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LIVE NEWS OF THE INDUSTRIAL WORLD

OFFICIAL ORDER APPOINTING P. J. LANGAN.

Work Was Resumed Yesterday at Jermyn No. 1 at Rendham—The Board for Today—Tomorrow Is the Day Upon Which All Freight Cars Must Be Equipped with Automatic Couplers—Brakemen to Be Laid Off on the D. & H. Railroad. Odds and Ends of News.

The following official order announcing the appointment of P. J. Langan as traveling air brake instructor of the Lackawanna road was issued yesterday:

Notice, Mr. P. J. Langan has been appointed traveling air brake instructor for this company. His duties will be to instruct carmen, engine-men and trainmen as to how the brakes are to be operated and repaired.

Mr. Langan proposes to establish air brake stations at Hoboken and Scranton as soon as possible and all trains will be properly charged and inspected before being started out.

There is a station at Elmira at which this work is now done. Work Was Resumed. Work was resumed yesterday morning at the Jermyn No. 1 colliery at Rendham, which has been shut down on account of a strike for a period of three months.

No effort was made yesterday to resume operations at No. 2 colliery.

Strike Situation Unchanged. No new developments were apparent yesterday in the strike among the Delaware and Hudson company's employees.

Laying Off Brakemen. On Wednesday 350 men employed as brakemen on the various lines controlled by the Delaware & Hudson railroad company in this state and Pennsylvania will lose their positions.

The order was received yesterday in this city and posted in a conspicuous place in the round house, where the brakemen congregate. It states that after August 1 one brakeman in every crew will be dispensed with and hereafter trains will be run by two brakemen.

The cause of the reduction is said to be the use of improved brakes and the larger engines which the company have put on. It is asserted that the engine alone could very nearly hold back and stop a train on good grade and going at a moderate rate of speed without the application of the freight car brakes.

brakes on freight cars has been going on for some time.

By the order 150 men will be thrown out of work on the Pennsylvania division from Nineveh to Wilkes-Barre, seventy-six on the main line between this city and Albany and about seventy-five on the other lines of the road.

It has been rumored that the company will find work for the men involved in other branches of railroad-ing.—Binghanton Republican.

The D. L. and W. Board. The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western board for today follows: Monday, July 30.

WILD CATS, SOUTH. 6:30 p. m.—Fellow. 8:20 p. m.—McCart. 10:30 p. m.—E. Van Vleet.

WILD CATS, SOUTH. 12:30 a. m.—J. W. Devine. 2 a. m.—P. Singer. 4 a. m.—J. H. Egan. 6 a. m.—J. H. Egan. 10 a. m.—H. Bartholomew. 12 p. m.—Stiles, with A. Bartholomew's men. 2 p. m.—S. Carmody. 4:30 p. m.—Fincham. 4:45 p. m.—Mann. SUMMITT.

7:30 a. m., north—Frankel. 9 a. m., north—Nichols. 1 p. m., south—McLane. PULLERS. 10 a. m.—M. Stack. PUSHERS. 4 a. m.—Hogur. 7 a. m.—Murphy. 9 p. m.—Cavanaugh.

PASSENGER ENGINE. 6:30 p. m.—McCart. WILD CATS, NORTH. 8 a. m.—M. Hallett. 9 a. m.—Wardell. 7 a. m.—J. Terry. 8 a. m.—J. Kinsley. 10 a. m.—Larkin. 1 p. m.—J. H. Hemigan. 2 p. m.—J. Bush. 3 p. m.—Corrigan, with Masters' men. 5 p. m.—John Gallagher. 6 p. m.—R. Carter. 7 p. m.—Fincham. 9 p. m.—Dondanon. 9 p. m.—Mullen.

NOTICE. P. Gilligan and J. Swartz and crews will handle ice trains, 1:30 and 9 a. m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. J. Guiley and O'Carney and crews will handle ice trains Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

H. Logan, P. Cavanaugh and E. Hallett and crews will report at my office at 9 a. m., Tuesday, July 31. A. C. SALISBURY, Supt.

Tomorrow Is the Day. Tomorrow is the time by which all the railroads in the country are to have their freight cars equipped with automatic couplers.

The railroads of the East have for some time past been endeavoring to have all their cars equipped with the automatic car coupler and a short time ago notices were sent out to the various railroads that no cars unless equipped with these couplers would be received after the middle of this month.

This order has had the effect of causing all roads to look after their cars and during the last month there has been considerable activity displayed in having the law complied with. Beside having automatic couplers, many of the roads are equipping their freight cars with automatic air brakes, but as this attachment is more expensive than the couplers all the cars are not being equipped, as the law only requires only enough to have the air brake attachment, so as to be able to control the train.

THEY WILL BE PAID. City Employees to Receive July Salaries About August 12.

The city employees, who have been feeling very miserable these past few days on account of the fact that there is no money in the treasury to pay their July salaries, may now take heart, for they will receive their monthly stipends on or about August 12.

The returns of the delinquent tax collectors are due on August 10 and it is expected that there will then be sufficient money received to pay all salaries. In the meantime, the preparation of the tax duplicates for 1900 is being rushed, so that money in the form of regular taxes will soon be coming into the treasury.

Further notice. The Hampton colliery will probably be started up some time this week.

The Pittsburg Coal company owns nearly 4,000 cars, with a carrying capacity of from 30,000 to 70,000 pounds, the most extensive private coal car equipment owned in the country.

Robert J. Haag has resigned his position with the Everhart brass works, with which concern he has been connected for twenty-four years. On September 1 he will become janitor of No. 35 school.

