

LIVE NEWS OF THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD

MAKE UP OF THE D. L. & W. BOARD FOR TODAY.

Work of Mining Coal Has Again Been Resumed at the Oxford. Foundation Walls of the Breaker Are Being Laid—Meeting of the Executive Board of District No. 1, of the United Mine Workers of America—Great Increase of Membership at Nanticoke.

Following is the make-up of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western board for today:

- WILD CATS, SOUTH. 1 a. m.—W. H. Bartholomew. 1.30 a. m.—F. Hallett. 2 a. m.—C. Townsend. 3 a. m.—B. Bennett. 4.30 a. m.—J. McCann. 6.30 a. m.—J. Rowe, with Wandall's men. 8 p. m.—A. G. Hammit, with Polhamus' men. 9 a. m.—O. Miller. 10 a. m.—J. Ennis. 11 p. m.—T. Murphy, with A. Hopkins' men. 2 p. m.—W. McAllister. 3 p. m.—E. Van Fleet. 4.45 p. m.—C. Van Fleet. 6 p. m.—H. V. V. SUMMITS. 6.30 a. m.—north—G. Frounfelker. 10.30 a. m.—north—McLane, with Warwick's men. 1 p. m.—south—H. Bush. 6 p. m.—south—S. Finerty. PULLER. 10 a. m.—Peckins. PUSHERS. 6.30 a. m.—south—Houser. 11.30 a. m.—south—M. Moran. 2 p. m.—south—T. Murphy. 10.30 p. m.—south—F. Well. PASSENGER ENGINES. 7 a. m.—Widener. 8.30 p. m.—McGovern. WILD CATS, NORTH. 5 a. m.—2 engines—O. Randolph. 9 a. m.—2 engines—S. Carmody. 11 a. m.—2 engines—G. Hill. 2 p. m.—2 engines—J. H. H. 4 p. m.—2 engines—T. Doudican. 8 p. m.—2 engines—R. Caster. 10 p. m.—2 engines—A. Ketchum.

New Depot Proposed. A rumor is current to the effect that the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad will erect a new depot and freight house on Luzerne avenue, West Pittston. At present there are two depots, one at each end of the borough, although freight is handled at but one of them.

Luzerne avenue is midway between the two present depots and the erection of a depot at this point would give a more central location and would be a great convenience. Such a plan has long been talked of in this vicinity and its consummation should be no surprise, judging from the fact that the new management is making improvements all around the line.

Around the Mines. Operations have been resumed at the Oxford mines, which has been idle since the breaker burned down over a year ago. Four breasts are being worked and the coal is being hauled out through the Bellevue mine. The boiler room has been enlarged and several new boilers added. The foundation walls for the breaker are being laid, and work will soon be commenced on the superstructure. Work has been resumed at the Hampton breaker of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, which was idle several days, owing to repairs being made.

This and That. The Pennsylvania railroad has sent engines and crews from the Pittsburgh and Philadelphia and Erie divisions to relieve the congested condition in and about Harrisburg.

Since the miners won their strike at Nanticoke and Glen Lyon the membership of the United Mine Workers in that section has tremendously increased. The initiation fee there is \$5. Hereafter all Lehigh Valley cabooses will be equipped with two red flags, one to be used by the flagman for signal purposes. Conductors will be held responsible for any deviation from this rule.

The train dispatchers and operators of the Shamokin division of the Reading railroad, now stationed at Shamokin and Catawissa are, it is said, to be removed to Tamaqua on Jan. 1, as it is the purpose to move all trains from that end of the division. The members of the executive board of District No. 1, of the United Mine Workers of America, met in this city yesterday to arrange for a meeting between the coal operators and the representatives of the mine workers, to talk over certain alleged grievances.

J. S. Myers, of Gordonville, Schuylkill county, who on Dec. 31 is to be placed on the retired list of the Pennsylvania railroad, has had the remarkable career of being a section hand on nearly the same portion of track on that road during fifty years' time. He entered the service in 1850, when the state owned the road.

POPLAR STREET FENCE. Was Again Torn Down Yesterday Afternoon.

Once again the far-famed Poplar street fence has been torn down. The job was done yesterday afternoon by Street Commissioner Thomas and a gang of men acting under the direction of Mayor Moir. Not only was the fence torn down, but the crossing across the track was also re-laid. While the mayor acted entirely within the law in ordering the tearing down of the fence, there are many who think that the matter should have been left till next week, when a final decision will be handed down by court. Judge Edwards' opinion being only a preliminary one.

