

Railroad Time Table.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TRAINS AT SUNDBURY. N. C. R. W. South. P. & E. R. R. West. Erie Mail, 12.30 a.m. Mail, 6.30 a.m. Erie Express, 9.40 a.m. Niag. Express, 12.40 p.m. Mail, 11.05 a.m. Elmira Mail, 4.30 p.m. Niag. Express, 8.00 p.m. Erie Express, 7.01 a.m.

LEAVE SUNDBURY FOR LEWISTOWN AT 7.45 a.m. and 2.10 p.m. Arrive at Lewistown at 1.50 and 7.45 p.m.

SHAMONK DIVISION, N. C. R. W. ARRIVE Sundbury at 5.45 a.m. At Sunbury 9.25 a.m. 11.45 p.m. 1.45 p.m. 5.00 p.m. 6.00 p.m.

LEWISTOWN, HAZLETON & WATERBURY, N. C. R. W. Regular passenger train leaves Sundbury for Lewistown, Hazleton and Waterbury at 6.45 a.m. Returning leave Hazleton at 1.00 p.m. Arrive at 4.00 p.m.

LAKAWANNA AND BLOOMSBURG, N. C. R. W. Leave Northumberland at 9.40 a.m. and 4.50 p.m. Arrive at Northumberland at 10.35 a.m. and 6.05 p.m.

Accidental Insurance Tickets can be had of J. Shipman, Ticket Agent, at the Depot.

Business Locals.

SEWING MACHINES AND COTTAGE ORGANS.—Miss Caroline Dillis is the agent for the sale of the best Sewing Machines in existence, viz: The Improved Grover & Baker, and Domestic, which are constantly kept on hand, and sold at reasonable prices. She is also agent for the celebrated "Silver Tongue Organ," and the "Bay State Organ," and for the sale of the Franz & Oppé Knitting Machine. Call and see them. Office on Market street, east of the railroad.

THE IMPROVED GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINES.—These celebrated machines are offered at the most reasonable rate. For particulars apply to D. G. KURTZ, Agent, Feb. 22, '73. Upper Augusta township.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A new house and lot, located on Spruce street, Sunbury, is offered for sale on easy terms. Apply JOHN WILVER.

MONEY! MONEY!—For sale at cost, three fine Sewing Machines, new and guaranteed in perfect order. Warranted for three years. Terms cash or short credit. Apply inside of ten days to J. D. JAMES, Agent, Mar. 22-23.

While in Milton a few days ago, we noticed at our friend W. D. Snyder's hat store, on the corner of Centre street, a new and elegant establishment, on Centre street near swinging bridge. William is a good workman, accommodating and obliging, and deserves a full share of the patronage of that place.

The Public Schools will close next week. Prof. E. Schindler informs the public that he will open a Summer school, assisted by his daughter Miss Alice Schneider, to commence on Monday, April 7th, in the upper room of N. East Ward school building, near the corner of 4th and Arch streets. 13-14.

A FINE LOCATED LOT FOR SALE.—A fine building lot located in Calk's Addition, near the P. & E. Railroad shops, is offered for sale on reasonable terms. Apply to W. J. BAIN, Sunbury, Pa.

BOOTS & SHOES BY THE MILLIONS.—Wm. H. Miller of the Excelsior Boot & Shoe Store, keeps his rooms filled with all styles and quantities of Ladies' Shoes and Gaiters, Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes, and Children's Shoes. The best make in the country is kept there, and sold at the lowest prices. Gaiter Shoes of all sizes and styles always kept on hand.

W. H. F. WEIMAN'S Cash Store, takes the lead in all the fine goods. Every style of Ladies' Dress Goods, Cloths, Gascones, and a general variety of Groceries, Queensware, &c., are kept and sold at the lowest cash prices. Everybody that buys is satisfied at the low prices. Call and see the splendid assortment of goods.

The constant supply of the best of Hats manufactured is causing the large number of orders from all parts of the country at S. Faust's Hat store, on Market street. Every style can be prepared there. His stock is immense, and purchases can be made at lower rates than in the city.

All persons wanting good and cheap clothes should call at R. C. Smith's Gun Gallery, where they can get fine good pictures for 50 cents. (Dunperly's old stand, Sunbury, Pa. mh14-17)

Local Affairs.

PATRICK BOLAN has purchased the saloon lately kept by Wm. Gehring, on the corner of Third and Market streets, and the license has been transferred to him. Mr. Bolan is about renovating the place and will make it a first-class saloon.

