

LOCAL TIME TABLES.

Table with columns for 'PENN. R. R.', 'PHILA. & READING R. R.', 'BLOOM STREET', 'DANVILLE AND BLOOMSBURG STREET RAILWAY CO.', and 'SUNDAYS'. It lists various train routes and times.

BIG DRAIN FOR CHURCH STREET

The succession of heavy rains during the summer and fall, which has demonstrated that the borough's system of drainage is totally wrong, has brought council face to face with a problem that is more important than street repairs or paving and demands speedy solution.

The matter was taken up at the last meeting of council and all agreed that the only solution was to get the water as far as possible back into its original channels, which would imply that the excess above the P. & R. crossing, instead of being conducted down Bloom street, should be permitted to follow the natural slope of land down to Blizard's run.

Pursuant to action taken at that meeting Borough Surveyor Kiefer of Sunbury came up to Danville Tuesday and in company with P. J. Keefe, superintendent of sewers, and George Jacobs, T. W. Bodea and Amos Vastine, councilmanic committee on streets and bridges, went carefully over the ground to see how the excess of water on Bloom street might be got rid of without causing annoyance and damage.

Some of the councilmen favored sinking pipe along the alley at the rear of the Green station, others favored Pine street, while still others thought that Church street was the only thoroughfare that should be considered. The borough surveyor favored Church street Tuesday and this was the thoroughfare selected by the committee to contain the proposed drain, which will take in the water above the crossing and pass through under both the P. & R. and the D. L. & W. railroads.

This point will be finally settled by council when the committee makes its report at the next meeting. The proposed drain will add something to the borough's expense account, as it will have to be laid at considerable depth and the distance between Bloom street and Blizard's run is over two squares. Nevertheless, it is a necessary improvement, one that has been deferred too long already.

12 Squares on Election Ticket. The voters of the State will have enough parties from which to select a candidate this fall, there being twelve party squares for State tickets on the ballot. Of course every new party that took out nomination papers and secured a sufficient number of signers is entitled to a place on the ticket, and to have a separate square, and the independent have been unusually active. The parties entitled to squares on the ballot this year are as follows: Republican, Democratic, Prohibition, Socialist, Socialist Labor, Citizen, City, Commonwealth, Jefferson, Lincoln, Reform and Union Labor.

PUPILS MUST MEND THEIR WAYS

Judging from a candid expression of opinion indulged in by several members of the school board it would seem that the boys and girls of the first ward schools stand in danger of losing a great deal of the freedom at present enjoyed during the recess period, if they do not speedily abandon several practices, which reflect discredit on the school.

Under the present rules, the pupils, especially those of the high school, at recess are permitted to leave the school grounds and meander to almost any point, if by so doing they get back to the building by the time school goes into session. The directors claim that the boys and girls are sadly prone to abuse these privileges.

One of the directors referred to has noticed that the boys, who of course, are not permitted to smoke about the school grounds, and who probably are not supposed to smoke at all, at recess seek the Y. M. C. A. and there in the shadow of that institution, which is understood to stand for purity and obedience in boys, habitually indulge in cigarettes or in pipes. This practice, the director said, is not only detrimental to the boys, but it is giving a great deal of concern to the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., who is doing what he can to break up the practice.

Another director has observed that the girls at recess habitually stroll down town. On starting out the objective point seems to be the post office corner, after which in little groups they stroll up and down Mill street. Notwithstanding that they are at the principal thoroughfare and that the streets may be crowded they have the habit of walking abreast and crowding the sidewalks, clear off into the gutter. The disrespect or thoughtlessness shown by the school girls, the director claimed, is often appalling. With arms linked and five or six abreast taking up every inch of room, they come sweeping along with an utter disregard for others. The director related an experience of his own in which he said, he was obliged to get out in the gutter and hold on to a hitching post while the phalanx of budding femininity swept imperiously by.

Other directors expressed themselves in the same strain, agreeing that if less complaint is not heard concerning the conduct of pupils the proper thing to do will be to adopt a rule obliging them to remain on the school grounds during recess. The matter will probably be discussed at the next meeting of the school board.

A LASTING EFFECT. This Evidence Should Prove Efficacy Made for Doan's Pills in Danville. Relief from the pains and aches of a bad back is always welcome to every backache sufferer; but to cure a lame, weak or aching back is what is wanted. Cure it so it will stay cured. It can be done. Here's the strongest evidence to prove it.

TELEPHONE COMPANIES CONSOLIDATE

One of the most important telephone deals in recent years, which may have a great effect in the near future upon long distance rates in this and nearby States, was consummated at a meeting of capitalists held at Philadelphia last week.

