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LIVE NEWS OF THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD FEW CHANGES TO BE MADE IN

THE FUTURE.

Superintendent De Puy of the Morris & Essex Division of the Lackawanna Road Talks About the Policy of the Company-His Remarks Are Endorsed by President Truesdale-White Oak Mine at Archbald About to Resume Operations-Conference Will Be Resumed Today.

"There is one thing that we would like the public to understand, and that is this: There is absolutely no foundation for the idle talk and rumors which are prevalent that the new manage ment contemplates another shake-up among the employes of the road,' says Superintendent De Puy of the Morris & Essex division of the Lackawanna read

"I don't know where such rumors originated, but I can authoritatively say that there is absolutely no foundation for such reports.

"The new management did not take charge of the Lackawanna road for the purpose of making a clean sweep of all its employes, or to remove men because they have grown old and gray in the service of the company, or because we thought that they had outlived their usefulness by reason of having been connected with the company for so many years. I know that such an erroneous impression prevails in many quarters, owing perhaps to the many changes which have been made since the new management assumed control, but it is a decidedly false impression.

"The new management does not expect anything further from the omployes than that they shall attend strictly to the work assigned to them. and then they can feel reasonably safe and secure in retaining their jobs.

"The sconer the employees understand that the better it will be for themselves and for all concerned. If they would do that and stop conjecturing whether or not the 'decapitation axe will be wielded again,' as stated by one of the newspapers, these employee will have no reason to fear about losing their jobs.

NEED HAVE NO FEAR.

Therefore, I say the best thing that these men can do is to get right down to work and attend to business, and they need fear nothing. The new management will show them that we are their friends and not enemies; that we did not take charge of the road for the

wanna company, saying that no definite plans have been agreed upon.

White Oak to Resume Today. Work will be resumed at the White bak mines this morning. This will be about ten days earlier than it was expected the mines would be in operaion, because it had been announced heretofore that work would not begin before September 1.

All the mines of the company will be in operation on Monday except the slope and the Klondike mines. The slope will, however, soon be working is it was befre the breaker was burned. A sheave wheel for hoisting the coal from the mine must yet be fixed in position and when it is work will be

Secretary J. E. Watkins recorded the proceedings of the meeting. An esti-The mules have been taken from mate was made to show that it will Carbondale to the company barn here. require about \$1,500 to conduct the primaries, which sum will have to be They were brought here on Tuesday. It is announced positively that the paid by the candidates for nominapockets and the building for the pretion. The more numerous the candiparation of small sizes of coal, now bedates, the less the expense per man ing built on the site of burned White Only county auditors and county com-Oak breaker are to be used only temmissioners are to be elected this fall. porarily. A new breaker will be built near the Sharpless land in the lower Up to date the following candidates have been chosen: end of the borough. Work may not be For Commissioner-Giles Roberts, of Scranton: William J. Thomas, Scranton; begun until next spring. When the breaker is completed it will probably William Franz, Scranton; Samuel W Roberts, Scranton; John Penman, Olybe one of the finest in the valley. The ompany has so much coal here that phant; William Evans, Scranton; Bert C. Green, Scranton; John Courier Marris, Scranton; W. S. Palmer, Glenburn.

it can afford to put up a first-class breaker and it is likely to do so,-Archbald Citizen.

For Auditor-Fred L. Ward, Scranton; Asa E. Klefer, Scranton; Thomas R. Hughes, Scranton; William E. Johns, Scranton; W. D. Spencer, Waverly; Jamea H. Hopkins, Scranton; Eben P. Davis, Scranton; Eben P. Davis, . . . There was another conference Satarday between the engineers of the Lackawanna road and Superintendent. cranton Russell at which substantial progress The following official announcement was made in the consideration of the oncerning the primaries has been ismatters at issue. sued by Chairman Willard: The conference will be resumed this

morning

Want Foreman Removed.

The employes of the Babylon colliery nave gone on strike again and say that they will positvely not return unil their latest demand is acceded o. This is, that the company remove Mine Foreman McCarthy, who, they claim, has broken the agreement since hey returned to work on Tuesday last. The contention is made that McCarthy objected to the removal of extra topping from a car by one of the men appointed to see that none of the cars ontained more than six inches of top oal. It is also alleged that McCarthy

struck the men. The men now demand that McCarthy ie removed and that a foreman be selected from one of their number.

Rate War Probable.

A dispatch from Chicago announces that the Eris railroad has announced a rate of \$18.45 for the round trip between Chicago and New York, There is at present no round trip between the two cities, the standard one way rate being \$20. At the same time corresponding rates will be made from all intermediate points to New York. rate of \$15.35 for the round trip be-tween Cincinnati and New York will

be made, the one way rate being \$18. ance of Being of Incendiary Or-

PRIMARIES ON Mrs. D. M. Collins, on Butler street, Thursday evening. Several new and interesting features will be introduced **SEPTEMBER 23** by way of amusement to furnish a good time for all.

The committee in charge of making RETURN JUDGES WILL MEET arrangements for the picnic to be conducted at Nay Aug falls, under the aus-THREE DAYS LATER. pices of the Sundayschool children con-nected with the Presbyterian church.

