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FREELAND, PA., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1891.

LOCAL RULERS.

\$1.00 PER YEAR.

BRIEF ITEMS. -Old newspapers will be given away at the TRIBUNE office this week.

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-Freeland will have a Democratic mass meeting on Saturday, October 17.

-The brick work of the P. O. S. of A. and DePierro buildings was started this -The TRIBUNE is under compliments to Hon, W. R. Jeffrey for a copy of the pamphlet laws of 1891.

-David Dodson, of Drifton, has been granted a pension of \$8 per month from September 1, 1890.

-Comencing at 1 o'clock on Saturday the Slavonian Band will hold a ball at the Opera House. Admission, 25 cents.

-Thomas Burger and Miss Mary E. Giles were married at the Heavenly Recruits Church on Friday evening by Rev. A. E. Canfield.

--Work on the Walnut Street sewer will be commenced on Monday next. Fifteen good men can find employment by applying to Street Commissioner Burton.

-The Lentz and McGeehan buildings on Centre Street, between Luzerne and Carbon, are nearing completion. Both contain handsome iron fronts and are fitted up throughout very artistically.

-At Honeybrook on Sunday afternoon the Tigers defeated the Locals of that place. The game was called on account of darkness after the seventh inning, with the score 13 to 1.

-Following the example of Judge Rockefeller at Sunbury Judge Connelly, of Scranton, refuses to naturalize foreign ers who are unfamiliar with the Federal constitution, claiming that such people have not a clear idea of the privileges of citizenship.

-The bonds authorized to be issued by the Freeland Borough Council to complete the sewers are being prepared and will be issued soon. They will bear six per cent. interest, payable semi-annually. They will be ready and for sale by November 1.

-James Dennion, of Walnut Street, was seriously injured about the back by a fall of slate at No. 2 Drifton on Thurs-day. Mr. Dennion had worked but three days after a long idleness caused by a previous accident, and his many friends sympathize with him in his mis-fortune.

ortune. —Nathan Valone was arrested by Coal and Iron Policeman Seiwell on Saturday, charged with stealing tools from the D. 8, & S., of which he was an employe. Valone was given a hearing before Squire Johnson, who placed him under \$500 bail for his appearance at court. Pas-quale Bicci, of Hazleton, went his security quale I security.

—About two years ago the daily papers of Hazleton were exceedingly generous with their advice to the TAIBUNE and Progress, which at that time were en-gaged in a wordy war. In view of the noise made over there the past week this would seem a good time of the year for the Speaker and Scattiacl to try a dose of their own medicine.

Young Men's Ball.

Young Men's Ball. To-morrow evening the Young Men's T. A. B. Society will hold its fourth an-nual ball. These events have heretofore been classed among the most enjoyable of 'every season, and this one will un-doubtedly eclipse all previous efforts. Owing to the parade here next day many of the visitors to town will arrive to-morrow evening in time to participate in the ball. DePierro's Orchestra is en-gaged to furnish the music, and nothing will be left undone to add to the comfort and convenience of those who attend. A neat and attractive progamme will be given to every person present.

Brakeman Hurt.

Thomas Slattery, a brakeman on the Lehigh Valley, was seriously hurt last week near Glen Onoko by falling from a freight car into a gondola. He was taken to his boarding house at Mauch Chunk, and remained there until Tues-day, when he was able to return to his home in Freeland. Mr. Slattery is some-what better, but still suffers from internal pains.

MARSHMAN.—At Freeland, Rachel, wife of William Marshman, aged 25 years, 4 months and 26 days. Interment on Friday in Freeland Cemetery at 2 P. M. McNulty, undertaker. GALLAGHER.—At Freeland, October 3, William, son of William and Hannah Gallagher, aged 6 years. Interred on Monday at St. Ann's Cemetery. Bris-lin, undertaker.

How Temperance Men Will Observe the Anniversary of His Birth. The committee having in charge the could the county ticket Candidates.
The committee having in charge the county ticket have arranged to spend and first of Rev. Theo baild Manhew is confident that the parado baild Manhew is confident that the parado shat days will be creditable to the memory of the great apostle of temperance. Reports from those societies consected with the First Division of the Scranton Diocese indicate that their ranks shall be well-filled. The order of Karshal—P. J. O'Donnell, of Drifton. Aids—N. R. Barrington, of White Haven; James M. Gallar, gher, of Harleigh.
St. Aloysius Society of Harleigh. St. Aloysius Society of White Haven. St. Aloysius Cadets of White Haven. St. Gabriels T. A. Society of Harleigh.

FATHER MATHEW.