The American Union Telephone Company was at that meeting brought into working existence, the company having been incorporated at Harrisburg on May 31.

The new company links together by purchase and lease a number of independent telephone companies of Pennsylvania, Southern New York, Northern Virginia, Maryland and West Virginia, and by extensions, connections and betterments, combining these companies into one complete system of local and long distance telephone transmission, which, with a traffic agreement with the Keystone Telephone Company, of Philadelphia, establishes a system that stretches from the Atlantic coast across New Jersey, Delaware and the States above mentioned.

LONG DISTANCE SERVICE. Being made up largely of many of the existing independent telephone companies in the State, the new company will early prefer a long distance service extending from this city to Baltimore, Md.; Washington, D. C., and Wheeling, W. Va., in the South; Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Erie, in the West, and Buffalo, Rochester and Syracuse, N. Y., in the North.

THE MERGED COMPANIES. The companies entering the merged combination comprise:— United Telephone & Telegraph Company; operating from the Philadelphia County line northwest to the city of Williamsport, and west to the city of Altoona, inclusive, embracing the counties of Chester, Montgomery, Delaware, Lancaster, Lebanon, Schuylkill, Northumberland, Union, Snyder, Mifflin, Columbia, Lycoming, Clinton, Center and Blair.

Boys & Damascus Telephone Company; embracing the county of Montgomery, Maryland. Huntington & Clearfield Telephone Company; embracing the counties Center, Clearfield, Cambria and Jefferson. Cambria Telephone Company; embracing the county of Cambria. Indiana Telephone Company; embracing the county of Indiana. Bradford County Telephone Company; embracing the county of Bradford, Pa. Port Allegheny Telephone Company; embracing the counties of McKean and Potter. Petroleum Telephone Company; embracing the counties of Crawford and Venango. Commercial Union Telephone Company; embracing the counties of Elk and Jefferson. Union Telephone Company, of Erie, embracing the counties of Erie, Crawford, Mercer, Newcastle, Venango, Beaver, Warren, McKean and Potter, in the State of Pennsylvania, extending to the city of Olean, inclusive, in the State of New York, and to the city of Youngstown, in the State of Ohio.

HE'S GOOD STUFF. They have a preacher in Gatesville who answers to the singular name of Pinchbeck, but he seems to be made of good stuff, for he is conducting a class among his members for the study of the Bible which had an attendance of sixty at the last meeting, although the enrollment is but fifty-seven. Any teacher who can get his entire class and three visitors out may certainly be pronounced a success.

TO IMPROVE SCHOOL GROUNDS WILL BE HANDED OVER ON FRIDAY

An improvement is on foot at the grounds of the first ward school building, which, it is hoped, will have the effect of keeping the grounds clean and dry, thereby making it more pleasant for pupils and promoting cleanliness in the school rooms.

The plan is now running to the perfect satisfaction of all concerned, furnishing heat as well light to the institution. Yesterday all three engines were run together. The trial was eminently satisfactory. While one engine and dynamo answers the purpose ordinarily, yet there are emergencies when it may be necessary to combine all three into one unit. It was necessary, therefore, to know how the three engines would pull together.

A few hands are still employed cleaning up outside the building and connecting up a few motors, among which are a 40-horse power motor in the carpenter shop, a 25-horse power motor for the threshing machine, a 10-horse power motor for the bake shop and a 10-horse power motor for the electrical pump to supply the boilers. The work began on May 9th, the heaviest part of the contract being the wiring of all the buildings to the number of 2300 lights. The completion of the plant so much earlier than was expected as well as the first class quality of work done speaks volumes in praise of Mr. Stutterheim, the representative of Buchanan & Company, who has been on the ground since the work began and will remain until Friday, although all the other representatives of the firms that had a hand in the work have returned to their homes. The largest number of hands employed was ninety-five, eighty-seven of whom were Danville men. In this connection it is worthy of note as revealing the pleasant relations between Mr. Stutterheim and the men working under him that at no time during the several months of difficult and exacting labor did he find it necessary to discharge a single man. Mr. Stutterheim is a most compassionate and agreeable gentleman, he is the soul of courtesy and is always fair. Under the circumstances it is not strange that the same cordial relations that obtain between him and his workmen are found to exist between him and the hospital authorities and every one in the community with whom he came in contact.

