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RAILROAD TIMETABLES

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

November 19, 1899.

ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

LEAVE FREELAND.

6 12 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 18 a m for Hazleton, Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

9 28 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.

1 20 p m for Weatherly, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Philadelphia and New York.

4 42 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel, Shamokin and Pottsville.

6 24 p m for Sandy Run, White Haven, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton and all points west.

7 29 p m for Hazleton, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin.

ARRIVE AT FREELAND.

7 40 a m from Weatherly, 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 and Shamokin.

9 20 a m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

11 45 a m from Pottsville, Shamokin, Mt. Carmel, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.

12 55 p m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk and Weatherly.

4 42 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

6 24 p m from New York, Philadelphia, Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Pottsville, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City, Shenandoah, Mahanoy City and Hazleton.

7 29 p m from Scranton, Wilkes-Barre and White Haven.

For further information inquire of Ticket Agents.

L. H. WILBUR, General Superintendent, 28 Cortlandt Street, New York City.

CHAS. S. LEBE, General Passenger Agent, 28 Cortlandt Street, New York City.

J. T. KEITH, Division Superintendent, Hazleton, Pa.

THE DELAWARE, SUSQUEHANNA AND SCHUYLKILL RAILROAD.

Time table in effect April 18, 1897.

Trains leave Drifton for Onedia Junction, Hazleton, Stockton, Beaver Meadow Road, Onedia 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 Harwood, Conowingo, Tomhicken and Deringer at 5:30, 6:00 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 7:30 a. m., 2:30 p. m., Sunday.

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

Trains leave Harwood for Onedia Junction, Cranberry, Tomhicken and Deringer at 6:35 a. m., daily except Sunday; and 8:55 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., 4:10 p. m., daily except Sunday; and 7:35 a. m., 3:11 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Shepton for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddo and Drifton at 5:22 p. m., daily, except Sunday; and 8:11 a. m., 3:00 p. m., Sunday.

Trains leave Hazleton Junction for Beaver Meadow Road, Stockton, Hazle Brook, Eckley, Jeddo and Drifton at 5:45, 8:20 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, Conowingo, Tomhicken and other points on the Traction Company's line.

Trains leaving Drifton at 5:30, 6:00 a. m. make connection at Deringer with F. R. R. trains for Wilkesbarre, 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 1:40 p. m., daily, except Sunday, arriving at Deringer at 5:00 p. m.

LUTHER C. SMITH, Superintendent.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF SALE.—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the court of common pleas of Luzerne county, there will be exposed to public sale on Saturday, March 10, 1899, at 10 a. m., in the Arbitration room, Courthouse, Wilkesbarre, Pa.

All that certain lot or piece of ground situated on the northeast corner of Pine and Birch streets, in the city of Hazleton, county of Luzerne, and state of Pennsylvania, being lot marked No. 10, of Square No. 171, in the plan of town of Hazleton (now city), bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northeast corner of Pine and Birch streets, thence southward along said Pine street 30 feet; thence eastward 100 feet to a certain twenty-foot wide alley; thence southward along said Birch street, thence westward along said Birch street 100 feet to place of beginning.

Improved with two two-and-one-half story double frame dwellings, necessary outhouses, fruit trees, etc., thereon.

Into the estate of the defendant in said writ named with the appearances.

Seized and taken into execution at the suit of Elizabeth Boyle vs. This town.

Jan. G. Harvey, sheriff.

John J. Kelley, attorney.

AUDITORS' NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, auditors of Foster township, will meet at the hotel of Mrs. Jane DeFoy, Washington street, Hazleton, Pa., on March 5, 1900, at 7 p. m., to audit the accounts of the township.

Joseph Gallagher, Auditor.

T. G. August, Auditor.

Foster Township, February 22, 1900.

ESTATE OF BUDGET BOYLE, late of Freeland, deceased.

Letters of administration upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay, to

Salvator DePiero.

C. O. Stroth, attorney.

"Fritz in a Madhouse."

J. K. Emmet, the famous German dialect comedian, familiarly known as "Fritz" Emmet, will be seen at the Grand opera house tomorrow evening.

