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BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

Synopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Occurrences That Can Be Read Quickly. What the Folks of This and Other Towns are Doing.

Flag Day was more generally observed here on Friday than in any previous year.

A. A. Bachman left this morning for New York, where he will purchase a large number of bicycles.

It looks as if Freeland intends to let the Fourth of July pass without a celebration.

Governor Hastings will probably settle the fate of the new county bill before this week is out.

The Democratic county convention will be held on Tuesday, July 23, and the delegate elections on July 20.

John J. Brogan, a former resident of town, was married on Thursday to Miss Maggie Cole, of Beaver Meadow.

John James, of Eckley, who had a foot taken off several months ago in the D. S. & S. yards, has returned to his position in the Roan office.

The borough school pupils gave an entertainment before a large audience at the opera house on Friday evening. The programme was well rendered.

Honora, the five-year-old daughter of Thomas Curry, of Plains, was burned to death on Friday. The child was playing with matches when her dress caught fire.

Rev. Paul Kominsky is the new pastor of the Independent Polish church. He arrived here from Poland a short time ago, and took charge of the church last week.

A horse owned by John Ryan was stolen from McGeehan's stable on Friday night. There were five others in the stable. The police are looking for the thieves.

There is nothing new in the court house sensation which ex-Clerk Norris created last week when he accused himself and one of the commissioners of accepting money from Architect Myers' son.

Patrick Furey, who was recently released from Danville asylum, was committed to jail by the mayor of Wilkesbarre on Friday in default of \$500 bail. He was charged with assault and battery by a Mrs. Froeman, of that city.

The case of Hon. W. H. Hines and E. P. Cosgrove against the Kingston Coal Company for \$25,000 damages for mining coal which, it is claimed, did not belong to them, came to a result on Friday, when the jury disagreed. There will be another trial.

The bond of John J. Welsh, treasurer of Freeland school district, for \$15,000, was filed on Thursday in the prothonotary's office. The sureties are S. R. DePiero, William Williamson, John Conahan, Daniel Furey, Timothy Boyle, Condy O. Boyle and James K. Boyle.

Elmer Mertz, of Ashley, the fourteen-year-old boy who was shot about six weeks ago by a companion, Charles Hargraves, died on Friday from the wound. Hargraves is out on bail, and it is quite probable that he will be discharged, as Mertz stated before he died that the shooting was purely accidental.

One Who Didn't Know.
First Friend—Hello, Jinks, that's a bad cold you have. Soak your feet in boiling water and drink a pint of hot vinegar and molasses. It's a sure cure.
Second Friend (a few moments later)—By Jove, Jinks, you ought to do something for that cold. Take a big dose of quinine—sure thing every time.
Third Friend (ten minutes later)—I say, Jinks, there's no use coughing yourself into the grave like that. Get a bottle of Jane's Hopterant—stop it quicker'n a wink.
Fourth Friend—Got a bad cold, haven't you?
Jinks (after waiting some time)—Well, do you know a sure cure?
Fourth Friend (hoarsely)—No. Got a bad cold myself.—N. Y. Weekly.

Died This Morning.
Mrs. Farrigal Dugan died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Campbell, Ridge and South streets. She was about 70 years of age, and had been ill for some time. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 o'clock. Interment at St. Ann's cemetery. The deceased was the mother of Hugh Dugan, of Scranton, formerly of town.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

June 19.—Organ recital at Freeland Presbyterian church. Admission, 50c.
June 20.—Third annual entertainment of St. Ann's parochial school at St. Ann's church basement. Tickets, 25c.
June 22.—Joint excursion of Tigers Athletic Club and Hazle Club to Glen Onoko. Fare, from Freeland, 80 and 50c; from Hazleton, 75 and 50c. Trains leave at 9.45 a. m., returning at 7.35 and 10 p. m. DePiero's orchestra.
June 29.—Picnic of Fearnots Athletic Association at Drifton ball park.
July 3.—Second annual picnic of the Stars base ball club at Freeland Public park.
July 4.—Twenty-second annual ball of St. Patrick's cornet band at Freeland opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

A Victory for the Borough.

