

# FREELAND TRIBUNE.

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FREELAND, PA., MONDAY, MAY 15, 1899.

\$1.50 PER YEAR.

## RAILROAD TIMETABLES

**LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.**  
February 5, 1899.  
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 20 a m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia, New York and Hazleton.

9 33 a m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

11 45 a m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points west.

4 36 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

6 34 p m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton.

7 27 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 20 a m from Ashland, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.

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

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7 27 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

For further information inquire of Ticket Agents.

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## 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.**

St. Ann's band attended a picnic at Eckley on Saturday evening.

Burglars are plying their trade in Nanticoke and other upper-end towns.

Mrs. Henry Schiedy, aged 49 years, died on Friday at St. Johns, Conyngham valley. She will be buried tomorrow.

Hazleton temperance people are preparing to re-voice the delegates to the diocesan union convention, which opens on Wednesday in that city.

David Hoffman, of Eckley, and Miss Mary Carden, of Rockport, were united in marriage by Rev. J. B. Kerschner in St. John's Reformed church on Saturday evening.

Maj. C. B. Cox, Post, No. 147, G. A. R., will attend services at St. Ann's Catholic church on Sunday, May 28, when a special sermon will be delivered by Rev. Francis Mack.

M. E. Fritzing, a son of Owen Fritzing, of town, and Charles J. McGill, until lately a resident of Highland, are seriously ill, the former in Pittsburgh and the latter in Philadelphia.

Commissioner of Forestry John T. Rothrock is touring Monroe and Pike counties investigating the cause of the recent forest fires which are thought to have been of incendiary origin.

For 5 and 10 cent glassware go to A. Oswald's.

One hundred iron bedsteads have been ordered by the prison board to be placed in the cells of the county jail. This is to promote cleanliness. Every cell will be supplied except the vagrants' cells.

The field, staff and line officers of the Ninth regiment, N. G. P., have decided to decorate and take care of the graves of their comrades who died while the regiment was in the United States service last year.

A large barn in Sandy valley owned by Fred Schradner was destroyed by fire Wednesday night. A horse, several cows and farm implements were consumed by the flames. The origin of the fire is not known.

Miss Jeanette Hall, the young lady of Hazelton who became ill a week ago in the M. E. church and was removed to the residence of Charles Messner, Walnut street, was sufficiently recovered yesterday to be removed to her home.

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Martin Mulhearn, of this city, and Miss Susie Sweeney, a popular young lady of Freeland. The event is to take place during the early part of June.—*Plain Speaker.*

A Oswald sells Boyer's Daisy russet shoe polish—the best made for gentlemen's shoes.

At Delmonico's, New York city, on the evening of June 7, will occur the wedding of Louis Long, of the firm of Jones Long's Sons, of Wilkes-Barre, and Miss Elsa Blum, daughter of Louis Blum, one of New York's prominent business men.

The bottlers of Luzerne, Lackawanna and Montour counties, to the number of 125, have organized the Anthracite Bottlers' Association. Its object is mutual protection and the correction of a number of abuses which have entered into the business.

The Luzerne court has granted the Hillsdale Coal and Iron Company a preliminary injunction to restrain Henry Zeigler from bringing action of trespass against the company. Zeigler is the man who claims coal land in Pittston township valued at \$2,000,000.

Tomorrow evening the famous Welsh Singers will appear at the Grand opera house. Each member of this noted choir is a soloist of recognized ability, and the evening's pleasure that they can furnish should attract a large audience. Seats can be secured at Woodring's store.

Announcement has been made that if the United Mine Workers attempt to force the non-union men employed at the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal Company's collieries at Honey Brook and Audenried to join the union the company will order a suspension of work at those places.

Bernard Breslin, aged 83 years, died on Wednesday at Mt. Carmel. He leaves a wife and seven children, and enjoyed the distinction of never having been sick a day until old age carried him off. The deceased was an uncle of Mrs. John Gallagher, of North Ridge street, who attended the funeral on Friday.

