NEWS OF THE LABOR WORLD

QUARTERLY CONVENTION OF THE MINE WORKERS.

It Will Be Held on January Edwardsdale - Long Standing Strike at the Lace Mills in Wilkes-Barre Has Been Settled-The D., L. & W. Board for Today-Conductor John Finnerty Has Recovered from His Recent Illness-To Manufacture Match Vending Machine.

The following call has been issued for the quarterly convention of District No. 1, United Mine Workers of Amerwhich will be held in Edwardsdale, Luzerne county, January 14:

To the Officers and Members of Local Unions. Greeting: -In accordance with the regular quar-ter convention, you are hereby notified that a regular convention of District No. I will be held in Edwardsdale, Lozerne county, Pa., commencing 10 a. m., Jan. 14, 1901. Basis of representation will be one vote for every fifty members in good standing. Any local larving less than fifty is entitled to one delegate. Delegates will come instructed to vote on the following questions, which are of great import-

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2. The adoption of a general working early.
3. The adoption of a uniform initiation for.
These questions will be recommended to the convention by the executive board, and it is by their instructions and have been soled to con-

T. D. Nicholle, President, set for convention, in order that designies may be elected. Any local in arrears to district or national per capita tax will not be entitled to

representation.

Secretaries will return displicate credentials as

End of the Trouble.

The difficulty which has existed at the Valley Lace mills, at Wilkes-Barre, for nine months past, between the company and the employes, has been amicably adjusted, and the mill will resume operations with the old force this morning.

The settlement is the result of a conference between the executive board of the Amalgamated Association of Lace Makers of America, and a committee from the Central Labor union, of this city, on the one side; and John T. Lenahan, esq., and Superintendent J. C. Atkin, of the other, The settlement was finally effected yesterday afternoon, and while both sides are perfectly satisfied, neither claim a victory. Negotiations for a settlement were brought about by the Central Labor union, of Wilkes-Barre,

Board for T day. Today's D., L. and W. board is as

Tuesday, (New Year's Day), January 1. WILD CATS EAST. 6 p. m.—T. J. Thompson 8 p. m.—J. Hennigan, 11.30 p. m.—O. Randolpi

Wolnesday, Jan. 2.

WILD CATS EAST.

2.50 a. 15, -A. F. Mullen.

19 a. ri.—C. W. Dunt. 11:30 a. m.—Rowe, with J. J. Duffy's men. 1 p. m.—J. J. Murroy, with McDonnell's men. 2 p. m.—W. A. Bartholomew.

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 p. m.—Fitzgeraid.
 p. m.—D. Wallace. SUMMITS, ETC.

s.50 a. m., west—G. Frounfelker.
11 a. m., west—W. H. Nichols.
2 p. m., west—J. Carriag.
1 p. m., west—J. Mosier.
3 p. m., east—H. Gilligan.
7 p. m., west from Cayaga—McLape.

m., west from Cayaga-Gin m., east from Nay Aug-F. Duffy. PULLER. 10 a. m.-A. B. Staples.

PUSHERS. 8 a. in.—Houser, 11.30 a. m.—Moran, 7 p. m.—Murphy. 9 p. m.—Lamping.

PASSENGER ENGINES. 7 a. m.-Gaffney.

7 a. m.—Singer. 5,30 p. m.—Stanton. 7 p. m.—Magovern.

WILD CATS WEST. 4 a. m.-J. Costello. 8 a. m.-J. H. Masters, with J. H. McConn's mer

S.a. m.—J. H. Masters, with J. H. McCann's n 10 a. m.—A. E. Ketcham. 12 a. m.—H. Bisning, with Ennis' men. 1 p. m.—J. E. Masters, 2 p. m.—C. Kingslav 2 p. m.—P. Cavanangh. 4 p. m.—G. T. Staples. 5 p. m.—Kirby, with A. G. Hammitt's men. 6 p. m.—C. Bartholomew. 7 p. m.—H. Smith.

NOTICE. Brakeman Lincoln Hale will go out with J Gerrity next trip.

This and That.

The double tracks have been opened again for traffic over the Hackensack bridge, which were undergoing re-

R. Ernest Comegys, E. G. Haskell, J. R. Flemming and F. P. Ford, of this city, have formed a company for the manufacture of a new match vending machine, capitalized at \$10. 000, the stock of which has all been subscribed.

All of the Lackawanna, Delaware and Hudson, Jersey Central, Ontario and Western and Eric and Wyoming Valley railroad offices were closed yes-terday, and the officials and clerks enjoyed the day in rest, pleasure and recreation.

Supedintendent Ketcham complains that there is an unnecessary amount of whistling done in moving trains out of Newark. Enginemen are requested to whistle only when necessary and not prolong the blast of the whistles needlessly.