The official majority in Shamokin township against license was 188 instead of 108, as was reported. This reduces the majority to 143 in the county, and with the informal vote of Coal country thrown out makes the legal majority only 71.

The liquor agents are becoming very numerous in this county since local option was defeated. They all expect to establish a good trade. With such an army of liquor dealers, the staff ought to get cheap.

This fee on the dam disappeared on Friday afternoon last, without doing much damage.

At an election held on last Friday evening for officers of the Masonic Hall Association, John (Inas, Esq., was elected President; S. P. Wolcott, Esq., Treasurer, and William Hendricks, Esq., Secretary.

DR. GAMBROG.—We are happy to learn that your young friend George Granger, son of Mr. Thos. Granger of this place, has lately graduated with the degree of doctor of medicine at Jefferson College, Philadelphia. The doctor has been a diligent scholar, and by his industry and perseverance has mastered his studies with a degree worthy of emulation. We wish him abundance of success in his new calling, and hope he may soon rank with the foremost of his profession.

On Saturday last, a horse of Henry Hartman, on Turbittville, caught fire from a defective tire, and was entirely consumed, together with nearly all the furniture. There was no insurance on the property.

SEVERAL cars loaded with oil, while standing upon the siding at the lower end of Milton borough, caught fire on Friday morning last, and were entirely consumed. The heat was so intense that no trains could pass over the main track during the conflagration. The passenger trains in the morning were detained for several hours.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.—On Monday evening last D. G. P., Em'l. Wilver, installed the following officers of Fort Augusta Camp, No. 140, I. O. of O. F., in Sunbury, to serve the ensuing term.—O. F. William Mockler; H. P. James M. Farris; S. W. W. Lank; J. H. W. David Fassold; Treasurer, Valentin Deitz; Scribe, A. N. Brice.

On Tuesday evening last, the officers of Pilgrims' Encampment, No. 100, I. O. of O. F., located at Milton, were installed by the same officials, as follows: C. P. Jacob Meixell; H. F. A. Adair; S. W. J. J. Fossanigh; J. W. Chas. McNeill; Treasurer James M. Huff; Scribe, Jos. D. Snyder.

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THE Fourth Anniversary of Washington Camp, No. 19, P. O. S. of A., on Friday evening of last week was attended by the elite of our place. The music by the Sundbury Cornet Band on the occasion, was well appreciated, and the exercises of the evening were of the most pleasing character. The opening address of Dict. Pres't, W. P. Miller, giving a historical sketch of the organization and progress of the Order, was listened to with marked attention. The address by James Wilson, Esq., of Harrisburg, was more than ordinarily interesting, and was highly appreciated by the audience. The refreshments were superb, and every one admired the manner in which the room and tables were decorated with wreaths, flags and flowers. Altogether it was one of the largest as well as the most pleasant gatherings we have seen in this place for a long time. The young men who compose Camp No. 19, are deserving of much credit for their agreeable and satisfactory manner in which they got up so pleasing an entertainment for the public. All who were present will look forward to their next anniversary with pleasure.

A Bill has been introduced in the Legislature to divide this borough into four Wards. On the whole we find it very objectionable to a majority of the citizens on account of its interfering with the local affairs in several of the Wards. Besides it will create an additional expense to the county of several hundred dollars annually.

The embankment below the Shamokin dam was washed away considerably by the water during the forepart of this week. On Tuesday, Chief Burgess Matlock telegraphed to Mr. Wrenman, of Harrisburg, Superintendent of the canal of this division, who came here in the evening and at once put a large number of men to work in repairing it.

A BREAKER BURNED.—On Sunday night last the Calcedonia coal breaker, at Mt. Carmel, belonging to Messrs. Michael Swenk & Althouse, was entirely consumed by fire. The loss falls heavily upon the owners, as the insurance on the property amounted to only \$5,000. The fire was no doubt the work of an incendiary, and it is strongly intimated that a conspiracy has been formed to destroy property in that locality. Every effort should be made to bring the offenders to justice.

The storm on Sunday last made sad havoc in different parts of the county. Buildings were unroofed, fences demolished and trees uprooted. In this place several roofs suffered damage. On Monday morning we noticed several wagons upturned, and an empty coal car which had been left standing on the main track, near the river, was driven to the crossing at the Shamokin Valley Railroad, where it came in contact with other cars.

