

THE DEATH CURRENT.

Arrangements for the Execution of Kemmler by Electricity. DESCRIPTION OF THE APPARATUS. Measuring the Murderer's Resistance Without His Knowledge. PROCEEDINGS AT THE FATAL CHAIR. Only a Shiver in the Prisoner's Body is the Anticipated Result.

While these arrangements are being put on, the prisoner will be sitting on a chair. The chair, not differing apparently from an ordinary one, but which has been made especially for the purpose, will be connected with a series of expert electricians in the other room an exact measurement, by the use of what is known as the "Whetstone Bridge," of the electrical resistance of the man. This will take only a instant, and will be done before the officers have the prisoner ready to leave the cell.

HELD OVER TO COURT.

First landing in the Hufnagel-Muschelheim Label Suit—How a Prescher Came to Sign a Remonstrance—A Lively Little Scene for awhile. A hearing in the libel suit of Joseph Hufnagel, of Forty-sixth and Butler streets, against William Muschelheim, a cigar manufacturer, whose place of business adjoins that of the plaintiff, was held yesterday afternoon before Alderman McMaster.

PATRIOTIC TO THE BACKBONE.

Citizens of Buckleret in Search of the Defamers of That Suburb. The honest citizens of Buckleret are still in active search of the parties who attempted to cause that suburb of Pittsburgh by defaming to be printed inflammatory circulars calling for 1,000 armed men to erect the American flag over Muschelheim's schoolhouse.

GATHERED THEM IN.

The Delinquent Tax Collectors Handed in a Day Before Date. Delinquent Tax Collector Ford yesterday made his return to the Controller of city taxes collected during the past month, as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Category, 1887, 1888, 1889. Rows include City taxes, Water taxes, Advertis'g taxes, Special taxes.

PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER. FULL WEIGHT PURE. MOST PERFECT MADE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LADIES' SPRING HATS. Come in lovely, graceful forms this year. One of the best examples is called 'The Galatea.'

WM. GRABOWSKY, THE HATTER, 707 Penn Avenue, OPP. PENN BUILDING.

J. DIAMOND, Optician. 22 SIXTH STREET, Pittsburg, Pa.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Java, Fawn and Cuba RUBEN. Are the new shades which are showing in.

THE "GONDOLIER." The splendid success with which our "Gondolier" has met in black and brown has encouraged us to introduce them also in the above new colors.

RUBEN, The Hatter and Furnisher, 421 AND 423 SMITHFIELD ST.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

ABURN, N. Y., April 19.—Notwithstanding Murderer Kemmler's extravagant promises of reformation in case Governor Hill should pardon him, there is no hope for him. The case has made the town of the courts of the State, and he must die by electricity some day in the week beginning April 28.

TO BE FASTENED TIGHTLY.

The rings are to receive the hooks in the back of the belt about the man's body, and the screws are to fasten the arrangement in place at the spot where the rings will meet the hooks, which will vary according to the weight of the prisoner. In front of the chair will be a foot rest, something like those in a barber's shop, except that the top portion, instead of being fixed, will be of plain woodwork without any peculiarities. The upper part of the back of the chair will be fitted with a slot, in which will slide back and forth a small arrangement consisting of a ring at the top and a thumb-screw beneath.

THE STUDY OF LANGUAGE.

Prof. Riddle Sets the Teachers' Academy in Motion—School Matters. At the meeting of the Teachers' Academy yesterday afternoon Mrs. E. L. Torrence, of the Grant school; Carrie Adams, Allen; Nannie Pollock, Peables, and Prof. Speer, High School, were initiated. After the transaction of routine business, Prof. U. A. Riddle, of the Mifflinville school, stirred up the interest of the members by reading a very able paper on "Resolved, that the present method of examining pupils for High School in grammar, by false syntax, is not a good one, and that a change is necessary."

Our New Stand.

For pure butter and eggs—high-class groceries at low-class prices. Go to Weldon's, 201, cor. Market and Second ave. Tel. 1804. \$1.00. Until Further Notice. \$1.00. A life-size crayon, \$3.00; 12 cabinets or one 8x10 photo for \$1.00, at Aufrecht's Elite Gallery, 610 Market st., Pittsburg.

Don't neglect to attend our Friday sale for a bargain.

DARRS, the well-known photographer, has received a number of new back grounds and fine accessories recently. HUGGS & HACKE, 733 1/2

THE INSTRUMENTS OF DEATH.

