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BRIEF ITEMS.

-The Drifton end of the D. S. & S. Railroad is rapidly nearing completion. —A very entertaining letter from our Eckley correspondent has been unavoidably omitted to-day.

—A strolling musical trio, consisting of two hims and a her, disturbed the peace around town this week.

—John Miller, of Drifton, has been appointed an engineer on the D. S. & S., to take the position vacated by John H. Haas.

—Gilbert Smith has opened a business place at South and Washington Streets, where he will sell ice cream, candy and temperance drinks.

—On August 15 the Freeland firemen will run their fourth annual excursion to the Glen. Remember the date and accompany the boys.

-At Eckley last Thursday Geo. E. Berner, of Mt. Carmel, and Miss Bella Rickart, of Hazle Brook, were married by Rev. John Ireland.

The Lehigh Valley Company could confer no greater favor upon its local patrons than to give them a Sunday evening train from Freeland. —A Hungarian wedding took place in town on Saturday. The festivities began at 8 P. M. on Friday evening and con-tinued until midnight on Saturday.

—James Babcock and son were injured at No. 6 Upper Lehigh, on Tuesday, by a runaway car, the former about the head, and the later having his hand

—Property owners in the Five Points deserve credit for the progressive spirit shown this summer in laying substantial sidewalks, thereby keeping pace with borough improvements.

—Jos. Neuburger has purchased a large stock of shoes and in a few days will be able to serve his patrons and the public with shoes at prices lower than the cost of manufacture.

—A large force of men began work this week for the DePierro Bros. hotel, at Centre and Front Streets. The build-ing will be three stories and equipped with all modern conveniences.

—A lady's gold bracelet was lost on Saturday evening, July 4, between the Polish Catholic Church and Coxe's new houses. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this office.

—The Young Men of Drifton will entertain their friends with a picnic on Saturday evening at the Drifton Park. Picnic commences at 5 o'clock, Gilliopie's Orchestra will furnish the music.

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—Paul Summa, who kept a restaurant at Main and Centre Streets about three years ago, had his safe blown open at Shenandoah last week. The thieves secured \$300 and a large amount of involve.

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—The tax duplicate for Freeland borough is now ready, and Collector Moore will receive all taxes from July 18 until September 18. A discount of 5 per cent, will be allowed to parties paying within these dates.

—To-morrow evening Local Assembly 335, K. of L., will hold a picnic at the Firemen's Park, and they extend a cordial invitation to everyone. Refresh-ments for sale on the grounds and danc-ing music by DePierro's.

—The Kickapoo Indian Medicine Com-pany will remain in town only a few more days, and persons wishing any of this medicine should procure it at once. Entertainments given every evening near the Lehigh Valley depot.

—On Saturday at the Greek Catholic Church a ceremony known as the blessing of the banner will take place. At 11 A. M. a parade of the Freeland and Hazleton Greek societies, accompanied by the St. Patrick's Cornet Band, will be made through the principal streets, to be followed by services at the church.

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—Patrick Conaghan, formerly of Free-land, was injured on the 4th inst. while at work in the Lehigh Valley Company's yards at Jersey City. He was taken to St. Francis Hospital, in that city, where the right hand was amputated at the wrist. Mrs. Hugh Malloy, his sister, visited him this week, and he is now recovering rapidly.

Appointment of Teachers.

The Freeland school board met on Friday evening and appointed the fol-lowing teachers: Assistant principal—Susie Gallagher; intermediate, Tille Lindsay; primary, Lulu Schmidt.

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For principal H. L. Edmunds, Geo. T. Brown, Geo. H. Merritt, Albert S. Cook, James W. Hayman and James P. Costello were nominated. A ballot was taken, the directors voting as follows: Edmunds—Sachs, Mayberry and Rute. Brown—Hayes, Smith and Watkins. The result being a tie, two more ballots were taken without any change, after which the board adjourned until Monday afternoon, when the balloting was as follows:

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Third. Edmunds—Sachs, Mayberry and Rute, 3. Brown—Hayes, Smith and Watkins, 3.
Fourth. Edmunds—Sachs, Mayberry and Rute, 3. Costello—Hayes and Watkins, 2. Hayman—Smith, 1.
Fifth. Edmunds—Sachs, Mayberry and Rute, 3. Brown—Hayes and Smith, 2. Merritt—Watkins, 1.
Sixth. Edmunds—Sachs and Rute, 2.
Brown—Watkins and Mayberry, 2.
Hayman—Smith, 1. Costello—Hayes, 1.
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clared elected.