**Knights of Malta Convention.**  
The Knights of Malta of Pennsylvania concluded their sessions at Scranton on Thursday. The following officers were installed for the ensuing year: Grand commander, David T. Melville, Braddock; generalissimo, Jonathan Liebensberger, Hazleton; captain-general, E. S. Farnwald, Bloomsburg; prelate, Rev. George A. Walsh, Scranton; recorder, George H. Pierce, Philadelphia; treasurer, Charles W. Bassler, Sunbury; senior warden, John J. Beisel, Wilkes-Barre; junior warden, William G. Clauss, Lehigh; warden, L. W. Lane, Johnstown; and sentinel, Evan R. Jones, Scranton.

Some of the nominations made for the succeeding year were: Grand commander, John Cavins, Philadelphia; Jonathan Liebensberger, Hazleton; Daniel Baker, Philadelphia; generalissimo, E. E. Campbell, Mechanicsburg; J. D. Keefer, Mt. Carmel; E. S. Farnwald, Bloomsburg; prelate, Rev. J. G. Boughter, Frackville; recorder, George H. Pierce, Philadelphia; and treasurer, Charles W. Bassler, Sunbury.

Ten representatives were elected to the fifteenth annual convocation of the supreme commandery, which will be held in Philadelphia in October. They are David T. Melville, Braddock; J. Liebensberger, Hazleton; J. D. Keefer, Mt. Carmel; John Ganland, Phillipsburg; Charles H. Hall, Scranton; Rev. J. G. Boughter, Frackville; George A. Eberol, Harrisburg; Perry J. M. Hemdel, York; Rev. George W. Walsh, Scranton, and S. J. Barnett, Delta.

Reading was selected as the place for holding the next state convention.

The project of establishing a home near Sunbury for superannuated Knights was referred to a special committee to report next year.

The parade on Wednesday afternoon was an imposing spectacle. About 4,000 members of the order participated. Most of them were handsomely uniformed. In the Lyceum theatre that night the tourney was held, at which addresses were made by Mayor James Moir, of Scranton; John Ganland, grand commander; E. W. Samuel, supreme commander, and George H. Pierce, recorder.

**Mine Owners Complain.**  
R. G. Brooks, of Scranton, Pa., and Walter J. Mullin, of Wooster, O., were before the industrial commission at Washington on Thursday. Both are mine owners in their respective localities. Both complained of the discrimination of the railroads which own coal mines, and both spoke favorably of the labor organizations.

Mr. Brooks said that in the anthracite regions nearly all railroad companies control coal mines either in their own behalf or for their officers. The competition which this condition of affairs caused was very disadvantageous to the independent coal operators. He said the independent mine owners had nothing to do with fixing the price of their products, as the railroad companies insisted upon doing that service for them. The railroads could afford to lose money in the mines they run because of the profit they secure in carrying the coal.

This fact, the witness stated, allowed them to depress the profits of the independent operators to a very low level. When asked whether the railroad companies could fix the price so that they could close every independent operator, he replied that they had that power, but did not exercise it, he supposed, because it would be too flagrant a violation of what was right and would result in legal restrictions which would break their power. They preferred merely to allow the independent miners to exist, and their low prices forced the mine operators to grind down prices for mining coal.

**Saturday Night Fight.**  
While the Hungarian orchestra was rendering selections in John Hudock's saloon on Saturday evening John Wida entered and in a short while succeeded in raising a first-class disturbance. According to the version given by disinterested spectators Hudock attempted to eject Wida. The latter drew a knife, Constable Molik and others rushed between the men and in the melee that followed Hudock and Molik were both cut, the former on the face and the constable on the head. The desperado was finally overpowered, and to a call for police Officer Miller responded and took Wida to the lockup.

Later Hudock had a warrant sworn out for the arrest of Molik, Wida and another Hungarian, charging them with being the cause of the fracas. The accused will be given a hearing before Squire Shovlin.

