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# PRESIDENT IS **IMPROVING**

Latest Reports Indicate a Favorable Change.

Today's Dispatches From Buffalo Are Encouraging and Physicians Predict His Speedy Recovery.

This afternoon's dispatches from Buffalo are very encouraging, and the physicians in attendance on President Mc-Kinley give it as their opinion that a favorable change in his condition is coming.

This opinion is based on the fact that no further unfavorable symptoms have developed since Saturday. The danger point, however, is not yet passed, and the bulletins which are issued hourly

from the Milburne home in Buffalo are remarkably conservative in their tone. To alley public suspicion regarding the bulletins, the following statement has been issued by Secretary to the President Cortelyou: "The public will be kept fully advised

of the actual condition of the president. Each bulletin is carefully and conserva tively prepared, and is an authoritative statement of the most important fea-tures of the case at the hour it is issued. The people are entitled to the facts and shall have them.

This statement is intended to put a rest any idea that the official bulletins underestimate the conditions and at the same time to give assurance that those with the president intend that the people shall have the facts.

#### Bishop Consecrated.

Monsignor Eugene A. Garvey, of Pitts-ton, was yesterday consecrated bishop of the new diocese of Altoona, at St. Peter's cathedral, Scranton, with a most solemn and imposing ceremony. The consecrating bishop was Cardinal Mar-tinelli, the apostolic delegate. Assist-ing him were Bishop Hobau, of Scranton, and Bishop Fitzmaurice, of Erie. Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia; Bis-hop Prendergast, of Philadelphia, and Bishop McQuaid, of Rochester, were in

attendance. More than one hundred priests were in the sanctuary, The sermon was preached by Rev. Charles Kelly, S. J., of Philadelphia. He preceded his sermon by referring to the fact that the joy of the occasion was overshadowed by the calamity that had come to the nation's chief, and asking the earnest prayers of all present that he president might be restored to health to continue to be the model of civic vir-tue that he has been in the past. Bishop Garvey will sing his first pon-

sifical mass in Pittston next Sunday and on the following Tuesday will go to his see accompanied by an escort of priests of

#### The Soldiers Re-Union.

From the Conyngham Herald.
Two weeks from tomorrow Conyng ham will be honored by the presence of several scores of old soldiers who en-dured hardships and faced bullets during the Civil war. It is the annual re-union of the remaining members of the One Hundred and Forty-seventh Penn'a Volunteers, Twenty-eighth Penn'a Volunteers and Knapp's Battery, which or ganizations were in the thickest of that bloody fight at Peach Tree Creek, Georgia. The committee in charge of arrangements is C. H. Knelly, Peter Bishop, Nathan Wagner, L. L. Babcock, Thomas Monroe and Reuben Faux, and the "old boys" are leaving nothing un-done towards making the gathering a pleasant and memorable one

The comrades intend to meet to have a good time and that they will have it goes without saying. The festivities will be held in one of the nearby groves, and should the weather prove inclement in P. O. S. of A. hall. We would suggest that our citizens display flags on that date. Let us give the old soldiers a royal

#### School Board Meeting.

The motion adopted at a previous meeting to elect a truant officer was res-cinded, the board not being financially

#### MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

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situated to assume the additional ex-

ense. Supervising Principal Hoffman ported the arrival of supplies and mistakes noted. They were ordered to be rectified. The principal was ordered to ascertain the number of pupils competent to enter the high school.

It was decided to prepare a supple nentary tax duplicate and a committee will confer with the solicitor in relation

thereto. Elliot Oberrender, of Drifton, present in response to the invitation of the board. Mr. Oberrender evidently was not aware of the real condition of affairs of the district, apparently basing his opinions on hearsay rather than He will probably attend future facts. meetings in order to see things as they are.

All bills were laid over until a future

meeting, which will be held at the call of the president.

#### September Weddings.

At St. Ann's church yesterday the bans of marriage between William J. Doggett, of North Washington street, and Miss Mame Cunningham, of Walnut street, were announced. The ceremony both of Jeddo, were also called out at the same time.

Announcement is made of the coming marriage of Miss Annie Duffy, of town, to John McCann, of Sandy Run.

On Saturday evening Charles Rickert, of Freeland, and Miss Ann Bittner, of Jeddo, were united in marriage by Rev

#### Sandy Run Deaths.

Mrs. Edmund Williams, of Sandy Rudied on Saturday from pneumonia. T deceased was aged 29 years and is sur-vived by her husband, two children and an infant child. She was a daughter of Fred Krone, of Johnson street, and was known to many people in Freeland.
The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon. Interment at Freeland

Mrs. James Dunn, of Sandy Run, who died on Friday evening, was buried yes-terday afternoon at Freeland cemetery. The funeral was attended by a number of relatives and friends.