The school term will open on Monday,
August 24. The salary of the principal
was fixed at \$65 per month, and the
salary of the lady teachers placed at \$45
each per month.

The Foster township school board met the Woodside school building on Sat-rday evening and made the following

urday evening and made the following appointments:
Woodside—Grammar, Frank Dever; primary, Sarah M. Denneny.
Drifton—Grammar, Andrew McNulty; primary, Rose C. Berner.
Hazle Brook—Michael J. Gough.
Eckley—Grammar, C. H. Bates; primary, Mary Welch; intermediate, Ella M. Campbell.
Highland—Grammar, Geo. T. Brown; primary, Bella McGill.
Sandy Run—Grammar, James F. Santee.

tee.
For the Sandy Run primary the names of Miss Ada Foley and Miss Mame Caskey were presented. A deadlock resulted and after a number of ballots were taken the board adjourned until next Saturday evening, when Director Savidge, wno was absent, is expected to be present, and the remaining schools will be supplied with teachers. It will also be necessary to reappoint a teacher for the Highland grammar school, Mr. Brown having been selected principal at Freeland.

Of Interest to Councilmen and Others.

The Pottsville Chronicle says many people have had the idea that they could let their pavements and gutters take care of themselves and never pay any attention to the notices from the borough authorities to pave, curb and gutter. They also had an idea that if Council did the work the money could not be collected from them. Those ideas are all exploded now. Last week the case of the borough of Pottsville against Francis B. Bannan to recover the cost of curbing and guttering his property was on trial before Judge Bechtel. The jury took the case and rendered a verdiet in favor of the borough. Mr. Bannan must reimburse the town for the money spent to fix up his property. This was a test case. Others are to follow. The borough solicitor says there is \$4.000 worth of this kind of debts to be collected and he means to get every cent of it.

Where the Indians Came From

W. D. Kline, of Drifton, was in town on Monday. Mr. Kline has recently published a monograph to prove that the American Indians are descended from Latin races, basing his belief upon the similarity of many Indian words with Latin roots. It has attracted much attention—Sentinel.

PREPARE TO WEEP.

Before many months pass by the annexation question will be brought once more to the attention of Freeland people. This time, however, it will not be, the stubborn Five Points, but the Birkbeck addition, which promises to soon develop into a large and healthy portion of the town. The question, as stated above, will be to annex this new territory, or the citizens of the borough must prepare to face a dreadful alternative.

Can the people of Freeland afford to see our gallant High Constable, Robert M. Rinker, captured by Foster township? Not likely! Then the only known way to avert such a calamity is by extending the northern line of the borough farenough to include the handsome residence Robert is preparing to erect. He has already began operations and when it is completed he will move into itatonee. The H. C. himself is authority for this statement and tells the Transva that unless the Birkbeck estate is taken under the borough wing he will forswear allegiance to the land he loves so dearly and become a loyal subject of his boson friend, Emperor Sault, the monarch of Foster.

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and become a loyal subject of his bosom friend, Emperor Sault, the monarch of Foster.

The fact is not as yet generally known, but the announcement has reached the ears of a few and created much excitement among them. To think that Rinker, the most ornamental fixture of the municipal government, would desert us just as the dawn of prosperity is coming. He must not be allowed to do it. The town cannot live without him. Everything would be topsy-turvy in a week if he goes. Annex the whole county—extend the line to the North Pole if necessary—but keep Robert within its limits.

Who could so faithfully perform the trying and often thankless duties of High Constable? What would become of the carcasses of defunct animals and who would deliver such beautiful eulogies over the departed spirits of Freeland canines? How could the borough streets be kept clear of cows and swine without the presence of Rinker to frighten them off? The people have but little idea how necessary to their very existence is this official.