**New Lehigh Valley Schedule.**  
The summer schedule of the Lehigh Valley Railroad went into effect yesterday. There are few changes on this branch. The train which left here for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate points at 6:37 p. m. will leave three minutes earlier hereafter. The last train for Wilkes-Barre and the Schuylkill region will leave at 7:27 p. m. instead of 6:59 o'clock. This is the train which comes from Wilkes-Barre in the evening. It will leave the county seat about half an hour later than heretofore.

**High Price for Bank Stock.**  
The highest price paid for bank shares of stock in northeastern Pennsylvania took place at Scranton last week. Fifty shares of the First National bank, of that city, were sold by George L. Dickson to Mrs. Ballantine, widow of the wealthy Newark brewer, for \$50,000, or at the rate of \$1,000 per share. The par value of each share is \$100.

## PERSONALITIES.

John E. McHugh, Freeland; Ziba Fairchild, George Meneely, John S. Miller Richard Dudley, Foster, and C. E. Jones and John Hemmerly, Butler, are doing jury duty this week.

Michael Shovlin is visiting his brother, Henry, in Drifton, after spending several years in Montana and other western states.

Master Albert McNelis, of the Soldiers' Orphan school at Hartford, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Edward Murphy.

Charles McGill, of South Ridge street, has accepted a position in the Ashland house, New York city.

Edward Clifton, an employe of Drifton shops, will leave town for Montana on Wednesday.

Link Sterner, of South Heberton, intends to start for Montana this week.

John Rowlands, of town, has secured employment at Allentown.

**Miners Killed at Centralia.**  
Fifteen men were buried under a great mass of coal and dirt which fell upon them as they were working on Friday at the side of the old Centralia colliery bank in Centralia. When dug out by a rescuing party, four were dead, two fatally injured and the others much cut and bruised. The dead are:

James Gaughan, aged 40 years, leaves a wife and three children; Joseph Steinhoeck, aged 37 years, leaves a wife and four children; Daniel Coulter, aged 30 years; John Comiak, aged 30 years, leaves a wife and two children. The fatally injured are: John Collins and George Getteco.

**To Attend the General Synod.**  
Next Monday morning Rev. J. B. Kerschner and A. Oswald will leave for Tiffin, Ohio, where the triennial general synod of the Reformed Church in the United States will be held next week, commencing on the 23d inst., and continuing in session several days. Mr. Oswald will be accompanied on the trip by Mrs. Oswald. The party will go from Philadelphia via the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, passing through Washington, Harper's Ferry, Pittsburgh and other points of interest.

The general synod is the supreme body of the Reformed Church in this country, and Freeland is honored in having two of its citizens selected as representatives.

**Repairing the Cycle Path.**  
Livernan Frank O'Donnell on Friday last began work on the cycle path of the Associated Wheelmen of Freeland. The path was built last summer and should have been in good condition this year, but during the winter months many teamsters used it as a driveway to and from Sandy Run, thereby necessitating considerable repairs. A committee of the Wheelmen was appointed to look up the matter of repairs, and it was found that the path required harrowing and rolling from end to end. Mr. O'Donnell was given the contract to place it in good condition again and will complete the job this week.

**Democratic Club Organized.**  
A number of Democrats of the borough met on Saturday evening at the Cottage hall and made arrangements to organize a Democratic club. James F. Sweeney, of the South ward, was elected president, and James F. Welsh, of the First ward, was elected secretary. The latter was authorized to enroll all Democrats in the borough who may apply for membership between now and the next meeting of the club.

A committee was appointed on constitution and bylaws and another to appear before the South ward division viewers, who will meet on Friday at the Cottage hotel.

**Daily Paper in the Klondike.**  
H. G. Steel, editor of the Shamokin Daily Herald, will assume charge of a daily newspaper to be established at Dawson City. He will leave for that place within a few days. So far there is not a daily newspaper in Klondike. A fast cylinder press, typesetting machines and the necessary material to get out a paper will be sent up the Yukon river. The cost of conveying the press, etc., will amount to between \$7,000 and \$10,000. Enough blank newspaper will be taken to last one year. The subscription price of the new daily will likely be 50 cents per copy.

