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RAILROAD TIMETABLES

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD, May 16, 1898.

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

LEAVE FREELAND.

6 20 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

7 40 a m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Pittston and Scranton.

8 32 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

9 30 a m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

11 56 a m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points West.

4 32 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

6 39 p m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

6 57 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 40 a m from Pottsville, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.

9 17 a m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk and Weatherly.

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For further information inquire of Ticket Agents.

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.

Another meeting of the borough council will be held tomorrow evening.

The first picnic of the season at the Public park will be held on the 30th inst. by the Tigers Athletic Club.

The Bell Telephone Company will open a long distance exchange in Mrs. Evans' building, corner of Front and Washington streets.

Ezekiel Sterrett, aged 84 years, a well-known resident of Summit Hill and who was related to several people in lower Luzerne, died last week.

Rev. Hiram J. Kuder, of Siegfried's Bridge, Northampton county, will lecture in St. Luke's Lutheran church on Thursday evening. The subject of his address will be "High Sounding Shams."

A temperance entertainment will be given under the auspices of the Baptist Young People's Union in the basement of the First Baptist church on Tuesday, May 16, at 7:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

There will be services on Thursday, Ascension Day, at 2 p. m. in St. John's Reformed church. On Sunday next German services will be held at 2 p. m. and English services in the evening. At Eckley next Sunday confirmation and holy communion will be administered at 9:30 a. m. by Rev. J. B. Kerschner.

The annual convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the diocese of Scranton will open Wednesday at Kings-ton. The Young Men's Corps will be represented by John J. McNellis and G. Daniel O'Donnell, of Drifton, and Charles J. Gallagher, of Freeland. George McLaughlin, Esq., will also attend. He is secretary.

"Imogene," the popular play which was rendered here by a local company a short time ago, will be reproduced at the Grand opera house on Saturday evening. Extra specialties and some fine patriotic tableaux will be added to the entertainment. All articles remaining from the fair of the Young Men's Corps will be disposed of that evening.

Borough Scholars Examined.

The examination exercises preparatory to the graduation of the fourteen pupils of the eighth grade of the borough schools (E. F. Hanlon's room) were held in the Daniel Cox Memorial school on Saturday. The examination was conducted by Messrs. McLaughlin and Hanlon, teachers, and Secretary J. F. Sweeney, of the school board. The morning session was taken up with questions in spelling, arithmetic and geography, and the afternoon session with questions in grammar, history, reading, writing and oral exercises, making in all a very rigid and complete examination. After all papers prepared by the pupils were in the hands of the examining board, they were dismissed and the result of their work was given at the school board meeting that evening. The average percentage made by each pupil was as follows:

Mary McGill	96%
Mary Boyle	94%
Aquilla Johnson	93%
Hannah McLaughlin	93%
Mary McLaughlin	93%
John Lindsay	92%
Daniel Timony	91%
Genevieve Bachman	90%
Bessie Owens	88%
Mamie Brown	87%
Allie Boyer	86%
Walter Davis	82%
Maie Crawford	80%
Pearl Mowrey	80%

LOCAL WAR NOTES.

Company D, Ninth regiment, was composed of Wilkesbarre's elite, but when it came to volunteering nearly one-half of these chappies said "no." Among the brave young men who went to Mt. Gretna and filled the vacancies left by these holiday soldiers Freeland is represented by Simon J. Neuberger. When "Sime" told his friends he was "off for the war" they somewhat doubted him, but all doubts are dispelled by the muster roll, a copy of which the Tribune has received.

A. J. Colburn, state president of the P. O. S. of A., has issued a letter to the members in which he recommends that companies be formed from the camps of each district and that they begin drilling immediately. If another call for troops be made he expects to have a P. O. S. of A. brigade ready for service.

Captain L. Denison Stearns, of Company B, Ninth Penna Volunteers, is the youngest captain in the army. He is only 22 years old. The captain is a son of Major Irving A. Stearns, manager of Wilkesbarre, the president and general manager of the D. S. & S. and other Cox corporations.

Lieutenant E. C. Dentler, of the Eleventh infantry, regular army, who has opened a recruiting office at Wilkesbarre, will be in Hazleton tomorrow at 10 o'clock to examine all persons in this region who desire to enlist.