FIRST DIVISION. St. Aloysius Society of Harleigh. St. Aloysius Cadets of Harleigh. St. Aloysius Cadets of White Haven. St. Aloysius Cadets of White Haven. St. Aloysius Cadets of Hazleton. St. Aloysius Society of Jeanesville. St. Aloysius Cadets of Jeanesvill. St. Aloysius Cadets of Audenried. St. Patrick's Cadets of Audenried. St. Socond Division.

SECOND DIVISION. Young Men's T. A. B. Society of Free-land. St. Mary's T. A. B. Society of Eckley. St. Mary's Cadets of Eckley. St. Ann's T. A. B. Society of Drifton. St. Ann's Cadets of Drifton. St. Ann's Pioneer Corps of Freeland.

St. Ann's Cladets of Diriton. BUL Ann's Pioneer Corps of Freeland. ROUTE OF PARADE. First division will form on Centre Street below Lehigh Valley Station. Second division will form on Carbon, right resting on Ridge Street. The societies will move promptly at 11 A. M., over the following route: Up Centre to Carbon, on Carbon to Wash-ington, ap Washington to Walnut, up Washington to Frant, down Front to Firemens Park. BEECHES IND ELCON Condy McGill, a former resident of town, was struck by a freight train on the Lehigh Valley road early Sunday morning, while returning from Hazleton to his home at Cranberry. His skull was terribly fractured and he received other serious injuries. He was taken to the Hazleton Hospital, where the physi-cians succeeded in restoring conscious-ness and performed a difficult operation. At first it was thought he would certainly die, but there are now good hopes for his recovery.

Mining Eneers in Session.

Firement Park. PEECHES AND PICNIC. Upon the arrival of the parade at the park adrosses will be made by Hon. Eckley I Coxe, John Brady and others. Upon he conclusion of the orations a grand pine, under the auspices of the three lock temperance societies, will be held at the park. Dancing music will be furnishd by Gillespie's Orchestra, and refreements and anuscement in sufficient quinties to satisfy all will be on the groups.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

Personal Property Returns.

Dangerous Place to Walk.

The Campaign to be Opened by the Council Decides to Have the Work County Ticket Candidates. the Sewers Done by the Borough.

on the groups. RATEOF TRANSPORTATION. The commitee on transportation have secured ratesper the L. V. R. R. from the followinghaces to Freeland and re-turn on regul trains: White Haven, adults 45 cent cadets 34 cents; Eckley, adults 25 cent, cadets 30 cents; Anderried, acts, cadets 30 cents; Anderried, acts, cadets 30 cents, adults 40 cents, datets 30 cents. Adults 40 cents, datets 30 cents. Adults 40 cents, datets 30 cents. Adults 40 cents, datets 40 cents; Harleigh, adults 40 cents, datets 40 cents, Harleight, adults 40 cents, datets 40 cents, datets 40 cents, adults 40 cents, datets 40 cents, adults 40 cents, datets 40 cents, ad Nolan Brothers, of Reading, who have the contract for the grading and masonry of the branch of the Reading between Lotty and Haleton, expect to finish by November 1. When this branch is fin-ished the coal shipments from Coxe Bros², mines will go over this road, and thence over the main line to tide water. The Reading Company is making exten-sive arrangements to handle this in-creased traffic.

Can Talk Without a Tongue

Mining Engers in Session. The Americanistitute of Mining En-gineers are hold a week's session at the Glen Summitotel. Members from all parts of theird are present and many important sestions are being dis-cussed. Social fures comingle with those of business, dyesterday General Oliver entertained eengineers with a "Camp Fire." day the Wyoming Valley and HarveyLake will be shown the visitors. The h Dreaker of Coxe Bros. & Co., at Ne Dritton, and the strippings of this jon will be visited to-morrow. Saturdwill find them in Glen Onoko and (the Switchback. Hon. Eckley B. Coxe chairman of the committee of arrangents. Can Talk Without a Tongue. As was stated in last week's TINUXE John Wallasea, of Weatherly, had his tongue extracted at the Bothlehem Hos-pital, owing to a cancer which had taken root in that organ, caused by excessive smoking. The *Herald* states the opera-tion was a success, and consisted of the total excision of the tongue, which was done without much pain to the patient. There is an opinion that without the tongue a person cannot speak or eat. Such is not the case, however. All vow-ells or gutteral sounds can be uttered distinctly. As to the eating, the suction of the checks work the victuals in such a manner as to distribute it to the differ-ent parts of the mouth for mastication, and convey it to the throat. The sense of tast is somewhat impaired.