Meeting of the Republican County has fixed Saturday, September 16, as the day. Sub-committees are being ap-pointed to make other features and Committee Held Saturday Afterhave the programme an interesting noon-It Was Decided That About \$1,500 Will Be Necessary to De-Letters remaining unclaimed at the fray the Expenses of the Campaign-Names of the Candidates Who Have Registered-Announce ment with Reference to Primar es,

At a meeting of the Republican coun y committee held Saturday afternoon Zurflich, North Park; Pietro Bulto, Giraddo Russomando fi Alfanso, was decided to hold the county primarles on Sept. 23. As this will be the first time the Crawford county plan of conducting primaries has been tried PERSONAL NOTES. in this county, the result will be watch-

ed with no little interest. The return judges will meet on Sept. 26 to certify the candidates chosen on Sept. 23. Saturday's meeting was presided over by Hon. E. N. Willard, chairman of Misses Margaret Reirdon, of Elm the Republican county committee and

and Ella Black, of Center street, returned home Saturday evening from a wo weeks' visit at Lake Ariel. Mr. David Jones and daughter, Bessie, of Jermyn, spent Sunday at the of Burgess Powell, on North

Blakely street. Fred. Cross, of Butler street, has returned from the wilds of Wayne county, where he has been spending a few weeks for the benefit of his health,

which is greatly improved. Mr. James Ellis, of Church street, has returned home from Lancaster, where he attended a convention in session at that place. Miss Julia Pletcher, of Hoboken, N.

is the guest of Miss Christiana Pletcher, of Harper street.

The Plague in Portugal.

Madrid, Aug. 20,-Advices received here oday show that two new cases of the plague have occurred at Oporto and two cases have also appeared at Brcellos, Portugal, a town nine miles west of Braga.

Republican County Convention.

In pursuance of a resolution of the Re-sublican county committee passed at a egular meeting held on Saturday, Aug 9, 1899, the county convention will be held on Tuesday, September 25, at 2 p m., in the court house, Scranton, for the purpose of computing returns and transacting such other business as shall be brought before it.

Vigilance committees will hold pri-mary elections on Saturday, September 23, 1899, between the hours of 4 and 7 p. m. Each election district shall elect at said orimary election three qualified persons o serve as vigilance committee for the next ensuing calendar year, whose names shall be certified to on the returns to the

county convention. Candidates who have thus far regis-tered their names with the secretary and those who are desirous of registering will observe the requirements of rule 7, which reads as follows: "Each candidate shall

pay his assessment to the county chair-man at least twenty days before the primary election, or his name will not be printed on the official ballot." Satur-day, September 2, is the last day for registering and paying the assessment. E. N. Willard Chairman. J. E. Watkins, Secretary.

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postoffice during the period ending August 19, 1899. Persons calling for these letters will please say advertised in Monday's edition of Scranton Tribune: Mrs. S. Bird, Mill street; Mrs. James Dohson, John Higgins, Mrs. Joe Kizer, Charles B. Peterman, Mrs. Fred. Salsbery, 227 Mill street; Miss Ibey Thompson, Miss Kate Walker (2), A.

Michael Bitacolo and John Mico.

Frank McKane, of Butler street, who has been enjoying his vacation of two weeks duration at Sterling, Wayne county, returned home Saturday even-

street; Marie Webber, of Harper street,

purpose of dispensing with their ser vices and placing Western men in their places, as has also been stated in the newspapers. It may be true that many railroad men who gained their experience in the West have been placed at the head of some of the departments. The new management perhaps had a reason for that, but it does not justify the assertion that the new management proposes to make a clean sweep and appoint none but Western men along the cond.

"It must be remembered that there are several thousand men employed on the Lackawanna coad and it would be nice condition of affairs if he should th all their places with Western men Under such circumstances the employees would have good grounds for complaint, but at present we have not given them any cause to complain about their treatment. We have serived to treat our em-

ployes fulrir, justic and in a minner that would not give them the slightest ground for complaint. We will receive any grievance that they may present and if it is possible or practicable w will strive to remedy their complaints.

"I have soon it stated in the newsprivers that the new management was held resumpsible for issuing a cheular asking the employees to send a record of their service with the company. has been stated that this was done to enable the new management to dispense with the services of old em-Disking separate

FAR FROM THE TRUTH. Nothing in the world was farther from the truth," continued the superintendent, somewhat emphatically, "Such charges are utterly without foundation. The rruth of the matter is that such a circular was sent out by former Supcintendent Andrew J. Reasoner before he went out of office, and we have been receiving replies ever since. The new nuengement did not seek or ask for

these weathes. "I understand that it was done by Mr. Reasoner for the purpose of get-ting a complete record of all the employees, so that promotions could be made in line with their seniority. We know nothing further about these circutars or why they were issued.

'In regard to the employees along the road, such as station musters, gate men, flagmon, etc., we do not proposi to make any further changes excepfor cause, or where we find that the services of such men are not needed.