Not only must they sustain this irreparable loss unless annexation takes place, but what would a spring election amount to without Rinker on the ticket? He is a sure winner every time, and when political revolutions occur the

opposition, and Rinker is the only man who can hold it.

Think of how this unsuspecting innocent will fare among Foster statesmen when he shies his easter into that uncertain arena. Ecought up, as he was untutored in the arts and intrigues of wire-pullers, what a shock his morality will receive when he gets a glimpse of his newly-formed friends? He may possibly be led from the path of political virtue if he ever becomes a delegate to the Highland convention, for there he will meet men who can give Matt Quay tips on "how too do it." But let us hope that he will never be subjected to these temptations. Annex the Birkbeck addition, keep Robert in the borough and all will end serenely.

Coxe Bros.' Case.

The case of the Interstate Commerce Commission vs. the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, in which the plaintiff seeks to compel an compliance with its mandate issued in the case in which Coxe Bros. & Co. were plaintiffs against the same defendant, has been postponed by mutual consent until fall. Meanwhile the shippers will continue to pay the scheduled tolls to the Lehigh Valley under protest. The trade several months ago gave up speculating upon the effect that the outcome of this case would have on the market, and the postponement now is received with more or less indifference.

Death of an Estimable Young Man.

At 7 o'clock yesterday morning John
Mellon, Jr., died at the residence of his
parents, corner of Ridge and Carbon
Streets. He had been ill about a week,
and, while his condition was regarded as
serious, it was not thought that the end
was so near. The deceased was almost
22 years of age, to-day being his birthday, and was considered a most exemplary young man, ranking high in
the estimation of his friends and acquaintances. The funeral will take
place at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.
Interment at St. Ann's Cemetery.

St. Prancis Hospital, in that city, where the control of the properties of the prope

The Injunction Granted.

Judge Rice on Friday decided an important suit against the Kingston Coal Company. The mine law of 1885 says no breaker or other inflammable structure shall be creeted within 200 feet of the shaft's mouth at any coal mine. All breakers then standing were of course exempt. On May 5 the two large breakers of the Kingston Coal Company at Edwardsville were destroyed by fire. Both were within 200 feet of the shaft's mouth, in fact were almost directly over it. The company has now started to rebuild upon the same location.

As soon as Mine Inspector Williams discovered this, he filed his application for an injunction, stopping them. The company made a desperate battle, and contended that it was impossible to build the breaker elsewhere; that the law was unconstitutional, and that there was absolutely no danger, the mine having several other outlets. The corporation, however, failed to convince Judge Rice that the law was unconstitutional, and he decided that it must be must be obeyed. He granted the injunction restraining them from erecting a wooden breaker, but intimated that an iron one would be allowed.

Powderly Declines.

General Master Workman Powderly has announced his declination of his appointment by Governor Pattiston as a member of the World's Fair Commission. As the executive officer of a great labor organization he feels that he must be free to criticise the official act of public officers, and it would therefore be inconsistent with his ideas to accept any appointment.

To Our Subscribers.

FREELAND, PA., THURSDAY, JULY 10, 1891.

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Time-23. Umpires—Bonner and McNeils.

The famous Reading Club will make its first appearance in this section of the State at the local grounds on Sunday afternoon. Everyone interested in base ball knows of this team, and its reputation for ball playing is one of the best in the country. Patrons of the sport can prepare for a first-class game. The home management is entitled to much credit for bringing such excellent clubs here, and will continue doing so if the patronage is what it should be. Don't fail to attend this game and show your appreciation of a good thing.

were something remarkable." The Press yesterday called attention to his fine fielding, and the Record states that his well-handled grounders were the leading features. 111

sixteen innings were required to decide the game between the Cuban Giants and the Reading Club on Tuesday. The latter won by a score of 2 to 1.

A unknown contributor who has witnessed several of the games played by the Wilkes-Barre Club, sent the Newsdeater the following analysis of the players and their merits. In view of Sunday's performance this estimate seems particularly appropriate. How does it hit?

Ruffle—Very bum. Zeller—Too slow.
O'Donnell—Large head.
Fiesler—Too slow.
O'Donnell—Foo slow to eat.
Brown—Swelled head.
Swartman—Don't care.

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