Suing for Their Mer's Death. Suing for Their Sper's Death. The children of Cierine Downs, of Alden, on Saturday ered suit against the Lehigh Valley Coany for \$10,000 damages. On Septem 15, while wait-ing for a train at Pennyven Junction, she went into an outhe attached to the station, which was it on a creek, and in some manner febrough. The boards of the outhouse by rotten and it is due to this that still into the creek, which was eighteful into the creek, which was eighteful into the Lehigh river a few yardway and was drowned. The children's Margaret, John, Martin, Michael, M, Ann, Pat-rick, Anthony and Joseph

At the Opera House.

The regular monthly meeting of the orough council was held on Monday vening, and after the minutes of the pecial and regular meetings were ap-roved the following bills were ordered aid :

 A. Cunnius, lumber. \$39
J. M. Cunnius, lumber. 44
W. W. Williamson, supplies. 1
TRUEVER, publishing proposals. 6
Bill of committee to Wyoming. 10
Board of Surveyor Mackl. 1
R. M. Rinker, burying dogs. 3
Penn'a Gaslight Co. 39
Daniel Daubert, junitor. 8 Krommes, stones......\$39 33

REPORTS OF OFFICIALS. The report of Burgess Powell stated that for fines, permits, etc., he collected \$12.50; commission, \$3.95; balance, \$8.55. He also reported that \$1.00 was due to Constable Sault and \$1.00 to John Rasay, for an arrest in the borough. Treasurer Davis reported the balance at last meet-ing, \$1607.25; receipts, \$15.10; expendi-tures, \$200.69; balance, \$1389.66. Street Commissioner Burton's report for work done on the streets showed an expendi-ture of \$71.26. Secretary Buckley stated that Contractor Gallagher had furnished sufficient bonds and hadrsigned the con-tract. These reports were all accepted. SIDEWALKS AGAIN. REPORTS OF OFFICIALS. Personal Property Returns. The County Commissioners have for-warded to State Treasurer Boyer returns of personal property in the county sub-ject to the three mill tax. The gross amount is \$4,890,986 of which \$8,761 is in the borough of Freeland, which is the lowest in the county when compared with other towns of its size. Following are the amounts returned for the princi-pal places in the county : Ashley, \$25, -355; Hazleton, \$248,321; Kingston, \$259,-151; Luzerne, \$21,666; Miner's Mills, \$3,906; Nanticoke, \$20,027; Pittston, \$123,005; Plymouth, \$81,420; Shickshin-ny, \$16,564; Sugar Notch, \$2,900; White Haven, \$20,249; Wyoming, \$47,305; Wilkes-Barre City, \$2,728,877.

tract. These reports were all accepted. SIDEWALKS AGAIN. The street committee stated they visit-ed the sidewalk of Joseph Johnson, Front Street, the one reported at the last meeting, and found it too low. The committee and commissioner were in-structed to have the necessary improve-ments made. The committee appointed to see the property owners on the west side of Ridge Street, between Main and South, reported that A. B. Welch and Mrs. Long will donate five feet of ground for a sidewalk, provided the borough puts in the same. They were instructed to see the other property owners and report later. The committee on Centre Street sidewalks, from Walnut to Chest-nut, could not make a definite report. Mr. Dooris is willing to donate the neces-sary ground, but nothing could yet be stated regarding the K. of L. property. The committee was continged. SIDEWALKS AGAIN.

 are now good hopes for the leading choirs in this county, last week, and you have a local county last week, and you have a local count of the local county last week, and you have a local count of the local county last week, and you have a local count of the agreed to give him \$200 on Saturday. FIRE CHIEF ELECTED. For chief of the fire department Chas. Schepperly and James Crawford were ominated. The yote resulted as fol-lows: Schepperly, 5; Crawford, 3. Directors Hayes and Malloy spoke about changing the location of the hose house. It is claimed that the building at present is too far down in the town, and consid-erable help is required to move the car-riages and truck when an alarm is given. The fire company prefers a location on Ridge Street, at some point between Front and Walnut. Messrs. Rutter, Williamson and Dooris were appointed to inquire into the matter and report at the next regular meeting. SHOW LICENSE REDUCED.

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show LICENSE REDUCED. Wm. F. Boyle requested that the license fee for shows in the Opera House be reduced to conform with Hazleton prices, and council passed an ordinance reducing the same from \$5.00 to \$2.50 while the management remains in the hands of home parties. Proposals for completing the Walnut Street section of the sewer were read from Patrick Meehan and John Brels-ford. The former asked 80 cents per cubic yard, and the latter the same price, but in case rock was met to be allowed 20 cents an hour for each man employed. No action was taken on the proposals, and the council adjourned to meet the next evening. SPECIAL MEETING.

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SPECIAL MEETING. At this meeting the question of the bids was taken up, and the members concluded that the price asked was ex-cessive. A resolution was passed notify-ing Street Commissioner Burton to have all work upon the streets ccase. He was authorized to engage sufficient help and commence work on this section of sewers at once. All work is to be done under his supervision and he is also empowered to superintend the work done on the main sewer. He will be paid \$2 per day.