The Pittsburg & Lake Erie is considering the building of two extensions, one into the new coal fields near Uniontown and Mastontown, Pa., and another one into West Virginia, with a view of ultimately connecting with the Chesapeake & Ohio.

In regard to the report that the Cambria Steel company will engage in the business of manufacturing cars out of pressed steel, it is said that the company has the matter under serious consideration. It is well understood that if the Cambria Steel company chose to engage in this business it has every facility for turning out a large number of cars at an early date.

The superintendents of the various divisions of the Lackawanna railroad held a conference in General Superintendent Russell's office yesterday afternoon. Those who attended were General Superintendent E. G. Russell, Master Car Builders L. T. Canfield, Superintendent of Motive Power and Machinery T. S. Lloyd, Division Superintendents A. C. Salisbury, A. H. Schwarz, R. Dudgeon and C. H. Ketchem. The conference was the usual monthly meeting, which is held for the purpose of talking over the affairs of the company.

MEETINGS ARRANGED FOR.

Where Rev. W. H. Williams Will Speak in the Near Future.

Rev. W. H. Williams, "the drummer evangelist," has been spending the past week conducting Anti-Saloon league meetings in Wayne and Pike counties. His appointments for the next two weeks are as follows:

- Aug. 2-5 p. m., Primitive Methodist church, Avoca; subject, "The Last Rump with Peter" Rev. Williams, wife of the evangelist, will assist in this service. Aug. 4-7:30 p. m., on the green, Waverly. Sunday, Aug. 12-10:30 a. m., Methodist Episcopal church, Waverly; 7:30 p. m., union meeting, Dalton. Aug. 9-8 p. m., Christian church, Madisonville. Sunday, Aug. 12-10:30 a. m., Honesdale Methodist Episcopal church; 7:30 p. m., Baptist church. Sunday, Aug. 19-10:30 a. m., Scranton African Methodist Episcopal church; 6 p. m., Summer Avenue Presbyterian church; 7:30 p. m., Jackson Street Baptist church. Sunday, Aug. 20-10:30 a. m., Hampton Street Methodist Episcopal church; 7:30 p. m., Ash Street Methodist Episcopal church. Sunday, Sept. 2-7:30 p. m., Peckville Presbyterian church, Peckville. Sunday, Sept. 23—Anti-Saloon league Sunday for Carbonate. Sunday, Sept. 30—Philadelphia.

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THOMAS WINS THE ELECTION CONTEST

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and witnessed by James Shields and P. C. Maynard. In the Teague will it is provided that the wife, Mary Ann Teague, shall have a life use of the property at 118 North Garfield avenue as long as she remains unmarried. After her death or marriage it is to be sold and the proceeds equally divided among the five daughters, Ann Elizabeth, Sarah Ann Lewis, Mary Jane, Emily Esther and Francis Maria.

It is directed that a monument to cost not more than \$50 and to be inscribed with Masonic and Old Fellows' emblems be erected over his grave.

His 14k gold watch and chain is left to his brother, James Teague, of Rhondia Valley, Wales. His bookcase, books, tools and wearing apparel go to his son-in-law, Lewis Lewis. Any cash remaining in the estate after his debts are paid is directed to be given to his third daughter, Mary Jones, of Pittsburg.

Richard Nichols of Lafayette street, and Evin J. Davis, of 223 South Main avenue, are named as executors. The will is dated April 13, 1896, and is witnessed by George and Herbert Watres, April 8, 1897, a codicil was attached dividing among the four surviving daughters, the share of Francis Maria, who had died in the interim.

Tax Collectors' Bonds.

The bond of Joseph White, tax collector of Felt township, was approved yesterday and filed in Clerk Daniels' office.

It is in the sum of \$10,000 and has as sureties the following: John W. White, Michael Flannery, Luke White, John McCarty, Catherine Leary, Andrew J. Gavin George A. Ross, John J. McNulty, P. F. Moran, Edward O'Neil, Elizabeth Gethins, Bernard J. Murphy, Henry Loftus.

Marriage Licenses.

Table listing marriage licenses for Commodore Perry Slack, Elizabeth M. Lasher, John Sheridan, Mary Hyde, Edward T. Jones, Marie Warman, Victor Konojansk, Anna P-tonak, Patrick J. Durkin, Ellen O'Hara.

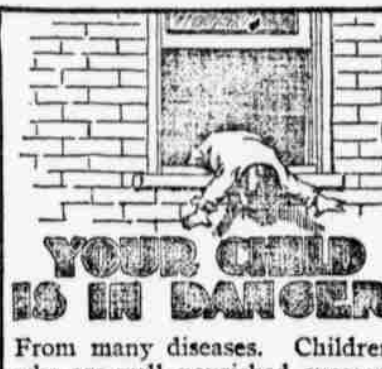
DEBT STATEMENT FILED.

City's Net Indebtedness Is Only \$435,477.95.

In accordance with the provisions of the act of assembly Controller Howell yesterday filed with the clerk of the courts a statement of the city's net indebtedness. This must be filed before the issue of sewer bonds can be negotiated.

It was almost identical with the statement filed at the beginning of the fiscal year and shows the net indebtedness to be \$435,477.95. The law allows an issuance of bonds, with the consent of the taxpayers, up to seven per cent. of the assessed valuation of real estate.

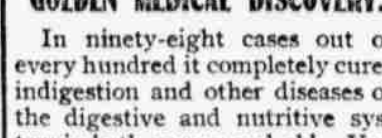
The assessed valuation for last year was \$23,212,111; seven per cent. of which is \$1,624,847.77, so that the city still has a great big margin available, the present bond issue being only \$273,000.



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