

FREELAND TRIBUNE.

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FREELAND, PA., THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1898.

\$1.50 PER YEAR.

RAILROAD TIMETABLES

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

May 19, 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.

ROLAND H. WILBUR, General Superintendent.

CLAS. S. LEE, Gen'l. Pass. Agent.

26 Cortland Street, New York City.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

Time table in effect April 18, 1897.

Trains leave Drifton for Jeddo, Eckley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Roan and Hazleton Junction at 5:30 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and 7:05 a. m., 2:38 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomblicken and Deringer at 5:30 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and 7:05 a. m., 2:38 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Onedia Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Onedia and Shepton at 6:05 a. m., daily, except Sunday, and 8:11 a. m., 3:11 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Shepton for Onedia Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Onedia and Shepton at 6:25, 11:10 a. m., 4:41 p. m., daily, except Sunday, and 7:37 p. m., 3:11 p. m., Sunday.

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WILL PURCHASE A FLAG.

STARS AND STRIPES ARE TO FLOAT FROM A HIGH POLE.

Borough Council Instructs One of Its Committees to Procure a Flag—Will Raise a Pole in Front of the Council Building—Other Business Transacted.

The borough council met on Monday evening. At the conclusion of the reading of the minutes President Boiz requested Councilman Meehan to buy the flag imposed on him at the last meeting. Mr. Meehan handed over \$5 and took a receipt for the same. Borough Surveyor McNair gave an account of work done by him since the last meeting. In answer to the question of Mr. Schwabe, as to what his terms are as the number of hours worked each day, he stated that he charged by the hour and that the total would be for himself and men about \$10 per day. The question of straightening West Walnut street was left with the street committee and the solicitor to ascertain what land the abutting property holders bought. Mr. Mulhearn stated that the property owners on Adams street were dissatisfied with the grade given to them some time ago and failed to put down sidewalks and gutters. Mr. McNair was instructed to go over the ground and locate the grade.

Health Officer Ward presented his report of properties connected with as well as those not connected with the public sewer along streets where sewers are laid. It was referred to the sanitary committee.

The street committee reported a large number of streets in the newly-annexed portion of the borough as being in use and not yet accepted by the borough. The report was accepted and laid over.

The ordinance committee reported progress on the revision of the ordinances. They presented an ordinance authorizing the street commissioner to bury all dead animals found within the borough limits. It was read three times.

The light and water committee reported they have not yet received a reply from the Water Company, but expected to hear from them after the next meeting.

The secretary read a communication from the Light Company, acknowledging the notice to take off fourteen street lights on and after June 1, also withdrawing all former propositions made by them to council.

They submitted a new proposition, as follows: To light the town with forty arc lights, all night service, on a three years' contract, for \$3,300 per annum; each additional light to be charged for at the rate of \$80 per annum, and that they be exempted from all borough taxes. The communication was referred to the light and water committee.

The police and lockup committee reported that they had conferred with the burgess and had agreed upon the changes to be made in the burgess' report blanks. The report was accepted and the committee ordered to have 250 copies printed.

The special committee appointed to procure stone for road purposes reported progress.

The committee on Public park improvement made a lengthy report of the requirements to put it in good condition. The report was accepted and ordered filed. It recommends that a pipe-river fence be placed around the park; walks constructed, substantial pavilion, tables, seats and swings erected; a water fountain placed in the centre, and other similar improvements made. The committee recommended appropriating \$1,000 for this purpose, and suggested that the Fire Department and Board of Trade be asked to co-operate and secure by public subscription the remainder necessary to complete the work.

Mr. Kline stated that a number of councilmen met Mr. Reed, the representative of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and received permission to construct a culvert under the tracks. It was decided that council make plans and specifications of the proposed work and invite proposals. The only stipulation presented by Mr. Reed was that the work should be done under the supervision of Foreman James Gillespie.

The resolution passed at the last meeting to construct a sewer west on Luzerne street, from Washington to public alley.

\$100 Reward, \$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 blood 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. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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was read for the third time and passed by a vote of six to four.

