

FREELAND TRIBUNE.

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TRI-WEEKLY

IN A FEW MORE DAYS.

EVERYTHING WILL BE CLOSED OUT IN A SHORT WHILE.

The big semi-annual clearance sale inaugurated at Refowich's famous Wear Well Clothing, Boot and Shoe House several weeks ago has been a great success. Never before has a sale in Freeland caused such commotion and excitement. At times the big establishment was so crowded with eager buyers that it was impossible to wait upon all.

Everything has been marked down, for it is a rule of this store that no goods shall be carried over from one season to another. Every article must go, regardless of cost.

The stock now consists of several broken sizes and lots, in which you will find many extraordinary bargains. Save money by attending this sale. What is still left must be disposed of at once, as we will soon prepare to receive the large stock of fall and winter goods which is being made up for us.

WEDDING SILVER

No more appropriate gift for a wedding than silver. A variety of handsome pieces specially selected for the purpose is now on exhibition at our store.

Rogers & Bros'

Knives, forks table and tea spoons and fancy pieces all latest patterns.

BUTTERWICK'S

Cor. Front and Centre Streets.

Sheet Music at Cut-Rate Prices.

AMANDUS OSWALD,

dealer in

Dry Goods, Groceries and Provisions.

FRESH ROLL BUTTER AND EGGS. A celebrated brand of XX flour always in stock.

Latest Hats and Caps.

All kinds of household utensils. N. W. Cor. Centre and Front Sts., Freeland.

T. CAMPBELL,

dealer in

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes.

Also

PURE WINES & LIQUORS FOR FAMILY AND MEDICINAL PURPOSES.

Centre and Main streets, Freeland.

CURRY'S

Groceries, Provisions, Green Truck,

Dry Goods and Notions

are among the finest sold in Freeland. Send a sample order and try them.

E. J. Curry, South Centre Street.

Summer Shoes

are here in abundance. We have the latest products of the largest manufacturers, and are prepared to furnish

Men, Women and Children

with footwear at prices as low as any dealer in the county, quality considered. We handle

Nothing but Shoes,

therefore, we can sell to better advantage and guarantee you better value for your money than can be had elsewhere. When you want footwear, come to the

STAR SHOE STORE.

Hugh Malloy, Prop. Corner Centre and Walnut Streets.

FIREMEN'S BIG STRIKE

Upper End Miners Thrown Idle by the Battle.

Eight-Hour Day Question Is Being Fought by Large Companies--Mine Workers Oppose the Strike.

The strike of the stationary firemen of the Wyoming region, which was ordered for yesterday morning, began on schedule time. One thousand firemen are striking, about 80,000 mine workers are idle and the mines between Scranton and Wilkesbarre are shut down. The strike in the Scranton district was declared on at 5 o'clock last night, and this morning the 30,000 miners between Scranton and Forest City, comprising the upper coal field, were thrown idle. In the Lehigh and Shamokin districts the firemen have been given three days more at work before the strike order affects them. They are not so well organized in those two districts, and organizers are now among them.

At the mines of several large coal companies notices have been posted declaring work suspended indefinitely. At others where work was started at the usual hour it was suspended just as soon as the firemen walked out of the boiler-rooms.

When President Nichols, of the First district of the United Mine Workers, was asked the position of his men in the matter all he would say was: "The Mine Workers will remain entirely neutral at present. We may reach another decision later." What this other decision may be, however, he would not say.

Several of the small companies granted the request of the men for an eight-hour day.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF the Foster Township School District for the year ending June 30, 1901.

Dr.	Cr.
To amount of duplicate.....	\$10,343 80
To amount of supplemental.....	108 43
	10,452 23
By amount collected first sixty days.....	6,736 36
By abatements on \$6,736.36 at 5 per cent.....	336 82
By commission on \$6,400.54 at 2 per cent.....	128 01
By amount paid treasurer.....	6,327 41
	6,796 36
Balance due township after first sixty days.....	3,655 96
To amount collected after first sixty days.....	2,650 43
By land returns to county commissioners.....	747 5
By abatements from county commissioners.....	64
By filing bond.....	1 00
By exonerations granted by school board.....	855 84
By commission at 5 per cent on \$2,650.43.....	102 52
By amount paid treasurer.....	1,324 93
By balance due Foster township.....	23 48
	3,655 96
Account of Edward Doubt, Treasurer.	10,452 23

Dr.

