

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

PENNA. R. R.

EAST.	WEST.
7:11 A. M.	9:14 A. M.
12:15 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
5:57 P. M.	7:51 P. M.
SUNDAYS.	
10:17 A. M.	4:51 P. M.

D. L. & W. R. R.

EAST.	WEST.
6:57 A. M.	9:09 A. M.
10:10 P. M.	12:41 P. M.
2:11 P. M.	4:53 P. M.
5:51 P. M.	8:40 P. M.
SUNDAYS.	
6:57 A. M.	12:47 P. M.
5:51 P. M.	8:40 P. M.

PHILA. & READING R. R.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
7:32 A. M.	11:24 A. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:30 P. M.

BLOOM STREET.

7:30 A. M.	11:22 A. M.
4:04 P. M.	6:04 P. M.

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WHEAT STRAW.

Substitute For Hay—Best Way to Handle For Bedding.
Wheat straw is the most extensively used material for bedding in American farming. It is generally used extra-ordinarily because under the system of ordinary farming the supply of straw is usually far in excess of the actual needs of the stables, writes a Country Gentleman correspondent.

Scientifically wheat straw shows a food value that should save it from being wasted, and practically we know that we have fed animals know it is often highly relished by them, even when they are supposed to have as much other more highly regarded foods as they can eat and digest. A certain bulk is necessary in the ration for stomach distention purposes as well as to increase the working area of the more nutritious foods, and clean, bright straw can be used profitably for bedding. It is generally used extra-ordinarily because under the system of ordinary farming the supply of straw is usually far in excess of the actual needs of the stables, writes a Country Gentleman correspondent.

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The Barn Door.
A good many people wonder why their sheep suffer from colds and "snuffles" in spite of the good care taken to house them and protect them from inclement weather, says National Stockman. The trouble sometimes is that the sheep are too carefully housed. They are put into a tight barn, their bodies warm up it, and when they are turned into the cold air or wind they take cold. The main thing with sheep is to keep them dry, not warm, and especially not warm and cold. Leave the door of the barn open if it is warm and closed if it is cold during the cold weather. Cool air without drafts is better for them than warm nights and cold days.

Crushed Corn.
Crushing corn seems to be satisfactory for sheep, goats and all young cattle during the average season, particularly if they are being fed to the limit, says American Agriculturist. It is also desirable at any season for dairy cows. Corn and cob meal seem to be more satisfactory than meal because of its containing a little more protein power, just as much as the engine depends upon the steam to put it into action. An engine won't go without steam. Neither will the brain, the liver, the kidneys, the stomach act right without their proper nerve force supply. Let any organ be lacking in this essential and troubles begin—some of them are:

Nerve Slavery.
It is present-day conditions—heating burdens of work upon the nervous system that tells the story—premature breaking up of health.
It tells why so many men and women, who so far as age in years is concerned, should be in the prime of health, find themselves lacking in strength, the power, the vitality they once possessed. It is because that great motor power of the body, nerve force, is impaired. Every organ depends upon its controlling power, just as much as the engine depends upon the steam to put it into action. An engine won't go without steam. Neither will the brain, the liver, the kidneys, the stomach act right without their proper nerve force supply. Let any organ be lacking in this essential and troubles begin—some of them are:

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CATALPA POSTS.

Durable, Light, Take Nails Easily, Do Not Rot Them Well.
There is something in the soil in this locality that destroys a fencepost in a very short time. I have seen good white oak posts eaten off in five years; in fact, they seem to last little, if any, longer than elm or cottonwood. Today I took up a Catalpa speciosa post five inches in diameter which had been set seven years and found that about half an inch of the outside had been eaten away, but the rest of it was as sound as when it was set. The post had reasoned about a year before it was set, and to look at it one would suppose that it would not last more than a year; but today it looks as if it might stand twice seven more years.

Six years ago I cut down a tree and used it for a post in a chert-shed which had rotted about an inch deep all around. At the same time I cut another about the same size, six inches through, and used it as a dividing pole between two stalls something over a year, then as a temporary post something over a year, and it has lain on the ground exposed to the weather ever since, and it is perfectly sound yet.

Catalpa, when seasoned, is light and almost as soft as seasoned cottonwood, and to look at it one would think it of very little value, especially for fence posts, but experience and observation have satisfied me that it is worth for this purpose about four times as much as white oak. It is strong, and when seasoned nails can be driven into it as easily as into cedar, and they will stay in. I have never seen it tested with Osage orange, but I am satisfied it will last about as long when used for posts, while it has a decided advantage over Osage in the fact that nails can easily be driven into it when seasoned, while Osage will turn anything but a short, thick, pointed stub and will very often split where the nail is driven in. I feel sure that it will pay any farmer to plant Catalpa speciosa for posts, poles and all such purposes. It does not grow any faster at the start than Osage, but it soon outstrips the latter.