The suit of Mrs. M. A. Cunningham against Freeland borough, which was called up in court last Wednesday, was ended on Thursday afternoon and given to the jury. The case excited no small amount of interest. It began in August, 1893. The viewers on the proposed extension of Pine street allowed Mrs. Cunningham \$600 for her lot alone, she to remove the building, which was then occupied by A. W. Washburn as a wheelwright shop.

The viewers' report was presented to court and confirmed nisi, and then an appeal was taken by Mrs. Cunningham. The plaintiff claimed \$1,500 for ground and building. A number of citizens testified as to what they considered the property was worth. The jury's verdict was that Mrs. Cunningham be allowed \$645 and interest from August 22, 1893.

The decision is a victory for the borough, as by its provisions the town gets the building as well as the ground. The contention was raised that the borough had entered upon the premises and converted it to its own use. The fact was established that no work of any kind was ever done about the property by the borough.

It is hoped that the council will, unless another appeal is taken by the plaintiff, take immediate action to have the street opened.

The Hottest Day is Coming.

Professor Hicks, in his June number of *Word and Works*, predicts that Saturday will be one of the hottest days of 1895. The professor is known as one of the best weather prophets in the business, and his predictions, therefore, can be relied upon. What better plan could the people of town take to avoid the hot and sweltering day that is coming than to seek some pleasant out-of-town resort where they would be far away from the stifling atmosphere of a town? Glen Onoko is just such a spot. There you can let old Sol pour forth his fiercest rays, but he cannot harm you in the hundreds of shady nooks and paths. Amusements of every description will be there, and DePiero's orchestra will enliven the Glen all day and evening with sweet music.

Several hundred people have purchased tickets for the joint excursion to the Glen from Freeland and Hazleton on Saturday, and you will miss the greatest outing trip of the season if you fail to accompany the crowd. The train arrangements for returning home are suitable for every person.

Early Closing Movement.

The Merchants' and Clerks' Association will begin their early closing movement tomorrow evening. The understanding is that the stores of all who have become members will be closed at 8 o'clock every evening, except Mondays and Saturdays. The merchants who are at the head of the movement for shorter hours are confident that it will be a success.

The members of the Butchers' Association start tonight to close at 8 o'clock and will do so every evening in the week, except Saturdays. They will have their markets open on Sundays until 10 a. m.

The Barbers' Association finds it no trouble to maintain the Sunday closing movement which was inaugurated about four years ago, and the other business associations think they can also carry their plans through successfully.

Looking for Prize Fighters.

Judge Allen Craig has charged the Carbon county grand jury to investigate into the recent Badgely-Boner sparring exhibition at Summit Hill. The judge thinks the affair was under the rules that govern prize fighting and wants the grand jury to learn whether its participants may not be arrested and convicted. The charge has created some surprise among those who were interested in the contest.

Last of the Series.

The last of the present series of organ recitals in the Presbyterian church will be given on Wednesday evening. The music-lovers of the vicinity should avail themselves of this opportunity to be entertained, as the programme teems with the brightest and best from the famous composers, and the selections will be executed by people who rank high as artists in the local musical world.

Appeal Days for the Lower End.

June 27 has been fixed as appeal day by the county commissioners for taxpayers in Freeland, Jeddo and White Haven boroughs and the townships of Foster, Hazle, Black Creek, Bear Creek, Butler, Buck, Conyngham, Denison, Dorrance, Franklin, Fairview, Hollenback, Slocum, Sugar Loaf and Wright. June 25 is appeal day for Hazleton and West Hazleton.

Patents Granted.

Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors, Washington, D. C.
A. B. Holmes, water-escape and ventilator.
C. F. Overhiser, Williamsport, cuspidor.
W. A. Ulrich, Freeland, harness-detaching device.
A. W. Walkey, Jermyn, ankle-support.
Old newspapers for sale.

HIGHLAND DOTS.

