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FREELAND, PA., THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1898.

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## RAILROAD TIMETABLES BRIEF ITEMS OF NEWS. LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

May 10, 1898.

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS,
LRAVE 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,
8 32 an for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York
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9 30 a to for Hazleton, Wahannoy City, ShenFortsville. Carmed, Shannokin and
Fortsville.

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

4 32 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shen-andoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

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4 32 p. m. from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and
6 39 p. m. from New York, Philadelphia,
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6 57 p. m. from Seranton, Wilkes-Barre and
8 32 p. m. from New York, Philadelphia,
Easton, Bethichem, Allentown, Mauch
Chunk and Weatherly.
For further information inquire of Ticket

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Trains leave Drifton for Onelda Junction, farwood Road, Humboldt Road, Onelda and heppton at 6 00 a m, daily except Sunlay; and 7 03 a m, 2 8 p m, Sunday.
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ams leave Sheppton for Oneida, Humbold, I, Harwood Road, Oneida Junction, Hazle-Junction and Roan at 711 am, 1240, 522 , daily except Sunday; and 811 am, 344 Sunday.

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STRAYED.—From Drifton No. 1, August 17,
a large red cow; has white spot between
horns and white spots on left shoulder, and
large bell. Liberal reward will be paid for its
return to John Roshki, House No. 124, Drifton

of America convened in York this week, President Colbourn, in his annual address, reported the past year as one of great prosperity to the order. The state secretary's report shows that twenty camps were organized in the state during the year. The state treasurer reports \$13.868 as having been paid out during the year, and a balance on hand \$7,830.

The result of yesterday's election was announced as follows: State president, A. J. Colburn, Jr., Scrauton; vice president, Dr. Cameron Shultz, Danville, uard, Honry C. Hoffman, Mt. Cobb; master of forms, J. T. Berryman, Lattimer; conductor, Guy D. Fisher, York; trustees, F. E. Steese, Philadelphia, Henry Obold, Reading, and N. A. Lesher, Berwick. There was no choice for inspector.

the The Kind You Have Always Bought The Kind You Have Alway are Chart H. Fletcher.

PARAGRAPHS GATHERED FROM ALL PARTS OF THE REGION.

The annual meeting of the Democratic clubs of Pennsylvania will be held at Wilkesbarre on October 18.

George Horn, step-father of Frank P. iglin, of Jeddo, died at his home in West Hazleton yesterday, aged 76 years.
James Reagan, of Rock Glen, Black
Creek township, died on Monday, aged
77 years. Among his surviving children
is James J. Reagan, a clerk in Drifton

The Democratic primaries will be held on Saturday evening. For county delegate there are hot contests in several districts. There is no interest whatever taken in the coming legislative convention.

Lioutenant Francis P. Siviter and five assistants have opened a recruiting of-fice at Hazleton for the Fourth regular artillery. Several applications have been received and it is expected that a number of recruits will be obtained in

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

The D. S. & S. passenger train leaving Drifton at 6 a. m. met with an accident at Eckley yesterday. The flange of one of the engine's wheels broke off and the tender and a caboose left the track. The latter toppled over, slightly hurting four Austrian stone masons.

The team of horses which draws the street sprinkler through town took fright at something on Tuesday afternoon and dashed down Centre street. One of the awning poles in front of J. P. McDonald's store was knocked out of place by the sprinkler striking it. No other damage was done.

At Hazleton a man giving the name of Thomas Lewis hired a team from Kunkle's livery for four days last Monday, then bought \$25 worth of fine liquor on credit from Zeirdt Bros. It has since been learned that he misrepresented his business. The team and buggy are still missing, also Zeirdt's whisky money.

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During a severe storm in the upper end of the county yesterday, Gilbert V. Corry was killed by lightning at Plains while returning from a funeral. He was a prominent school teacher and was well-known in this section. He was president of the A. O. H. of Luzorne county until last June, when he was elected state secretary of the order.

September 6 and 7 are the last days for registering voters in order to qualify them to vote at the next general election. On those two days the assessors will sit at the polling places, when every good citizen ought to see that his name is put on the registry list. It is the duty of avery man to vote and to do this with little trouble to himself his name ought to be on the registry list. to be on the registry list.

