Philadelphia, Pa.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA ANL
SCHUYLKILL RAILBOAD.
Time table in effect April 18, 1807.
Trains leave Drifton for Jeddo, Eckley, Hazle
Brook, Stockton. Beaver Mesdow Road, Roan
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except Sunday; and 7-66 am, 2-38 p m, Sunday.
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"Love Me, Love My Dog."

Grace (to her bosom friend, who is ressing a blear-eyed poodle)—I hear engagement to Mr. Stebbins has en cancelled?

Bertha (with a sigh)—Yes; I found a sigh)—Yes; I found a sigh)—Yes; I found a sigh)—Yes; I found a sight for me was not the deep, true ove which nothing can change, so I was compelled to let him go.

Grace—Why, how did you find it out?

Bertha—Easy enough. He got so he were every time poor Flossic bit him.

Erosklyn Life.

-Brooklyn Life.

Pelicitations Certain.
"It doesn't make no difference what happens," said Mr. Corntossel, "us farmers is goin' to git congratulated," "But the condition of crops makes some difference, doesn't it?"
"No. Ef they're big they'll tell us to be cheerful because we're got so much to sell. An' if they're scarce they'll congratulate us on the prices we ofter get."—Washington Star.

The Cheerful Idiot.
"It must have been a very tender-earted butcher who killed this lamb," aid the Cheerful Idiot, pausing in the wing of his chop.
"Why?" kindly asked the shoe clerk

"He must have hesitated three or four years foefore striking the fatal blow."—Indianapolis Journal.

oster.

Bernard J. Carr, David Craig, Eckley
William O'Donnell, John Keller, Hazle

rook. Wiliam Sheeman, Pond Creek. Frank Burke, Sandy Valley. Neil Gallagher, Sandy fRun. Patrick O'Donnell, Theobald Wackley

Highland.
Peter Hockburg, John H. O'Donnell,

Drifton.
Philip Breslin, Paul Dunleavy, Henry
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John H. Biglow, of Hazleton, was introduced as the first speaker by Chairman McHugh. He at once dove into the subject he had chosen, and in a short while had the audience enthusiastically applauding. His talk was for the greater part on state matters, showing the necessity of electing the Democratic state ticket if any real reform is to be accomplished. Mr. Biglow severely scored the Republican party for failing to give the prosperity promised last year. He attacked the system of political bossism which prevails in this state, and called upon the citizens, regardless of party, to throw off the yoke of Quayism by electing a Democratic treasurer and auditor general.

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Anthony Molonski, of Plymouth, was the next speaker. He addressed the Polish citizens, quite a large number of whom were present, and they welcomed his speech with much enthusiasm.

Thomas R. Martin, candidate for district attorney, next held the audience for over half an hour. The duties of the office to which he aspires, and the fact of the present incumbent being a candidate for re-election, prevented him from expressing his individual opinion of some of the matters which agitate Luzerne county at the present time. His address throughout was one of the most courteous a candidate has even delivered here; and those who came to criticise, expecting to hear him speak of the Lattimer murders, as the Republican newspapers had falsely predicted, were disappointed.

His statement of why that was not a part of his campaign, from the fact that he expected to be the prosecutor for the commonwealth when the accused are brought to trial, was well received. He pledged himself to demand justice to its fullest extent, irrespective of the station in life, social prestige, creed or nationality in that and all other cases which may come officially before him.

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He also paid his respects to the despicable methods which interested persons are pursuing to accomplish the defeat of himself and colleagues. One of these is the attempt made last week to bride the clergy of the so-called foreigners to throw their influence against the Democratic ticket, at the same time naming one who was approached, Rev. Aust, of Hazleton, who was on the stage.

Modern Courtship.

She—Have you shaved to-day?
He—Yes.
"Have you perfumed yourself?"
"Certainly."
"Grave you smoked any cigarettes?"
"No."
"Well, then, you can give me a kiss."
—Tammany Times.

Another Thing.
Wife—You saw Mrs. Browser last evening?
Husband—Yes; but not to speak to her.
Husband—That's so; but it was she who did all the talking.—Up-to-Date.
To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascarcets Candy Cathartie. 10c or 25c.
If C. C. C. failto cure, droggists refund money.

"On the whole," said the aged weather prophet, "I have found that the safest course is to predict bad weather."
"How so?" asked the n-ophyte.
"Because people are much more ready to forgive you if the prediction does not come true."—Puck.

A Roisnd.

The Editor—I regret that your manuscript, though good, is not available at the present time.

Scribbler—Ah, then may I presume to hope that your esteemed periodical will some day improve to such a degree as to be worthy of my contributions?—Yellow Book.

Height of Impropriety.
you know," said the girl in blue,
was were sitting in the hammock "Do you know," said the girl in blue,
"while we were sitting in the hammock,
and just as I thought he was about to
propose, a garter snake suddenly appeared."
"How indelicate!" returned the girl
in pink.—Chicago Post.

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A Critical Opinion.

Jinks—That young lady may be a fine pianist, as you say, but there is no warmth to her touch.

Blinks—I guess you didn't hear her play the Moonlight symphony.