Died in the West. Soon after the Mexican war H. Gearhart, known familiarly as "California Bill," who, along with other Danville young men, had fallen a victim of the gold fever and made his way to California, returned East for a visit with relatives. Mr. Tomlinson was charmed with life and opportunities on the Pacific coast, as described by Mr. Gearhart and when the latter returned to California the deceased accompanied him. The two men for some years together led the arduous life of prospectors, sharing the many vicissitudes of fortune.

At the time of his death he was in his eighty-first year. He was a bachelor, a man of refined tastes and of kindly sympathetic nature, who was beloved by those around him. Picking Culm to Keep Warm. Because of the dead-lock in the school house of Conyngham township, Columbia county, the schools are without fuel and in some parts of the district the teachers and pupils are compelled to go out and pick coal from the culm banks or else close the schools, according to the Ashland Telegram, which speaks of the situation as follows: "Owing to factional differences in the school board, affairs in the Conyngham school district are in a deplorable condition, and there is much indignation among the people. These difficulties have retarded the school work in many ways for the past six or more weeks, and the tardy action of the courts in giving the people redress is anything but commendable. Prompt action is what the people want, but, it seems, must be content to see it drag along while the school system is crippled, and children deprived of the rights to which they are entitled under the laws of the State. There is great wrong somewhere and it should be the duty of the courts to rectify this wrong at the earliest possible time.

"Because of these contentions teachers are unpaid, as well as others to whom the district is indebted. No supplies have been received, and the schools are without fuel. In some parts of the district, it is said, that in order to keep the rooms comfortable teachers and pupils have been compelled to pick coal from the culm banks or else close the schools. "It is certainly a disgraceful reflection on our laws when any man, or body of men, are permitted to be responsible for such a condition of affairs as is here pointed out. The legal remedy should be applied, and it should be done quickly, and without any further dallying with the law. "The mandamus served on the president and secretary Friday orders that the report for State appropriation be made out at once, and that they report to court the first Monday in December that the duty has been performed, or they will stand committed for contempt."

State Buys Timber Land. The recorder of deeds of Clinton county received for record an agreement to lease whereby the State comes into possession of 3545 acres of land in Noyes and Beech Creek townships, in that county. A similar instrument was filed with the recorder of Centre county for 6200 acres, making an addition of more than 15,500 acres to the forest reserve in that section. The land is being sold by the Lycoming Land & Lumber company, of Williamsport, for \$250 an acre. The State now owns 60,000 acres in Clinton county, known as the Hopkins reservation, which will grow in value.

PLACING POTATOES ON THE MARKET

With one exception the largest market of the year took place on Saturday morning. The generous yield of the summer due to plenty of rain and careful farming, for which the people of our county are noted, was never more strikingly in evidence. Abundant overflowing, choice and delicious in quality literally every product of the field and garden was represented in the long row of wagons, which covered nearly every foot of available space.

There were just 105 one-horse wagons, 21 double wagons and 14 butchers and bakers in line. In order to reduce the labor of storing away the crop, the farmers are endeavoring to sell as many potatoes as possible. As a consequence the big yield of tubers was reflected in market by large quantities, which were out of proportion to other products on sale. They sold fairly well at 60 to 65 cents per bushel.

Chestnuts found a place among the other products and the large quantities of these brought in would indicate that there is a very large yield. They sold as low as 12 cents per quart, although many were disposed of at 14 and 15 cents. Heretofore, with probably the exceptions of Thanksgiving and Christmas, the largest markets of the year were apt to occur during midsummer, when garden vegetables, fruit and berries were in season. Such a large market in October is unusual and can be accounted for only by the fact that the season has been a very prolific one and that the farmers find themselves in the possession of a surplus abundance.

A Young Mother at 70. "My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets Stomach, Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures Malaria, Biliousness and Weakness. Wonderful Nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed by Paules & Co's drug store.

Death Claims Well Known Lady. Miss J. Nettie Henrie after a protracted and painful illness departed this life on Saturday morning. The deceased was the daughter of the late Samuel Henrie and was a life-long resident of Danville.

She was a young woman of most exemplary Christian character. Kind and sympathizing by nature throughout her entire life she was devoted to others and in return was deeply beloved for her tender sympathy and self-sacrifice. She was nearly a lifelong member of the Grove Presbyterian church and among the younger people of town there were few that were more widely known.

Her sufferings covered a period of much over a month. For a week or more preceding her death her case was regarded as hopeless. She bore her suffering with patience and Christian fortitude. She was conscious until nearly the end, which occurred at 5:30 o'clock Saturday morning. The deceased is survived by two brothers, John T., of Berwick, and Frank C. of this city; also one sister, Miss Anna, who resided at the family homestead on Bloom street along with the deceased and her brother Frank.

