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\$1.50 PER YEAR.

RAILROAD TIMETABLES

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.
February 5, 1899.

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

LEAVE FREELAND.

6 20 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, Allentown, Philadelphia, Easton, New York and Pottsville.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 20 a m from Ashland, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.
7 40 a m from Pottsville, Ashland, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.
9 17 a m from Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin, Allentown, Philadelphia, Easton, New York and Pottsville.
9 33 a m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
11 45 a m from Pottsville, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.
4 36 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.
6 34 p m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Weatherly, Hazleton, Mahanoy City and Shenandoah.
7 27 p m from Hazleton, Mahanoy City and White Haven.

For further information inquire of Ticket Agents.

ROLLIN H. WILBUR, General Superintendent.
CHAS. S. LEE, Gen'l Pass. Agent.
23 Cortlandt Street, New York City.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

Time table in effect April 18, 1897.

Trains leave Drifton for Jeddo, Eokley, Hazle Brook, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Roan and Hazleton Junction at 5:30, 6:00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7:30 a m, Sunday.

Trains leave Drifton for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomlinson and Deringer at 5:30, 6:00 a m, daily except Sunday; and 7:30 a m, Sunday.

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

Trains leave Drifton for Harwood, Cranberry, Tomlinson and Deringer at 6:35 a m, daily except Sunday; and 8:35 a m, 4:22 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Onedia Junction, Harwood Road, Humboldt Road, Onedia and Shepton at 6:10 a m, 12:40 p m, daily except Sunday; and 7:37 a m, 3:11 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Deringer for Tomlinson, Cranberry, Harwood, Hazleton Junction and Onedia at 6:35, 6:40 p m, daily except Sunday; and 3:37 p m, 4:17 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Shepton for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eokley, Jeddo and Drifton at 6:25 p m, daily, except Sunday; and 11:15 a m, 4:45 p m, Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eokley, Jeddo and Drifton at 7:10 a m, 4:45 p m, daily, except Sunday; and 10:10 a m, 5:40 p m, Sunday.

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

Trains leaving Drifton at 5:30, 6:00 a m make connection at Deringer with P. R. R. trains for 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 3:50 p m, daily, except Sunday, arriving at Deringer at 5:00 p m.

LUTHER C. SMITH, Superintendent.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF Foster Township School District for the year ending June 30, 1899.

William E. Oberender, Tax Collector.

Dr.

To amount of duplicate.....\$ 7,530 41

To amount of supplement..... 408 78

Cr.

By amount paid treasurer..... 6,478 56

By commissions..... 176 20

By rebates..... 298 63

By abatements..... 144 50

By lands returned..... 20 17

By excursions..... 1,191 14

8,319 19

Statement of Jacob Zielstoft, Treasurer.

Dr.

To amount from ex-treas..... 1 91

To amount from..... 6,478 56

To state appropriation..... 5,408 50

To unsolicited land..... 828 74

To election rents..... 90 00

To check from Daniel Heimbach, J. P..... 25 00

12,806 92

Cr.

By teachers' salary and in-

stitute..... 7,300 00

By outstanding orders..... 2,123 68

By night school..... 353 75

By fuel and contingencies..... 380 87

By books and supplies..... 828 74

By repairing and furnishing..... 67 47

By cleaning schools..... 197 84

By printing..... 47 50

By janitor..... 5 00

By attorney 1898..... 30 40

By superintendent..... 918 97

By secretary's salary..... 250 00

By treasurer's commission..... 252 61

By attending school..... 17 13

By tuition..... 14 40

By balance on hand..... 12 77

12,806 92

Liabilities.

Orders outstanding and unpaid.....\$ 3,373 79

Balance in hands of treasurer..... 12 57

Liabilities in excess of resources..... 3,361 22

We, the undersigned auditors of Foster Township, being duly sworn according to law, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement of the financial condition of Foster Township School District is just and true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

P. B. Ferry,
T. G. Argust,Auditors.

FOR SALE—Ten bonds of Freeland Silk Mill Company, par value, \$50 each; will sell in lots of one or more or all together. Apply at TRIBUNE office.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

June 21 and 23.—Seventh annual entertainment of the Pupils of St. Ann's Parochial School at Grand opera house. Tickets, 35, 25 and 15 cents.

June 24.—Trolley excursion to Hazle park under auspices of Good Wills Athletic Association. Round trip ticket, 25c.