#### Freeland Boys Won.

The last half of the alley ball game between the Gallagher brothers, of town, and Girard and Hanley, of Milnesville, was played at the latter place yes-terday. The score stood 39 to 41 in favor of Freeland at the commencement. The Milnesville players were not in it from the start, not playing the game they did in Freeland during the first half. The Gallagher brothers, on the contrary, could take anything on the alley, and they beat their oppon-with ease by a score of 81 to 64.

#### Elected Officers.

The Cecilian Club, connected with St. Ann's school, met on Friday and elected the following officers: President—Master James Brogan.

Vice president-Master Ralph De-

retary-Miss Mildred Bon Cecilian review-Miss Rose Gaffney. Sergeant-at-arms-Master Daniel Mc-

Critic-Miss May Jacobs

#### Drawn as Jurors.

The following citizens of this vicinity ave been drawn to serve as jurors on the dates preceding their names

the dates preceding their names.
October 7, common pleas—Neal Gallagher, Foster; J. W. Amon, Butler; J.
L. Davis, S. S. Simpson, Hazle.
October 14, common pleas—Frank G.
Gallagher, George C. Farrar, Arthur
Jones, Charles Keenan, James Cunnius,
Frank Gallagher, Freeland; James
Meyers, Foster.

#### Application for Divorce.

Mary Grebey, through her attorney, Charles Orion Strob, has filed proceed ings in divorce against her husband. Adam Grebey, on grounds of descriton.
The parties were married in Hazleton
in 1873, and lived together at that place
and Freeland until 1887, when the alleged descriton occurred. The plaintiff and Freeland until 1887, when the alleged desertion occurred. The plaintiff still resides at Freeland and says her-busband is lying at Graham and says her-busband is lying at Graham.

rate of 87.50 for the round trip. Tick-test good only in day coaches.

Ten-day tickets will be sold from Freahand every day, May 1 to October 31, good on any train, except the Black Diamond express, at the rate of \$10 for the round trip.

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#### ROUND THE REGION.

In a speech to a large audience of miners at Forest City Friday afternoon President John Mitchell, of the Mine Workers, made this definite announce-ment: "Next spring I will advise the miners to ask an eight-hourday, and if it is not granted I will urge them to fight for it." This declaration was greeted by prolonged applause.

Charles Snyder, a retired grocer and prominent citizen of Mahanoy City, died last night, of general debility. He was 70 years old, and had been identi fied actively with the town's interest

The three-year-old son of Frederick Pettebone, of Wyoming, during the temporary absence of his mother, got down on his knees and holding his face in a washtub in which was six inches of water remained in this position until he was drowned. On the mother's return she found her child dead.

The directors of both Pittston bridge over the Susquehanna have submitted their prices to the county commission The sum of \$95,500 was asked for the Water street bridge and \$75,000 for the Ferry bridge. The offers will prob-ably be rejected.

Andrew Sisco, found guilty of arso in setting fire to his house in Wyoming to obtain insurance, was sentenced by Judge Wheaton to three years' impris onment in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$500.

Lottie Smith, an eighteen-year-old girl, giving White Haven as her home, has been arrested at Wilkesbarre as a tramp. She was caught in a freight car at the Lehigh Valley Railroad depot.

Walter B. Koons, ex-clerk of the courts, has received notice of the death of an aunt at Moorestown, near Had-donfield, N. J. She was never married and left property valued at about \$80, 000. It is located in the heart of Moorestown. The property is left to four heirs, one of whom is Mr. Koons

James R. Clark, a scout in the regular James R. Clark, a scour it the Philippines, army, died last week in the Philippines, department has notified and the war department has notified relatives of his demise. He enlisted from Shamokin seven years ago. He fought with the Twenty-first regulars in Cuba and the Philippines. His death was caused py exhaustion incident to a forced march. He was a special favorite of Genera! Lawton

#### Official Organ Forecasts Peace.

The United Mine Workers' Journal (organ of the national organization) in

its issue of last week, says: "It is considered improbable that there will be a general strike in the anthracite coal region before April 1, 1902. An earnest effort will be made by a committee appointed at the session of the United Mine Workers' convention at Hazleton, Pa., to persuade the heads of the coal companies to agree to a joint conference with delegates from the miners before April 1, 1902."