Conductor John Finnerty, of the Lackawanna rallroad pay train, who has been confined to his home in Dunmore by illness for several days, was around the station yesterday wishing everybody a hapy new year, and in turn receiving congratulations upon

Lackawanna train No. 3, due in this city at 1:55 p. m., was considerably delayed in its arrival, owing to the discovery of "hot wheels" on the dining car. The diner had to be cut out and another car substituted to accommodate the through passengers,

who took their meals on the train. Independent window glass manufacturers, including more than forty manufacturers, have organized the Independent Window Glass company, with a capital of \$300,000, under the laws of New Jersey. C. P. Cole, of Lancaster, D., will be president; L. S. Cunningham, of Pittsburg, vice presi-dent, and George Schlostein, of Bradford, Pa., secretary and treasurer, R.

The new company will dispose of the product of the independent factories. The organization will be a competitor of the American Window Glass com-

Fifty-trip ticket No. 797, issued in favor of V. H. Olonier, between Boonton and New York, has been lost, and also quarterly pass No. 1112, in favor of three men on the Morris and Essex division, good between station and station. If presented please take up and return to Superintendent C. H. Ketch-

Work was also suspended in many of the collieries, mines, mills and shops in the city and suburbs. The traffic on the railroads was very heavy, particularly on the Delaware and Hudson, over which road special trains were run to accommodate the people who attended the dedication of a church at North Scranton.

The American Bridge company has contract to furnish to the Compagnie des Chemins de Fer de Porto Ricc, two 133 foot spans for the Manati river bridge, Porto Rico. The com-pany has also taken a contract for three large viaducts on the Chicago.

Burlington and Quincy railroad and is building a 200 foot draw-span for the same company. The Rock Island railroad has also placed a contract for 2,500 tons of material to be delivered during 1901. Among other large contracts is the structural steel work for the new fourteen-inch continuous mill for the Carnegie Steel company

at the Duquesne steel works. The Euffalo, Rochester and Plitsburg railroad has placed a large order with the Buffalo Forge company, of Buffalo, N. V., for apparatus for its shops at Du Rois, Pa., comprising two 170-inch three-quarter housing fans, with 9 by 10 inch horizontal cener crank direct connecting engines, and 14,272 feet of Buffalo fan system heater for heating the round house, J. T. Dempsey, Services,
N. R. Sergelaries upon receipt of this will call special meeting, provided no regular meeting will be held between the time of its receipt and time and heater. There is also included the installation of Euf-140-inch three-quarter housing also included the installation of Buffalo down-draft forges, together with a No. 7 B volume blower and a 79irch planing-mill exhauster for the

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E. Curtis in the Chicago Record. The other day I was telling you about the accuracy, honesty and care that had been exhibited during the last year in handling the mails, and how billions of dollars of money had passed through the fingers of the postoffice clerks without the loss of a copper. But that state of affairs is not peculiar to the postoffice department. You can boast of the treasury, the war and navy departments and all the other branches of the government for the same reason. Take the collection of customs, for example, and the internal revenue taxes and you will find upon examination that the financial affairs of the government are conducted with an economy and an honesty that is far beyond that of the average commercial establishment or manufactory. The popular impressions created by partisan speakers during the campaign is far different.

People generally believe that the affairs of the federal government are managed with extravagance and are "honeycombed with corruption." That is a favorite expression of the campaign orators of the opposite party. But there were no defalcations or losses under the government last year. no scandals except that of the Cuban posioffice, where Mr. Neely was unable to resist temptation and Mr. Rathbone cas guilty of extravagance, which he imitated from the Spanish officials who had preceded him. Rathbone was not so wicked as he was foolish. He learned that the officials in Havana under Spanish domination sent their bills to the government treasury and he did the same. Neely's offense was clean stealing. But those were the only cases of the year, and, on the other hand, there were remarkable exhibitions of confidence in public officials, the letting of the armor-plate contracts, for example, where Admiral O'Nell of the navy handled between \$60,000,000 and \$70,000,000 without any bond-without any one to vouch for his integrity, without any safeguard other than the reputation of a bluff old sailor who has always done honor

to the government and his profession. There were other cases in the navynot so conspicuous, perhaps-for Admiral O'Neil's record in handling the armor-plate contract is without a parallel. Admiral Bradford of the bureau of equipment handles millions of dollars without any hond or surety. During the war with Spain of all the money expended by the navy department and the war department not a H. S. GORDON, 130 Fifth Ave dollar went wrong.

Last year it cost three-tenths of 1 per cent, to collect the revenues of this government from customs, which includes the losses as well as the saiaries and other expenses. In the internal revenue bureau it cost 1.58 per cent, to collect \$295,000,000, which also includes all losses as well as expenses of every description. I do not think there are any private establishments or corporations in the country with a better

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

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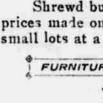
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