WILL WORK TWELFTH DEGREE. An Important Event in Knights of Malta Circles Tuesday Night.

The local lodge of Knights of Malta will come together next Tuesday night, when Anfractio Lodge No. 211 will work the twelfth degree of the Red Cross in the Knight's temple, in Guernsey hall. An attendance of about 500 is expected, as the members of the lodge number about 400, while visitors from Wilkes-Barre, Sunbury and Shamokin will be present in great numbers. The working of this degree is a very important occasion to the lodge and one in which all of the most gorgeous insignia of the order is used. The Altarons lodge at present holds the palm among the knights for splendid execution of the degree, but the local men

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OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED.

At the Meeting of the Firemen's Relief Association. The Firemen's Relief association met last evening in the city hall and installed the following officers for the year 1900: President, John W. Moir; vice president, J. H. Rielly; secretary, Emil Bonn; treasurer, A. B. Holmes; trustees, Henry Greenwood and Peter F. Voss; district physicians—First district, Dr. J. J. Sullivan; second district, Dr. B. G. Beddoe; third district, Dr. W. G. Fulton; fourth district, Dr. Albert Kolb; fifth district, Dr. J. P. Walker; sixth district, Dr. A. H. Bernstein; solicitor, A. A. Vosburg.

PATRICK NOONE INJURED.

Employe at Cliff Locomotive Works Meets With an Accident. Patrick Noone, of Seventh street, is employed in the Cliff Locomotive works. While at his work yesterday afternoon a large iron frame fell on him, and he was badly injured, as a result. The Lackawanna hospital ambulance was immediately summoned. On his arrival at the hospital it was ascertained that one of the fingers on the right hand was badly crushed, and that his right knee was dislocated.

WILL KEEP OPEN HOUSE.

Scranton Club to Entertain on New Year's Day. The Scranton club will entertain on New Year's day with open house from early morning on. The house committee will be the hosts of the occasion. Refreshments will be served from 10 o'clock a. m. to 1 o'clock p. m. Stewart O'Neill is arranging a choice menu.

AN ACROSTIC—APOSTROPHE TO THE UNITED STATES.

Thy annals, fair Columbia, doth each manly thought imbue, Hail to thy deeds of valor and thy "Brave boys in blue!" Each year as I have journeyed on my course to pursue, No other nation on this sphere have I found so true. I have seen thy mighty heroes stand foremost in the fight, Never, never, yielding in the cause of Freedom's right; Emblazoned on thy shield soars the eagle in his might— Thy Stars and Stripes in triumph float in the azure light. Eastward thy fame expanding—great thy martial host, Establishing joy and freedom beyond the Pacific Coast; North and South united—well may thy people boast, This closing year of my career ring out the victor's shout, Henceforth in future ages, may thy history grow bright, Columbia, fair Columbia—true defender of the right; Exulting in thy greatness and thy glory, Now, I bid thee a fond adieu as I pass out of sight. Then Freedom's laws establish far, far beyond the seas, Until those distant isles forlorn become one with thee; Renowned among the nations—Great Republic of the Free; You coming century bless thee and fill thy homes with glee. —Martin Joyce. Scranton, Dec. 27.

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WILL BE BUT TWO VACANCIES.

New County Commissioners to Retain Most of Present Force. From present indications there will be no great change in the make-up of the working force of the county commissioners' office when the new board takes hold next Monday. The clerkship now held by S. B. Roberts and the office of county solicitor, in which Hon. H. A. Knapp is the present incumbent, are the only two places that are certain to be filled by new men. Mr. Roberts is making no effort to retain his place and ex-Judge Knapp has stated positively that he will not accept of a re-election.

Clerk of the Courts W. G. Daniels is a candidate for the chief clerkship, but it is stated on good authority that there will be no vacancy there, as the new commissioners propose to ratify the three-year appointment of Mr. Wagner, made last month by the present board.

E. E. Robathan is to be retained at the behest of Mr. Morris, and Fred Kirchoff is to be continued as Mr. Durkin's man. Who will succeed Mr. Roberts and Judge Knapp is not known. There is a host of applicants for the former place and three or four candidates for the latter. Among these are Herbert L. Taylor, of Taylor & Lewis, and John G. McAskie. It is said two additional clerks are to be appointed.

KILLED IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Hugh H. Harris, Formerly of Peckville, Lost His Life. At Grofton, W. Va., Monday, Hugh H. Harris, formerly of Peckville, was killed in a coal mine. Harris recently went to Grofton to accept the position in performing the duties of which he lost his life. He is survived by a wife who lives at Peckville. His body will be brought there for interment.

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