To ex-treasurer.....	\$ 11 47
To amount received from Harry Argent.....	2 00
To amount received from Margaret Carr.....	1 50
To amount received from part of state appropriation.....	4,000 00
To amount received from tax collector.....	3,000 00
To amount received from J. A. Alden.....	2 00
To amount received from J. A. Alden.....	6 00
To amount received from unassessed land tax.....	882 26
To amount received from balance state appropriation.....	2,038 22
To amount received from election rent.....	80 00
To check from tax collector.....	2,000 00
To amount received from J. A. Alden.....	5 00
To amount received from tax collector.....	252 34
To amount received from J. A. Alden.....	8 00
To amount received from Jacob Zeistoff.....	1 50
	15,310 39

By teachers' salaries.....	9,448 00
By night school.....	210 00
By institute.....	250 00
By outstanding orders of 1900.....	2,780 96
By fuel and contingencies.....	447 50
By books and supplies.....	910 63
By repairing and furnishing.....	250 75
By cleaning schools.....	225 00
By printing.....	36 15
By insurance.....	156 18
By tuition.....	25 58
By secretary's salary.....	250 00
By treasurer's commission.....	305 19
By balance.....	5 78
	15,310 39

Liabilities.

Orders outstanding and unpaid.....	\$ 519 55
Resources.....	5 78
Liabilities in excess of resources.....	\$ 503 77

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 correct to the best of our knowledge.

T. G. Argent, Auditor.
Geo. L. Shupp, Auditor.
Wm. H. Welliver, Auditor.

ESTATE OF ELIZA MULLIGAN, late of Freeland, deceased.
Letters testamentary 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 William J. Timney, R. J. O'Donnell, attorney, Freeland, Pa.

hour day at the last moment. These are the Plymouth Coal Company, the Haddock Company, the Wyoming Coal and Land Company, the Clear Spring Company and the Kingston Coal Company.

The large companies which shut down their mines and declared a virtual lock-out against firemen, and also miners and engineers, are the Lehigh Valley, the Erie, the Susquehanna and Western, the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre, the Parrish, the Red Ash, Payne & Perrin, the Raub Company, the Temple Iron and Coal Company, the Keystone, the Algonquin, the Delaware and Hudson, the Alden, the Butler, the Newton and a number of smaller companies at mines and washeries.

It is expected that this action will be followed in the morning by the companies in the First and Second anthracite districts between Scranton and Forest City. This will increase the number of idle miners to about 130,000. Of the factories and mills in the upper end only a few have refused the demands of the men, and the most important have granted them, so that that the chief fight will be with the coal companies. The Sheldon Axle Works, however, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the world, refused the demands and last night announced a lockout of all its employees, firemen and others, for an indefinite period.

As soon as the firemen struck at the mines the companies sent fire bosses, outside foremen, coal and iron police, clerks and other non-union men into the boiler rooms and they have kept up steam enough to run the pumps at most mines. At some, however, these men refused to take firemen's places and the stopping of the pumps will flood the mines.

MINE WORKERS OPPOSE STRIKE.

Yesterday afternoon the members of the executive committee of the United Mine Workers of District No. 1 met and decided to issue an order restraining all firemen who are members of the Mine Workers from striking. About one-third of all the firemen employed in the anthracite region are members of the Mine Workers' Union, having joined that in preference to the Firemen's Union.

The members of the Firemen's Union are much displeased with the action the Mine Workers executive committee took, and it is generally conceded that the strike will fail. A desire to protect the mine workers from the great loss a strike would entail, which would result in a suspension of mining, caused the Mine Workers to take the decisive step they did.

If the executive committee of District No. 7 takes the same position as District No. 1 has taken, the strike cannot affect the Lehigh region, as all the firemen at collieries here are members of the United Mine Workers.

Snyder's Family Troubles.

As Chris Snyder returned from work near Wilkesbarre last night he says he discovered his wife and Charles Ungent walking up and down the yard with their arms about each other. So he grabbed an ax and made for Ungent, but that gentleman scaled the back fence.

Mrs. Snyder then took carbolic acid, but it was so highly diluted that when her husband discovered what she was up to and took the bottle from her she had not taken enough to seriously affect her.

