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# RAILROAD TIMETABLES NEW LINE ABANDONED.

PROPOSED INDEPENDENT COAL ROAD

The following interesting statement egarding the abandonment of the inde-endent anthracite coal operators' pro-oged line from Scranton to tidewater, or a portion of which the rails have lready been ordered, is from the New

the collectes whose output would have been needed to assure the success of the new line have been taken in hand in a combination, and in this way have had their position assured.

"The controlling of independent operatives and their output, it was said by the same authority, will go no further than taking in some of the properties along the Erie and Lehigh Valley. No attempt will be made to put up the price of ceal abnormally; that was one of the fallacies of the McLeod regime. The fail will be rather to make the price steady the year round, say on the basis of \$1 for stove. With insurance against loss by reason of much lower prices during the dull season, there would be no necessity of recouping by unusually high prices at other times, and there would be substantial returns on the capital invested for everybody."

FURTHER PROOF.

he independent coal properties, we inderstand, is made up of gentlemen epresenting the Jersey Central, Reading, Erie, Lehigh Valley, Susquehannand Ontario and Western: in other vords, of Messrs, J. P. Morgan & Co., J. Cogers Maxwell, George F. Baker, president of the First National bank of New York, and others allied closely with the oads mentioned.

roads mentioned.
"The first move that was made by the syndicate was the purchase of seven coal properties of Simpson & Watkins, the well known independent operators

Not a Poor Actor in the Company.
From the Akron, Ohio, Democrat, Jan. 5, 1899.
The Opera House was packed to the doors and many were turned away who could not get in last Wednesday night, the occasion being "Faust." Porter J. White as Mephisto, the evil spirit, was immense, and his support could not be beaten. Everybody speaks in high praise of the entertainment.
"Faust" is certainly the best and most elaborate play ever presented before an Akron andience. Nothing of the kind or of such magnitude has ever been attempted since the erection of the Grand opera house. The scenery of this company is very fine and the electrical effects simply marvelous. There is not a poor actor in the company. People thave been so badly humbugged by the cheap John and fake Faust companies that a first-class entertainment. Jike Mr. White's production can not help but leave an everlasting and pleasant rememberance of this society and dramatic event of the season.

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A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Nicholas and Neil Matz, brothers, of Hazleton, recently arrested for the murder several years ago of Francisco Moulchillo, were discharged in court on Monday for lack of evidence against them.

ornice, which was soon a mass of fames.

The adjoining building took fire, and the situation became so alarming that Mahanoy City was asked to send their fire department to assist. The request was countermanded after the flames were under control. All the roofs being of thin in the neighborhood of the fire, the flames worked their way into adjoining buildings until three double blocks were gutted.

The buildings destroyed were those of A. H. Swalm, hardware establishment:

facturer; the other, Jacob Noll, conducted a restaurant on one side, while the other was occupied by John Creary, a tailor, and Jacob Lessig's large millinery store. All these buildings are a total ruin, with the exception of Lessig's, which is damaged to the extent of \$3.000. The loss on the other buildings will reach \$17,000, about half of which is covered by insurance.

The buildings were located in the heart of the town on Main street, and a few doors from the Ferguson House. The fire was caused by a defective flue.

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Mistaken Identity.

When James H. Feeley, of Scranton, traveling agent for a Philadelphia map firm, arrived in town yesterday, he was given a reception such as few men receive on their first visit to a strange town. Beginning at the Lehigh Valley station, he was cordially greeted by those of the employes who saw him step off the train, then by a prominent J. P. whose office is nearby. On his way up Centre street he was stopped every few moments by men who shook his hand, asked about his health and welcomed him to town. Others tipped their hats reverentially or waved him a friendly salutation across the street, and by the time he reached his hotel Mr. Feeley was profoundly impressed with the sociability of Freeland.

Later when the agent began to move around town and the people secured a second good look at him, their manifestations of hospitality became more chilly, for he was not whom he had

second good look at him, their manifestations of hospitality became more chilly, for he was not whom he had seemed to be.

