# THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1899.



J. E. Poore, who has a shop on North Washington avenue, was recently granted a patent for improvements in water end of feed water and mining pumps

The principal feature claimed in the straightway pump is that the inlet or suction seats can be changed and not disturb the balance of the pump, by merely loosening bolts that hold the chamber up to the water barrel and allowing it to fall down to the floor or foundation and then be pulled aside in order to replace the valve sents or both valve seats and chamber in case they give out. This one feature in a mining pump is very essential, espectally in our mines where the water is so bad and the water ends are destroyed so rapidly.

This improvement not only permits of inexpensive repairs being made but one man can perform such a charge on a 1266 gallon pump alone in less than three hours. There is no pump on the market aside from the straightway that will permit of so quick changes. There are fewer parts owing to the extreme simplicity of construction and therefore it has been made very neat in design. Nothing, however, has been sacrificed for design's sake as it is apparent in pumps of this type now running, that they are equal to the best.

A large new straightway is just

"The market is now likely to be governed a good deal by the weather, Vessel rates are bound to go up, and as there are no attempts to force coal on the market nor any signs of a sprious disagreement among the mining and transportation companies, consumers, may have to pay higher figures than now as soon as fall buying is fairly under way. "The labor troubles at the colleries

so far have been sporadic and there is now little danger of any general break between miners and operators. "We quote free burning anthracite f. o. b. New York at \$4 for stove and nut, with other sizes in proportion."

### To Fill in the Meadows.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad company is busy constructing a large freight yard at the western end of the bridge that crosses the Newark Bay. An idea of the magnitude of the work may be obtained from the fact that 300,000 cuble yards of filling will be required to fill in the marsh lands and provide a solid bed for the tracks, The contract calls for the laying of twenty-seven miles of tracks, which will be laid as soon as they can be received. The tracks will embrace an elaborate system of switches, which will connect with the main line. The construction of the freight yard became necessary owing to the increasing

## is expected to be completed by Jan. 1. Waddell Mine to Resume.

The Waddell mine at Winton which months ago, will resume operations soon. The present owner, Dr. J. N. Rice. is now preparing to open some view in a few days pumps will be erected and the water will be removel from the foot of the slope.

When work is resumed the coal will be taken to the suface by way of the side breaker on the narrow guage track, which was built a few months before the Waddell breaker was burned. At present only one side of the Riverside breaker is being operat-When the Waddell coal is taken ed. there the other side will start, and employment will be given to a number of men and boys.

The Riverside breaker, by the way, one of the best equipped breakers in the coal fields. Nearly all the coal is cleaned by machinery. This is not working perfectly yet, but it is believed that it soon will be .- Archbald Citizea

#### This and That.

Neal Ferguson of Avoca, has been appointed outside foreman of the Franklin colliery at Carbondale. The striking men at the Colbert colliery in Schuylkill county are asking

for a reduction in the price of oll of 20 cents a gallon and want powder reduced to \$1.50 a keg. The miners demanded a raise of 10 cents on every wagon loaded.

Chief Clerk W. P. Yearance, of Superintendent Du Puy's office, at Hoboken, has tendered his resignation to take effect as soon as his successor is appointed. Mr. Yearance was appointed as chief clerk when General Superintendent Russell was in control of the Morris and Essex Division of the Lackawanna road, and retained his position under Superintendent Du Puy.