#### Knights of Malta Officers.

Garfield Commandery, No. 6, Knights of Malta, has elected the following offi cers for the ensuing term: Commander-B. F. Rute. Genneralissimo—James W. Boyle. Captain-general—Stephen Page. Prelate—William Ashman. Recording secretary—John Bell, Sr. Assistant—Archie Keers. Treasurer—Samuel Salmon.
Senior warden—Archie Carpenter.
Junior warden—James Williamson.

#### Courthouse Will Be Built.

In the returns of the September grand jury to the judges of this county court, the jury recommends the immediate building of the new county courthouse. This proposed structure has been delay-Inis proposed structure has been delay-ed for the last two years and more by injunctions and discussion over a site. The commissioners are also directed to pay \$15,000 debt on Memoriai Hall, the home erected by Wilkesbarre citizens for the Grand Army

#### Child Severely Burned.

Emma Krugu, a ten-year-old child, of Upper Lehigh, was burned severely at cover.

#### Dog Lost.

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A white, black and tan spotted beagle hound pup, aged 4 months, with quarter-moon cut from back of right ear, has been lost. Any information of her whereabouts will be thankfully received by Hugh Malloy, Star Shoe House, Freeland.

Special Low Fares to Cleveland, O. Via the Lebigh Valley Railroad, a count G. A. R. national encampen Tickets on sale September 8 to 12 inc sive. Consult Lebigh Valley tick agents for particulars.

# 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.

George Fisher has completed arrange ments to retire from the restaurant business, and his place on Walnut street will pass into the possession of Benhard Dinn on the first of next month. Mr. Dinn has many friends who wish him success in his venture.

Sun Bros.' show gave two exhibitions on the Birvanton grounds Saturday afternoon and evening. The show is not pretentious, but it contains several good features. A creditable street parade preceded the afternoon performance.

True bills have been returned against Andrew O'Donnell, Robert Jenkins, John Ward, Albert Marshman and Dominic Boezkowski, charged with as-sault and battery on John Birkbeck and Foster J. Comp during Drifton shop strike.

John Melly will leave New York city next Saturday for Liverpool, from which place he will go to Ireland. He will re-main several months in his native land and expects to improve his health during his visit abroad.

The court has appointed Tague Gallagher, of Sandy valley, to the position of supervisor of Foster township, made vacant by the death of the late Peter O'Donnell, of Coxe addition. Svingali, the famous hypnotist, will

hold forth at the Grand opera house all next week. Svingali is at the head of a ompany which is the leader of its class Thomas Llewellyn has disposed of his saloon business at Main and Centre streets to Charles Coxe, who will take possession immediately. Mr. Llewellyn

will remove to Nanticoke. Several members of Maj. C. B. Coxe Post attended the parade of the Grand Army men of the Lehigh valley at South Bethlehem on Saturday.

Joseph V. Gallagher, of Drifton, an ex-school teacher of Hazle township, has entered the office of Carr & McCar-thy and will pursue the study of law.

Tickets for the hop of Federal Labor Union, No. 8750, A. F. L., at Krell's opera house on Saturday evening, are being sold by the members.

The grocers of town will meet tomor row evening at the Municipal building to organize a branch of the Merchants Protective Association.

Soda water-all flavors-at Keiper's. The Citizens' band furnished music for an Italian celebration at Hazleto

Miss Mary Boyle, of Kingston, is visiting the Misses Ferry on Washington

A committee from St. Ann's band is negotiating for new uniforms for the

W. D. Kline is among this week's isitors at the Pan-American Exposition Maggie E. Gallagher, of Warrior Run, a guest of relatives in town.

B. C. Laubach, of town, is attending the funeral of a relative, Mrs. Sallie Laubach, who died on Saturday at Benton, aged 75 years.

At Honey Brook yesterday afternoon Drifton club lost to McAdoo by a score of 10 to 7.

George Wilmot, Sr., and James Goulden, of Upper Lehigh, have return-ed from a visit to the Pan-American Exposition

The meeting nights of Division 6, A. O. H., have been changed from Saturdays to the second and fourth Tuesday evenings of each month.

Michael Brislin, aged 60 years, a rominent resident of West Hazleton and a brother to James Brislin, of Drifton, died on Saturday.

diss Anna Morgan has returned to her home in Philadelphia, after an extended visit in town as the guest of Miss Nellie Campbell.

The Gloucester club, of Hazleton, was defeated yesterday by the Stars, of Fr land. Score: 15 to 8.

#### PLEASURE.

Tickets on sale September 8 to 12 inclusive. Consult Lehigh Valley ticket agents for particulars.

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