In appearance, speech, movements, etc., Mr. Feeley is a perfect double of Rev. F. P. McNally, of Georgetown, who was curate at St. Ann's church some years ago, and at first glance none but an expert recognizer would fail to make the mistake which many of our townspeople made yesterday.

The agent says he is frequently accosted in the upper end of the county by the priest's friends, but nowhere was he ever the recipient of so much cordiality on another's account as was shown him yesterday.

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Made Him a Millionaire.

Henry Zeigler, an old German, who has lived in Pittston township for twenty-five years, was made a millionaire by a decision of Judge Lynch on Tuesday, and is now worth \$1,500,000.

The old man had a farm of 300 acres, of which he had taken possession twenty-five years ago. Recently it was discovered that there was a rich deposit of coal on the land, and the Hillside Coal and Iron Company decided to bring action of ejectment to test the title.

The land is a tract on which the coal has not been disturbed and is conservatively estimated to be worth \$5,000 an acre, or \$1,500,000 in all. The opinion of the court virtually decided that Zeigler is the owner.

When the case came before the courts

Legion of Honor Officers.

Monday evening the following swere installed to serve Union il, No. 300, A. L. of H., for the g term: uing term: commander—Owen Fowler. /ice commander—Charles Merkt.

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Orator—Hugh Malloy.
Secretary—Dr. F. Schilicher.
Collector—James J. Ward.
Treasurer—J. B. Laubach.
Chaplain—Rev. J. W. Bischoff.
Guide—Charles Poliniszki.
Trustee—Rev. J. W. Bischoff.
Warden—George Fisher.
Past commander—W. E. Oberrender.

### MUSTARD ON GLOVES.

Bonner, of Summit Hill, Accused a Serious Charge in New York.

An altercation between 10m Ordorrac and one of Bonner's backers followed the decision of Referee White. Several blows were exchanged before the police, who made a cordon around the ring at the first evidence of trouble, separated

the first evidence of trouble, separated them.

The injury to West and White from the action of the pungent oil of mustard on the membranes of the eyes, nose and throat were severe and painful for the moment, but rapidly wore away. Referere White was able to leave the club house with his friends within a short time, and West, after his eyes and nose were washed with cooling lotions, showed no bad effect.

### PERSONALITIES.

Charles J. Washington, superinten-dent of the Freeland branch of the

the vacancy.

William Johnson, of Battery E, Sixth strillery, has been discharged at Fortess Monroe, and he is expected to trivie in town this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Condy Boyle, Sr., of North Ridge street, have returned from a visit to Scranton relatives.

Orifton survey corps.

James Logan has removed his family and household goods from Foundryville of Freeland.

position.

Emanuel Tasin, of Mt. Carmel, was
the guest of Peter Magagna yesterday.
Charles A. Johnson, carpet weaver,
has removed his family to Philadelphia.
Rev. J. B. Kirschner and Rev. C. E.
Howells are suffering from severe colds.

Miss Dora Gordon, of Nanticoke, vis-ed Mr. and Mrs. S. Senie this week.

A Beaver Meadow Lady Married.
From the Hazleton Plain Speaker.
Miss Hannah Johnson, of Beaver
Meadow, and Thomas Ferry, of Mauch
Chunk, were granted a marriage license
in Philadelphia in the early part of the
week and their marriage has become
known to their friends. Miss Johnson
is an amiable young lady and has a host
of friends in this city who will be pleasantly surprised to learn of her nuptials.
The groom is one of Mauch Chunk's
best known young men.

The borough school board met last evening in regular monthly session. Henry Fisher, representing the Freeland Water Company, was present and spoke on the water meters. The board decided to pay the water bill for the month of February, and during the months of March and April give the maters a test.

MUSTARD ON GLOVES.

Jack Bonner, of Numbit Hill, Accorded of serious Charge in New York.

The twenty-round boxing match between Jack Bonner, of Summit Hill, and Pagilist Tommy West before the Lenox.