'It cannot be expected that a railroad will keep a man when his services are not needed, simply because it is a railroad. We conduct our business like any other corporation. When we don't need men we are compelled to discharge them.

President Trucedate endorses all that is said by Superintendent D. Puy in the above. He says it is the intention of the new management not to make any more changes unless it is absolutely necessary, President Truesdale also confirms the story published last week in this column that the Lackawanna company would construct a third track on the Morris and Essex division between Hoboken and Summit. He does not know when work will be commenced, but plans are now being prepared to establish an express train service and he thinks the third track will be constructed and

n operation within a year. President Truesdale refuses to talk the Drevfus trial will not finish before in operation within a year. about the future policy of the Lacka- the middle of September

on Cleveland and New York a round trip rate of \$14 will be made against a one way rate of \$12.

The Erie has placed these rates in effect for the first four days of Septembers the return coupons being good at any time during that month These rates are made to meet the rates fixed between Chicago and Philadelphia for the annual encampment of the G. A. It is the general opinion that the action of the Erie will stir up the liveliest kind of a fight on rates between Chicago and New York.

GREEN RIDGE.

Mrs. W. H. Osenbach, of Capouse avenue, is visiting friends in White Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brace are enioving a few days at the Wyoming camp ground Miss Grace Jenkins, of Capouse aveue, is visiting relatives in Moosle. Bertha White, of Monsey avenue, is isiting friends in Factoryville. The Misses Minnie Peck and Pauline Shook have returned from a week's

stay at Harvey's lake. Mr. Charles Nicholson and family, of Monsey avenue, spent yesterday at Manners' pharmacy is the only place

in Green Ridge where plain cream soda is sold. Try it. Harry Brown, of New York street, spent Sunday at Maplewood.

Salem

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Afflick, of Penn cenue, are spending a few days in Wilkes-Barre, Mr. Afflick is delegate to the Sons of America convention in the interest of Camp 242.

William Found, of Green Ridge street, spent Sunday at Prompton. Mr. and Mrs. Fred, Selig, of Monsey avenue, have returned from a visit to Honesdale.

Miss Alice Mateer, of Harrisburg, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Cox. of Capouse

Venue Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Smith, of Monsey avenue, are expected home today from Europs

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MINOOKA.

The Minooka representative team was defeated by the Pittston Brothers yesterday in a well-played game. The cature of the c. -** l'uffs' « splon did work in the box for the home team and the gilt-edged fielding of the visitors, who won out in the last inning by healthy and vigorous. the score of 5 to 4.

Miss May Walsh, of Pittston, is visitng her cousin, Miss Winifred Higgins Miss Sarah Sullivan, of Philadeiphia formerly a resident of this place, is visiting friends here.

The annual excursion of the St. Jo seph's Total Abstinence and Benevolent society will be run to Mountain Park tomorrow and promises to be the largest of the season. Tickets can be procured from members or at the depot. At a meeting of Division No. 9, Antient Order of Hibernlans, yesterday, M. H. McDonough was elected treas uver to fill out the unexpired term of his father.

Dreyfus Trial.

igin, Quickly Extinguished. Firebugs made an unsuccessful at empt to destroy a barn on Tripp ave nue early yesterday morning, but were foiled in their work by the quick ar rival of the fire department, who did effective work and had the blaze unde

control in ten minutes and quenched in twenty minutes. The barn is situated in the rear of the lot of Mr. and Mrs. Jones Pinnell, of West Drinker street, and formerly was part of the Barton livery stables, and lately occupied by Anthony McDonough. A short time ago, however, the most of the stables were torn down, this part being

left standing. The fire was discovered by Mrs. Woodward, of Tripp avenue, whose yard adjoins the one the barn is situ ated on. She was aroused from he slumbers about 4.15 o'clock by a crackling noise and was listening for the cause when clouds of smoke filled the air and made breathing difficult. An alarm was quickly sounded from Box 21, at the corner of Blakely and Drinker streets, and before the gong had repeated the alarm the third time. Permanent man George Seese, of the Neptune Chemical company, had his team at the scene of the fire, followed a few seconds later by Permanent man John Van Horn, of the Independents, Th/ chemical was brought into use and given a good test as to its usefulness. Twenty-five gallons of chemical compound was used to place the fire under control. No water was used, as it was

seen that it was not required. There is no clue to the guilty party Shavings and bags were the article used in starting the blaze in a corner of the barn, near several other sheds in the yard.

> SHORT NEWS ITEMS. The Ladies' Aid society connected with the Methodist Episcopal church Capital, will conduct a social at the home of

hold. It never disappoints.

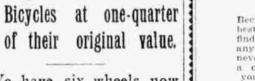
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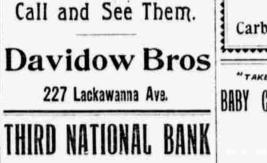






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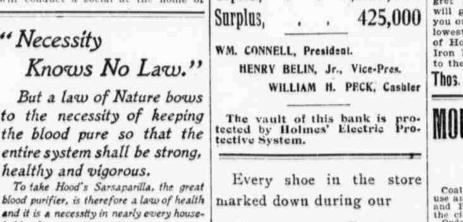
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