Cash Will Be the Rule.

A. S. VanWinkle & Co., the Beaver Brook Coal Company, the Silver Brook Coal Company and Dougherty & Co., all owning company stores, gave notice yesterday that hereafter their business will be conducted on a strictly cash basis. Dougherty & Co., who pluck South Side miners, will abandon their store on the first of next month.

The coal corporations owning stores in the Schuylkill region have nearly all given notice of their intention to place the stores on a cash basis.

Died From Blood Poisoning.

Mrs. John Martis, aged 40 years, died last evening at 8 o'clock from blood poisoning. She is survived by her husband and four children, also by four brothers in Baltimore. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Adams street at 9 o'clock Friday morning. A requiem mass will be read at St. Kasimer's church and the remains interred at St. Ann's cemetery.

You can never cure dyspepsia by dieting. What your body needs is plenty of good food properly digested. Then if your stomach will not digest it, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will. It contains all of the natural digestants hence must digest every class of food and so prepare it that nature can use it in nourishing the body and replacing the wasted tissues, thus giving life, health, strength, ambition, pure blood and good healthy appetite. Grover's City drug store.

ROUND THE REGION.

Judge Kelly in the Lackawanna county court has issued an injunction against P. J. McAndrews and fifty-nine other defendants, all members of Car Builders Association No. 7,304, at the prayer of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company to restrain the defendants from in any way interfering with the company in the operation of its shops, or in any interfering with the rights of any persons in the employment of the company or desiring to enter such employment.

The employees of the Kingston Coal Company, 3,000 in number, went on strike yesterday morning with the sanction of the Mine Workers' executive committee of the district. The men complain that the company has been reducing prices on the various kinds of work contrary to its agreement with the miners last April.

Valuable copper deposits have been discovered at Evans Falls, Wyoming county. Specimens of the ore were submitted to Prof. Horn, of Dickinson college, Carlisle, and he found that 65 per cent was copper. A Wilkesbarre syndicate has purchased the land and will develop the mines.

Peter Gonoski, of Wilkesbarre, was arrested on the charge of thrashing Mrs. John Honius. His dog ran among a carefully attended bed of tomatoes owned by the woman, and when she went to him to protest, it is alleged, he beat her.

Chairman Reese Lloyd yesterday certified to the Republican county nominations. The ticket contains the name of Arthur Dick, of Hazleton, for controller. Controller Lloyd, it is expected, will run independently.

At a meeting of Mahanoy City Board of Education last night Professor Charles E. Hower, of Lewistown, was elected principal of the high school at a salary of \$100 per month.

Overcome by the exertion of nursing and caring for four sick children and her sick husband, Mrs. Elizabeth Jeffries, of Wilkesbarre, became insane and is being cared for by the authorities.

The piles that annoy you so will be quickly and permanently healed if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless counterfeits. Grover's City drug store.

Building operations in Hazleton are completely tied up, due to the strike of the carpenters, which was inaugurated five weeks ago.

The one-man police force at Mahanoy City is a thing of the past. Last night the borough council elected a force of five men.

The Knights of Columbus of Shamokin have decided to erect a building there to cost \$30,000.

Thieves entered Compton & Butler's store at Tamaqua yesterday and stole \$16 and clothing.

The annual convention of the State Sunday School Association will be held in Chester on October 8, 9 and 10.

Colonel E. H. Ripple has been reappointed postmaster of Scranton. He has been postmaster for four years.

J. C. Brader, of Nanticoke, has declined the Prohibition nomination for controller.

John Williams, of Shickshinny, was bitten by a rattlesnake while picking huckleberries, and is in a serious condition.

Free delivery of mail goes into effect at Nanticoke on October 1.

Liquor Men Have Troubles.

The executive board of the Retail Liquors Dealers Association of North-eastern Pennsylvania held a meeting on Monday in Wilkesbarre and representatives were present representing towns from Freeland to Scranton, including Luzerne and Lackawanna counties.

The chief business discussed was the refusal on the part of the Central Pennsylvania Brewing Company to reduce the price of beer. It will be remembered that the government dropped the revenue tax 40 cents per barrel, while the price of beer was reduced only 25 cents per barrel by the brewing company and now the dealers are considering the advisability of boycotting the trust.