A NEW ESTABLISHMENT.—Messrs. Clement and Disinger, of the "Star Store," intend branching out their business by establishing a wholesale and retail clothing house in connection with their Dry Goods and Grocery Store, now so popular for good and cheap goods. Having fitted up rooms in Clement's building for hands to make up clothing they have employed the popular cutter and tailor, Thos. G. Nott to superintend that department. Mr. Disinger, one of the firm, and Mr. Nott, are on a trip to Philadelphia and New York to make a selection of the best and most fashionable goods in the market which will be made up to order for a wholesale and retail trade. Clothing will be made up more substantially and cheaper than city work. Dealers and others desiring suits made in the most fashionable style can have their orders filled at the shortest notice. A large number of hands will be at once employed, and no delay need be feared in filling the largest orders. This grand establishment will be opened in the course of a week, when there will also be a grand opening of goods at the Star Store.

A MASQUERADE BALL was held at the Clement House, this place, on Thursday evening last, which was largely attended by ladies and gentlemen from this and neighboring towns. Some of the parties present were dressed in rather ridiculous looking costumes, while others did not disguise themselves much from their every day appearance. A description of the costumes worn would no doubt prove interesting to many, but which we are prevented from giving, as our invitation was not "equivalent" to pass us through the crowd of the door, even to get a glimpse of the assemblage. The party was kept up until a late hour, and everything passed off in the most pleasant and agreeable manner. The refreshments served by mine host and hostess of the Clement House were gotten up in their usual splendid style, and those present from other places were very favorably impressed with the pleasant entertainment they enjoyed.

THANKS.—Our thanks are due Mr. Ammerman of Montour county, Representative on this Legislative District, for a copy of Smith's "Legislative Hand Book." Also to Dr. Dewitt, member from this county, for public documents.

We also return our thanks to the Hon. J. C. Baily, and Dr. Rooke, members of the Constitutional Convention for copies of its proceedings.

ANOTHER COLLIERY BURNING.—On Wednesday morning last, a fire occurred at the Brady Colliery, at Shamokin, owned by Guterman and Gorman, burning the breaker to the ground. The loss is heavy but is covered by insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown.

A. J. FOSSMAN, of Washington township, Union county, had an attack of apoplexy on Saturday week, from the effects of which he died on Friday last. He was aged about 84 years. Mr. Fossman, formerly resided in Chillisneque township, and was well and favorably known in the upper end of this county.

THE NEW POSTOFFICE BUILDING.—The contract for the erection of the new postoffice building in this place has been awarded to H. M. Fahnestock for the sum of \$2,870. The building is to be brick and two stories in height. It is to be arranged expressly for the post office.

The prize races at the Red Men's Festival voted to landlords and Doctors were awarded to E. T. Drumheller of the City Hotel, and to Dr. F. L. Hant.

The borough bonds to be issued are to bear an engraving of the Court House and public square upon them.

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Letter from the West. DENVER, Colorado, March 8, 1873. Editor Sundbury American: In my former letter I promised you my trip from Denver to Georgetown. After a hurried breakfast, with 25 minutes' intervals spent of Colorado Central Railway, I started and reached myself in 2 1/2 hours. The conductor of the train, when 'all aboard' sounded from the conductor, and we were off for the noble Rockies. For some time I had a fine view of the high, quiet, connected with one of our Denver papers, who, by the way, came here in '90, consequently he was well posted, and has traveled all over the mountains between here and Georgetown, and by whom I was posted all along the line. Our trip from this city to Golden was uninteresting, as the road runs over the level plains. Now the engine signals our near approach to Golden, where we are compelled to change cars of some road but narrow gauge, our arrival at Golden was hailed with delight. Here, for the first time, I stand and look up at the lofty mountains that surround us on all sides, and we see one large track extending up, up, up, which is called Castle Rock. This mountain is at our very feet, and is a great resort for farmers, and for the people of the city who ascend to its top by an old trail which winds around until the top is reached. The mountain is a fine view of the high, quiet, and is beautifully situated in the small valley of Clear Creek. For the second time I am seated in one of the coaches, and on my trip will be of immense interest, running through Clear Creek Canyon, one of the most sublime gorges or openings of the Rockies. This narrow gorge runs only 20 miles from Golden to Black Hawk, the centre of the gold mines and lower region. This road ascends up a very heavy grade, and its ascent is about 1,000 feet in the 30 miles. Here for the first time after we were under way, running at a speed of about 15 miles an hour, the mountain sides about in game—deer, mountain sheep, bear and grouse. Arriving at Black Hawk, we are confronted with the familiar name of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s stage, starting at our side, ready to start, lashed to which were six noble steeds. From here our route lay to Central City situated one mile up the grade, up the steepest grade yet ascended. Arriving at Central City, we found a town on the top of the mountains, and at an altitude of 8,100 feet. This city is supported by steep cliffs and has an appearance of entire desolation and but one of the best of the mountains here to Virginia Canyon lays on top of the mountains one of the finest roads I have ever travelled. A large number of the above officers decline striving unless a compromise is effected and a final change given to the stockholders and friends of the Society for further change in officers. There being many objections to some of the old officers, who, it is supposed, resorted to a trick to remain in office for another year, after having positively promised a year ago to give the matter over to a new board this spring, for the purpose of investigating their transactions and satisfying the stockholders that everything has been conducted to their interests. But having set themselves up as dictators to a majority of the stockholders, it is strongly advocated to organize a society upon a permanent basis, holding the fairs at this place. A Society which has been spoken of, with men of business tact at the head, would prove beyond a doubt, a good investment, and but few in the county who have means to invest would refuse to enter into such a project.