His resignation is a surprise. furnished completely with up-to-date machinery, etc. The contract for the The new management of the Lackaabout to be started up for the Dela- wanna railroad intends to revise the machinery has been awarded and the ware, Lackawanna and Western and tariff rates of the Morris and Essex same will be in place ready for operawill have a lift of 350 feet and 500 gal- division and probably of the entire tion by Dec. 1 Ions per minute. Over twenty of the system. Passenger Agent Lee has dis-The buildings will be of brick and see them. covered inequalities in the rates bethe dimensions will be 75x200 feet and tween different places and is obtaining Fine Diamond Rings at \$5.00, worth will be fireproof. An electric plant will information preparatory to arranging also be placed in position in the builda new schedule. The communities in- ing. The stockholders are Ex-County Solid Gold Band Rings at \$1.25, worth terested will have nothing to comlain Recorder Jenkins, of Green Ridge, and \$3.50 Solid Gold Band Rings at \$1.00, worth about after the work is done, so the Burgess Powell, both of whom are well-\$2.25, railroad officials say. It is probable known men and who will leave nothing Gold Filled Cuff Buttons, 56c., worth that there will be a uniform rate per \$1.25. Cuff Buttons, previous prices \$1.69, now undone to have the mill of the up-tomile as a basis. date order. DONATIONS FOR AUGUST. Gent's Solid Silver Watch, Elgin move-HIGH SCHOOL ELEVEN. nent, \$3.60

well versed in the art and capable of furnishing Dunmore with an up-todate team **DUNMORE BOROUGH** 

THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT. Comrade John B. Hobday Received

an Ovation-Allison Thornton Enlists for Service in the Philippines -Work on New School Building Commences To-day-New Silk Mill Urban. Soon to be Built-High School

Football Team-Other Notes of

DAY'S DOINGS IN

Dunmore was well represented at the encampment of the Grand Arnz ''e Republic held in Philadelphia list The majority have returned nome and among them are: E. A. Wert, of North Blakely street; A. C. Snyder, of Dudley and Sixth street; John B. Hobday, of North Apple street; Theodore Keller of Mill street, W. Boar conburg, of Cherry street, R. Deladey, of

Meade street; L. Sawyer of 3\* -2% street. Comrade John B. Hobday, of North Apple street, received special attention He is a member of Ezra Griffin Post, No. 139 and carried the colors of the post in the parade, a remarked of feat for a man of his age, and the jaunti-

ness of his walk was much commented upon. Mr. Hobday is past 80 years was abandoned after the burning of of age. He was always a favorite with the Waddell breaker about eighteen his comrades and his appearance in the ranks in Philadelphia with the old flag was a signal for a deafening burst of applause. The Philadelphia Press, Sunday, Aug. 27 secured a picture of Mr. Hobday, a good likness, which anpeared amongst the distinguished comrades.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING.

Work will be commenced this morning on the new school building to be crected on the corner of Sherwood avenue and Reaves street. The contract was signed Saturday by Brink, Evans & Co., contractors, and President Webber and Secretary Kellam, the agree ment being that the above-named firm will have the building completed and ready for occupancy by Nov. 20, for the sum of \$1,992, as per plans and specifleations.

President Webber, Secretary Kellam, Architect Duckworth and Contractor Evans made a visit to the grounds and mapped out the place, so as the work of excavating could be commenced this morning. The work will be pushed with all rapidity, as the schools are crowded, and a large force of men will be employed. If such a thing can be accomplished, the building will be com-

pleted in six weeks' time. NEW SILK MILL. The Jenkins & Powell Silk Mill company will commence excavating for the

new silk mill to be erected, completed and commence operations on Jan. 1. 1990, in two weeks' time. The building site secured is situated at the corner of Sherwood avenue and Reaves street opposite to the proposed new public school building that the contract was awarded at the last meeting of the school board. The new mill will employ about one

hundred and fifty hands, and will be

NUBS OF NEWS. Letters remaining uncalled for at the post office during the pariod ending Sept. 9, 1839. Persons calling for these

letters will please say advertised in Monday morning's edition of the Scranton Tribune: Miss B. Biglin, Mr H. L. Dodson, Mrs. Fred Miller, Prescott avenue; Mr. J. W. Steele, Mrs. John Webb, 41 Grove street; Mr. Pat-rick Walsh, P. O. box No. 10; Giose Fannis, Vincenzo Russoniello and Jan A special meeting of the members of

the Neptune fire company will be hold in their rooms this evening at & o'clock and all are requested to be present.