In planting catalpa one must plant intelligently or he is sure to be disappointed. When set singly, it grows crooked and almost scraggy, and it will be years before it will make even short posts. To make a good, upright growth it must be planted in groves and rather thickly. I have seen it planted four feet apart in rows six feet apart, and the growth was upright and rapid while the trees were young, and when properly thinned out when they reached pole size those left standing made a satisfactory growth afterward, writes Fred Grundy in Farm and Fireside.

Poultry Test.
To find out whether poultry is tender or otherwise pinch the skin. If it adheres to the flesh, the bird is tough; if it leaves the flesh, it is tender.

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Not Extraneous.

Smith—My wife wants a new dress every day in the year.
Jones—She must be awfully extravagant. Does she get it?
Smith—No; that is the reason she is compelled to want it—Exchange.

Religion and Theology.
Those who declare that religion is dying because theology has worn itself threadbare would, by the same rule, pronounce a man dead because his clothes need mending—Saturday Evening Post.

Big English Estates.
The thirty-four biggest estates in Britain average 183,000 acres apiece.

Greenland Potatoes.
Potatoes in Greenland never grow larger than a marble.

How to Fry Cauliflowers.

Soak the cauliflower, head downward, in cold salted water, then cook until tender in boiling salted water; separate flowerets, sprinkle wet paprika and lemon juice and let stand several hours. Dry the flowerets on a cloth, roll each piece in a beaten egg, then in breadcrumbs and repeat this process until all the parts are well covered. Fry in deep fat, smoking hot, and drain on soft paper. Serve on a folded napkin. Pass with your tomato sauce.

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How to Make Calf's Foot Jelly.

To make this jelly cut and crack one foot into small pieces and cover with three parts of cold water. Put on the back of the stove and let it remain there three hours after it has begun to simmer. Skim at short intervals, and at the expiration of three hours take the soup from the fire and strain. When it has become hard, remove the sediment and fat. Heat again, and when about to boil stir in rapidly the beaten white of one egg. Let the mixture boil for one minute, then remove from the fire, and after it has cooled for ten minutes strain into small molds. The jelly will hold in two hours.

Keep the Good Seeds.

The high price of pork should not be an inducement to any one to fatten a good brood sow this winter, says American Agriculturist. If pork is high now, it may be expected that good pigs will be in demand next spring at good prices. When we say a good brood sow, we mean one that is prolific and of good form, one that is a good mother and raises good pigs. To do this she should not have less than six or seven pigs at her first litter and give milk enough to keep them growing until they are weaned, and she should not be cross or quarrelsome with them or with those who take care of her, for that is a fault that usually increases with age in hoes and others.

Receipts and Expenditures of Montour County, Pennsylvania
For the Year Ending January 6th, A. D., 1902.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE TAX ACCOUNTS OF THE SEVERAL COLLECTORS FOR THE YEAR A. D. 1901.

DISTRICTS	COUNTY TAX.				STATE TAX.				DOG TAX.				
	Assessed	Collected	Balance	Due	Assessed	Collected	Balance	Due	Assessed	Collected	Balance	Due	
Anthony Township	125 00	63 66	11 10	24 63	115 29	35 18	5 44	3 10	100 52	55 00	3 50	1 43	46 07
Cooper	471 85	11 07	2 75	18 18	18 99	96 16	91 16	32 21	48 81	23 00	43 28	7 52	14 70
Danville Borough	73 2 84	24 30	8 71	11 14	69 2 94	32 34	1 30	67 43	22 94	103 60	1 83	78 28	24 45
Derry Township	10 36 48	28 36	2 07	32 16	9 28 83	33 84	33 00	18 94	61 83 42	66 00	2 35	2 62	69 38
Liberty Township	1 31 14	1 00	2 73	43 44	130 88	135 34	13 49	12 45	96 74	84 50	25 24	57 00	27 50
Limestone	149 2 16	61 32	2 73	33 93	1381 83	18 10	151 62	7 58	4 32	139 72	35 50	1 00	52 18
Mahoning	223 64	40 38	2 73	33 83	843 26	39 28	194 22	4 16	3 43	96 77	19 00	3 71	1 09
Moxley	275 00	6 72	2 73	8 69	227 61	39 28	12 49	5 11	30 97 57	2 11	39 00	26 48	28 00
Valley	108 16	34 84	2 56	36 91	933 83	39 28	12 49	5 11	30 97 57	2 11	39 00	26 48	28 00
Washington Borough	18 17	1 00	2 73	43 44	130 88	135 34	13 49	12 45	96 74	84 50	25 24	57 00	27 50
West Hemlock Township	303 50	8 80	2 56	9 88	248 28	36 80	20 71	0 14	50 19 14	22 50	37 69	14 07	7 50
Total tax account for 1901	1824 50	609 10	32 80	383 55	1579 41	1159 50	223 68	115 05	52 97	2015 07	72 30	531 50	17 77
Taxes received for prior years				119 92									
Total taxes received during the year A. D. 1901				1169 42									
Outstanding taxes in favor of county				1159 50									
Outstanding taxes in favor of collector				18 17									
Actual amount of outstanding taxes in favor of county				1160 60									

N. B.—Taxes remaining due and unpaid for prior years as follows: Cyrus E. Bardele, Collector of Anthony Township for 1899; County tax \$186 70; Dog tax \$18 16; Total \$204 86. W. Peters, Collector of Danville Borough 1899 and 1900 County Tax on orphanage for 1899 \$53 00; County Tax for 1899 \$53 00; Dog Tax for 1899 \$10 44 70; Total \$116 44.