White Haven's contribution to the army consists of E. S. Trimmer, John Metzger and Fred Grunert. They have enlisted in Company F, Ninth regiment. Mitchell Gallagher, the bicyclist, has joined Company D.

Edward Roberts, a young man who formerly lived here, called on Freeland friends on Saturday while en route from Shamokin to Wilkesbarre. He intends to enlist at the latter place in the regular army.

Robert Farrar, a son of George C. Farrar, of South Heberton, has enlisted in the Fifth Missouri infantry. This is another case where blood tells, his father having served in the rebellion.

Water Company Improvements.

Freeland Water Company will begin this week to enlarge the capacity of the big reservoir at Birvanton. An additional water depth will be given by increasing the height of the walls two feet. Bricklayers, masons and carpenters will be put to work on the improvement at once, tomorrow probably. The reservoir will, when this work is finished, have a capacity of nearly 300,000 gallons, an addition of 73,000 gallons over its present capacity. It is 80x60 feet and will have an average depth of 8 1/2 feet.

The company does not expect any scarcity of water during the coming summer, as the supply is good and enough can be stored in the reservoir to fill present needs for days at a time, but they intend to keep ahead of the growth of the town, as in the past, and thereby prevent a water famine. The steadily increasing population will not be permitted to reach the limit of the supply, as the constant improvements made by the company testify.

Better Railroad Accommodations.

Reference to the new Lehigh Valley time table, which went into effect yesterday, shows that Freeland has fared very well in this latest schedule. An early morning train for New York and Philadelphia, leaving here at 6:20 o'clock, and a late train from the same places, arriving here at 8:32 p. m., are the principal changes, and the ones which our business people were most anxious to obtain. The afternoon train from the county seat now arrives at 4:32, instead of 2:30 o'clock, and the last train from the upper end is due at 6:57, instead of 7:25, its former time. The departure and arrival of all other trains vary only a few minutes either way.

Postmaster Davis has not yet received orders to send mail off on the 6:20 a. m. train. This was a very convenient service and it is hoped that mail will soon be carried on it again. The first outgoing mail closes at 8 a. m.

Reception at St. Ann's Church.

At St. Ann's Catholic church last evening the ceremony of formally admitting nineteen applicants into the Daughters of Mary Sodality and fifty-two applicants into the Children of Mary was conducted with impressive services. The initiation ceremonies were carried out under the supervision of Father Mack, and were followed by an able sermon from Father Dever, of Beaver Meadow, who spoke for nearly an hour, giving much sound advice and encouragement to the large congregation present. Father Fallible, of St. Ann's, and Fathers Leonard and Burke, of Hazleton, were also present.

For Lisenring for Governor.

A meeting of the Luzerne county delegation to the Republican state convention was held in Wilkesbarre on Thursday. Those present were F. W. Wheaton, Esq., G. L. Halsey, Esq., Phillip Raub, Albert Lisenring, C. C. Bowman, L. M. Minnick and W. D. Watkins. Three other delegates were absent. A canvass showed that the delegates were a unit for ex-Congressman John Lisenring for governor for first choice, and in the event of his name being withdrawn, their support will be divided among the other candidates.

Rev. S. Cooper Transferred.

Rev. S. Cooper, pastor of St. Paul's Primitive Methodist church, has been transferred to Mt. Carmel by the Pennsylvania conference, which met last week in Pittsburg. He will be succeeded by Rev. Samuel Penglase, of Plains. During his stay here Rev. Cooper won the respect of the entire community and worked faithfully in building up his charge from a small gathering to a large congregation. The best wishes of the community will go with him when he leaves for his new field.

WOODEN SHOES IN FRANCE.

Wooden shoes in France are produced to the extent of about 4,000,000 pairs yearly. They are made in Alsace and Barriers by machinery, and in Lozere by hand. In the last-named province 1,700 persons are engaged in the manufacture, and the yearly product is more than half a million pairs.

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COLUMN OF CULLINGS.

SOME STRAY SKETCHES FOUND IN TRIBUNE EXCHANGES.

General Sheridan's Opinion of Pennsylvania's National Guard Recalled—Paddy Cannon Cutting Capers on the Square. What Some People Want to Know.

From the Philadelphia Record.