July 4.—Dinner and supper under auspices of Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's P. M. church at Geritz building. Tickets, 25 cents; tickets for both, 40c.

July 4.—Parade and picnic under the auspices of Freeland Citizens' Hose Company, No. 1, at Public park.

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.

E. F. Hanlon and Miss Nellie Gillespie will be married at 9.30 a. m. tomorrow at St. Ann's church.

Patrick Meehan began work this morning on the foundation of the new Catholic church at McAdoo.

The members of the temperance societies of the region will picnic at Hazle park on Saturday evening.

W. J. Morgan, of Washington street, has entered the ring as a candidate for the Republican nomination for register of wills.

The Young Men's Corps yesterday accepted the invitation of the Citizens' Hose Company to take part in the Fourth of July parade.

Alex Bell, formerly of Jeanesville, who for two years past has been located at Scranton, on Friday eloped with a young lady named Harlow of that city.

Miss Mame Walsh, of Parsons, will make her maiden bow to the public from the stage of Daly's Broadway theatre, New York city, when the season opens in the fall.

The examination of applicants for teachers' certificates in Freeland, Foster, Jeddo and West Hazleton will be conducted by Prof. Frank Hopper in the Daniel Cox building on Monday next.

The state convention of the Greek and Roman Catholic Union will be held this week at Pittston. The organization has several branches in this vicinity and a number of the prominent Slavonians of town will attend the convention.

The first freshman-class prize in mathematics, \$15, at Lehigh university, was awarded last week to William Frank Roberts, of Freeland. J. Foster Morgan, of Harwood, graduated as an electrical engineer at the same institution.

The *Tribune*, the new evening daily paper to be published at Pottsville, will be issued for the first time tonight. A. S. Genung, now of the *Miners' Journal*, will be the city editor. Jack McCarty will not be on the editorial staff, as has been stated.

Chief of Police Miller arrested Julius Dusbeck on Saturday evening on the charge of raising a disturbance in front of Llewellyn's saloon at Centre and Main streets. The prisoner was fined \$3.50 by Burgess Gallagher, which was promptly paid.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lazorek have taken out a rule in court to show cause why the sheriff sale of their property on Ridge street shall not be set aside. They claim the property is worth \$4,000, and was sold for \$35.47. The case will be heard here before an examiner.

Invitations to participate in the big Fourth of July parade at Freeland have been sent out by the Citizens' Hose Company to all the societies of the vicinity. The firemen intend to make the celebration a creditable one, and their efforts should receive unstinted support.

The members of the Good Wills Athletic Association are disposing of tickets for their trolley excursion to Hazle park next Saturday evening at a rapid rate. The association is composed of a number of hustling young men and they will make the affair a success in every respect.

James Farrell, a young son of Charles and Mary Farrell, Coxe addition, died at 10 o'clock last night after one day's illness. The boy was aged 3 years, 8 months and 22 days. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment will be made at St. Ann's cemetery.

Young sons of T. J. Moore and Chas. Moerschbacher, while playing on Centre street, ran in front of the United States express wagon on Saturday evening and were knocked down. It was believed for awhile that their injuries were serious, but the boys have since recovered from the effects of the accident.

George A. Ziegler, a Tamaqua post-office messenger boy, was on Friday arrested before United States Commissioner Wolten, of Pottsville. Postal Inspector Gorman charged him with opening letters and extracting money therefrom. In default of bail Ziegler was committed for trial in the United States district court at Philadelphia on August 21.

Unless some other arrangement is perfected, Sheriff Harvey will have rather an unpleasant duty to perform very shortly. It is the eviction of two families, who reside at Harwood, and the husbands of which were injured in the Lattimer affray. They have been repeatedly notified to move, but paid little attention to the notices. The male members contend that they are unable to work.—*Standard*.

Institute Subscriptions.

Below will be found the names and amounts subscribed to the building fund of the Mining and Mechanical Institute.

The soliciting committee, consisting of A. Oswald, R. J. Dever, Jonah Evans and W. E. Martin, will call upon the citizens and receive subscriptions, and a weekly report of the amounts subscribed will be published in the local papers.