With him as co-star comes America's idol, Lottie Gilson, who will appear in the principal female role. She will also introduce a number of her latest songs. Mr. Emmet is too well known to need an introduction. He has appeared in the character of "Fritz" in nearly every city of the country many times and his wonderfully sweet voice as well as his love for the little ones, has won the hearts of his audience. He is full of that magnetism which gives to make actors so popular and being one of the handsomest young fellows of the day, he easily captivates his hearers. "Fritz in a Madhouse" will be the play. There is an abundance of clean fun and the company is made up of clever and intelligent players.

THE BOROUGH ELECTION.

DEMOCRATS SWEEP THE TOWN BY LARGE MAJORITIES.

John F. Boyle Chosen Burgess by 71 Votes Over His Opponent—Malloy Wins by 86 and Krone by 66—Poor Ticket Also Carries Freeland—A Heavy Vote.

Tuesday will be a memorable day in the history of politics in Freeland. When the six polls of the borough closed that day ended the hottest, most exciting and most interesting local campaign that the voters of this town ever called upon to participate in. Both parties exerted themselves to their utmost, and as a result 1,042 votes were cast, the highest number ever polled here.

The official vote is published in an adjoining column. It gives John F. Boyle a majority of 71 for Burgess, Hugh Malloy a majority of 86 for tax collector and Henry Krone 66 for auditor. For poor director Henry Beineman carried the town by 17 and for poor auditor D. B. Briehoff leads by 76.

The voting was brisk all day long at the several polls, the Democrats having large numbers of active and earnest workers in each ward. They went about their duties with a confident air, fully believing that the returns would justify their labors, and in some of the districts every qualified Democrat had deposited his ballot long before 7 p. m.

When the day's work was done both sides rested for a brief spell, while the election boards were counting. The First ward was, as usual, the first to report. In this hitherto Republican district the honors were about even, Drasher and Malloy each carrying it by 4. The Fourth, the Second and the Third then reported in the order named, and the result for the two principal offices at that moment was: Drasher, 386; Boyle, 222; Kline, 358; Malloy, 250.

Boyle was 164 behind and Malloy was 108 behind. The famous South, however, was known to be good for fully 200 Democratic majority, and it more than fulfilled expectations. The combined vote of the two districts of the ward was: Boyle, 331; Drasher, 96; Boyle's majority, 235; Malloy, 307; Kline, 113; Malloy's majority, 194.

The news spread rapidly through the town and the usual manifestations of joy followed. At the Grand opera house the announcement of the returns from the stage by Manager McMenamin elicited prolonged applause from the audience. In deference to the wishes of the candidates, no public or formal demonstration of the victory was made, nevertheless it was late that night before those who helped to bring about the result were satisfied to turn homeward.

In the wards both parties did what unbiased observers expected. In the Third a Republican school director was chosen by the party vote. In the Fourth Dr. Rutter and A. Goepfert made a vigorous contest, but the odds were against them and George Sweet was elected concilman by 31 and George T. Brown, Esq., school director by 10.

The South ward Democratic ticket won by an overwhelming majority, the Democratic vote of either district being sufficient to over come the total Republican vote in the ward. For council Chas. Moerschbacher was elected by 240 votes and Peter Timony was returned to the school board by 233 majority.

All day yesterday the triennial wall of the defeated could be heard, but among all the reasons advanced for the result the Republican lamenters failed to hit upon the real cause—the disgust of the people of Freeland at the reckless, unbusiness-like and willful squandering of public money by the present Republican council. This, added to the contemptible methods used by certain candidates and their borough-paid henchmen to bull-doze the voters, made Democratic success certain long before a vote was cast.

VOTE OF FOSTER TOWNSHIP.

Names of Candidates.

