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LIVE NEWS OF THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD

WAY TRAINS WILL RUN ON D., L. & W. TODAY.

Waste Gases From Blast Furnaces Used For Running Blowing Engines in Belgium—Exports of Coal From the United States During the Month of March—Meeting of the Textile Workers in Carpenters' Hall Tonight—Work Has Been Resumed at the Pine Brook Mine.

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

Monday, May 21.

8 p. m.—J. McCue.
10 p. m.—P. Singer.
11 p. m.—P. J. O'Malley.

Tuesday, May 22.

12.30 a. m.—O. F. Kearney.
3 a. m.—H. V. Colvin.
6 a. m.—J. W. Devine.
8 a. m.—G. M. Wallace.
10 a. m.—G. Hill.
11.30 a. m.—W. F. Mann.
1 p. m.—D. Wallace, with J. Brock's men.
2 p. m.—A. J. McDonnell.
3.30 p. m.—A. L. Widmer.
4.45 p. m.—J. J. Duffy.

SUMMITS.

6 a. m., south—S. Finnerty.
8 a. m., north—G. Fronfelker.
12 noon, north—Nichols.
6 p. m., south—McLane.
6 p. m., north—LaBar, with J. Gerrity's men.

PULLER.

10 a. m.—Beavers.

PUSHERS.

8 a. m., south—Houser.
11.30 a. m., south—Moran.
10 p. m., south—C. Cawley.
7 p. m., south—E. McAllister.

PASSENGER ENGINE.

5.30 p. m.—E. Duffy on Stanton's run.
6.30 p. m.—Magovern.

WILD CATS NORTH.

5 a. m.—J. Bush.
6 a. m.—J. Burkhart.
10.30 a. m.—O. Randolph.
1 p. m.—R. W. Peckins.
2 p. m.—M. C. Knapsley.
3 p. m.—M. M. Madigan.
4 p. m.—A. F. Mullin.
5 p. m.—J. O'Hara.
7 p. m.—. Fitzpatrick.
9 p. m.—S. Carmody.
11 p. m.—E. M. Hallett.

NOTICE.

Monday, May 21st, 6 p. m., Summit north, LaBar, with J. Gerrity's men.

J. H. McCann and his brakemen will report at my office at 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, May 22.
A. C. Salisbury, Supt.

This and That.

Workmen are engaged in beautifying the entrance to the Delaware and Hudson passenger station on Lackawanna avenue.

Work has been resumed in the Pine Brook mine, the danger of water breaking in from the Pennsylvania company's mines, at Dunmore, having been removed.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company now have a flagman doing duty at the West Lackawanna avenue crossing in addition to Gateman Thomas Conniff.

The quarters vacated by the car accountants at the Lackawanna station is being partitioned off into offices. The hallway will be extended through the room, and about six offices put in.

General Superintendent E. G. Russell and wife and Superintendent J. M. Daly, of the Lackawanna railroad, went to New York yesterday for a short stay.

Master Car Builder L. T. Canfield was in the city yesterday and stated that the situation at Buffalo is unchanged. He left last night for Buffalo, and will be away for several days.

Th meeting of the textile workers scheduled to take place in Carpenters' hall last night, has been postponed until this evening. This meeting is not for the employes of any particular mill, but all silk and other textile workers are invited to be present. M. D. Flaherty, president of the Central Labor union, and P. G. Moran, secretary of that body, together with H. S. Mills, will address the meeting. Other prominent labor men are expected to be present.

The large blowing engine operated by waste gases from the blast furnace, which was recently installed at the Cockerill Works at Seraing, in Belgium, is now in daily use and has, so far, worked to the entire satisfaction of the builders and the Cockerill company. Its usual speed is 80 revolutions per minute, and it delivers blast at a pressure of 40 centimeters quicksilver; but it has been run up to 90 revolutions, delivering blast at 45 centimeters pressure. At the maximum the indicated work was 680 horse power. No trouble has been found from dust in the gas, and the engine runs very smoothly.

Exports of coal from the United States in March include 11,046 tons of anthracite and 622,463 tons of bituminous, a total of 743,509 tons, as compared with 402,076 tons last year; the increase being 341,433 tons. For the nine months of the fiscal year, from July 1st to March 31st, the exports were 5,582,675 tons for 1899 and 5,267,678 tons this year; showing a gain of 1,585,003 tons or 43 per cent. The increase in shipments to Canada was 1,453,001 tons and to Mexico 127,803 tons. The exports to Europe were 109,414 tons this year and 28,168 tons last year; a large proportionate increase, though the total is still small. The trade to South America and the West Indies showed a small decrease. Our total exports were less than three per cent. of our production.

