1.26; closed, $1.26. Credit balances, $1.30.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000 head; market strong for choice, steady for others; common to extra steers, $3.25a4.45; stockers and feeders, $2.75a3.85; cows and bulls, $1.50a3.50; calves, $3.10a5; Texans, $2.25a3.80. Hogs—Receipts, 22,000 head; market weak and 5c. lower; heavy packing and shipping lots, $3.10a4; common to choice mixed, $3.40a4; choice assorted, $3.90a4; light, $3.75a4; pigs, $3.40a3.90. Sheep—Receipts, 3,900 head; market steady; inferior to choice, $2.50a3.50; lambs, $3.50a4.40.

Buffalo Live Stock.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Cattle—Few on sale; butchers' grades, easy. Hogs—Opened slow and 5a15c. lower; heavy, $4a4.10; mediums, $4.10a4.15; Yorkers, $4.15a4.20; pigs, $4.20a4.25; roughs, $3.25a3.50; stags, $2.50a3. Sheep and lambs—Heavy weight lambs and sheep predominating and hardly saleable; best lambs very steady, $4.40a4.60; best sheep firm, $3.60a3.65; no export trade demand; closing slow.

Philadelphia Tallow Market.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Tallow is quiet and unchanged. We quote: City, prime, in hogsheads, 3⅝c.; country, prime in barrels, 3⅝c.; country, dark, in barrels, 3¼a3½c.; cakes, 4c.; grease, 3¼c.

Louis Harrison has been engaged for a leading part in a new piece by Cheever Goodwin and Woolson Morse, which is to see the light in Chicago. There are three acts, and the characters of each act get lost and do not reappear in the succeeding acts, all except Mr. Harrison.

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WE WANT A FEW MORE GENERAL agents, ladies or gentlemen, to travel and appoint agents on our new publications; salary $780 and all expenses; full particulars given on application. If you apply send photograph. Address Dept. F., S. I. BELL CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

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WANTED—AN EXPERT STEAM FITTER to solicit work and make estimates; a good opportunity to the right party. Address STEAM FITTER, Tribune office.

WANTED—WELL-KNOWN MAN IN every town to solicit stock subscriptions; a monopoly; big money for agents; no capital required. EDWARD C. FISH & CO., Borden Block, Chicago, Ill.

Help Wanted—Females.

WANTED—FIVE SALESLADIES TO introduce Beardsley's Shredded Codfish; call from 10 to 12 Saturday at wholesale grocery E. E. Teal, 24 Lackawanna avenue. Ask for J. M. Crane.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY—TWO ENERGETIC saleswomen to represent us. Guaranteed $6 a day without interfering with other duties. Healthful occupation. Write for particulars, inclosing stamp. Mango Chemical Company, No. 72 John street, New York.

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FOR SALE—1 PAIR BAY MARES; 1 black pacer; very fast; prices low. GUERNSEY BROTHERS, 224 Wyoming Ave.

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE FINEST country places near Scranton; large modern house and fine grounds. MRS. MARY AYLESWORTH, Clarks Green, Pa.

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AGENTS WANTED—TO SELL CIGARS; $75 per month salary and expenses paid. Address, with two-cent stamp, FIGARO CIGAR CO., Chicago.

WANTED—TWO GOOD MEN TO SELL tea and coffee on commission in and around Scranton; will furnish each with a horse and wagon and pay 20 per cent. commission; a small bond required. For particulars address C. C., Tribune office.

AGENTS—TO SELL OUR PRACTICAL gold, silver, nickel and copper electro platers; price from $3 upward; salary and expenses paid; outfit free. Address, with stamp, MICHIGAN MFG CO., Chicago.

AGENTS TO SELL CIGARS TO DEALERS; $25 weekly and expenses; experience unnecessary. CONSOLIDATED MFG. CO., 48 Van Buren st., Chicago.

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Stockholders' Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Providence Gas and Water Company will be held at their office in the Delaware and Hudson building, Lackawanna avenue, Scranton, Pa., Monday, May 4, 1896, at 10 a. m., to elect officers to serve during the ensuing year, to consider and authorize an increase of the capital stock of the company, and transact any other business that may be presented.
By order of the managers.
H. F. ATHERTON, Secretary.
Scranton, Pa., Feb. 28, 1896.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of The Dickson Manufacturing Company for the election of officers and to vote on the proposition to reduce the number of directors from eleven to not more than nine nor less than seven, and the consideration of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the company in Scranton, on Wednesday, the 11th day of March next, at 10 o'clock a. m.
(Signed) WILLIAM H. PERKINS, Sec'y.
Scranton, Pa., Feb. 24, 1896.

NOTICE—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the stockholders of The Lackawanna Iron and Steel Company, for the election of directors and transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Scranton, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday, March 4, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. The polls will remain open for one hour. The transfer books will be closed on February 25, 1896, and reopened on March 5, 1896.
J. P. HIGGINSON, Secretary.
Scranton, Pa., Feb. 20, 1896.

Special Notices.

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SITUATION WANTED—AS JANITOR OR watchman; ten years' experience and best of references. Address H., Box 288, Montrose, Pa.