The principal part of the apparatus, the machines for the generation of the current, were secured a good while ago, and have been laid away waiting for the time to come to use them. They are ordinary Westinghouse dynamos for the generation of alternating currents. On whatever morning shall be decided upon Kemmler will be notified, and whatever opportunity he desires for religious consolation and farewell words will be given him. These over, just before the hour fixed upon for the execution the officers will enter his cell, and the death warrant will be read. His shoes will then be removed, and a pair resembling regular army brogans will be substituted. In the sole of these there will have been inserted a metal plate covering the whole sole, and will place around his body, just beneath the armpits, a stout leather strap, with a buckle fastening it in front, and snap hooks projecting from each side at the back. Another officer will place upon the back of the prisoner's head a peculiar close-fitting cap, apparently of black rubber, made around a small metal piece in the center. Inside of it, in the center, about the metal piece, will be a spiral arrangement of copper wire, about 5 inches in diameter, and made to fit down over the part of the head that it will cover. The wire, just before the cap is placed on the prisoner's head, will be covered with a sponge, saturated with salt water.

THE LAST MOMENTS.

The prisoner, immediately upon entering the room, will be led to the chair, and a moment will be pushed back into it, the hooks in the belt about his body slipped into the rings in the chair and there fastened in place by the turn of the screws. At the same moment his feet will be raised and the foot-rest slipped under them and fastened by a turn of the screw, and a strap on top of the rest will be buckled tightly over his ankles. In another moment the two dangling wires will be fastened, one to the metal at the center of the back of the cap and the other to the metal connection of the heel of each shoe. A black cloth will be pulled over the face of the prisoner, the officers will stand well back from the chair, and at a signal the executioners at the switch will turn on the current, the volume of which has previously been adjusted to suit the resistance of the prisoner, as shown by the test in the cell.

Monday Morning.

We will place on sale 50 doz. ladies' muslin drawers at 50c, worth 65c; 25 doz. cambric gowns, extra length, with ruffles, 98c; trimmed with embroidery, \$1.00, worth \$1.25. A. G. CAMPBELL & SONS, 27 Fifth ave.

License Granted.

Those who were lucky in getting license and want their bar papered, I would suggest to have it done with a 24 or 30 inch plain tin as the most appropriate wall paper in the market, at 20c and 30c per running foot. It can be had at J. J. Fuchs', 1710 Carson st., S. S.

Bring the Children.

To Hendricks & Co.'s, 68 Federal st., Allegheny, for fine photographs this week. They have everything new and attractive in the photographic line. Good cabinets \$1 a dozen.

HERBERT WALKER ARTIFICIAL EYE MAKER.

The only manufacturer of artificial human eyes in the city. 55 NINTH ST. m21-50

DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES.

Latest improved Spectacles and Eye-Glasses will fit any nose with ease and comfort. The largest and best stock of Optical Instruments and Artificial Eyes. KORNBLUM, Theoretical and Practical Optician. No 50 Fifth avenue, near Wood street. Telephone No. 1088. de284

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THE IRON KING OF THE SOUTH, situated on the Queen and Crescent Railroad and Tennessee river, 260 miles south of Cincinnati and 70 miles north of Chattanooga. A healthy, equable climate, pure and abundant water, and a rich agricultural region to supply a large population. Money invested at Rockwood is not a risk, but a grand, paying investment. Rockwood properties are not experimental. Iron has been produced for the last 20 years for less money than any place in the United States. The Roane Iron Company owns 60,000 acres of Timber, Iron, Coal and other mineral lands. Iron and Coal enough to supply the world for 100 years. Come and investigate for yourself. We offer our business and residence lots at private sale UNTIL THE 26th DAY OF APRIL, at which date an ADVANCE OF 20 PER CENT will be added to PRICES ON ALL LOTS. A limited number of lots will be offered at public sale, beginning on the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th days of May, at which date reduced rates on all railroads will be given. Address: ROANE IRON COMPANY, Rockwood, Tenn. m20-110

KAUFMANN'S TRACK IS CLEAR FOR A BIG AND BOOMING, ROUSING AND RATTLING SPRING TRADE!

With the largest stock of fine merchandise at their side, the lowest prices at their back, and the people as their allies, Kaufmanns confidently look for the largest season's business in their history.

FULL DRESS SHIRTS \$1.19. They're left from our recent big purchase of fine furnishing goods from the bankrupt firm of R. K. Davies & Co., New York. But for this fact we could not sell these Shirts below \$1.50. The bosoms, which are handsomely embroidered, and satin striped, consist of the finest linen. We have all sizes, and a perfect fit is guaranteed to each purchaser. SPECIAL! We have just received 100 dozen Men's de Chine ties. Our price for them will be 50c. See window display.