**Valuation of the Borough.**  
The adjusted valuation of Freeland borough has been compiled by the county commissioners, and the books of the five wards are now in the hands of the secretary of the school board.

The valuation by wards is as follows:  
First ward.....\$ 42,683.00  
Second ward..... 38,111.00  
Third ward..... 26,343.00  
Fourth ward..... 48,508.00  
South ward..... 87,149.00  
Total.....\$242,794.00  
The assessed valuation of the borough in 1898 was \$251,242.

## Foster Township School Board.

All the members of the Foster township school board were in attendance at the regular monthly meeting on Saturday evening, except Mr. Knyrim.

Superintendent Gabrio reported having made thirty-one visits and presided at one instance during the month. The attendance was given as 908 with a percentage of 81. The attendance in the High school is 20. The superintendent urged the board to send its report as early as possible to the state department in order that the appropriation can be received in due time.

The proper officers were ordered to fill out the normal certificates of Misses Elizabeth James and Mary A. Powell and the permanent certificates of Misses Edith Morrison and Rachel James.

Tax collector Oberender was present with exoneration lists, which were distributed to the members. The board will meet on the 27th inst. to take action on the lists.

A resolution was read and adopted endorsing the efficiency and good work performed by Prof. Gabrio during his term as superintendent of the schools and congratulating him upon his election to the same office in Hazle township.

The superintendent was instructed to have the teachers make inventories of their schools before closing, in order that the board may know what is needed before the opening next term.

The following bills were ordered paid: Frank Haiges, coal and hauling, \$4.58; John Metzgar, coal and hauling, \$17.75; C. J. Johnson, repairs, \$1.02; G. A. Woodring, repairs 65c; Terrence Richards, janitor, \$2.50; H. G. Phillips, supplies, \$1.65; Cross Creek Coal Company, coal, \$13.60; Butler, Sheldon & Co., \$60.75; Wyoming and Pond Creek Coal Company, coal, \$8.30; M. S. Kemmerer & Co., coal and supplies, \$45.90; G. B. Markle & Co., coal, \$14.90; Mrs. Thomas Kessel, cleaning, \$8; Silver Burdette & Goss, \$54.04; John W. Davis, coal and hauling, \$10.50.

Orders were also drawn in favor of the directors for \$1 per day and 6 cents per mile for attending the directors' convention at Wilkes-Barre.

**Electric Light Trust.**  
The consolidation of the two electric light companies in Hazleton and the Freeland company is rapidly nearing completion. All the preliminary details have been arranged and all obstacles to the formation of the combination have been removed. The smaller stockholders of the Freeland company were paid off at a meeting of the company on Friday night, and the insiders are now looking over the ground to see where the pruning knife can be applied to the expense account.

Since this trust has been spoken of considerable interest has been taken in the Freeland Gas Company, which was chartered a few years ago and was preparing to do business, but its plans were blocked by council for some reason. With the strong anti-trust feeling existing here now it is not likely that council would impose unnecessary conditions on the Gas Company if another effort should be made to give the people gas or some other kind of light.

**Improving the Public Park.**  
Council will meet tonight to pass upon the matter of improving the Public park. The sentiment of the people appears to be unanimous in favor of making this plot of ground as attractive as the means of the borough will permit. The erection of a large-sized dancing pavilion, comfortable seats and such improvements will make the park an enjoyable place for social pleasures during the summer months, and this will keep hundreds of dollars in town which will undoubtedly go elsewhere if the plot is left in its present condition.

It is hoped that council will be able to see its way clear to expend something each year in beautifying and improving the ground.

**New Fire Company Organized.**  
The members of the proposed new fire company, having obtained permission from council to organize, met on Friday evening and formed a permanent organization by electing the following officers:

President—Steve Drasher.  
Secretary—H. W. Haworth.  
Treasurer—Henry Reinsmith.

A committee was appointed to draw up by-laws and rules for the new company and another to ascertain the cost and necessary proceedings to secure a charter.

The new company will be known as the Fourth Ward Fire Company. The enrollment paper is in the hands of the secretary.