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HON. J. L. DEWITTE, of Iowa, will deliver a lecture on Temperance at the following places in this county: Mt. Carmel, Saturday, March 23; Shamokin, Monday, March 24; Trevorton, Tuesday, March 25; Sunbury, Wednesday, March 26; Northumberland, Thursday, March 27; Watsonstown, Friday, March 28; Milton, Saturday, March 29. Good Temperance Lodges or others at these places please make all necessary arrangements to insure success.

D. B. BOLICE, Mt. Carmel.

AN ACCIDENT.—Mr. Alexander Moore of the Shamokin Hills met with an accident on Wednesday last. As he was driving the road between the Rock cut and the scales, his team becoming frightened at an engine that was standing still, backed over the embankment into the creek, destroying his wagon and a sofa that he had just purchased. Fortunately neither he nor his horses were hurt.—Shamokin Herald.

"PAIN KILLER."—There can be no necessity, at this late day, for the press to speak in commendatory terms of this remarkable medicine, in order to promote its sale. For it is a medicine that is known and appreciated the world over through. Whenever we speak of the Pain Killer, we are presented with instances, we do so in behalf of the afflicted, rather than in the view of advancing the interests of its proprietors. For various diseases, such as rheumatism, cholera-morbus, neuralgia, neuralgia, neuralgia, and so on to the end of the catalogue, we are convinced that there is no remedy better than the people equal to Davis' Vegetable "Pain Killer," and we know that thousands upon thousands entertain the same belief. Certainly, we cannot refer to the history of any medicine which equals that of the Pain Killer. It was introduced in 1840, and has since that time to this day, both here and abroad, has constantly and rapidly increased, and we rejoice at this reputation it has achieved, because this reputation shows that it relieves the most of relieving a suffering humanity suffering. We hope the present proprietors of Davis' Vegetable "Pain Killer" will long live to enjoy the prosperity they have so fairly won.

Letter from the West.

Letter from the West. DENVER, Colorado, March 8, 1873. Editor Sundbury American: In my former letter I promised you my trip from Denver to Georgetown. After a hurried breakfast, with 25 minutes' intervals spent of Colorado Central Railway, I started and reached myself in 2 1/2 hours. The conductor of the train, when 'all aboard' sounded from the conductor, and we were off for the noble Rockies. For some time I had a fine view of the high, quiet, connected with one of our Denver papers, who, by the way, came here in '90, consequently he was well posted, and has traveled all over the mountains between here and Georgetown, and by whom I was posted all along the line. Our trip from this city to Golden was uninteresting, as the road runs over the level plains. Now the engine signals our near approach to Golden, where we are compelled to change cars of some road but narrow gauge, our arrival at Golden was hailed with delight. Here, for the first time, I stand and look up at the lofty mountains that surround us on all sides, and we see one large track extending up, up, up, which is called Castle Rock. This mountain is at our very feet, and is a great resort for farmers, and for the people of the city who ascend to its top by an old trail which winds around until the top is reached. The mountain is a fine view of the high, quiet, and is beautifully situated in the small valley of Clear Creek. For the second time I am seated in one of the coaches, and on my trip will be of immense interest, running through Clear Creek Canyon, one of the most sublime gorges or openings of the Rockies. This narrow gorge runs only 20 miles from Golden to Black Hawk, the centre of the gold mines and lower region. This road ascends up a very heavy grade, and its ascent is about 1,000 feet in the 30 miles. Here for the first time after we were under way, running at a speed of about 15 miles an hour, the mountain sides about in game—deer, mountain sheep, bear and grouse. Arriving at Black Hawk, we are confronted with the familiar name of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s stage, starting at our side, ready to start, lashed to which were six noble steeds. From here our route lay to Central City situated one mile up the grade, up the steepest grade yet ascended. Arriving at Central City, we found a town on the top of the mountains, and at an altitude of 8,100 feet. This city is supported by steep cliffs and has an appearance of entire desolation and but one of the best of the mountains here to Virginia Canyon lays on top of the mountains one of the finest roads I have ever travelled. A large number of the above officers decline striving unless a compromise is effected and a final change given to the stockholders and friends of the Society for further change in officers. There being many objections to some of the old officers, who, it is supposed, resorted to a trick to remain in office for another year, after having positively promised a year ago to give the matter over to a new board this spring, for the purpose of investigating their transactions and satisfying the stockholders that everything has been conducted to their interests. But having set themselves up as dictators to a majority of the stockholders, it is strongly advocated to organize a society upon a permanent basis, holding the fairs at this place. A Society which has been spoken of, with men of business tact at the head, would prove beyond a doubt, a good investment, and but few in the county who have means to invest would refuse to enter into such a project.