If an article is imitated, the original is always best. Think it over, and when you go to buy that box of salve to keep around the house get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original and the name is stamped on every box. Good for eczema, tetter, boils, cuts and bruises, and especially recommended for piles. Sold by Paules & Co.

LEVER OF ENTERPRISE. At the organization of the Hazleton board of trade the other day, Thomas Martindale, of Philadelphia, was the principal speaker. His theme was "Buy at Home and Advertise." Mr. Martindale said, "Advertising is the lever of all enterprises, and without it there can be no success."

COFFIN MAKERS. The editor of the Charlevoix Daily Mail gives the people of Charlevoix some good advice which is applicable to other towns and cities. He says: "If you want the town to be a town, talk it up. We feel like terming those people coffin makers who go about decrying the conditions of business, the distant qualities of the people, and the slow progress of the public improvements."

THE IMPRISONED PEDDLERS PAID UP

The two peddlers who refused to pay the fine for peddling without a license Friday and were committed to the lock-up to undergo five days' imprisonment became weary of duress and before they had served the first 24 hours decided to pay the fine and costs of seven dollars and breathe the pure air of freedom again.

As they settled with the justice and went their way it was difficult to determine whether they were affected most by the humiliation of their experience or the loss of their money, with which it went so hard to part. They loitered about town for awhile Saturday, but it is not known that they made any attempt to peddle.

Citizens could aid very much in attending the ends of justice if they would go to the trouble to notify the officers when one of these itinerant dealers makes his appearance. The fellows are very shy and often carry merely a small handbag, so that it may be some time before the officers discover what is going on. In the vast majority of cases it is safe to assume that the peddler has not paid five dollars for the privilege of selling goods for one day and if he has he will very quickly produce evidence of that fact. On Friday it is said that at least one party instead of notifying the officers actually gave one of the peddlers a tip when the officer came near, so that the fellow was able to escape.

Danger From The Plague. There's grave danger from plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a God send to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by Paules & Co's drug store. Trial bottle free."

AN OLD LETTER. Our townsman, James M. Kelo, has in his possession an old letter that is a most curious document. It was written in 1841 by F. R. Shunk, at that time superintendent of common schools of Pennsylvania, and was addressed to Mr. Joseph Kelo, father of James M. Kelo, who was then a school director in Chester county. The letter was in answer to an inquiry made by Joseph Kelo about a point under dispute in the Chester county school board. The most curious part of the epistle is that no envelope was used. The paper was folded and then sealed upon itself. F. R. Shunk was later, in 1847 elected governor of Pennsylvania and re-elected in 1847.

A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES. Itching, Blind, Bleeding, Protruding Piles. Druggists are authorized to refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure in 6 to 14 days. 50 cents.

Fell Under Train at Milton. Harry Held, whose residence is some where in New York State, is a patient at the Mary M. Packer hospital, Sunbury, the victim of an accident, which occurred at the Reading passenger station at Milton, on Saturday afternoon. Held is connected with the Electric Theatre company, which exhibited at the Milton fair grounds during the last week, and on Saturday he decided to go to Bloomsburg and make arrangements for the appearance of the company at the fair at that place this week.

When Held arrived at the Reading passenger station at Milton, the train was about ready to leave and by the time he had purchased his ticket it was in motion. Rushing out of the station he attempted to board the train and missing his footing he fell. Still retaining his hold on the handle he was dragged for some distance and when he finally left go the wheels of one of the coaches passed over the back part of his right foot badly crushing it.

Dr. Ross was summoned and Held was given medical attention and it was decided to send him to Sunbury to the Mary M. Packer hospital. He was met at the station there by Dr. Shindler, the Reading company's physician, who accompanied him to the hospital and dressed his injury.

A Badly Burned Girl. or boy, man or woman is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's Arnica Salve is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., says: "I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin injuries, and find it perfect." Quick relief Pile cure known. Best healing salve made. 25c at Paules & Co's drug store.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidneys are poisoned and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles most always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kliner's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and sold by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sized bottles. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful new discovery and a book that tells all about it, both free of charge, if you send free by mail, Address: Dr. Kliner & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name Swamp-Root, Dr. Kliner's Swamp-Root, and the address Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

Killed by Explosion. TAMAQUA, Oct. 9. A terrible explosion occurred this morning at the lower mill of the H. A. Weddy Powder company's plant about three quarters of a mile north of here. Four men were instantly killed and two others fatally injured. The explosion occurred in the dry house where 500 kegs of powder were stored. The explosion was terrific and was heard and felt miles away from the scene of the catastrophe. The dead, who are all from Tamaqua, are: Irvin Sassa-man, aged 42, wife and several children. Thomas Pears, aged 28, single. Calvin Deiber, aged 29, single. Edward Dreishach, wife and two children.