Edward Murrin, of South Heberton, employed as a driver at No. 2 breaker, met with an accident on Wednesday. He was unhitching his mule from an empty car, when his foot slipped and he fell. The car passed over his leg, bruising it badly. He was taken to his home where he will be laid up for some time.

John O'Donnell, of Freeland, was cut about the head on Friday by a large lump of coal falling upon him at the top of No. 3 slope. He had stooped to take out a sprag when the lump rolled over the side of the car, inflicting a painful wound.

Some unknown persons cleaned out one of the chicken coops last week. Twenty-five birds were bagged in one haul. The owner says he will present the thieves with the coop if they call for it in daylight.

A grand reception was tendered to a carload of Hungarian arrivals a few evenings ago. Singing, dancing and drinking were the features.

John Pettit, who was stable boss for several years, has resigned to accept a position on the D. S. & S.

Four days were worked by the collieries of town last week.

John McGill, one of Foster township's rising young pedagogues, spent a few pleasant days last week with Shenandoah friends.

John McGinnes and mother and sister removed their household effects to Freeland last week. They were residents of this place for a long while.

Markle & Co.'s collieries will work full time this week.

The working people here will receive their monthly pay on Saturday. If the company would listen to the prayers of our young men Friday would be payday and Highland people could enjoy the big excursion to the Glen on Saturday.

DRIFTON ITEMS.

Superintendent Coxe and Trainmaster Mutchler, of the D. S. & S., inspected the Lehigh Valley tracks to Perth Amboy last week. They went over the route followed by the D. S. & S. coal trains in a special car.

A petition was circulated around here last week securing the names of our residents who are against the new county. As the petition was in the hands of our bosses we signed "just to do the company a favor," as they called it, but when it comes to a vote we can suit ourselves without assistance from Coxe Bros' understrappers.

The D. S. & S. men will receive their pay today.

Edward O'Donnell and daughter Sarah are visiting friends at Philadelphia.

J. B. White has returned from the Protestant Episcopal annual convention at Reading, where he represented the congregation of St. James' church. He was re-elected as a trustee of the diocesan Christmas fund.

Patrick Sweeney spent a few days with friends at Allentown last week.

Rev. J. P. Buxton enjoyed a brief vacation this month with friends in Maryland and southern Pennsylvania.

M. J. Bergin will do jury duty this week.

The School Entertainment.

On Thursday evening St. Ann's parochial school will hold its third annual entertainment in the church basement. There is no need to state that it will be an exhibition of talent well worth seeing. The previous entertainments given by the pupils of the school stand as guarantees that it will rank among the best, and on Thursday evening several new and original features will be introduced.

Money Was Returned.

From the Hazleton Plain Speaker.
A meeting of the Hazle township auditors was held at the Liberty hotel, Hazleton, on Monday evening, and a settlement was effected with ex-supervisor Daniel Connors, who was surcharged with \$168.75 at the township audit last March for excessive horse hire and time turned in for Sundays. The amount surcharged to Mr. Sharkey, ex-supervisor of the North Side, has not as yet been paid over.

Quay County Opposition.

Coxe Bros. & Co. have their employees through town with petitions to Governor Hastings to veto the new county bill. Signatures are not so thick on the papers as one would expect, even when the request comes from such a source. Bets are offered that the new county bill will carry Freeland borough by 100 majority when the vote is taken.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh.

That contain mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten-fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Unemployed workmen can have a shave or hair cut free of charge every Monday by calling upon Rudolph Danner, 51 Centre street, between 8 a. m. and 6 p. m. Sick people shaved free at their homes every Monday.

Patented a Useful Article.

Among the patents granted last week was one for an interesting and useful article, a harness-detaching device. With this little piece of simple mechanism a horse or team of horses can be detached from the harness instantly and allowed to go free. The usefulness of this will be apparent when one remembers the many accidents to people who drive a nervous or balky horse, to say nothing of the hundreds of vehicles which are wrecked annually by runaway animals. The device weighs but a few pounds. It can be attached to any sort of a harness made and does not interfere with the driving in any manner, but if occasion requires the horse or team to go free a simple movement of the reins releases the animal from every connection with the vehicle.