BONDED DEBT IS $390,000.

Debt Statement Prepared by Secretary Fellows of School Board.

David J. Reedy, attorney for the school board, will, in accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly, today file with the clerk of the courts a statement showing the debt of the school district. This must be done before the $100,000 worth of bonds can be issued by the school district.

This statement shows the present bonded debt of the district to be $390,000, divided as follows:

$5,000 at 5 per cent interest, redeemable July 1, 1900.
$40,000 at 5 per cent., interest, redeemable July 1, 1901.
$50,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1903.
$50,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1908.
$50,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1918.
$25,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1915.
$25,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1916.
$25,000 at 4½ per cent. interest, redeemable July 1, 1920.
$40,000 to mature 25 years from April 1, 1897.
$40,000 to mature 28 years from April 1, 1897.
$40,000 to mature 30 years from April 1, 1897.

The valuation of school property is fixed at $1,544,634, cash in treasurer's hands May 1, $88,442.48; bonds in treasurer's hands, $350; delinquent taxes outstanding, estimated $40,000.

The secretary has already advertised for bids in all of the local papers and in a New York financial paper. All bids must be in his hands by 3.30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, May 28.

HAD NO SMALL VICES.

Thomas Muncy Dies at the Age of 90 with No Knowledge of Liquor, Tobacco or Railroads.

Dover, Del., May 21.—Thomas Muncey, aged 90 years, died today at his home in Little Creek. He never saw a railroad train, never smoked or chewed tobacco and never drank liquor. Little Creek is not on a line of railroad.

A widow, eight children, twenty-five grandchildren, seventeen great grandchildren and one great great grandchild survive him.

SOME ONE'S MEMORY IS PLAYING A TRICK

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C. J. Sweet against M. E. Worden, W. W. Jagger against M. E. Worden; N. W. Soggs against W. Gibson Jones.

The cases of John Williams against Charles Getz and M. A. Early against Joseph Kretz were non-suited by reason of the failure of the plaintiffs to appear.

The case of W. R. Freas & Son against James Flynn was refered to B. F. Tinkham.

Except to the Grand Jury's Report.

William Connell, Ezra H. Ripple and Alfred Hand, by Attorney W. J. Hand, yesterday filed the following exceptions to the report of the grand jury, approving the petition for the annexation of Pyne, Sloan and Archbald villages to the borough of Taylor:

First—The application should have been disapproved by the grand jury inasmuch as it was apparent from the record that the application of petitioners was not properly advertised as required by law, and that the notice of the presentation of the petition to court was not properly given as required by law.

Second—The grand jury erred in receiving evidence against the protest of exceptants' counsel, that the court was favorable to the separation of the territory sought to be annexed to the borough of Taylor in these proceedings from the township of Lackawanna, and its annexation to the borough of Taylor or the city of Scranton; counsel for the petitioners having stated to the grand jury that his honor, Judge Archbald, in an opinion filed in the matter of the incorporation of the borough of Pyne, that the territory in question ought to be annexed either to said borough of Taylor or the city of Scranton, and, further, followed up such statement with evidence to the same effect.

Third—The grand jury erred in approving the application, inasmuch as the undisputed evidence showed that the territory sought to be annexed, constituted two-thirds of the assessed valuation of the township of Lackawanna, and that the remaining one-third was utterly inadequate to provide revenue for the support of the schools for the remaining three-fourths of the population of said township.

Not an Incurable Defect.

The omission of a revenue stamp on a legal document is not an incurable error, Judge Archbald says, in an opinion filed yesterday in the case of M. A. Scanlon, administratrix, against Edward Burke.

The defendant was a tenant of the plaintiff's hotel property, corner of Main avenue and Lafayette street. Judgment was entered on a confession in the lease for rent amounting to $116. The defendant sought to have the judgment stricken off on the ground that, at the time the lease was executed, no United States internal revenue stamps were affixed, as required by law. After the judgment was entered the plaintiff, by her attorney, Thomas P. Duffy, went before Internal Revenue Collector Penman, confessed to the neglect, paid the prescribed penalty of $10 and had the stamp affixed. This, Judge Archbald says, cures the defect. The judge remarks:

It is not every omission of a stamp that makes the unstamped instrument invalid, the court says, but only where it has been omitted with intent to evade the law; the other restrictions simply affect, not the validity, but the use of the document; it is not to be received in evidence or allowed to be registered or recorded. * * *

The remedial features of the statute in relief of the penal part of it are to be liberally and not narrowly construed, and when the act itself declares that the instrument, upon being properly stamped by the collector, shall be held valid to all intents and purposes, the same as if stamped originally, how can we say that it shall not?