D. J. McCarthy stated that he represented property owners on west side of Ridge street who had given ground for a public sidewalk, and asked council to construct the sidewalk for them. It was agreed that the street committee have the sidewalks constructed, providing the property owners sign a deed for the same. It was also decided that the solicitor be empowered to secure as soon as possible the piece of ground belonging to Mrs. McDonnell and Miss Maggie O'Neal, on Ridge street, the price not to exceed \$150.

The committee which waited on the solicitor in reference to auditor's report on annexation stated that he would attend. In answer to the question of Mr. Schwabe, as to what his terms are as the number of hours worked each day, he stated that he charged by the hour and that the total would be for himself and men about \$10 per day. The question of straightening West Walnut street was left with the street committee and the solicitor to ascertain what land the abutting property holders bought. Mr. Mulhearn stated that the property owners on Adams street were dissatisfied with the grade given to them some time ago and failed to put down sidewalks and gutters. Mr. McNair was instructed to go over the ground and locate the grade.

An invitation was read from the G. A. R. to take part in Memorial Day celebration. It was accepted and a committee was appointed to procure convalesces.

Another meeting will be held on next Monday evening.

The school appropriations. The act passed at the last session of the legislature described as "a more just and equitable method of distributing the school appropriation to common schools" will be a great disappointment in results in many counties of the state. This law provides for the distribution of the \$5,500,000 school appropriation in the more than 2,000 districts in Pennsylvania—one third, according to the number of paid teachers regularly employed in each district, one-third according to the number of children of school age between 10 and 16 years and one-third according to the number of taxables as returned by the last biennial assessment. Under the previous law the appropriation was assigned to the districts on the basis of the number of taxables in each.

Last year, under the old system, Luzerne county's school districts received \$210,244.72. This year they will receive \$215,033.35.

Borough Held Responsible.
The decision in the Luzerne county in the case of Mooney vs. Luzerne borough has been affirmed by the supreme court. Henry Mooney was a young resident of Luzerne borough. One day an electric light wire of the West Side Light Company was broken and the end fell down in a creek. Mooney went down and touched the wire and was shocked to death. His mother brought an action for damages against the borough and the jury returned a verdict in her favor for \$1,100, which is now affirmed by the supreme court. The mother of the deceased boy died some time ago.

Nanticoke Mine on Fire.
Late Tuesday afternoon a dense cloud of smoke was seen issuing from the direction of the pumps in slope No. 1, a large mine, located in the heart of Nanticoke, belonging to the Susquehanna Coal Company. The alarm was sounded and three large streams of water forced in to check the progress of the fire, the cause of which is yet unknown. Slope No. 1 is the largest and most important mine in that section and employs about 800 men.

Two Millions a Year.
When people buy, try and buy again, it means they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying Casarets Candy Cathartie at the rate of two million boxes a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Casarets are the most delightful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c a box, cure guaranteed.

Decorative 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.

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.

Beauty Is Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Casarets Candy Cathartie clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Casarets—beauty for 10 cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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

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JOINING THE REGULARS.

Recruiting Officers at Hazleton Had a Large Number of Applicants.

Lieutenant Dentler, of the Eleventh infantry, regular army, opened a recruiting station at Hazleton on Tuesday. Thirty-five applicants made their appearance the first day and were examined. The test for admission to the United States service is very severe, as the government wants none but educated, unmarried men, between 21 and 30 years of age. Out of thirty-five examining on Tuesday, eighteen passed successfully, a number which is much larger than the proportion usually accepted at recruiting stations. The failures came principally at the physical examination. Following are the names and residences of the first day's recruits: George Ferguson, Henry Schaffer, Charles Weidenbach, Thomas Beverage, Edward O'Donnell, Christ Kunkle, Samuel Mann, William DeFrahm, William Stealy, Frank F. Miller, Arthur J. Evans, Hazleton; Robert Tate, Weatherly; Michael J. Dugan, Park Place; Andrew Helwig, Beaver Brook; George W. Case, Audenried; James W. Hume, Lattimer; Robert C. Fox (formerly of Freeland), Silver Brook; Evan A. Paul, Freeland.

Yesterday nearly forty applicants appeared and were examined. Of this number thirteen passed successfully, as follows: George Korn, Henry Hebig, Daniel Boyle, William C. Lebar, James Gallagher