The patentee is William A. Ulrich, of South Heberton, who became interested in the subject through reading of the numerous accidents resulting from horses running away. He spent much time considering the matter, and finally began to experiment. Five different kinds were made before he succeeded in devising the one that was patented. This has withstood tests of every nature, with both single and double harness, and he has received two good offers to dispose of his invention. He has not yet decided whether to manufacture the detach himself or sell the right. A patent has been applied for in Canada, and until that is secured nothing will be done in the way of placing the article on the market.

Mr. Ulrich will show his invention and explain its workings and give it a trial on any harness at his residence.

It May Be Called Coxe County.

From the Wilkesbarre Newsdealer.
It would be an entirely fitting and proper courtesy, now that Senator Quay refuses to have the proposed new county named after him, to call it after the late Eckley B. Coxe. It is true that Mr. Coxe did not favor the new county scheme, but it is equally true that no citizen and taxpayer of the new county to be, deserves the courtesy and honor of having it named after him in a stronger degree than Mr. Coxe.

He was one of the foremost, progressive citizens of the lower end of the county, and naming it after him would be a small honor for the great good he accomplished for that section. It has been suggested that this be done, but we regret to note a hostility toward it because he did not favor and support the scheme.

This, we think, is unfair to the just and generous man who is gone. Not that he requires any such honor to perpetuate his name, but because the *Newsdealer* thinks it would be eminently proper to pay this slight courtesy to one who was a king among his fellowmen.

Strong Cheese in the Mail.

James J. Sweet, a colored waiter of the Wyoming hotel, Scranton, some time ago sent two letters to his wife at Jacksonville, Florida. Each letter was rolled up in a package containing several pieces of exceedingly strong cheese. These packages were sent as second class, and as they contained writing the sender disobeyed the postal regulations. The cheese made its presence felt while on the way to Jacksonville, and when the postal clerks began to look for the disturbing element among the mail they found Sweet's letters traveling along at second class rates. Inspector Cowans, of the postoffice department, was sent after the economical negro, who secured his release by paying \$10 fine on each letter in addition to the 52 cents for first class postage.

A Reasonable Request.

Judge (at the assizes)—Have you anything further to say?
Prisoner—I should only like to ask that the time occupied by counsel's speech for the defense be deducted from my term of imprisonment.—*Il Popolo Romano.*

A Harsh Criticism.

Tom—Old Miserly is very despondent, and is threatening to blow out his brains.
Jerry—There is no danger of his doing that, unless he has a chance to steal a revolver.—*Tammany Times.*

Not Expecting There.

Biggun (pompously at western hotel)—I am Senator Biggun.
Clerk—That's all right. We care nothing about a man's bad character at this house, so he behaves himself here and pays in advance.—*Life.*

A Suggestion.

"You're all the world to me," he cried, and she, with gentle mirth and tenderness, said: "Have you told Papa you want the earth?"
—*Washington Star.*

NOTICE.

In accordance with a resolution of Freeland borough school board, notice is hereby given to the several teachers residing within the borough, that a competitive examination of qualified teachers will be held on Monday, July 22, 1895, in the Freeland school building. Applications to enter class will be received by the undersigned to and including July 6. The examination is confined to qualified teachers residents of the borough, and upon the percentages obtained will depend the appointment of teachers. A competent examining board will be engaged and everything possible done to conduct the same in a fair and impartial manner.

James B. Ferry,
Secretary Freeland school board.
Freeland, June 17, 1895.

HOME TEAMS WIN ALL.

FREELAND CAPTURES ALL THE BALL GAMES PLAYED YESTERDAY.

The Tigers Win from the Quay Club Without Any Trouble—Scores of Other Games in the Vicinity—Notes of Many Varieties Relating to Base Ball.

A club bearing the catchy name of Quay came over from Hazleton yesterday and endeavored to beat the Tigers at their own game. That they were disappointed is almost needless to say, as a glance at the score will show that they were not in the game to any extent in the branch that counts for run getting. Pfrom was in the box for the home club, and pitched a superb game. He was remarkably steady and well supported throughout.

