## THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 14, 1895.

MURDER

Which Accused Is on Trial.

the hangman's tree.

is implicated in.

Talesmen Called In.

twelve men. In the afternoon a jury

that had been engaged in a case in court room No.3 was discharged and

that added to the panel. But before

twelve jurors could be got it was neces-

sary for Judge Archbald to issue an

order for a special venire of twelve

talesmen from the by-standers in court.

following twelve, and William P. Ben-

nott, the first one on the list, was accepted, and that completed the jury.

These are the talesmen: William P.

W. M. Finn, W. J. Murray, John D.

Richards, A. K. Detweiler, Peter For-

The jury that will try Ruminisky is

W. G. Moore, carpenter, Scranton,

E. L. Bertine, cabinetmaker, Scranton

rest and W. J. Mathews.

as follows:

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# PERSONAL.

Arnold Cohen, of Pittston, is in this E. A. Childs, of Towanda, was here yesterdas C. Miller, of Blairstown, N. J., is at the

Jury Decides That Joseph Boschino Killed Frank Conforti.

DEGREE

FIRST

THINK HE DESERVES DEATH

It Did Not Take the Twelve Men Long to Agree Upon Verdict-They Returned Defendant Guilty of Murder but Did Not at First Fix Degree.

Joseph Boschino has been found guilty of murder in the first degree for the crime of killing Alphouse Complerche otherwise known as Frank Conforti, at Bunker Hill, above Dunmore, on Sun-terian Church Friday Night. day evening, Nov. 11, of last year. It required ten days to complete that

trial and besides being the longest eing one of the most ably tried. Judge F. W. Gunster presided, and his rulings Uncen the points that arcse in the evi-thorns and Ye Harpsichord. upon the points that arose in the evi-

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dence were marked with clearness and nice distinction. District Attorney John R. Jones can be best spoken of in connection with the Boschino case by complimenting him on the completeless of the commonwealth's side against such veteran and famous criminal lawyers as Ex-Judge Ward and leorge S. Horn, who received very material assictance from Attorney L. P. Wedeman, of Forest City. Judge Gunster's charge, the final chapter of the trial, was an exhaustive, yet perspica-cious, presentation of the law and the Edenboro Town. evidence.

#### How the Jury Stood

After the jury retired Tuesday night o their room Charles S. Seamans was ected foreman, and the first ballot YE SECOND PART OF YE HYMNS aken resulted in nine for first degree and three for acquittal; the second balot was the same, but the third noted a change, ten for first degree and two for acquittal. The jurymen then chatted and argued, but retired to their cots without taking another vote. When they arose yesterday morning the first ballot taken was eleven for first degree and one for acquittal. At 10 o'clock the jury, through Tipstaff Anthony Walsh, sent word to Judge Gunster that they wished to hear some of the testimony read. Boschino was brought from the prisoner's dock into court room No. 2. The jury filed from All ye fol their room and when all were seated in the jury box, Judge Gunster addressed them thus: "Gentlemen, I understand you wish to have some of the testimony read; which portion do you desire to hear?" Foreman Seamans answered: Your honor, we would wish to hear that portion of the testimony of John Mirano and Watchman Klein with reference to the actual firing of the shots. It has also been suggested that we hear the testimony of the young man who saw the defendant running up the railroad. I think his name is Finnerty.

#### An Agreement Reached.

Court Stenographer H. H. Coston read the testimony to the jury and then they retired again to their room. The remainder of the time until noon was spent in discussing the testimony. and at noon the jury went out for their meals in charge of the two tipstaffs, Anthony Walsh and Jacub Sutto, who had been guarding them since the first day. After coming back a ballot was taken and it resulted in a unanimous verdict of murder in the first degree. The main court room was packed

with people when the jury sent word to Judge Gunster that they had agreed upon their verdict. They were ordered brought in as the

hands of the ivory-dialed clock pointed

at court.

any English, as he arrived in this cour ANOTHER try but five weeks ago, from which time he has been kept by Philip Graff. He was arrested by Officer Sartor and given a hearing before Alderman Fitz-

simmons, and from the evidence it appeared that he had pawned the watch and chain at Joseph Green's store and purchased a revolver with the proceeds. He had also made a belt and pouch of the western cow boy order. When questioned as to the use he intended to make with the revolver he said that everyone carried a revolver in America and he wanted to be fash-ionable. He pleaded guilty to the of-

# OLDEN TIME CONCERT.

jail to await his trial at court.

fence and was committed to the county

Friday night "Songs of Ye Olden Tyme" will be given at the Green Ridge Presbyterian church. The folhomicide case in the courts of this lowing programme will be rendered: county, it also has the distinction of YE FIRST PART OF YE HYMNS AND TUNES.