MEETING OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The members of the Northumberland County Agricultural Society met in the Arbitration Room of the Court House, on Monday, at 1 o'clock P. M., Joseph Bird, Esq., President, presiding. The officers not producing the stock certificate book in the forenoon, as was requested by resolution at the last meeting, a request was made of the President to open the books to give all an opportunity to take stock if they desired, which was refused by that officer. Several propositions were made to harmonize upon a ticket for officers for the ensuing year, which was also declined. As there appeared to be no disposition on the part of some of the officers to yield to the suggestions, an equal show to elect officers, the stockholders on this side of the river withdrew, with a few exceptions, and declined to vote.

A motion was then made to proceed to an election, the President appointing Messrs. W. T. Forestry, John Youngman and Simon Randall tellers of the election.

The following ticket, made up for the purpose, was then voted for by the stockholders on the other side of the river, and declared elected: President—Joseph Bird. Recording Secretary—G. W. Armstrong. Corresponding Secretary—Simon Randall. Treasurer—J. H. Jenkins. Librarian—C. W. Gentles. Clerks—Farnsworth Reed. George J. John. Vice-Presidents—Lewis Jno. McFarland; Delaware, Joseph Nicely, Jr.; Turbitt, Wm. Waldron; Turbittville, James B. Turbitt; Watsonstown, J. M. Toliver; McConnellsville, H. J. Wood; Hill, South Ward, L. Huff; Milton, North Ward, Lewis Sticker; Chillisneque, G. Vond; Point, Thomas Johnson; Northumberland, Wm. T. Forestry; Sunbury, East Ward, Geo. West; West Ward, West Ward, Samuel Rothmel; Upper Augusta, George Gay; Lower Augusta, Lem. Shippard; Hants, Edward Gay; Shamokin township, Salmon Moore; Shamokin, J. M. Moore; Shamokin Borough, East Ward, Stephen Rittenbernd; Shamokin Borough, West Ward, A. A. Peira; Mt. Carmel, Borough, S. A. Berg; Shamokin, C. K. Welck; Corby, E. R. Rittenbernd; Little Mahanoy, H. H. Dornis; Upper Mahanoy, Joseph Mower; Jackson, J. G. Smith; a vote, John Ward; Lower Mahanoy, P. Barret; Strick, E. W. Ostrander.

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SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.—A call was made for a meeting at the Court House, on Wednesday evening, to adopt means to raise money to erect a County Soldiers' Monument in the public park in Sunbury. On motion, Sol. Matlock, Esq., was elected President, Messrs. Ditts, of Georgetown, McClary, of Milton, Dr. Rowan and Capt. Neelins, of Sunbury, were elected Vice-Presidents. Capt. H. Painter and L. M. Yoder, Secretaries. A statement of the object of the meeting was made by the President, after which Mr. Biles made a few remarks, giving a full statement of the arrangement for the proposed monument, together with its cost and when it would be built.

The following communication was then read, and, on motion, ordered to be published: SHAMOKIN, Pa., March 19, 1873. To John K. Clement, J. J. Smith, E. Mower, Huber, L. M. Yoder. GENTLEMEN: Your letter of 14th is at hand. I regret exceedingly that I cannot be with you to-night. Soldiers in my family will present my attendance on what to me would be an enjoyable occasion. As a soldier of Northumberland county, I feel an interest, deeper than any words of mine can express, in a cause that should be dear to the heart of every soldier. The soldiers of Northumberland county have a record proud as the proudest of our sister counties of this great Commonwealth. The heroic and manly memory stretching across the battle-fields of our continent, unites in one great brotherhood those who were the "blue," and until the last survivor of the great struggle,