

LOCAL TIME TABLES.

Table with 2 columns: EAST and WEST, listing train times for various routes like PENNA R. R., D L & W. R. R., PHILA & READING R. R., and BLOOM STREET.

SYSTEM OF UMPIRES CHANGED

A meeting of the managers of the Susquehanna league was held at Bloomsburg yesterday afternoon at which important action was taken, which promises to remove some of the causes of friction which previously existed.

The meeting primarily was held for the purpose of changing the umpire system. All the managers were present, along with Fred A. Steiber, president of the league.

It was decided that hereafter only one umpire shall officiate during a game. The staff of umpires selected is as follows: Fisher, Nanticoke, Sweeney, Alden, Remaly, Shickshiny, Hagenbuch, Bloomsburg, Jones, of Nanticoke and Yerrick, of Danville, were selected as substitutes.

It was provided that none of the umpires are to officiate in the towns in which they reside or have an interest. The umpires shall be paid five dollars a game and seven dollars for a double header. The umpires are to bear their own expenses.

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HON. W. T. CREASY AS SPEAKER

The farmers' picnic association held a meeting at the court house Saturday evening for the purpose of making arrangements for the holding of the Farmers' Tri-county picnic, which will take place on Wednesday, August 18th.

The committee on grounds reported that it had closed with the management of DeWitt's park, so that about all that remains to be done is to arrange the program of amusements. The subject was discussed at length Saturday night and will be taken up again at a meeting to be held Saturday evening, 24th inst.

The management of the park will operate the merry-go-round. Dancing, base ball and all other sports that belong to a well regulated picnic will be on the program. An orchestra will be employed for the dancing. Base ball will probably be restricted to the young men who have joined the outing. A band will be employed, which will lead a procession of people from town over to the park at any early hour in the forenoon.

The association is considering the advisability of having one or more addresses during the day. Hon. William T. Creasy was mentioned Saturday night and will be waited upon by the committee.

All indications this year point to a larger attendance than last summer. At the last outing was embraced practically the whole of Moutour county; Northumberland county as far as Sunbury and Weigh Seales; Columbia county as far as Jerseytown, Euckhorn and Lime Ridge. Picnickers were present also from Union and Snyder counties. There is no doubt but that the enthusiasm will extend beyond the above defined limits and that the picnic this year will be larger than ever.

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CITIZENS' MEETING ON SOUTH SIDE

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INDUSTRY BOARD PUSHING TOWN

Northumberland is not content with sitting idle and accepting what benefits the coming of the classification yards of the Pennsylvania railroad may bestow. Instead, in terms of the great American game, it is "crowding its luck."

Two organizations have been formed with the purpose of pushing the town, of bringing its advantages as a center before the general public, of making it more attractive as a residence town.

The first of these organizations is a bureau of industry, formed on March 2nd, through the efforts of Samuel Todd, A. K. Jacoby and Harry T. Leisnering. Its officers are C. D. Hollig, president; Warren Gutelius, secretary and John Shuef, treasurer.

It has 130 contributing members, all actively engaged in its support. It is widely advertising the town, and has subscribed to a free clipping bureau, getting information of the factories which have burned down or which are seeking new locations.

Such industries are commended with, and sites are suggested at Northumberland. The bureau has several good offers, and numerous inquiries, but thus far all of them desired more than the town was able to give. In the meantime, some will undoubtedly be found to which Northumberland will be an ideal location. To still further its work, the bureau is getting out an illustrated catalogue giving the description of Northumberland and its points of interest.

The second organization, whose work is as important as the first, is the Civic Improvement society. Its aim is to make Northumberland a more attractive place to live in. Regarding cleanliness as an essential virtue, it has urged each citizen to take personal pride in the town, and to keep his own premises in the best condition. An important move is the ordering of steel boxes which will be placed on the streets, and in which people will be asked to put their rubbish, instead of tossing it into the streets. The cost of street cleaning will in this way be considerably reduced.