2. Majesty-All Ye Men and Wimen Singers. Sherburne.. .....By Ye Same

3. Worldly Song (Grandma's Advice), By Betsey Bobbins David's Lamentations, a Plaintive Piece......By All Rainbow.....By Ye Same Worldly Song......Eunice Endicot Invitation ......Ye Great Quire A 2-part Song,

By Little Willie Wiggins and Blossom Sprague. Ye Whole Quire 8. Russia

Edenboro Town. By Jemimy Goodenough

10, Strike the Cymbals-By All Ye Men and Wimen Singers from Slocum Hollow, Razorville and Green Roads.

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# Auld Lang Syne. AFTER MILK DEALERS.

Board of Health Will Enforce More Stringent Regulations.

All city milk dealers, retail ,and wholesale, will hereafter be obliged to procure a license from the board of health. They must sign an agreement to conform to certain regulations of the board adopted several years ago, but which are now to be enforced owing to recent complaints that milk is adulterated and that skimmed milk is sold Bennett, W. A. St. John, Thomas W. Davis, Clark Lowry, John H. Reynolds,

for the creamery fluid. From the complaints it is inferred by the health officials that the stores and larger dealers sell a very fair quality of milk. The chief culprits seem to be the smaller dealers and the festive farmer who peddle a lacteal fluid a little the worse for wear, and tasting quite strongly of water.

By procuring a license and signing an agreement dealers and peddlers will make themselves more liable to punishment in case they are detected in adulteration. They must, in future, label or tag all skimmed milk and seli it only as such

ADMITTED HIS GUILT.

Mitchell, the Negro Thief, Says Born in Spain.

ABUSED HIS WIFE.

to Jail for a Month.

#### Joseph Ruminisky on Trial for Kill-Official Records Open to the ing August Grouse, of Archbald.

Two Well-Known Physicians Test the THE JURY HAS BEEN SECURED New Discovery with Most Suc-

TRIAL

cessful Results. Panel Was Exhausted and Judge Arch-

bald Told the Sheriff to Call in Twelve Dr. DeGraff. of No. 9 West Fourteenth street, New York's best known dentist, says: "I had rheumatism for Talesmen-Details of the Crime for years, at times so badly I could not stand on my feet. My ankles were swollen, and the least movement caused Another homicide case was begun excruciating pain. I tried Munyon's yesterday morning in the main court Rheumatism Cure and found one bottle coom before Judge Archbald. District sufficient to cure me promptly and com-Attorney John R. Jones and Attorney pletely. I also used Munyon's Dyspep-Charles E. Olver represent the commonsia Cure and was entirely cured of a vealth, and Constable William Dougher, very distressing and painful stomach of Archbald, figures as the prosecutor, trouble.'

DOCTORS TRY MUNYON.

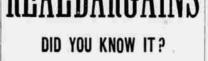
Public.

The defendant is a Poland : named Joseph Ruminisky, and he is charged Brought a Patient from Buffalo. Dr. E. R. Barnes, of No. 1258 West avenue, Buffalo, says: "My patient, with the clime of felonious aomicide. It is a case where, if the commonwealth can establish what it proposes to do, John Haentges, No. 1329 Niagara street, the defendant will be convicted of mur-der in the first degree. The defendant with frequent attacks of great pain and is represented by Attorney M. A. Mctenderness of the stomach. My reme Ginley, one of the bright young memdies gave him only temporary relief bers of the bar, who will make a debut he says since taking Munyon's termined battle to save his client from Remedies, as prescribed by Professor

Munyon, he is entirely cured.' At 11 o'clock yesterday morning Ru-Munyon's Stomach and Dyspepsia minisky was led before the bar of jus Cure cures all forms of indigestion and tice and entered a plea of not guilty. stomach troubles, such as constipation, The task of getting a jury was then rising of food, distress after eating. bloating of the stomach, palpitation of proceeded with and it was a tedlous undertaking, as usual in all murder the heart caused by indigestion. It cases. As each juror came forward ne soothes, heals and invigorates stomachs was asked the regular questions about that have been weakened by overenthis scruples against capital punishment, ing, or where the lining of the stomach whether he formed an opinion or not, has been impaired by physic and inand if he could go into the jury box jurious medicines. Price, 25 cents, Munyon's Homoeopathic Home Remand render a verdict of murder in the first degree if the evidence warranted edy company, of Philadelphia, put up it, knowing that the law is responsible specifics for nearly every disease, which for the execution of the death penalty. are sold by all druggists, mostly for 25 Attorney McGinley, in questioning the jurors to test their competence to cents a bottle.