A meeting of the executive committee and ladles who are assisting in making arrangements for the fair will be held in the parlors tomorrow evening at 7:30 when a full attendance is also desired. The Sunday school scholars of the Presbyterian church will hold their picnic at Nay Aug Park on Saturday next. Ararngements for the occasion have been about completed and a good time guaranteed if the elements are favorable. Complete details of arrangements made will be printed later. Miss Ellen Bowman, of Walden, N. Y., who has been the guest of her si--ter, Mrs. J. Foster, of Rigg street, has returned home accompanied by Miss Hattie Foster, who will make her future home there. Ulysses Weber of Avoca, speat Sonday with relatives in town.

Lightning Strikes Telegrapher. Eloomsburg.Sept. 10.-During a thunder storm which visited this section last night H. Reber Mears, the telegraph operator at Rupert, was struck by lightning while working at the in-He was hurled from his trument. chair in an unconscious condition and is still in a critical state.

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plicate it at your habit maker's for double.

# THE FALL COATS.

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Interest.

week.

improved pumps are now under construction, two of which will have a capacity of 1200 gallons per minute.

#### Valuable Coal Basin.

What is deemed a peculiar streak of good fortune is involved in the preliminary work, now going on, of ascertaining how much coal lies beneath the surface of a strip of land 1.900 feet wide and two miles tong, lying two miles west of Hazleton at a point in the vicinity of what was formerly known as McNeil's hotel. There are twenty-four hundred acres in the strin and not long ago E. J. Williams of Olyphant, procured an option on it.

Before the work of proving for the black diamonds that were presumed to lie underground was began, Mr. Williams associated with him William W. Watkins, of Carbondale, and ex county Treasurer William T. Reed, of Ashley,

A careful examination of the strip revealed the fact that the great basin was well defined by three foot outerop flanking each side of it for the entire two miles. In the oreliminary tests it was discovered that the upper vein had a pitch of seventy-five degrees. This is known as the Walton vein and is seven feet thick. Another vein nine feet thick was also discovered. Both sides of the basin were tried and a three foot outerop was found.

Up to date nineteen feet of coal has been pierced. A prominent citizen of Hazleton, whose business takes him to the field, referred to three or four times a week, says that he has no doubt that a big vein, possibly forty or fifty feet thick, lies still lower down. In this opinion he is backed by many practical miners who, noting the black dirt and rock that has aiready been brought to the surface, do not hesitate to proclaim their beller that a great deposit of anthracite lies stored up in the bottom of the basin below the veins already discovered.

A shaft is being su nk and old minoral in the vicinity, who have predicted the existence of d great vein, are watching with deep interest forthcoming revelations. If all expectations are realfzed, practical miners say it will be the largest basin of coal in the state of Pennsylvania .- Hazleton Sentinel.

### The Anthracite Coal Trade.

The Engineering and Mining Journal has the following about the Anthracite Coal Trade:

"The anthracite trade in Chicago territory is brisk, and is showing improvement at Lake Superior points. Retailers are stocking up, not knowing what figures they may have to pay when lake frieght get worn higher In the East there is as yet little change. The producing interests found that certain concerns paid little attention to the agreement to sell no coal at July figures after August 1st. Then other resolutions were made to sell no more coal at such figures after Septem. ber 1st. There are still rumors that coal is being sold at the old rate, however, and it is now very doubtful if the companies will try to advance prices another 25 cents October 1st, af-ter having such difficulty in securing the last advance. It is stated, but not officially, that the August production was 4,259,000 tons, a trifle of 750,000 tons over the estimated output for the nth. This does not look like a very