Another way in which the town has shown a sensible attitude toward its prospective prosperity is that the bureau of industry has urged the people not to raise the price of property to a prohibitive point where no buyer would purchase it, but to keep the price within reasonable limits so that capitalists seeking investments in other building homes or erecting business places, might be given additional inducements to do their share toward building up the town.

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Boys Jump from Fast Train. The danger of train jumping was again illustrated by the narrow escape of four Danville boys, the story of whose escapades is told as follows by the Bloomsburg Daily Sentinel:

Jumping from a rapidly moving Pennsylvania freight train four Danville boys had narrow escapes from death on Sunday night. Two dismounted at Catawissa, and were hurled against the mountain side. The other pair attempted it at Rupert and were rolling down over a ten-foot embankment. All four were badly cut and bruised, and the wonder of all the railroad men is that they escaped with their lives.

The boys, none of whom were over sixteen years of age, were given treatment for cuts and bruises by Dr. Marlon Vastine early on Monday morning, and were badly cut about the face and neck. In fact none of them escaped severe cuts, and they looked as though they had gone through a thrashing machine. They gave their names as Frank Seitz, Harry Henderson, John Burkes and Willie Gibson.

They left their homes in Danville at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon and rode on a freight train on "The Reading" to Rupert. There they caught a Lackawanna line train to Northumberland, walked across the river and caught a fast freight on the Sunbury division.

This train hauls perishable freight and is scheduled at 35 miles an hour, often making more when it gets behind time. At Danville the lads feared to get off. When the train reached Catawissa Seitz and Henderson jumped, and were sent rolling against the side of the mountain below the station, and both were rendered unconscious. When they came to they were bleeding from many wounds, and lying in a gutter alongside the track.

At Rupert the other boys jumped. They were sent rolling down a ten foot embankment, and were also cut and bruised. Picking themselves up they walked painfully to the Catawissa station, where they found the other two boys more dead than alive.

After treatment by the physician their parents were communicated with and care home was forwarded, the injured lads going down on the first morning train.

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MONTOUR COUNTY'S TABULAR STATEMENT

The tabular statement to the secretary of internal affairs prepared by the county commissioners and now ready to be forwarded to Harrisburg contains a number of items that will be sure to interest the general reader.

There are in Montour county 5016 taxables. In Danville there are 2744, distributed as follows: First ward, 779; second ward, 574; third ward, 748; fourth ward, 643.

There are in the county 29,934 acres of cleared land. Anthony and Liberty townships, which have the largest acreage, each possess over 12,000 acres. In the county there are 14,523 acres of timber land. This includes sprout land, such as is found on portions of Moutour ridge and elsewhere.

The value of real estate is given at \$6,426,067. In Danville the valuation is as follows: First ward, \$1,062,245; second ward, \$908,300; third ward, \$837,010; fourth ward, \$342,725.

The amount of real estate exempt from taxation is \$1,661,200. In Mahoning township this amount is \$1,285,700.

The value of real estate taxable is \$4,774,867. Montour county has 2406 horses and mules over four years of age. The value of these is given at \$141,960.

Of neat cattle over four years of age there are 2165; value, \$43,576. In the first ward of Danville only one cow is assessed and is given a value of \$15; in the second ward there are eight cows, the total assessed value being \$190; in the third ward nine cows at an assessed value of \$375; in the fourth ward two cows at \$30.

The aggregate amount of county tax assessed at the rate of 4 mills on the dollar is \$2,057,525.

Amount of money at interest including mortgages, judgments, bonds, notes, stock, &c., \$294,680.

Aggregate amount of State tax assessed, \$238,531.

The value of salaries and emoluments of offices, posts of profit, professions, trades, occupations, etc \$183,385.

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Women as Well as Men are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition, beauty, vigor and cheerfulness, soon disappears when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder, and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all that you should know about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers who found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

On Friday evening a number of the friends of Edward Oyster, of Washingtonville, tendered him a pleasant surprise on his 35th birthday anniversary.

Early in the evening when the first few friends arrived at the home of Mr. Oyster, he was found still busy at work, not in the least suspecting the