Johnny McGill, of Highland, pitched for the visitors, and his weakness in the latter part of the game gave the Tigers players an opportunity to fatten their batting averages. The visitors scored their only run in the fifth inning. Joe McGeady made a base hit to right field, and while napping at the bag, Pfrom threw to McGadden. He threw so wild, however, that the ball traveled along to the fence, and McGeady made the circuit of the bases. Had it not been for this costly throw, the Quaysites would undoubtedly have been shut out, as the Tigers played superior ball, and at no other stage of the game allowed their opponents a ghost of a chance to score.

The score follows:

TIGERS.	R.	H.	E.	Q.	CLUB.	R.	H.	E.	Q.
Gillespie, I. J.	0	0	0	0	N. M. M'Gill, L. F.	0	1	1	1
McGinnis, J. B.	4	5	3	0	Beck, J. B.	0	2	2	3
McGinnis, J. B.	1	2	0	0	McGinnis, J. B.	1	5	1	0
Boner, S.	1	3	3	1	O'Donnell, J. B.	0	0	0	0
Schmear, C.	1	3	2	0	O'Geady, J. F.	1	1	0	0
J. Welsh, C. F.	1	2	0	0	M. M. M'Gill, R. F.	0	0	0	0
Brisin, W. C.	2	2	0	1	Baker, S. C.	0	0	2	4
M'Fadden, I. B.	2	0	0	0	McGill, J. P.	0	1	0	1
Pfrom, P.	0	4	0	7	Kimmel, C. O.	1	5	1	0

Totals... 11 27 15 1 | Totals... 1 4 27 20 6

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Runs earned, Tigers, 6. Two-base hits, McGeehan, Boner, Schmear, Kimmel. Three-base hit, McGadden. Bases stolen, McGeehan, Boner, Welsh, Brisin, M. McMonigal. Bases on balls, off Pfrom, 2. Struck out, by Pfrom, 6; by McGill, 3. Hit by pitched ball, O'Donnell. Double plays, McGadden, McGeehan; Baker, Gallagher, O'Donnell. Wild throw, Pfrom. Time, 1:37. Umpire, Gallagher.

The Fearnots yesterday were defeated at Drifton by the Freeland Travelers. The close was exciting, the winning team getting there by the score of 9 to 8.

Every game played by the home team further convinces its admirers that amateur clubs are not the kind to play it against. The Tigers are too long in the business now to fool their time away with amateur opponents.

Freeland Stars won from the Hazleton Stars at the park yesterday morning. Score, 22 to 16.

McGill is a good pitcher, but he cannot deceive the Tigers. The last game he pitched against them was for Stroudsburg normal club. The score was the same as yesterday.

Honey Brook was defeated with ease on its own ground on Saturday by the Fearnots. The game was well played by the visitors, who ran the score up to 18 against 8 for Honey Brook.

The Tigers have six games won and three lost. Percentage, 667.

The State league consists of only six clubs now, Hazleton, Reading, Pottsville, Allentown, Carbondale, and Lancaster.

The rooters had several chances in yesterday's game to display their lung powers, and enjoyed it fully. Nevertheless they let their rivals down very easily at different times.

The Travelers now have four won and one lost. Percentage, 800.

OUR SPECIALTY For This Week!

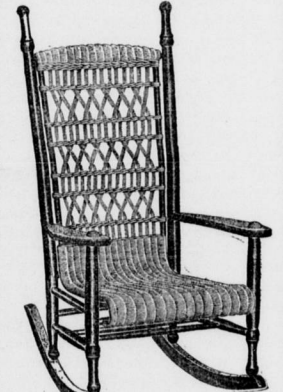
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Tigers Athletic Club, of Freeland, and Hazle Club, of Hazleton.

Saturday, June 22.

Fare, 80c and 50c.

Train leaves Freeland at 9.45 a. m. First section will leave the Glen at 7.35 p. m.; second section at 10 p. m.

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