PERSONALITIES.

Rev. J. T. Griffith, of Lansford, formerly pastor of the English Baptist church, was in town on Monday and assisted at the services held over the remaines of John R. Morgan.

Rev. James Brehony, of Manyunk, Philadelphia, is visiting his brother, Rev. Thomas Brehony, at Eckley.

Miss Katle Mulvaney, of Easton, is being entertained by Mrs. Denis Ferry and family on Ridge street.

Miss Mary McGill, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting relatives in town.

Perry Wentz, of Drifton, is recuperating at Atlantic City.

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Booming Hard Coal.

The Anthracite Association is pushing the work in the interest of hard coal. A meeting of the executive committee was held in Scranton on Thursday evening. The data which had been collected upon the subject was presented, discussed for several hours, and much work was accomplished looking to the end to be reached. The most of it is withheld for prudential reasons for the present. It was decided to secure the best legal talent to be obtained in the country on inter-state law, to act in conjunction with the attorneys who are members of the association, in pushing a case before the inter-state commerce commission in reference to the discrimination in favor of bituminous coal and other freights against anthracite.

Army of the Potomac.

against anthracite.

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\$5. Niagara Falls. September 9—Lehigh Valley Railroad.

Band and Society Part Company.

The instruments used by St. Patrick's cornet band, twenty-six in number, were turned over by the members on Tuesday evoning to a committee representing St. Patrick's Boneficial Society, under whose a auspices the band was organized in 1874 and which is owner of the instruments. This was done at the request of the society, owing to differences which have arisen between it and the band during the past few years. The principal point at issue was the society's decision to enforce the original agreements made between the two organizations, one of which provided that all members of the band must be members of the society. This was not agreeably received by the band members, and for some months the breach has been widening. On Sunday the society instructed its committee to take decisive action, as above stated.

The band members have decided to continue the organization. Instruments will be obtained as soon as possible to fill engagements made to play next month, and in the meantime arrangements will be made to procure a new set. The members state that the question of the name of the band has not been definitely settled, but will be in a short while.

The society's instruments were placed in the society is instruments were placed in the band are filled. This, it is stated, will be done very soon, several applications having been received from former members and others who are musically inclined.

### School Board Meeting

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The borough school board met last evening. The building committee, J. W. Everitt, chairman, recommended Mrs. Mulheran and Mrs. Stein to clean the South Heberton schools at \$6 and \$10 respectively; that the rebuilding of wall and stone steps in same buildings be given to John Elstner for \$10, and that laborers be paid \$1.25 per day to level grounds around Daniel Coxe school.

The report was accepted.

The teachors' and pupils' committee, J. F. Sweeney, chairman, read additional rules and regulations for pupils, teachers and the government of schools, also rules and the duties of the janitor. A discussion took place regarding a section in the janitor's duties which required that his spare time be devoted to the fixing and care of the grounds around the Daniel Coxe school.

A motion to strike out the above was opposed by Mr. Sweeney, who claimed the care of the grounds to be part of the janitor's duties. Director Trevaskis maintained, in view of the duties al ready imposed, that it would be burdening the janitor. The motion carried, the same strike it, and all other members, except Messrs. Ferry and Vanhorn, who were absent, voting for it. It was agreed to accept all other rules and regulations as submitted, with the amendments.

Charged With Buying Votes.

As a result of more exposures as to alleged scandals in connection with Schuylkill county almhouse, a warrant was on Monday issued for the arrest of Lim Bowman, a young attorney, on the charge of bribery. They were preferred before Alderman Toomey, of Shemandosh, by County Detective J. J. Toole, who alleges that Bowman did in the latter part of 1896 and early in 1897 offer and give money to Leri Dietrich, who was then a director of the poor, for the latter's vote for positions at the almshouse for Gordon Reed and Isaac Huey, that the money was collected from Reed and Huey by Bowman and part of it was paid in 1897 to Dietrich. Bowman will be arranged as soon as he returns from a camping trip. Gordon Reed, and ex-steward, and Isaac Huey, an ex-keeper of the almshouse, were placed under bail on similar charges. Poor Director Frederick A. Heckensfield is also under bail for alleged bribery in connection with filling appointments at the almshouse.

Killed at Glen Onoke.