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SITUATION WANTED BY A YOUNG girl to do general housework in a small family. Address L. E., 115 N. Fillmore ave.

RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD,

Schedule in Effect May 19, 1895.

Trains Leave Wilkes-Barre as Follows

7.25 a. m., week days, for Sunbury Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and for Pittsburg and the West.

10.15 a. m., week days, for Hazleton, Pottsville, Reading, Norristown and Philadelphia; and for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and Pittsburg and the West.

3.17 p. m., week days, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West.

4.40 p. m., Sundays only, for Sunbury, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg and the West.

6.00 p. m., week days, for Hazleton and Pottsville.

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT NOV. 17, 1895.

Trains leave Scranton for Pittston, Wilkes-Barre, etc at 8.20, 9.15, 11.30 a. m., 1.20, 2.00, 3.05, 5.00, 7.10 p. m. Sundays, 9.00 a. m., 1.00, 2.15, 7.10 p. m.

For Atlantic City, 8.20 a. m.

For New York, Newark and Elizabeth, 8.20 (express) a. m., 1.20 (express with Buffet parlor car), 3.05 (express) p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m. Train leaving 1.20 p. m. arrives at Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, 6.21 p. m. and New York 6.45 p. m.

For Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton and Philadelphia, 8.20 a. m., 1.20, 3.05, 5.00 (except Philadelphia) p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, etc., at 8.20 a. m., 1.20 p. m.

For Reading, Lebanon and Harrisburg, via Allentown, 8.20 a. m., 1.20, 5.00 p. m. Sunday, 2.15 p. m.

For Pottsville, 8.20 a. m., 1.20 p. m.

Returning, leave New York, foot of Liberty street, North River, at 9.10 (express) a. m., 1.10, 1.30, 4.30 (express with Buffet parlor car) p. m. Sunday, 4.30 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, Reading Terminal, 9.00 a. m., 2.00 and 4.30 p. m. Sunday 6.27 a. m.

Through tickets to all points at lowest rates may be had on application in advance to the ticket agent at the station.

H. P. BALDWIN,
Gen. Pass. Agent.
J. H. OLHAUSEN, Gen. Supt.

DELAWARE AND HUDSON RAILROAD.

Commencing Monday, July 30, all trains will arrive at new Lackawanna avenue station as follows:

Trains will leave Scranton station for Carbondale and intermediate points at 2.20, 5.45, 7.00, 8.25 and 10.10 a. m., 12.00, 2.20, 3.55, 5.15, 6.15, 7.25, 9.10 and 11.20 p. m.

For Farview, Waymart and Honesdale at 7.00, 8.25 and 10.10 a. m., 12.00, 2.20 and 5.15 p. m.

For Albany, Saratoga, the Adirondacks and Montreal at 5.45 a. m. and 2.20 p. m.

For Wilkes-Barre and intermediate points at 7.45, 8.45, 9.38 and 10.45 a. m., 12.05, 1.20, 2.38, 4.00, 5.10, 6.05, 9.15 and 11.38 p. m.

Trains will arrive at Scranton station from Carbondale and intermediate points at 7.40, 8.40, 9.34 and 10.40 a. m., 12.00, 1.17, 2.34, 3.40, 4.54, 5.55, 7.45, 9.11 and 11.33 p. m.

From Honesdale, Waymart and Farview at 9.34 a. m., 12.00, 1.17, 3.40, 5.55 and 7.45 p. m.

From Montreal, Saratoga, Albany, etc., at 4.54 and 11.33 p. m.

From Wilkes-Barre and intermediate points at 2.15, 8.04, 10.05 and 11.55 a. m., 1.16 2.14, 3.39, 5.10, 6.08, 7.20, 9.03 and 11.16 p. m.

PICTURESQUE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD

Nov. 17, 1895.

Train leaves Scranton for Philadelphia and New York via D. & H. R. R. at 7.45 a. m., 12.05, 1.20, 2.38 and 11.38 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 6.00, 8.08, 11.20 a. m., and 1.30 p. m.

Leave Scranton for Pittston and Wilkes-Barre, via D., L. & W. R. R., 6.00, 8.08, 11.20 a. m., 3.40, 6.07, 8.52 p. m.

Leave Scranton for White Haven, Hazleton, Pottsville and all points on the Beaver Meadow and Pottsville branches, via E. & W. V. R. R., 6.39 a. m., via D. & H. R. R. at 7.45 a. m., 12.05, 1.20, 2.38, 4.00 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R. 6.00, 8.08, 11.20 a. m., 1.30, 3.40 p. m.

Leave Scranton for Bethlehem, Easton, Reading, Harrisburg and all intermediate points, via D. & H. R. R. 7.45 a. m., 12.05, 1.20, 2.38, 4.00, 11.38 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 6.00, 8.08, 11.20 a. m., 1.30 p. m.

Leave Scranton for Tunkhannock, Towanda, Elmira, Ithaca, Geneva and all intermediate points via D & H. R. R., 8.45 a. m., 12.05 and 11.35 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 8.08, 9.55 a. m., 1.30 p. m.