In view of the recent contention over the standing of the Pennsylvania National Guard as an organization, and the efforts of the state authorities to have the troops enter the volunteer army intact, an incident of Cleveland's first inauguration is of special interest. As the head of the Pennsylvania troops reached the president's stand that official, turning to General Sheridan, then the head of the army, asked: "Are these the regulars?" "No, Mr. President," answered Little Phil, "that's the First brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania." "Well, are these the regulars?" again asked the president, as the next brigade appeared. "No, Mr. President," was the reply, "that's the Second brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania." As the next body of troops reached the stand, the president remarked, "These surely are the regulars?" "No, Mr. President," again came the answer, "that's the Third brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania." "Well, general," asked the president in surprise, "are there any troops here from any other state than Pennsylvania?" "None that are worth a damn!" was the prompt answer of the famous fighting general.

Paddy Cannon and His Bike.

From the Wilkesbarre Leader.

If Paddy Cannon continues to practice with a bicycle on the Square there will be no arches to greet the visitors of next week. Paddy has been tumbling against those arches all week in his frantic efforts to master a wheel. He is improving, of course, and before many weeks will be among the scorchers. Once upon a time Mr. Cannon was the best 100 yards runner in the state and even now there are few who can equal his record. He still possesses the power which won him fame as a runner and there is every possibility of his developing into a great rider—that is if he ever learns to ride. And he will, for he can even now ride around the Square without running into the court house curbing more than seven times.

What a Few Thousand Want to Know.

From the Wilkesbarre Reporter.

There are a few thousand men in the county of Luzerne who would like to know why the taxes have been increased so much when it has been published in large and small headlines that the county has saved fifty thousand, more or less dollars in routine expenses. It looks nice in print but when taxes are almost doubled they want to know what sort of system is followed. It seems to be a case of the more is saved the more it cost.

\$100 Edward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the local and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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Decorated Day Excursion.

To Niagara Falls. The Lehigh Valley Railroad will sell on May 28 tickets from Freeland to Niagara Falls and return at the rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets good to return to and including May 31. Consult Lehigh Valley ticket agents for particulars.

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MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT.—Large store room in McMenamin building; possession given June 1. Apply on the premises or to J. J. McMenamin.

Concert on Wednesday Evening. Mr. E. E. Howe will give a concert at Hazleton opera house on Wednesday evening in which some fifty-four students from Freeland, Upper Lehigh, Drifton, Hazleton and vicinity will take part. Haydn's famous toy symphony will be presented with over forty-five performers, many odd parts being arranged by Mr. Howe.

Excursion tickets for a special trolley car leaving at 6:40 p. m. have been provided by Mr. E. E. Howe, and are for sale at McDonald's. It is desirable that these be bought by tomorrow night, so as to ascertain if more than one car be needed.

One feature of interest will be the twelve-hand selections on three pianos. Misses Lulu Schmidt and Minnie Sipple, of town, will play one of the pianos. The concert will conclude with "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," in which all will take part, together with a male quartette in U. S. navy dress.

75th Anniversary. State Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, The Lehigh Valley Railroad will sell special tickets to Wilkesbarre and return on May 16 and 17 at rate of one fare for round trip. All tickets will be good for return on May 18. Consult Lehigh Valley ticket agents for further particulars.

Reduced Rates to Lancaster. On account of the meeting of the Medical State Society May 17 to 19, the Lehigh Valley Railroad announces special rates to Lancaster and return. See ticket agents for further particulars.

Baptist Anniversaries—Rochester. The Lehigh Valley Railroad will sell tickets at rate of one and one-third fare on certificate plan May 13 to 24. See ticket agents for particulars.

Ladies, don't fail to see those fancy 25c skirts at A. Oswald's. He sells lots of them and they are dandies.

A. Oswald sells three bars of grandma's butter milk soap for the small sum of 5c.

PLEASURE CALENDAR. May 21—Reproduction of "Imogene," a four-act melodrama at Grand opera opera house. Admission, 20, 15 and 10 cents.

May 21—Picnic at J. F. Christman's grove, East Butler.

May 23—Masquerade ball at Lamb's hotel, South Heberton. Tickets, 25c.

May 30—Ninth annual picnic of Tigers Athletic Club at Public park.