At the meeting one of the members stated that a New York man was present and introduced a movement to build a brewery to be located somewhere between Wilkesbarre and Scranton, the same be erected, conducted and owned by the liquor dealers, who are to purchase shares ranging from \$5 upwards. There was considerable wrangling about the proposition to buy beer elsewhere than from the trust breweries, and the discussion continued until adjournment without definite action being taken. Neither was anything done about the new brewery project. Another meeting will be held next Monday and the subjects will again come up.

LOCAL NOTES WRITTEN UP

Short Items of Interest to All Readers.

Happenings of the Past Two Days in and Around Freeland Recorded Without Waste of Words.

Willy Dougherty spent yesterday at Wilkesbarre and completed arrangements for the running of a special train to town from the county seat on the evening of the 31st inst., when Frank McGee, of Philadelphia, and Thomas Quigley, of Wilkesbarre, will box twenty rounds for a decision. Fully 500 people from the upper end are expected to attend this bout.

Money to the amount of \$70 was stolen on Monday afternoon from the clothes of Michael Zapp in the bottling house of Geo. Malinky, Fern street, by young boys. A few hours later \$65 was found hidden in the wagon shed.

Preparations for the Irish games and picnic of the A. O. U. at the Public park on Saturday have been completed, and a large crowd of people is expected. The contests are stirring up much rivalry among local athletes.

The finest ice cream in town, all flavors, wholesale and retail, at Merkt's.

Miss Genevieve Bachman, of North Centre street, who graduated last month at East Stroudsburg state normal school, has been appointed to teach one of the schools of Butler township.

Mahanoy City ball club will be the attraction at the Tigers park on Sunday afternoon. On Saturday the Tigers will test their strength against the Slatington club on the latter's grounds.

A shooting match between the Freeland and Upper Lehigh Gun Clubs is being arranged, and will attract much attention from the marksmen of the vicinity when it takes place.

Rev. Fainworthy, of Scranton, has accepted the pastorate of St. Paul's P. M. church and will begin his duties on August 4. He succeeds Rev. W. C. Hall, who was transferred last May to another church.

Ice cream soda at Keiper's.

John Evans has resigned as foreman for Wentz & Co. at Hazle Brook to accept a similar position at Eckley. Mr. Evans will be succeeded by Daniel Craig, of Eckley.

Mrs. E. B. Cox and Mrs. Alex. Cox, of Drifton, are at Philadelphia attending the funeral of a relative, Frank Fisher, who was drowned a few days ago at one of the New Jersey summer resorts.

Nicholas Capece was taken yesterday to the Eastern penitentiary at Philadelphia to serve the twenty-year sentence imposed on him for killing Rudolph Demerio last spring.

Judge Lynch has discharged Frank Zinona, who has been in jail for a week charged with the murder of Raphael Salvador, of Freeland, at Hazleton.

Soda water—all flavors—at Keiper's.

The working cards of all union miners attached to District No. 7 will be inspected on August 1.

Miss Marie Kusnerick and Michael Kasa, both of town, will be married on the 24th inst.

The carriage house of F. H. Albert on Fern street is now ready for occupancy.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Michael McAndrews, of Philadelphia, who has been in town since the death of her mother, Mrs. Mulligan, left last evening for Wilkesbarre to spend a week with relatives.

Mrs. Willy Dougherty is in Philadelphia to meet her sister, Miss Mollie Hayden, of St. Louis, who will spend the summer here.

Miss Kate Gillespie returned to Philadelphia this week, after spending a week with her parents in Drifton. Miss Gillespie is employed as a nurse in the Jefferson hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ferry, of Wilkesbarre, will visit the former's mother, Mrs. Denis Ferry, Ridge street, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bergin returned yesterday from their wedding trip and have taken up their residence at Drifton.

Mrs. Leopold Shanno, of North Washington street, is visiting Berwick relatives.

Miss Celia Faltz, of Williamsport, is the guest of relatives in town.

Misses Sharpe and Mulhearn, of Lansford, visited relatives in town this week.

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ONE THIRD ACTUAL SIZE

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Choice Bread of All Kinds, Cakes, and Pastry, Daily. Fancy and Novelty Cakes Baked to Order.

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