Amount required.....\$ 9,000 00

Forthcoming on condition that balance required shall be subscribed..... 6,000 00

Necessary to subscribe..... 3,000 00

Subscriptions to June 15, 1899—

John Markle..... 200 00

John Robland..... 100 00

Geo. D. McCreeary..... 100 00

Emiline Poik..... 50 00

James Levan..... 30 00

Harriet B. Price..... 25 00

Taylor Iron and Steel Co..... 25 00

H. W. John Mfg. Co..... 25 00

Warren, Webster & Co..... 25 00

S. B. Price..... 25 00

M. N. Bergin..... 25 00

A. Oswald..... 25 00

Water & Co..... 25 00

T. D. Jones..... 10 00

S. Belleau..... 10 00

J. D. Carpenter..... 10 00

Samuel Boughner..... 10 00

A. McChellen..... 10 00

W. H. Johnson..... 10 00

M. Hoagland..... 10 00

Atlantic Refining Co..... 10 00

Wm. Williamson..... 25 00

John R. Wagner..... 5 00

J. C. Stroh..... 5 00

W. B. Fry..... 5 00

W. H. Klinger..... 5 00

Paul Dasch..... 5 00

Charles Goner..... 2 00

H. B. Price..... 100 00

Jonah Evans..... 25 00

Mrs. Evans..... 5 00

W. R. Eld..... 10 00

John B. Price..... 25 00

A. Rudwick..... 10 00

Wm. Schwartz..... 10 00

W. R. Stroh..... 10 00

M. Schwab..... 25 00

S. H. Vanhorn..... 10 00

George Wise..... 25 00

M. Zimmerman..... 5 00

C. C. Collins..... 5 00

Hiram P. Kuntz..... 5 00

Total subscribed..... 1,077 00

Balance necessary to subscribe.....\$ 1,923 00

Will Sell the Old Courthouse.

The county commissioners have received a letter from Architect Osterling stating that he is preparing plans and specifications for the new courthouse so that contractors will be able to bid on the proposed new structure. The specifications will be completed in a few weeks when bids will be advertised for.

As to the present building, the commissioners have practically decided to sell it, tear it down and remove it, as they expect to secure enough brick and building material to repay them.

The commissioners have made a verbal agreement with the trustees of Memorial hall for the use of that building for county offices and storage of records during the rebuilding. Store rooms in the vicinity of Memorial hall have also been engaged for court room purposes.

Parochial School Entertainment.

The pupils of St. Ann's parochial school will give their annual entertainment on Wednesday evening at the Grand opera house. Many new features have been added this year to the program of exercises, and with the careful training given the pupils by their teachers, the coming event is confidently expected to surpass, if possible, the entertainments given by the school in other years.

Owing to the numbers desiring to attend, the program of Wednesday evening will be repeated on Friday night.

Tickets for both evenings are meeting with a ready sale.

Cadet Society Organized.

A cadet society was organized yesterday at St. Ann's church by Rev. M. J. Fallhee and 105 boys were given the temperance pledge. The following were chosen as officers for the first year:

President—Charles Dever.

Vice president—Joseph Sharp.

Recording secretary—Thomas Sloan.

Financial secretary—Frank Duffy.

An invitation to participate in the parade on July 4 was accepted, and arrangements were made to enroll as members all the boys of the parish between the ages of 12 and 16 years.

Some Large Libraries.

The largest library in the world is that of Paris. It contains upward of 2,000,000 printed books and 160,000 manuscripts. The British museum contains about 1,500,000 volumes and the imperial library at St. Petersburg about the same number. These are the largest libraries in the world.

A Queer Suit.

A Kentucky druggist has been sued for \$10,000 damages for selling poison to a young man who made use of it to commit suicide. The suit is brought by the administrator of the suicide's estate.

A Collar Buttoner.

A Georgian has designed a collar buttoner which is shaped like a glove-buttoner and has the hook portion bent at an angle with the shank, to aid in releasing it from the button.

Death by Earthquakes.

It is estimated that since the beginning of the historical era 13,000,000 persons have perished in earthquakes.

MINES AND RAILROADS.

The Delaware Valley, Hudson and Lehigh Railroad has been seized by Sheriff Fisher, of Monroe county. The road extends from the village of Saylorsburg, via Stroudsburg, to Matamoras, in Pike county. Sheriff Fisher will also sell the right of way.

Mrs. Michael Lonzer, of Hazleton, was on Friday awarded \$3,000 damages by a Luzerne county jury for the death of her husband, an engineer, who was killed by the derailment of his locomotive, caused by the settlement of an undermined roadbed.

The York Farm and the Blackwood collieries of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company in Schuylkill county have been abandoned for an indefinite period. This is done to keep down the production of anthracite, so that prices may be kept up.