P. C. NEWBAKER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH MONTOUR COUNTY.

Dr.	To Cash Received from the Following Sources:	Cr.	By Disbursements as Follows:
Balance on hand at last settlement	\$ 4099 01		Amount paid on County orders during the years 1901 as per the below classified account of expenditures
County tax received for 1901	13569 51		\$21152 69
County tax received for prior years	1199 82		Amount paid Commonwealth for State tax for 1901 for which there was no order issued
State tax received for 1901	2015 07		\$2214 51
Dog tax received for 1901	175 24		Treasurer's commission on same
Dog tax received for prior years	15 84		22 36
Reimbursement for 1901 on unseated lands and collectors returns	1660 88		Treasurer's Commission, viz:
Reimbursement of State tax for 1901	912 00		2 1/2 per cent on disbursement of \$21152 69
Hotel Licenses for 1901—county's portion	177 83		Less County's portion of Hotel Licenses, commission on same having been allowed in Treas. License account
Commissioners of Northumberland county for one-half of expenditures on Danville River Bridge	177 83		912 00
Commonwealth costs, fines and jury funds	10 00		Commission allowed on
Jackson Billmeyer for old lumber	75 82		20240 69
Reimbursement by Commonwealth for extinction of forest fires	800 00		Balance in hands of P. C. Newbaker, Treasurer, January 6th, A. D., 1902
From issue of short term county bond	800 00		1215 72
	\$25111 30		\$25111 30

P. C. NEWBAKER, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH LICENSES RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR A. D., 1901.

To amount of Retail and Wholesale Mercantile Licenses	1401 67	By amount paid Commonwealth	4532 04
To amount of Billiard and Pool Licenses	70 00	By amount paid for advertising Appraiser's list and post-ge	140 19
To amount of Hotel Licenses	6400 00	By Treasurer's commission	439 44
To amount of Brewers and Distillers License	1400 00	By amount Hotel Licenses applied to county fund, county's portion	912 00
To amount of Wholesale Liquor License	400 00	By amount Hotel Licenses paid borough of Danville	3078 00
	\$ 9671 67	By amount Hotel Licenses paid borough of Washingtonville	228 00
		By amount Hotel Licenses paid Anthony Township	57 00
		By amount Hotel Licenses paid Derry Township	114 00
		By amount Hotel Licenses paid Liberty Township	57 00
		By amount Hotel Licenses paid Valley Township	114 00
			\$ 9671 67

CLASSIFIED ACCOUNT OF EXPENDITURES.

Spring election	\$ 437 73	Election Expenses	\$ 437 73
General election	461 38 <td>By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$107 50 on duplicate for 1901</td> <td>5 38</td>	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$107 50 on duplicate for 1901	5 38
The Record Publishing Co., of Milton for official and specimen ballots for Spring and General elections	70 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Election blanks and supplies	32 25	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 1001 36	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Assessors Pay.		By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Annual assessment	495 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
State tax assessment	90 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Registry of voters	313 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Registry of births and death	57 30	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Registry of school children	137 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 1092 30	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Bridge and Road Expenses.		By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Road views and surveys	52 70	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Lumber and material for bridges	392 65	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
General repairs	563 87	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 1554 96	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
New Bridges.		By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Curry & Vauman, iron bridge in West Hemlock township	210 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Sundry persons for lumber, stone, masonry, labor, &c, for same	224 23	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Sundry persons for lumber, lime, masonry and labor for bridge in Cooper Township	111 51	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 545 74	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Danville River Bridge Expenses.		By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
General repairs	1165 66	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Electric light	130 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Watchman	60 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 355 66	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Miscellaneous.		By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Redemption of county bonds	4000 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Interest on county bonds	735 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Amount paid for sheep killed by dogs	92 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Inquisitions on sundry persons and postmortems	84 95	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
County Teachers Institute	124 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Support of convicts at E. S. Penitentiary	182 21	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Support of convicts at Huntingdon Reformatory	17 75	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Support of inmates in State Hospital	149 68	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
State tax on county indebtedness for 1900	273 75	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Burial of indigent soldiers	70 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
J. C. Miller, Prothonotary, certifying judgments, &c, to Commissioners office	46 80	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Wm. L. Sidler, Recorder, certifying mortgages, &c, to Commissioners office	13 30	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Commissioners office	255 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Headstamps for indigent soldiers	255 00	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
	\$ 21161 19	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29 on duplicate for 1901	6 56
Total amount of orders issued in 1901	\$ 21161 19	By commission allowed Nathan Fenstermacher 5 per cent on \$131 29	