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ple. The jurors were also required to state whether or not they were temperance cranks. The cause of this was obvious; the defendant was drinking at THEY ARE BARGAINS, the time the affray occurred which he Two juries were out and, therefore, much delay was caused in getting



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Wyoming G. B. Schooley, of Luzerne, was here yesterday. Patrolman Johler is ill at his home it Green Ridge L. K. Torbet, of Wilkes-Barre, was yesterday in this city. D. W. Gore, of Wilkes-Barre, was yesterday in this city. Health Officer W. E. Allen has gone to

Philadelphia on busines Miss Bertha Moses has returned from

a visit to New York city. Attorney George Taylor spent a portion

of yesterday in Carbondale Miss Annie Costello, of Binghamton, is visiting Miss Jessie Kennedy, of Wyoming

avenue. Walter Frank, business manager of the degree.' Carbondale Anthracite, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. L. Fordham is confined to his on Sanderson avenue, with an athome. tack of the grip:

Dr. George C. Knox, of the Pennsylvania Dental college, has opened an office on Spruce street. Attorney A. B. Smith, jr., and J. R. Raynsford, of Montrose, were engaged on

business here yesterday. D. J. Campbell, who has been ill at his

home on Gibson street for several weeks, is able to leave his room. Ex-Sheriff John J. Fahey is adjusting the

loss occasioned by the recent fire in the Carey millinery store on Spruce street.

John A. Nallin has returned to this city from Brooklyn, N. Y., where he went last week to attend the funeral of his brother.

Edwin G. Reed, assistant civil englneer for the Scranton Traction company is spending a couple of weeks with his parents at Meadville, Pa.

J. Munzer, agent to the "Jay Circus" company, is in the city making arrange-ments for the appearance of the company at Davis' theater on Monday next.

At the Westminster are Alfred W. Moyer, of Lancaster; S. J. Strauss, of Wilkes-Barre; A. J. Rehbeir, of Honesdale; G. A. Comstock and W. C. Patterson, of Phillipsburg.

William Coyne, of Adams avenue, will this evening entertain the ladies and gentlemen who took part in the Russian dance at the recent Kirmess, Several friends have also been invited to meet the dancers.

William Maltland, for some time past clerk in the main office of the Scrat Traction company, has gone to Carbondale to accept a position as chief clerk the Lackawanna Valley Rapid Transit company.

Dr. Allen Norton Leete left yesterday for Philadelphia, from which place he will go to Los Angeles, Cal., to prove his right to the fortune that has been left him by Cattle Dealer Carey, of that place, whom he befriended twenty years ago.

Webb Scism, of this city, who has been with the Wilfred Clarke Dramatic com-At this there was a deep buzz ,as if every person then exhaled his pent-up pany for the past two sensons, has been engaged to play the part of Simon, the Jew, in M. J. Gilbride's new play, "The City Government," which will be pre-sented at the Academy of Music March is and is breath. The jury was then polled at the request of Mr. Horn. Judge Gunster thanked the jury and discharged them from further attendance at this 18 and 19. term of court.

T. H. Dale, of North Main avenue this while, then subsided and was los moved his family to his new home on Linden street yesterday. Mr. Dale was an active member of the West Side board from view. The attorneys for the de fense will move for a new trial at of trade, and an earnest worker in the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church. He will be missed in social, religious and busonce and prepare reasons, iness circles of the West Side.