Erasmus Snyder, d. 38 27 21 22 06 11 26 89 61 361

Abe Lentz, r. 20 24 121 40 18 26 71 25 19 364

Jacob Ziesloff, d. 3 yrs. 43 34 30 24 49 22 23 72 59 356 15

Frank McHugh, d. 3 yrs. 38 25 77 26 64 12 20 47 63 372 31

Philip Brion, r. 3 yrs. 20 15 61 34 29 14 56 34 14 277

Edmund Williams, r. 3 yrs 17 20 75 34 20 25 80 54 16 341

William Fritzing, 1 yr. 37 25 51 23 44 12 21 42 59 314

Harry Argus, r. 1 yr. 18 19 69 32 35 20 66 61 17 337 23

James Sweeney, d. 38 24 55 30 64 17 21 102 59 410 103

Patrick Campbell, d. 39 36 59 30 60 13 37 61 63 398 91

Charles Coxe, r. 20 13 71 32 25 17 65 18 16 277

Samuel Miller, r. 20 29 67 29 20 24 67 38 13 307

Henry Marks, d. 37 32 48 38 44 17 25 41 25 307

Joseph Roberts, r. 31 17 81 22 40 17 67 66 54 385 78

William Sheaman, d. 38 28 50 9 50 24 23 51 58 331

John Thomas, r. 30 19 79 53 32 13 67 53 20 358 27

Condy Ward, d. 37 22 50 28 59 14 29 46 61 337

George Shupp, r. 30 24 77 35 24 18 70 60 18 346 9

Henry Beineman, d. 35 23 38 24 42 12 19 41 59 293

W. C. Campbell, r. 31 17 81 22 40 17 67 66 54 385 78

D. H. Briehoff, d. 37 25 48 27 52 14 18 40 61 322

A. H. Bieckley, r. 32 23 79 30 30 19 73 65 15 356 34

VOTE OF FREELAND BOROUGH.

Figures Which Show How the Ballots Were Cast on Tuesday.

Below is the vote polled in the wards and election districts of the borough. The first column shows the number of votes received by each candidate and the second column the majorities of the winners.

FIRST WARD.

Judge—Jos. McClelland, r. 82 4

P. C. Miller, d. 78 4

Inspector—James Williamson, r. 82 4

Daniel McGarvey, d. 78 4

SECOND WARD.

Judge—John Sutton, r. 108 76

Joseph Murrin, d. 32 76

Inspector—John Probert, r. 111 82

Michael Murrin, d. 29 82

THIRD WARD.

School Director—John M. Isaac, r. 66 31

George Schaub, d. 35 31

Judge—George Schwabe, r. 60 20

Henry Hincer, d. 40 20

Inspector—Peter Jasinski, r. 59 18

John Schnee, d. 41 18

FOURTH WARD.

Councilman—George Sweet, r. 114 31

E. W. Rutter, d. 83 31

School Director—Geo. T. Brown, r. 103 10

A. Goepfert, d. 93 10

Judge—Archibald Carpenter, r. 115 40

Daniel Gallagher, d. 75 40

Inspector—Soimnon Trantor, r. 114 39

Patrick Carey, d. 75 39

SOUTH WARD.

Councilman—D. W. Richards, r. 54 33 87

Chas. Moerschbacher, d. 186 141 327 240

School Director—Richard Scott, r. 57 34 91

Peter Timony, d. 184 140 324 233

Inspector—James Morgan, r. 63 63

Hugh Shovlin, d. 176 113

Inspector—Robert Jenkins, r. 62 62

Daniel Furey, d. 176 114

Register—James J. Ward, d. 180 180

Judge—George Welch, r. 38 38

H. M. Breslin, d. 137 99

Inspector—D. P. Jones, r. 36 36

Patrick Brennan, d. 136 100

Register—Patrick F. Gallagher, d. 141 141

Notice of Reduction in Price of Electric Lighting.

Taking effect March 1, 1900, the price for incandescent electric lighting current, by meter service, will be reduced from 18 cents to 13 cents per thousand watt hours.

Thanking our patrons for their liberal patronage, we trust the reduction in price now offered will merit largely increased patronage.

Freeland Electric Light, H. and P. Co. R. E. Meyer, superintendent. Freeland, Pa., February 21, 1900.

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.

The Citizens' band has exchanged a number of its old instruments for new ones.

John Sima, aged 45 years, of Sandy Run, was taken to Laurytown almshouse yesterday. He is troubled with dropsy.

Hazleton clergymen on Sunday in their sermons vigorously condemned the sacred concerts given on Sunday evenings in the opera house in that city.

Measles continue to increase at an alarming rate throughout town. The disease is followed in many cases by pneumonia, and few families in which there are children have escaped.