Jinks—No: but I squeezed her hand.

—N.Y. Weekly.

Miss Keedick—I read about a lady suing a man for \$500 for a kiss he had stolen from her.

Miss Kittish—But I suppose she would have been willing to withdraw the sui if he would return the kiss.—

"Before amn is 30 he falls in love with every pretty girl he looks at."

"Yes?"
"And after he is 30 he falls in love with every pretty girl who looks at nim."—Chicago Record.

The Only Game He Got.

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Bloobumper—Have you been huntag, Spatts?

Spatts—Yes.
Bloobumper— • g anything?

Spatts—Only my trousers. — Demirest's Magazine.

Ready Made.

"Bliger says no woman could make fool of him."

"Well, then, he's right."

"Right?"

"Yes, she'd be too late." — Chicago

A Considerate Judge.

Judge-What is your age, miss?

Female Witness-1-1-throw myself a the merey of the court.

"I'll give you about 50 years,"

"Thank you, judge." — Tammany imes

Those Dear Ciris.

Madge—When we were driving in the ark to-day we were the cynosure of all

es. Marjorie—Oh, so you had that pretty outhern girl with you.—N. Y. Journal.

outhern girl with you.—N. Y. Journal.

Had to Flave Fletion.

He-You always carry a novel around with you.

She-Yes; when there are no men to alk to me I read.—Detroit Free Press.

What to Take for It.
"Doctor, what shall I take for an apetite?"
"Food."—N. Y. Journal.

The facsimilar Chart, Flitchers wrapper,

RAILROAD TIMETABLES
LEHIGH VALLEY RAILBOAD.
LARGE GATHERING OF VOTERS AT THE GARNO OFFER MOUSE.
ARANDERS OF DESCRIPTION. ARANDERS OF DESCRIPTION.

J. C. Mulligan, Charles Keenan, Andrew Rielly, B. J. Keenan, Misses Mame Rielly, Jeannette Keenan, Mary McCann attended the wedding of John T. Malloy and Miss Katle A. Morrissey at White Haven on Wednesday.

A very pleasant surprise party was endered Mrs. James Hawkins at her ome on Friday evening. Games and ancing were indulged in until a late our. Supper was served at 12 o'clock.

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Dr. H. M. Neale attended to business

Philadelphia on Thurday. He was
lso one of the guests at the Clover Club

Clergyman Is Appointed Constable. Clergyman is appointed consider.

Judge Bennet has signed a petition appointing Horace Edwin Hayden, an Episcopal clergyman, as a constable of this county. Rev. Mr. Hayden is secretary of the Luzerne County Humane Association, and his appointment was Association, and his appointment was made to aid the association. Rev. Haylen has the distinction of being the first and only constable in the county, and probably the state, who is also a clergy-nan and active in church work. He is sector of St. John's church at Ashley, and the chapel at Laurel Run. He is also president of the United Charities Association and secretary of the Wyomng Historical and Geological Society.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

November 22.—Ball of St. Stanislaus Society at Yannes' opera house. Ad-mission, 25 cents. November 24.—Seventh annual ball of Jeddo Progressive Club at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 50 cents.

shooting Affair at Conyngham.

From the Hazleton Plain Speaker.

William Stecker was brought in from Conyngham to the hospital at 10.30 o'clock Friday night suffering from gunshot wounds in the hip and the right arm. The man is not seriously wounded, but the circumstances under which the shooting occurred are interesting.

Stecker, it is claimed was trespassing on the property of Emerson Drum and refused to leave the premises when told to get out.

Upon refusing to obey and showing a disposition to remain as long as it might please him. Drum, it is claimed, seized a gun and shot at the intruder. The man fell to the ground and began to yell. Soon a lot of farmers congregated at the place and it was decided that the hospital was the best place for the victim.

A telephone message from that institution states that he is getting along nicely. The affair created some excitement in the valley.

Condition of the Coal Trade.

illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schnee buried a daughter, aged 9 weeks, last Wednesday.

James Williams, of Wilkesbarre, is spending a few days here.

Philip Price will remove his family to Scratton today.

Money Drawer Rebbed.

Shortly after 10 o'clock on Saturday night a sneak thief entered Geritz's confectionery store on Front street and robbed the money drawer, obtaining between 8s and 89 in small change. Mr. Geritz had left the store room for a few minutes to attend to some matters in the bake-house, and Mrs. Geritz was sitting in a rear room in the house. During their absence from the store some one quietly entered, stepped behind the counter and tapped the till. The theft was not discovered until Mr. Geritz returned and a cuscomer entered. When he went to make change he saw that the drawer had been robbed. There is no clue to the guilty party.

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Prom the Philadelphia Record.
A canvass of the statistical condition of the coal trade shows that it is fairly statisfactory. The stocks at discharging and distributing centres are not large, and at a number of important points, notably the Western lake markets, are below the normal. Up to October 1, 1897, the production for 1897 was approximately 28,275,000 tons, From October 1, 1896, to the end of that year the production was 12,376,000 tons, or approximately 28,375,000 tons, or approximately 4,967,000 tons a month.