**Candidates for Delegates.**  
Among those who have announced themselves as candidates for delegates to the next Democratic county convention from the several districts of the borough are the following:

Third ward—George Doggett.  
Second ward—Charles J. Gallagher.  
Fourth ward—R. J. O'Donnell.  
First ward—Bart McClellan, John Gillespie.  
South ward, Third district—Frank O'Donnell.

## A WHALER'S FRIEND.

THE "KILLERS" OF TWO-FOLD BAY WHICH HELP THE FISHERMEN.

A Strange and Terrible Fish, and Its Peculiar Characteristics—Death to Whales and Sharks But Will Never Injure a Man—It Has Enormous Strength.

Two-fold bay, a magnificent deep-water harbor on the southern coast of New South Wales, is a fisherman's paradise, though its fame is but local, or known only to outsiders who may have spent a day there when traveling from Sydney to Tasmania in the steamers which occasionally put in here to ship cattle from the little township of Eden. But the chief point of interest about Two-fold bay is that it is the rendezvous of the famous "killers" (orca gladiator), the deadly foes of the whole race of cetaceans other than themselves, and most extraordinary and sagacious creatures that inhabit the ocean's depths. From July to November two "schools" of killers may be seen every day, either cruising to and fro across the entrance of the bay or engaged in a Titanic combat with a whale—a "right" whale, a "humpback" or the long, swift "finback." But they have never been known to tackle the great sperm whale, except when the great creature has been wounded by his human enemies. And to witness one of these mighty struggles is worth traveling many thousand miles to see; it is terrible, awe-inspiring and wonderful.

The killer ranges in length from ten feet to twenty-five feet. Their breathing apparatus and general anatomy is much similar to that of the sperm whale. They spout, "breach" and "sound" like other cetaceans, and are of the same migratory habit as the two "schools" which haunt Two-fold bay, always leaving there about November 25 to cruise in other seas, returning to their headquarters early in July, when the humpback and finback whale make their appearance on the coast of New South Wales, traveling northward to the breeding-grounds on the Bampton shoals, the coast of New Guinea and the Moluccas.

The head of the killer is of enormous strength, the mouth being armed in both jaws with fearful teeth, from two inches to three inches long and set rather widely apart. In color they show an extraordinary variation, some being all one hue—brown, black or dull gray; others are black, with large irregular patches or streaks of pure white or yellow; others are dark brown with black and yellow patches.

And now comes the curious and yet absolutely truly described part that the killers play in this ocean tragedy. The killers, the moment the whale is lead, close around him, and, fastening their teeth into his body, bear him to the bottom. Here they tear out his tongue and eat about one-third of the blubber. In about thirty-six to forty hours the carcass will rise again to the surface, and as the spot where he has been taken down has been marked by a buoy, the boats are ready waiting to tow him ashore to the trying-out works. The killers accompany the boats to the head of the bay and keep off the sharks, which otherwise would strip off all the remaining blubber before the body had reached the shore.

The killers never hurt a man. Time after time have boats been stove in or smashed into splinters by a whale, and the crew left struggling in the water, to be rescued by the "pick-up" boat, and the killers swim up to them, look at—aye, and smell them—but never touch them. And wherever the killers are, the sharks are not, for Jack Shark dreads a killer as the devil dreads holy water. "Jack" will rush in and rip off a piece of blubber if he can, but he will watch his chance to do so.

**A Queer Legacy.**  
A gentleman who died at Mons, France, left a legacy of \$3,000 to five friends, the money to be spent on dinners served in different restaurants, and at each meal a certain dish to be eaten and a certain wine, of which he was very fond, to be drunk. Furthermore, his memory was to be toasted at dessert, the five companions were to dine in black clothes and black gloves, and enter the room preceded by a flag and the music of an accordion.

**A Funny Sight.**  
An English paper says that the hat of a certain short sighted master at Eton blew off one day, and as he started in pursuit a black hen dashed out of the gateway. The schoolmaster saw the hen, and thought it was his hat, and all Eton was electrified by the spectacle of a hatless and breathless reverend man hunting a black hen from one end of the street to the other.