LOST.--A light yellow muley cow, haif Jersey JOHN D. HAYES, Hugh Boyle, Ridge Street, Freeland. STATE NEWS. FOR SALE CHEAP.-A fine fresh cow, 6 years. For further particulars app Patrick Hanion, No. 21 Spring Street, U -An epidemic of measles is prevalent at Ebervale. Over fifty cases are report-ed, but none fatal.

-The Philadelphia Base Ball Club plays at Tamaqua to-morrow, and at Pottsville on Saturday. -Owen Coyle, of Leviston, fell nearly one hundred feet into a stripping hole on Tuesday night. He was instantly killed.

-The seventeenth annual fair of the the Carbon County Industrial Society is being held at Lehighton and will continue until to-morrow.

-On election day Hazleton people will take a vote to decide the question of becoming a city. It is likely that the result will be favorable.

 $-\Lambda$ Hazleton debating society has decided that morality does not increase with civilization. They took that town as an example, no doubt.

-The trustees of the Ashland Miners' Hospital have made an appeal to the public for subscriptions in behalf of that institution. The trustees are principally coal operators.

-Joseph Kelly, aged 16 years, of Wilkes-Barre, was killed near Drifton Junction on Monday afternoon. He was out chestnutting and attempted to board a passing train. —Two trains failed in the oft-tried at-tempt of passing each other on a single track at Tomhicken last Saturday. En-gineer Concert and Fireman Brosuis were badly hurt.

-Richard Caffrey, roadmaster of the Lehigh Valley, who will shortly remove from White Haven to South Bethlehem, was tendered a banquet last evening by White Haven friends.

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--The St. Aloysius Society of Harleigh have secured Hon. Daniel Dougherty, of New York, to deliver a lecture at Hazle-ton on November 20. His subject will be "Catholics in America."

-Six miners were entombed by a rush of coal on Saturday in the Richardson colliery at Glen Carbon, near Pottsville. Men have since been working steadily in the hopes of rescuing them alive.

—Echoes of the Mud Run disaster, which occurred three years ago, can be heard yet in the Lackawanna courts. Two cases for damages were to be tried this week, but have been postponed until next term.

-Tax Receiver Gilchrist, a Republi-can, closed his office at Wilkes-Barre on Saturday evening in the face of 200 Democrats who wanted to pay their taxes. Saturday was the last day to pay taxes in order to vote.

-Mrs. James Connor, a washerwoman, died in Hyde Park about three weeks ago, and it has just been discovered that she left a fortune of \$19,000. The money had been stored away in the cellar in kitcken pots and kettles.

-Luzerne County has another murder to its credit. On Tuesday Bridget, the wife of Condy O'Donnell, was found dead in her bed, at her home on Black-man Street, Wilkes-Barre, withe sveral wounds in her back. Richard Owens has been arrested in connection with the murder.

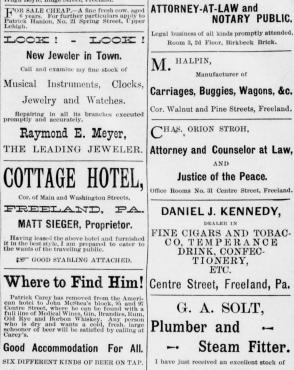
-John Gerrity, one of the members of the Pittston Township School Board, has been cited to appear before the cont and show by what power he holds the office. The citizens of the township claim that Gerrity has not been natu-ralized, and, therefore, not being a citizen, is holding office illegally. -DeComale charged with the number

-DeComale, charged with the murder of Katie Gargona, at Lattimer, was brought into court for trial last week. He was without money or counsel, and John Shea and Stanley Davenport were appointed to take his case. On their application for time the trial was post-poned until the next term of court. -The inversion the case of George

-The jury in the case of George Spencer, of Dallas, who killed his brother-in-law, Jacob Smith, with a stone on July 3, rendered a verdict of not guilty. Spencer and Smith had been drinking and quarrelled. Smith lingered for a few days, but before he died ad-mitted that Spencer only acted in self-defense.

defense. —P. F. Caffrey, secretary of the K. of L. Legislative Committee, has furnished advance copies of his report. It is in-tended as a revision of the report sub-mitted by Captain Butler, chairman of the committee, some time ago. It points out omissions and inaccuracies in the chairman's report, and gives in detail the action of the various Senators and Representatives on labor bills.

Don't Want the Family on the Bench There is a strong feeling in the public mind against the elevation of Bennett to the bench. It arises first from his lack of experience in the trial of court cases, and next from the fact that he is a cousin of Judge Rice. Two blood rela-tives sitting as Judges in the same court,





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