The provisions quoted are substantially re-enactments of the statutes passed to raise a revenue to meet the expenses of the national government growing out of the war of the rebellion and the decisions under those acts are, therefore, pertinent with regard to which it was decided by the collector related back and gave the instruments validity from the beginning.

Discharged From County Jail.

The following defendants who were in jail in default of bail on charges ignored by the last grand jury were yesterday discharged by order of court. Frank McClaren, David Reese, Annie Huleatt, Lewis Owens, John Compostre, Jane Connolly, John Withers, Alexander Rogers, Stephen Patrick, Thomas Melvin, John Griffiths, John Canfield, John Sadausky.

Marriage Licenses.

John Supko ..... Simpson
Christina Crease ..... Simpson
Janosky Wazitz ..... Fell township
Marie Nebzaam ..... Fell township

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

James Wade was yesterday decreed to be an insolvent.

The report of B. F. Tinkham, commissioner in the case of Arnold L. Wood, was yesterday confirmed conditionally. The report declares Wood incapable of managing his estate.

On motion of Attorney J. E. Ross, a rule was granted yesterday to strike off the appeal in the case of G. A. Fuller against Julius Egreczky. It was made returnable May 28 at 9 o'clock a. m.

Frank L. Phillips, cashier of the Traders' National bank, was admitted to the bar yesterday on motion of Attorney H. M. Streeter. Mr. Phillips has no immediate intention of taking up active practice.

A. B. Dunning, W. D. Morris and W. P. Griffiths were yesterday appointed viewers in the matter of vacating and relaying a road from Moscow to the Pittston road through Spring Brook township.

Attorney E. C. Newcomb, of counsel for the defense, yesterday secured a rule for judgment on the point reserved, notwithstanding the verdict, in the case of L. R. Evans against the city of Scranton and others.

Harry Moran, an incorrigible boy, of Kremler court, was yesterday committed to the House of Refuge by Judge Kelley at the instance of the board of associated charities, represented by Attorney Thomas P. Duffy.

License transfers were made yesterday as follows: Anthony Moduxa, Archbald, to William Turko; Harry Stetter, North Main avenue, to William Stetter; Louis Bonicompagni, 31 Lackawanna avenue, to M. J. Norton.

An appeal from the report of the auditors of Lackawanna township was filed yesterday by Willard, Warren & Knapp and John R. Wilson, representing the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western and Lehigh Valley Railroad companies.

On motion of Attorney Ralph L. Levy, counsel for Samuel Gottfried, Prothonotary Copeland was yesterday directed to enter a nol pros as to Joseph H. Gunster and Maggie Tropp, executors, in the case of Joseph H. Gunster against Henry Armbrust and others.

In the case of David M. Reilly, assignee, against Bridget Ryan and others, Arbitrators W. W. Baylor, R. J. Murray and Douglass Ward yesterday filed with Prothonotary Copeland an award of $1,300 in favor of the plaintiff and directed that an execution should issue on the judgment.

MADE A CONFESSION.

Another Development in the Corcoran Murder Case.

It is probable that the brutal murder of Michael Corcoran, of Duryea, on December 3, 1898, will be avenged. One of the men implicated in the crime has made a confession, and although he mentioned no names the detectives expect to succeed in their efforts.

The man who made the confession lived in Wilkes-Barre. Several weeks ago he was placed in jail on some trivial charge and was taken ill, dying a few days ago. A short time before his death he stated that he and two other men had planned to rob Corcoran's place. One of the men is working somewhere in this part of the state, and the third man is in the west. When they broke into Corcoran's place they went directly for his room.

They forced open the door, and by this time Corcoran was awake and was against the door. Although Corcoran was of powerful build there were three against him, and the door was forced open a little way. One of the men then became excited, and pulling out a revolver, placed it in the narrow aperture in the door and fired. The bullet went into Corcoran's neck. The three then went into the room and bound the Monohan woman, who had by this time appeared. The robbers and murderers broke open the safe and got $53. —Wilkes-Barre Record.

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