William Murphy, of Wilkesbarre, was struck by a Central Railroad freight train at Glon Onoko at midnight Tuesday night and so badly injured that he he died in the hospital car at Wilkesbarre next morning. Murphy was well dressed and had considerable money. He and Frank Casey were going to New York to spend their vacations. To save railroad fare they went down to Penn Haven Junction on a coal train, and while walking to Mauch Chunk to take a freight train to Jersey City, Murphy was run down by the train.

Half Rates to Indianapoli



### COUNTY TICKET

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Republican Slate Went Through Without a Hitch on Tuesday.

The Williams-Lloyd slate swept everything before it in the Republican convention at Wilkesbarre on Tuesday, and the following ticket was nominated:
For congress, Hon. Morgan B. Williams, Wilkesbarre; sheriff, James G. Harvey, Hazleton; controller, Joseph D. Lloyd, Wyoming; recorder, L. P. Holcomb, West Pitston; coroner, Dr. F. L. Mc. Kee, Plymouth; surveyor, N. B. Rutter, Wilkesbarre. Every candidate, with the exception of Mr. Harvey, is already an office-holder.

The convention was called to order by Reese Lloyd, of Freeland, chairman of the county committee. George S. Ferris, of West Pitston, was unanimonsly chosen chairman. From then on no time was wasted, all the details having been prearranged.

For sheriff, Fred Smith, of Hazleton, presented the name of James G. Harvey, of that city. Charles R. Stauffer, of Shickshinny; Charles R. Stauffer, of Shickshinny; Charles R. Stauffer, of Shickshinny; Charles F. Swallow, of Kingston. and Robert W. Williams, of Wilkesbarre, were also named. One ballot decided the nomination in favor of Harvey, who had 170 votes. Williams had 52, Swallow 37 and Stauffer 21.

For controller Josoph D. Lloyd, whe now has the office, was nominated by acclamation.

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Leland P. Holcomb, of West Pittston, 7 and Samuel Hooper, of Plains, were enamed for recorder. Richards and the Powell did not come before the convention and the ballot had not proceeded for a far before Hooper withdrew.

Dr. P. A. Meck, of Nanticoke, the sole opponent of Coroner McKee, for renomination, also withdrew before the balloting was half finished.

T. B. Rutter was nominated for county surveyor without opposition.

The resolutions congratulate the nation upon its glorious victories under the wise and patriotic policies of the Republican party. The administration of President McKinley was indorsed as well united States Senators Quay and Penrose. State Senator Scott's work was the heartily commended, and the course of Hon. Morgan B. Williams in congress is was approved.

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was approved.
Additional resolutions providing for a
revision of the party rules on the Crawford county plan were adopted and the
convention adjourned after being in
session less than three hours.

Legislative Conventions.

The Republicans of the Fourth legislative district met at Hazleton on Monday afternoon and nominated Frank L. Snyder, of that city, as their candidate for the assembly. The convention was a tame affair, the bosses of the district having complete control, and the delegates were mere figure-heads in the proceedings. There was a semblance of a contest, of course, but it amounted to nothing. T. A. Harris was presiding officer and Harry Hayworth was secretary. The legislative candidates were Mr. Snyder and Joseph Sherry. The vote was 33 to 11 in Snyder's favor. For district chairman there were three candidates. The vote of the convention for this honor was: Walter L. Richards, Freedand, 26; Daniel Kline, Freeland, 11; Dr. R. B. Lamont, Hazleton, 7. Jonathan Leibensberger, of Hazleton, was elected district secretary. A reserved. land, 11; Dr. R. B. Lamont, Hazleton, 7.
Jonathan Leibensberger, of Hazleton,
was elected district secretary. A resolution favoring a new county was adopted without dissent.
Hon. Jacob Roberts was renominated
in the First district convention at Wilkesbarre.
In the Second district convention, held
at Dallas, Hon. E. A. Coray was renomi-

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Beauty Is Blood Deep.

About fifty of the Ninth regiment's convalescent soldiers arrived in Wilkesbarre from Chickamanga on Monday afternoon, and were met at the depot by about 200 of their relatives and friends. It was an affecting scene to see the joy ous home-coming of the boys when they were met by parents, brothers and sisters. The news that the train would arrive was known to but few, and as a consequence those present numbered but few in comparison with the many who would have been there to greet them had the time of the arrival been generally known.