Althiett Chot of New York on Tuesday inglist Indian abrupt ending in the eighth profits of the Lenox of

The celebrated Cork Lane vote is again in court and will have to be recounted, as Michael Neary, judge of the board, Constable Curtis, a defeated candidate for constable, and several others yesterday took the preliminary steps to institute a contest. They claim that the count was not a straight one and that Will Keating and Tony McCue, overseers, did not tally the votes to the credit of the names that they were cast for, although the vote was properly read off by the judge.

Several arrests will also follow and the probabilities are that the entire board will yet have to stand trial in criminal court for meddling with the votes cast and for counting the same in an illegal manner.

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A dispatch received in Hazleton on Tuesday announced that L. S. Allison, of that city, had been killed that morning in a zinc mine at Alva, Missouri. No particulars accompanied the message. Mr. Allison and J. C. Haydon were joint owners of the Missouri mine, and the former has been at Alva for the past few months superintending the workings.

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The deceased was 46 years old, and was a brother of ex-Mayor Allison, of Allentown; Mrs. Ario Pardee, Jr., and Mrs. A. S. VanWickle. The remains will be brought to Hazleton for interment

Bought by Steel Trust.

A big deal was consummated Saturay between the Jackson & Wooden A big deal was consummated Saturday between the Jackson & Wooden Manufacturing Company, of Berwick, and the Federal Steel Trust, whereby the latter purchased the entire Jackson & Wooden steel plant for \$1.300,000. This is the largest steel car manufacturing plant east of Pittsburg, and the only one owned by the trust this side of the Ohio river. It is the main support of Berwick, and fears are entertained that it may not be worked as steadily as heretofore.

of friends in this city who will be pleasantly surprised to learn of her nuptials. The groom is one of Mauch Chunk's best known young men.

A P. O. S. of A. rally at Hazleton Tuesday evening was attended by State President Colborn, State Vice President Schultz, State Secretary Weand and State Treasurer Smith. Reports were made showing that the order in Pennsylvania is in excellent condition.

Watch the date on your paper.

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synopsis of Local and Miscellaneous Oc-currences That Can Be Read Quickly. YOUR OWN FIGURES. What the Folks of This and Other Towns Are Doing.

beneath the fall and removed to the surface.

A short distance from where the lifeless body of Coffield was found Jacob Reinard was found, half covered and pinned beneath the rock, but still alive. He was hastily removed to the surface and taken to his home.

It was some hours later that the body of Gamroski was found beneath the heaviest portion of the fall, crushed and lifeless.

The cause of the fall is not known. The working was considered safe, but it is presumed the heavy rain and thaw affected the workings.

Cork Lane's Troublesome Vote.

The celebrated Cork Lane vote is again in court and will have to be reagain in court and

Miners Mills.

The Lebigh Valley Railroad's foundry at Weatherly has been closed and nearly 100 men have been suspended for an indefinite period. The work hereafter will be done at Buffalo. Weatherly has received some hard blows from the Lebigh Valley lately.

Since March I George Fisher is doing a strictly cash business at his meat market on Walnut street. Prices are now I to 2 cents per pound less than before. An excellent quality of meat is carried and your patronage is solicited.

John Sabol, a prominent Hungarian.

and your patronage is solicited.

John Sabol, a prominent Hungarian resident of Eckley, died on Tuesday of heart failure. He is survived by six little children, his wife having died some months ago. The funeral took place this morning. The remains were interred in the Greek Catholic cemetery.

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The committee of the Schnylkill
Coal Exchange has fixed the rate of
wages to be paid miners in that region
for the last half of February and the
first half of March at 8 per cent below
the \$2.50 basis. This is the same rate
which was paid last month. An advance
of several per cent at least is expected
for next month.

rowly escaped destruction on Monda A cave-in below Cranberry was discove ed a short while before a heavily-lad terrible loss of life would have resulted but for the Hungarian's thoughtfulness.

A UDITORS' NOTICE—Notice is he given that the undersigned, audito Foster township, will meet at the hot Cond. Of Boyle, Centre street, Freeland, the accounts of the officials of said town P. B. Ferry, Joseph Gallugher, T. G. Argust, Foster Township, February 23, 1899.

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