ined attempt to hold down pro-

### Acknowledged by the Managers of the Florence Crittenden Mission. The managers of the Florence Crit-

enden Home, 712 Harrison iv-nue, gratefully acknowledge the following donations for the month of August: Dr. Anna Clarke, medical services; Dr. C. C. Laubach, dental services; Miss Anna Sanderson, shoes; Mrs. Ladleh, belts: Miss Belle Mulley, lemon sugar; W. H. Kaufman, fruit; A Friend, nasturtrims; Miss Stella Yost flowers: Mrs. G. A. Fritz, 2 bushels of apples, beets; Mrs. W. H. Tavior ice cream, apples, tomatões, bacon green orn; A Friend, 2 barrels potatoes; Mrs. John Green, apples, bananas, salmon, cantalopes; Mrs. W. H. Padfield, bananas, pickles; A Friend, 1 barre! flour: Mrs. L. A. Bone, shoes, shirt back, John Moran; fullback, William waist, literature; Mrs. J. L. Crawford, Austin. pair of shoes; A Friend, \$3: Omaha

The team will commence practice imediately and will receive instructions en, Washburn street Presbyterian from the professors named, who are church, \$1; Lackawanna Dairy Company, lee cream monthly, milk daily Scranton Dairy Company, milk daily

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en range, apples and potatoes. If people out of the city can ship us fruit or vegetables to station we will gladly bear the expense of delivery. Clothing is also needed.

### MOSCOW.

Mrs. Clements and her guests, Mrs. Pryor and daughters and Mr. John Henry, have been camping at Bidwell's pond for several days. Miss Florence Cannon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. O. Ellis at Long Island CIty.

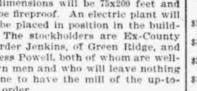
Miss Lyda Swartz of Springfield, Mass., who has been visiting relatives here returned home this week. Miss Ella Lewis of Scranton, returned home Monday after spending several weeks with Mrs. Thomas

Johns. A special meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Thursday afternoon at their rooms for election of officers. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Agnes Watts returned home Friday from a visit with friends in Hollisterville and Nobletown, Mr. Lonstein has moved in S. S.

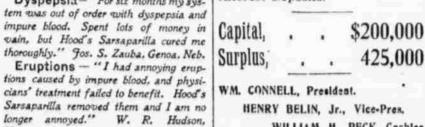
Yeager's building on Mill street. Mr. Frank Cannon left Wednesday for Binghamton, N. Y. Mrs. H. G. Frischkorn and Mrs. H.

Watts spent yesterday in Scranton Miss Lizzle Harnden is spending this eek with friends in Nobletown. Miss Nellie Havenstrite of Jermyn Pa., has been visiting relatives in town



Ladies' Sterling Silver Watches, worth Professors Charles Niemeyer and 5.50, now \$1.75. Gent's Nickel Watches, S. W., price John Foley, together with the boys of the High school, met on No. 5 grounds \$3.50, now \$1.75 Saturday afternoon to organize the Rogers Bros', Spoons, warranted, 59c. Rogers Bros', Butter Knives, Sugar football team of '99. A large number Rogers of the boys were present and great poons, Pickle Forks, 37c., previous price care had to be exercised in selecting Ladies' Solid Gold Watch, Elgin moveplayers for the respective positions in the line-up. That this was done, the ment, \$14.50 Ladies' Gold Filled Watches at \$6.50, worth \$15.00. following will speak for itself, and good games of ball will be the result of We also have about three hundred La lies' Solid Silver Rings, worth 50c, and 5c., will close them at 10c, each, every contest they enter: Captain, Frank Bogert; manager, Andrew Bry-Special sale now going on at Davidow Bros. Attend as we are offering goods at one-fourth their original value. Extra Heavy Solid Silver Thimbles at den; center, Blane Altemose; right guard, Frank Bogert; left guard, J. Turnbull; right tackle, Earl Altemose. left tackle, William Gallena: right end, William Moffat: eft end, George Oswell quarterback, Andrew Bryden; righ halfback, George Kellam; left half-





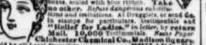


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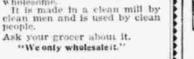


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