Leave Scranton for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago and all points west via D & H. R. R., 8.45 a. m., 12.05, 9.15, 11.38 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R. and Pittston Junction, 8.08, 9.55 a. m., 1.30, 8.50 p. m., via E. & W. V. R. R., 3.41 p. m.

For Elmira and the west via Salamanca, via D. & H. R. R., 8.45 a. m., 12.05, 6.05 p. m., via D., L. & W. R. R., 8.08, 9.55 a. m., 1.30, and 6.07 p. m.

Pulman parlor and sleeping or L. V. chair cars on all trains between L. & B. Junction or Wilkes-Barre and New York, Philadelphia, Buffalo, and Suspension Bridge.

ROLLIN H. WILBUR, Gen. Supt.
CHAS. S. LEE, Gen. Pass. Agt., Phila., Pa.
A. W. NONNEMACHER, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., South Bethlehem, Pa.

Del., Lack. and Western.

Effect Monday, June 24, 1895.

Trains leave Scranton as follows: Express for New York and all points East, 1.40, 2.50, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m.; 12.55 and 3.34 p. m.

Express for Easton, Trenton, Philadelphia and the South, 5.15, 8.00 and 9.55 a. m., 12.55 and 3.34 p. m.

Washington and way stations, 3.55 p. m.

Tobyhanna accommodation, 6.10 p. m.

Express for Binghamton, Oswego, Elmira, Corning, Bath, Dansville, Mount Morris and Buffalo, 12.10, 2.35 a. m., and 1.21 p. m., making close connections at Buffalo to all points in the West, Northwest and Southwest.

Bath accommodation, 9 a. m.

Binghamton and way stations, 12.37 p. m.

Nicholson accommodation, 5 p. m.

Binghamton and Elmira Express, 6.05 p. m.

Express for Cortland, Syracuse, Oswego, Utica and Richfield Springs, 2.35 a. m. and 1.21 p. m.

Ithaca 2.35 and Bath 9 a. m. and 1.21 p m.

For Northumberland, Pittston, Wilkes-Barre, Plymouth, Bloomsburg and Danville, making close connections at Northumberland for Williamsport, Harrisburg, Baltimore, Washington and the South.

Northumberland and intermediate stations, 6.00, 9.55 a. m. and 1.30 and 6.07 p. m.

Nanticoke and intermediate stations, 8.08 and 11.20 a. m. Plymouth and intermediate stations, 3.40 and 8.52 p. m.

Pullman parlor and sleeping coaches on all express trains.

For detailed information, pocket time tables, etc., apply to M. L. Smith, city ticket office, 328 Lackawanna avenue, or depot ticket office.

Erie and Wyoming Valley.

Trains leave Scranton for New York and intermediate points on the Erie railroad at 7.00 a. m. and 3.29 p. m. Also for Honesdale, Hawley and local points at 7.00, 9.40 a. m. and 3.29 p. m.

All the above are through trains to and from Honesdale.

Trains leave for Wilkes-Barre at 6.39 a. m. and 3.19 p. m.

NEW YORK ONTARIO AND WESTERN RAILWAY

SCRANTON DIVISION.
In Effect September 22nd, 1895.

North Bound. **South Bound.**

	203 Local Pass	201 NY Day Exp	Stations (Trains Daily, Except Sunday.)	202 Local Pass	204 Onta'r'o Day Ex	
		P M	Arrive Leave		A M	
....	....	7 25	N. Y. Franklin St.	....	7 40	....
....	....	7 10	West 42nd street	....	7 55	....
....	....	7 00	Weehawken	....	8 10	....
		P M	Arrive Leave		P M	
....	....	1 15	Hancock Junction	....	2 05	....
....	....	1 09	Hancock	....	2 11	....
....	....	12 56	Starlight	....	2 22	....
....	....	12 46	Preston Park	....	2 31	....
....	....	12 40	Como	....	2 41	....
....	....	12 25	Poyntelle	....	2 50	....
....	....	12 14	Belmont	....	2 58	....
....	....	12 03	Pleasant Mt.	....	3 08	....
....	....	f11 59	Uniondale	....	3 09	....
....	P M	11 49	Forest City	A M	3 19	....
....	6 50	11 31	Carbondale	7 04	3 34	....
....	f6 46	f11 30	White Bridge	7 07	f3 38	....
....	6 43	....	Mayfield	7 12	f3 43	....
....	6 41	11 23	Jermyn	7 14	3 45	....
....	6 35	11 18	Archibald	7 20	3 51	....
....	6 32	f11 15	Winton	7 23	3 54	....
....	6 28	11 11	Peckville	7 27	3 59	....
....	6 23	11 07	Olyphant	7 32	4 02	....
....	6 20	11 05	Dickson	7 34	4 07	....
....	6 18	11 03	Throop	7 36	4 10	....
....	6 15	11 00	Providence	7 39	4 14	....
....	6 12	f10 57	Park Place	7 41	f4 17	....
...	6 10	10 55	Scranton	7 45	4 20	....
	P M	A M	Leave Arrive	A M	P M	

All trains run daily except Sunday.

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