The injured are: Irvin Sassa-man, son of Wilson Sassa-man, married. Horribly burned and can't live. Lavin DeWine, of Windell, Leg town, a P. & R. painter, leg torn off, critical condition. Parsel and Deiber were in the dry house and were blown to pieces. Irvin Sassa-man had just left the dry house before the explosion occurred. He was hurled into a mill pond. Wilson Sassa-man was in the keg house and was burned to death. Lorin DeWine, one of the injured, is a P. & R. painter and was painting a railroad bridge spanning the Schuylkill about 50 feet from the mill when the explosion occurred. His leg was torn off near the body and hurled 50 feet away, while he fell into the river and swam ashore.

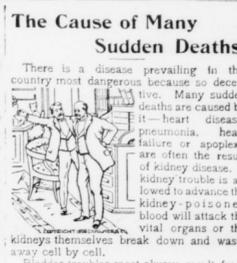
DeWine was taken to the Ashland hospital on a P. & R. passenger train. A pain doctor attended him on the train. The doctor forgot the severed portion of the leg when the train arrived at the hospital, and it was discovered later by the baggage-master when the train reached Shamokin.

ALL THE GOOD QUALITIES. Ely's Cream Balm, solid, are found in Liquid Cream Balm, which is intended for use in atomizers. That it is all an unflattering error for Nasal Catarrh is proved by an ever increasing mass of testimony. It does not dry out nor rasp the tender air passages. It allays the inflammation and goes straight to the root of the disease. Obsolete old cases have been cured in a few weeks. All drug gists, 75c, including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street New York.

Employed in Bloomsburg. Danville workmen just at present are giving Bloomsburg a lift at street paving and at other jobs of the same sort. Each morning for a month or so past some sixty-five men have taken the early car for Bloomsburg where they put in the day. There is a lull in business in Bloomsburg this week owing to the county fair and a less number leave town each morning than usual.

Blood Poisoning. results from chronic constipation, which is quickly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills. They remove all poisonous germs from the system and infuse new life and vigor; cure sour stomach, nausea, headache, dizziness and colic, without griping or discomfort. 25c. Guaranteed by Paules & Co., druggists.

THERE TOO! Some of them live in the "Lumber City," too it appears judging from the following remarks of the Williamsport News: "Some parents in this city are having up a harvest of regret which they will reap in the future when they will look upon the ruined lives of their children."



My Hair Ran Away. Don't have a falling out with your hair. It might leave you! Then what? That would mean thin, scraggly, uneven, rough hair. Keep your hair at home! Fasten it tightly to your scalp! You can easily do it with Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is something more than a simple hair dressing. It is a hair medicine, a hair tonic, a hair food.

The best kind of a testimonial - "Sold for over sixty years." Made by J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of AYER'S PILLS, CHERRY PECTORAL.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

A FORTUNE IN APPLES. State Pomologist J. H. Funk, at Boyerstown, has an apple orchard of twenty acres and from it he is now picking and shipping a crop of apples which will reach a thousand bushels. He makes the declaration that the man who plants an apple orchard now and cares for it properly will have a fortune in ten years. He seems to have practical faith in his predictions, for he has the orchard and is beginning to accumulate the fortune.

MASQUERADE BALL. Invitations were issued yesterday for a masquerade ball to be given in the armory on the evening of October 21st. Costume's orchestra is announced to furnish the music. The arrangements are in the hands of a committee composed of Robert M. Jacobs, Thomas A. Foltz and Charles A. Hartt.

True and tried Friends of the family - DeWitt's Little Early Rise. Best for results and best to take. Rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes follow the use of these dependable little pills. They do not grip or sicken.

Keep the bowels open when you have a cold and use a good remedy to allay the inflammation of the mucous membranes. The best is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It contains no opiates, moves the bowels, drives out the cold. It is reliable and tastes good. Sold by Paules & Co.

A SAINT MAKING TRUIMPHATE. The South Bethlehem Globe declares that when a preacher accused a certain editor of not always telling the truth the editor admitted the truth of the charge and retaliated by declaring that no minister who would tell the whole truth about all his members would occupy his pulpit more than a week. "The press and the pulpit," said he, "go hand in hand with whitewash brushes and pleasant words, magnifying little virtues into big ones. The pulpit, the pen and the grave-stone are the great saintmaking triumvirate."

The fair minded man always wants to hear both sides of the story.