MOTHERS Men's Fine Spring CLOTHING! Who take pains and pride in dressing their Boys different from the "usual run" will find in our large and beautiful juvenile stock so many pretty conceits and charming styles that'll "just fill the bill," that they'll not need to look further. KILT SUITS! An assortment that's simply lovely. Among the new-born novelties are styles, with Jackets and Skirts alike, and Silk Blouses of contrasting shades. Velvet Jackets, with fancy French Cassimere Skirt and Blouse in checks of various sizes and newest stripes. JERSEY SUITS! Of these exceedingly popular Suits we're showing a shining stock. And on a well-shaped little lad the "Jersey" looks immense. SHORT-PANT SUITS!—Thousands from which to select and hundreds of rich and novel designs that can't be seen anywhere else in Pittsburg. Fine School, \$2.50 to \$4.50; Fine Dress, \$5 to \$9; Finest Dress, \$10 to \$15. SHIRT WAISTS! The "Mother's Friend" and the "Star," the best brands manufactured, are the two lines we make a specialty of. Our prices for them will be found lower at all times than elsewhere. LONG-PANT SUITS! A grand array cut and made in the smartest and most custom-like manner—piles upon piles, and the very finest are amazingly cheap here. For Everyday wear, \$4 to \$7; School, \$8 to \$12; Dress, \$15 to \$22.

FINE CUSTOM Tailoring. Before going into details let us impress upon you right here that we don't make to order anything but first-class garments. The work we turn out has nothing in common with two-thirds of the so-called custom work produced in Pittsburg. Our fine ready-made garments are far superior to and cost less than the latter. Tailors' shingles, remember, stick out everywhere, but the real first-class artists you can count on your fingers. Sam Williams, our head cutter, certainly enjoys a most enviable reputation. We pay him a princely salary, but we have the satisfaction of knowing that he fits perfectly every customer who leaves his measure. And now a few words about our Piece Goods. We sincerely trust you are fastidious and particular. You will then take the trouble to look through our extensive and elegant stock of Imported Suitings and Trouserings. It won't take you long, however, to make a satisfactory selection, because we have everything that's fine, fashionable and good. We make Business Suits to order from \$30 to \$40. Dress Suits to order from \$40 to \$50. Pantaloons to order from \$6 to \$18.

SHOES All Uses and Purposes. We have Boots and Shoes for every living soul. Shoes for Workmen and mechanics—Shoes for Country People and Shoes for City People—Shoes for Ministers and their Congregations—Shoes for Doctors and their Patients—Shoes for Lawyers and their Clients—Shoes for Merchants and their Clerks—Shoes for Women, Misses, Boys, Children and Infants—Shoes for the Parlor, the Boudoir, the Theater, the Ball and the Street—Shoes for the Fat and Shoes for the Lean—Shoes for the Long and Shoes for the Short—High shoes, low shoes, solid shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes and giddy shoes. Shoes, shoes, shoes of every nature, use, kind and description; and yet shoes and still shoes. Everything in the shape of boots, shoes and slippers, and always and forever at prices lower than at any other store in either city. And the place where we sell our shoes is the finest, handsomest and largest of the kind in the State. Our ladies' shoe parlor in particular is a perfect bower of beauty. Every comfort and convenience for trying on has been provided for. But our plush-covered chairs, our mosaic tiled floors and beautiful equipments are nothing compared with our good, honest qualities of shoes and the matchlessly low prices we sell them at. Your patronage is solicited. Prices Range From 75c to \$6.

Fine Hats! WORTH \$3.50. To-morrow'll be a great day in our Hat Department, for we shall give the best fine Hat bargain ever offered by any house in the world; and we can do it. 50 dozen Men's latest and most fashionable Derbys and Tourist Hats, regular price, \$5.50; will be closed by us at the remarkable price of \$1.90. Among these Hats will be found the very latest spring colors, tints and shades. This is a special sale, recollect, and is but for to-morrow (Monday) only. And, gentlemen, especially you who wear the finest, we want YOU at least to see these magnificent Hat bargains.

FREE! Brotherhood Championship Game Admission Tickets Presented with every purchase of not less than \$4. worth of Clothing With every Boys' Suit less than \$4, we will present one of our Wonderful Castonet Wheels, the most amusing novelty that ever delighted a Boy's heart. FREE!