Wyoming and Pond Creek Coal Company is completing arrangements for the opening of a huge stripping to be commenced July 15, near Pond Creek. Two steam shovels will be used and about 150 men are to have employment.

The members of the Retail Coal Dealers' Association of Illinois and Wisconsin, to the number of 250, visited the mines of the Cross Creek Coal Company on Saturday and were shown about by Superintendent L. C. Smith.

PERSONALITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Fowler left this morning for Washington, D. C., where they will take part in the summer outing of the Pennsylvania Editorial Association.

John C. Keenan, of Girardville, spent yesterday in town. He will remove his family and household goods to that place today.

John Powell, of Upper Lehigh, and his father, William Powell, of Hazleton, are looking after business interests in Idaho.

Miss Nellie Campbell returned home on Saturday from her studies in a Philadelphia seminary.

Mrs. W. E. Oberender has returned from a visit to her mother, Mrs. Mackey, of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Condy O. Boyle and family have returned from Bayonne City, N. J.

Master Howard Fowler is visiting relatives in Riverside, Northumberland county.

Bernard Armstrong, of Wilkes-Barre, greeted friends here yesterday.

James S. McDonald is the guest of Wilkes-Barre relatives.

Cost of the Red Man.

Since the United States government was formed 19,000 white men, women and children have been slain in Indian wars and affrays and about 30,000 Indians, at an expense to our government of \$807,973,658. To this immense sum must be added the civil expenditure of the government on behalf of the Indians, which, between 1776 and 1890, amounted to \$259,944,082, making a total of \$1,067,917,740 for civil and military expenses in connection with the noble red man.

Beauties of Morro Castle.

El Morro is one of the grandest possessions in all Cuba, not as a fortress, but as a curiosity. The damage done the castle proper by our navy could be repaired for \$50,000. Its construction and mysteries are wonderful, and the scene from Morro ridge is unsurpassed in Cuba. Our guard there has explored it pretty thoroughly, but has not yet discovered the entrance to the subterranean torture rooms.

A Spoonman.

In Rappahannock county, Va., they lately had a "spoonman." All the participants were ladies. They rode on horseback at a fast gallop, each holding a dinner spoon with an egg in it. The one who rode three times around the arena without dropping the egg was crowned queen of the spoonman. A world of fun was had by both participants and spectators.

Successful Prospecting.

From the Hazleton Sentinel.

The prospecting for coal on Spring Mountain in Quakake valley by David Wetzel is meeting with gratifying success. Many shallow holes on the mountains are witnesses of Davie's earnest search after the dusky diamond. Heretofore these holes have always disappointed his anticipation, but now he claims that he has struck the right coal, and will soon bag that elusive Klondike of the coal fields. Residents from Hudsondale say there is every prospect that the highest anticipations will be realized, and in the near future operations will be started and coal can be brought by farmers nearer home.

Belongs to Schuylkill County.

James Jeffries, champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, belongs, it appears, to Schuylkill county. His father is Rev. Jonathan Jeffries, of Los Angeles, and his mother is a daughter of Christopher Boyer, who worked the old Boyer farm near Mollno. There are hundreds of Schuylkill county Boyers and Mats who are tracing their connection with Champion Jeffries. David Boyer, once a commissioner of Schuylkill county, is a relative.

Preacher Jeffries' parental ancestors were Scotch, but his mother was a Bendigo, of Pennsylvania Dutch stock, and raised on Pennsylvania soil.

May Yet Defeat the Jobbers.

Testimony was taken on Saturday before Judge Woodward on the exceptions to the proposed new courthouse being built on the Square in Wilkes-Barre.

Hon. H. W. Palmer, one of the witnesses, stated that the proposed new courthouse was entirely too large to be erected on the Public Square site and that it ought to be built on the river common; that this county did not need so large a building as the Osterling plans call for; that the only room necessary of all those outlined on the first floor was the arbitration room, and that all the rest were unnecessary and unauthorized by law.

He claimed that the sheriff's office was too large, and that the controller's office was too large; that the treasurer's office is too large; that the Bar Association's suite of rooms are unnecessary and unauthorized by law; that all the judges, lawyers and witnesses' rooms, at each of the court rooms, are of no use whatsoever and not necessary; that there is no need of a private marriage license room; that the office of the register of wills is too large.

He also claimed that the district attorney nor his assistant, nor their witnesses do not