Sale of a Philadelphia Press, published by the Press Company, Limited, will be sold in a few weeks to the Press Publish.

equals that of 1896 the allied interests will have three months in which to run out a tonnage of 14,390,000 tons, or approximately 4,967,000 tons a month.

Sale of a Philadelphia Paper.

The Philadelphia Press, published by the Press Company, Limited, will be sold in a few weeks to the Press Publishing Company for \$480,000. The business management and policy will remain the same, the change being merely one in corporate name alone. The directors of the new company, which is capitalized at \$600,000, are Charles Emory Smith, the corporate name aione. The directors of the new company, which is capitalized at \$600,000, are Charles Emory Smith, the present editor; Calvin Wells, the iron manufacturer of Pittsburg; Benjamin G. Wells, of Bryn Mawr; Talcot Williams, of Pittsburg. All are heavily interested in corporations and iron and steel trusts.

No Saloons on the Estate.

Officials of the Girard estate, in Schuylkill county have served notices on those persons having properties built upon ground learsed from the area and the server of the semblage.

The latest reports to council next Monday evening, Everyone desires to keep informed on Yukon, the Klondyke and Alaskan gold fields. Send loc for large compendium of the state in the semblage of the mineworkers of the Lehigh region will be held at Hazleton on Saturday evening. President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, will speak, Other crators of national prominence will address the assemblage.

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Officials of the Girard estate, in Schuylkill county have served notices on those persons having properties built upon ground leased from the estate, and licensed to sell intoxicating drinks, not to apply next year, as the officials are determined that no licensed house shall be on their ground. The estate is not accepting nor collecting any ground rent from those having liquor licenses.

Description will speak. Other orators of national prominence will address the assemblage.

Hospital, Philadelphia, where John B. Hanlon was taken for treatment last week, are that the sight of the right eye is entirely lost, but the eye will be saved, and that strong hopes of saving the sight of the left eye are entertained. William James, of Walnut street, a

CASTORIA. To hat H. Fletchers wrapper. BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS. CHAS. ORION STROH,

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL

ynopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Oc-currences That Can Be Read Quickly.

JOHN M. CARR,

Towns are Doing.

Mrs. Benjamin Gibbon has returne from a six weeks' visit to relatives i Paris, Canada.

Thomas Oberrender and family will emove to Hazleton this week. He will

remove to Hazleton this week. He will continue his business here.

John O'Donnell, of Chestnut street, who has been confined to his bed for the past few weeks, is improving.

Bernard Burns, of South Ridge street, was injured on Thursday in No. 5 mine, Jeddo, by a fall of coal in his breast.

The public schools are closed this week on account of the teachers attending the county institute at Wilkesbarre.

John Brennan's property at the form

John Brennan's property at the con ner of Centre and Carbon streets is being

ner of Centre and Carbon streets is being improved by the laying of a handsome flag-stone sidewalk.

On a charge of forging Sheriff Setzer's name to a check for \$40 at Mauch Chunk, Prison Turnkey Edward Spencer was himself locked up.

Do you want to sell furniture? Consult Neil Ward, purchas'g agt, Ward's gallery.

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Jury Commissioner Taylor was here last week and selected the quota of names from this section which will go into the jury wheel of 189s.

Foster township school teachers held their monthly institute on Saturday. The attendance was large and the program was carried out to the letter.

The fund for a soldiers' monument at Shenandoah has reached the sum of \$1,300. The monument will be dedicated on Memorial Day of next year.

The Lethigh Coal and Navigation Company contemplates the introduction of electricity for power and light in its several collieries in the, Panther Creek valley.

valley.

Hugh O'Donnell, of Pittsburg, the exlabor leader, was in town last week
booming the chances of W. R. Thomp
son, the independent Republican candi
date for state treasurer.

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A pretty line of fall dress goods can be seen at Oswald's. Latest patterns and lowest prices.

Peter Gallagher, at present employed as coal inspector by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company at Thurmond, West Virginia, is visiting his brother, ex-Burgess E. P. Gallagher.

All the collieries of the Cross Creek Coal Company will work ten hours a day every day this week. As much coal as it is possible to mine will be rushed to the markets before November 1.

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Patrick McNelis, of Jeddo, aged 2:
years, died at 7 o'clock this morning ir
Hazleton hospital from injuries received
in Oakdale colliery three weeks ago.
He will be buried on Wednesday.

Josiah Reed, of Bethlehem, died o'
paralysis at his home in that borough oj
Thursday night, aged 58 years. He was
the father of Marcus J. Reed, pay
master for G. B. Markle & Co. at Jeddo Dr. N. MALEY.

Convicts to Be Pardoned.

The State Board of Pardons has recommended pardons for J. C. Wilburn, voluntary manslaughter; John Carden, assault and battery; Patrick Cunningham, larceny, all of this county.

Wilburn was convicted April 24 for killing John Johnson at Hanover. He was sentenced to seven years.

Carden assaulted Catherine Evans, an old lady at Pittston, and was convicted February 1. The sentence was four years and nine months.

Cunningham is in the county jail and Cunningham is

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