**Jews of the World.**  
The Jewish year book estimates that there are about 11,000,000 Jews in the world, half of them still under Russian jurisdiction, notwithstanding their wholesale expulsion from the empire. Of the race in general it may be said that, numerically speaking, it is extremely small for its age, its chance of getting bigger apparently not increasing with its years.

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## THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

Time table in effect April 18, 1897.

Trains leave Drifton for Jeddo, Eckley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver, Mendon Road, Ronn and Hazleton Junction at 5:30, 6:00 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 7:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Woodbury, Tomhickon and Deringer at 6:30, 6:00 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 7:03 a. m., 2:30 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Oneida Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Oneida and Shepton at 6:00 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 7:05 a. m., 2:30 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomhickon and Deringer at 6:00 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 8:00 a. m., 4:22 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Oneida Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Oneida and Shepton at 6:22, 11:10 a. m., 4:41 p. m., daily except Sunday; and 8:11 a. m., 3:11 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddo and Drifton at 5:45, 6:20 p. m., daily, except Sunday; and 10:40 a. m., 5:40 p. m., Sunday.

All trains connect at Hazleton Junction with electric cars for Hazleton, Jenneville, Audenried and other points on the Hazleton Company's line.

Trains leaving Drifton at 5:30, 6:00 a. m. make connection at Deringer with the Pennsylvania and Wilkes-Barre, Sunbury, Harrisburg and points west.

For the accommodation of passengers at way stations between Hazleton Junction and Deringer, a train will leave the former point at 3:40 p. m., daily, except Sunday, arriving at Deringer at 5:00 p. m.

LUTHER C. SMITH, Superintendent.

## MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LUZERNE COUNTY.**  
In re Petition for sale under act of assembly April 18, 1855, commonly known as the Price act, of land held by trustees for Assembly No. 6127, K. of L. of Freeland, Borough, Pennsylvania. No. 14, June term, 1899, to whom it may concern.

Be it known that on the 8th day of May, 1899, the court of common pleas of Luzerne county appointed the undersigned an examiner to hear and report upon a certain fact set forth in a petition whereby D. S. Buckley, J. D. Myers and John F. Gallagher, trustees for Mechanics' Association of Freeland, No. 6127, K. of L., petitioned the court for authority to make a deed for the land hereinafter described, the borough of Freeland, upon certain conditions fully set forth in said petition. The undersigned will hear such evidence as may be produced before him by any party interested at the office of C. O. Stroh, Esq., attorney-at-law, in the borough of Freeland, Birkbeck Brick Building, Centre street, on the 28th day of May, 1899, at 10 o'clock, and upon subsequent days by special adjournment, of which special adjournment no other public notice will be given than announcement at the time of the several hearings.

The land to be conveyed is described as follows:

Situates at the northeasterly corner of Walnut and Centre streets in the borough of Freeland, being sixty (60) feet along Walnut street and one hundred and fifty (150) feet along Centre street, bounded on the north by a public alley and on the east by the lands of the McHugh estate, and being lots Nos. 12 and 13 in square B as granted out by A. Dunlop, recorded in deed book 143, page 40.

The attention of the persons who were formerly members of the Association of Freeland, of Drifton, 2801, of Jeddo, 2407, of Highland, 6127, Mechanics', of Freeland, and 335, of Upper Lehigh, Knights of Labor, is especially called to this proceeding.

Geo. T. Brown, Examiner.

**NOTICE.**—The undersigned commissioners appointed by the court of quarter sessions of Luzerne county to review the matter of the division of the South ward of Freeland borough into wards, hereby give notice, that they will meet to perform the duties of their appointment on Friday, the 19th day of May, 1899, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the Cottage hotel, South Centre street, in the borough, which time and place all persons interested may attend and be heard.

C. E. Barber,  
Geo. H. Troutman, Commissioners.  
Thos. F. McNair,

## ESTATE OF MARGARET O'DONNELL.

late of Freeland, deceased.  
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