A tolegram in the morning stated that there would be fifty-one soldiers on the train. It was feared many of them

to their homes.

Preparations were made to accommodate large numbers by the City and Morey hospitals, and the German Catholic hall had been fitted up for the sam purpose. All the sick, however, preferred to go home, with the exception parted.

noted.

On Sunday night a train load of sick reached Philadelphia from Chickamauga, and among them was a dozen members of the Ninth. Some of these are in a serious condition.

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Over a Million Pensioners.

In the forthcoming annual report of the Commissioner of Pensions. II. Clay Evans, it will be shown that on June 30, 1897, there were on the rolls of the pension bureau 975,014 pensioners. To this must be added 6,852 original claims granted but not recorded and 762 restorations, which were not entered at the time on the books. Commissioner Evans granted 63,648 original claims during the past year and restored 4,089 pensioners to the benefits of pensions. The pensioners now aggregate 1,040,356, More pensions were granted last year than any time from 1890 up to 1890.

There is absolutely no means of even approximating what the claims will be under the recent war. The pension office has done nothing with the claims that have been filled up to this time. Before a claim can be perfected it must contain the full record of the soldier's

the same lines as those of the rebellion.

Not Favorably Received.

The Freeland correspondent of the Hazleton Plain Speaker tells in the following paragraph how the nomination of Mr. Snyder for representative is received by his party on the North Side.

"Frank Snyder, the Republican nominee for representative, will not receive the united support of the North Side Republicans. There is no denying the fact that there are scores upon scores of

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Splendid Accession to the Fund of the Woman's War Relief Association—She Has Frequently Visited the Camp and Has Personally Superintended the Pur-chasing of Supplies.

ehasing of Supplies.

New York, Aug. 25.—At the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Women's War Relief Association heid at the Windsor Hotel it was announced that Miss Helen Gould had given \$25,000 to the association for the relief work now in progress. The money will be used in purchasing supplies for the various camps, but principally for the one at Montauk Point. Miss Gould has been a member of the association since it was formed and recently was elected Assistant Director-General. In this capacity she has presided at the meetings

established headquarters at Montauk Point and directs all the relief work of the association there.

When the society turned its attention to the camp at Montauk Point Miss Gould was one of the first to go there to find out the needs of the men. She has made two visits to the camp so far, and after each visit has personally superintended the purchasing of the supplies required. Two weeks ago it was announced that she had given \$300 to the fund of the association, and several contributions had been made by her previous to that. In addition to this assistance Miss Gould, with some of the other members of the association, has visited several of the hospital ships and offered to supply anything that was needed. In several cases the offer was needed and supplies wery purchased by her. On her visits to Camp Wikoff Miss Gould has gone all over the camp, as it was her desire to come in close contact with the men and learn their needs in detail. It was the observations thus made that led Miss Gould to make the gift of \$25,000.

# FROM CAMP WIKOFF

Camp Wikoff, Montauk Point, Aug. 25.—A crisis has finany been reached in the general hospital here. The place is so crowded now that not another man can be put in it.

Men are breaking down here every day, and the queer part of it is that the majority of them are men who left Cuba in good condition and were taken ill on the transports. Many of them are men who had tae fever in Cuba and got well.

Just what is responsible for this is a question. Some attribute it to the sudden change of climate, but officers who ought to know say that the frightful food that has seen given to these weak men since they have been here has had more to do with it than anything else.

The condition in the camps of the regulars is precisely the same as already described. There has been absolutely no relief from the government and red tape will prohibit any, for that fron-clad rule about eating old rations before new ones are issued will never be broken.

be broken.

Want to Bar Preserved MAR.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 25.—State Dairy
Commissioner McGuire has notified a
number of dairymen in the State that
they must cease using a patent preservative that is said to keep milk in
good condition for twenty days. The
State Board of Health will be requested
to declare that the preservative is
dangerous to health and to prohibit its
use as being in violation of the pure
food law.

food law.

Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition, Omaha, Nebraska. Reducted rate tickets on sale June 10 to October 13, via Lehigh Valley Railroad, to Kansas City. Inquire of ticket agents for particulars.



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