Miss Maggie Farrell and George Beisel were married on Tuesday at St. Ann's church by Rev. M. J. Fallishe. Miss Bid Roarty, of Eckley, was bridesmaid, and John Farrell was groomsmen.

Mrs. Brinton Cox and Mrs. Eckley B. Cox are making preparations for a European tour. They will leave on Saturday and will be accompanied by Misses Bid O'Donnell and Sallie Gallagher.

Delegates to a district convention, to be held at Hazleton on Monday to choose delegates to the state convention, will be elected at the various polling places on Saturday evening by the Democrats.

Joseph Geiger, of Lehigh, a prominent Lehigh Valley Railroad man, committed suicide Monday morning by hanging himself to a tree at Packerton. His body was found suspended from a small tree along the Lehigh river.

The lecture which was to be delivered for the Mining and Mechanical Institute building fund at the opera house on the 13th inst. by Hugh L. Conary will be given on March 6. The Keystone Trio, engaged for the latter date, will appear later.

Jacob Longenberger and John Rudolph were crushed to death on Monday in Gowen mine by a fall of coal which was caused by an explosion of gas. The bodies were recovered yesterday. The men were brothers-in-law and until lately were employed at Jeddo.

Dr. I. B. Lathrop, father of W. A. Lathrop, general superintendent of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company, died Tuesday morning, aged about 77 years. Mr. Lathrop went to the home in Springville, Susquehanna county, but when he arrived his father was dead.

Gentlemen, for hats and caps go to A. Oswald's. He has a nice variety.

The remains of the late John Boyle arrived from San Francisco Monday evening. They were taken to the residence of Edward O'Donnell, South Washington street, from which place the funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon. The interment was made in St. Ann's cemetery.

Amandus Oswald, the well-known merchant, is dangerously ill at his home corner of Centre and Front streets. On Tuesday it was feared that recovery was impossible, but better news is given out by the family this morning. He passed a good night and is resting quietly today.

On Saturday evening the members of the Crescents Athletic Association will hold their first hop at Yannes' opera house. St. Ann's band will furnish the dance music. A large number of tickets have been disposed of and the boys intend to make their first hop a success in every manner. All are kindly invited to attend.

E. S. Wolf was stricken with paralysis while at work in Roth's blacksmith shop on Tuesday. He was taken to his home on Walnut street, where he died that evening. Mr. Wolf was aged 62 years and is survived by a wife and family. The remains will be interred tomorrow at Freeland cemetery by Undertaker Albert.

Thomas Rogan, of Olyphant, met a tragic death at Pittston Saturday. Rogan served in the late war and was wounded at Santiago. Some weeks ago his wound brought on a spell of fever. While in a delirious condition he escaped from the house and wandered to Pittston. He walked upon the railroad track, was run down and killed by a train.

Committees appointed by the Catholic societies of St. Ann's parish met on Sunday and began preparations for the annual celebration of St. Patrick's Day. W. F. Ward was chosen chairman and John McElwee secretary. It was decided to celebrate the day by attending mass at 9 a. m. and to parade at 1 p. m. Sub-committees to look after the several arrangements were appointed.

PLEASURE CALENDAR.

February 24.—Hop of Crescent Athletic Association at Yannes' opera house. Admission, 25 cents.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Freeland Opera House Co., Lessees.

FRIDAY, FEB. 23.

Special Engagement.

THE SWEET SINGING COMEDIAN,

J. K. EMMET

AND AMERICA'S IDOL.

LOTTIE GILSON,

THE LITTLE MAGNET.

With a Splendid Company of Players will present that Good Old Funny Play

FRITZ IN A MADHOUSE.

Prices: Lower Floor, 35, 50, 75c. BALCONY, 35c. GALLERY, 25c.

Seats now on sale at McMenamin's store.

LAUBACH'S VIENNA BAKERY.

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Centre Street, Freeland.

CHOICE BREAD OF ALL KINDS, CAKES, AND PASTRY, DAILY.

FANCY AND NOVELTY CAKES BAKED TO ORDER.

Confectionery and Ice Cream

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Delivery and supply wagons to all parts of town and surroundings every day.

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The finest brands of Domestic and Imported Whiskey on sale in one of the handsomest saloons in town. Fresh Rochester and Shenandoah Beer and Youngling's Porter on tap.

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