D. R. Anfield, of South Garfield ave D. R. Anneld, of South Garfield ave-nue, has resigned from his position of au-perintendent of the Baltimore Mutual Ald society, which he has filled for the past five years, in order to accept a posi-tion as organizer for the Progressive Endowment Guild of America, and the Amer-lean Mutual Benefit society, of Richmond,

to 2.15. The jury took seats in the box to the right of the bench. Boschino was in the prisoners' dock behind them and he peered over the baluster with an anxious look on his countenance; his eyes gleamed as he waited to hear the verdict read, although it is possible that he would not have understood it. Clerk Thomas P. Daniels handed the sealed envelope to Judge Gunster, who opened it and read it. The verdict found the defendant guilty of murder as set forth in the first count of the indictment, but did

not specify the degree. Judge Gunster and coachman. He is 27 years old. handed the paper back and said: After commiting the theft he went to "Gentlemen, in your verdict you find Bryn Mawr, where he has a sweetthe defendant guilty of murder; you heart. He was arrested there on a must retire to your room and name the description telegraphed by 'the police from this city. Chief Simpson went to

Motion of Mr. Horn.

said

conferred with him.

read it aloud:

that of murder in the first degree?"

The Jurors Thanked

CASE OF INGRATITUDE.

John Mannor Fed for Five Weeks, Then

Robs His Benefactor.

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The jury was again led out and re-Mitchell Tuesday. turned ten minutes later. When they came back the attorneys for the defense were not in court and the verdict was not taken until ex-Judge Ward Charles Spencer, of Little England, Goes and Mr. Horn appeared at 2.45. Mr. Horn walked before the bench and

For being drunk and driving his wife out of doors and threatening to kill her "We ask the court that the verdict a warrant was issued Tuesday for the of the jury which was brought into arrest of Charles Spencer, of "Little court a few moments ago and read by England." Spencer is 41 years of age the court, be recorded as the verdict in and a carpenter. this case."

Mrs. Spencer, in vesterday's police District Attorney Jones objected to court, appeared against her husband. the motion on the ground that the act of assembly specifies that the jury He was put under a bond of \$500 to keep the peace, and in default of a fine must fix the degree. Judge Archbald of \$15 was sentenced to jail for a month. was on the bench and Judge Gunster

DELAYS are dangerous. A dollar spent "The motion is overruled," said Judge for Hood's Sarsaparilla now may pre-vent illness which will be expensive and Gunster, who then ordered Clerk Daniels to take the amended verdict. The hard to bear. Now is the time to take roll call of the jury being completed. Hood's Sarsaparilla. the envelope containing the verdict was handed to the court and after the

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver lilz, veleve constipation and assist digestion. judges on the bench had read it, a ecord was made of it on the docket

and then returned to Mr. Daniels who Half Fare Excursion to Washington. read it aloud: "Gentlemen of the jury, hearken unto your verdict as the court hath recorded it. By your verdict in the case in which the commonwealth is prosecutor which the commonwealth is prosecutor and Joseph Boschino defendant, you Feb. 21. Tickets sold for this train will be honored to return on any regular train up say you find the defendant guilty in to and including March 2.

manner and form as he stands charged For the accommodation of patrons a in the first count of the indictment." buffet parlor car will be attached to train and will go through to Washington. Here Mr. Danlels stopped and the Winter is the gay season at the capital, and general interest centered there is greatly enhanced by the fact that the owded court room was still as death. . Gunster prompted Mr. Daniels murder in the first degree, but iouses are in session and the public wel-omed within the capitol doors. the y rds of the court could not be

heard except by those very adjacent Washington's birthday is a desirable to the bench. Mr. Daniels resumed; time to inspect the most beautiful of American cities, the public buildings and 'You say, gentlemen, your verdict is the Corcoran art gallery.

Congress can be seen afterwards, which privilege is allowed by the limitation of return tickets. Pillsbury's Flour Mills have a capacity of 17,500 barrels a day.

Picture Boschino, who had been standing all Frames-Made at short notice. High

Cass in every respect. Inside Decorating in all its



Judge Archbald ordered the jury sworn and the jurymen were led to Alexander Mitchell, the negro thief their room in charge of Tipstaffs Evans and employe who last Thursday night | and Evans, rifled O'Brien's barber shop at Spruce

### Story of the Crime.

street and Wyoming avenue and was The crime the defendant is charged arrested Saturday in Bryn Mawr. was with is that of partnership in the death given a hearing before Alderman Ful-ler yesterday. Mitchell plead guilty, of an old man named August Grouse at Archbald last September. The murand in default of \$500 bail was comdered man's son, a young man named mitted to jail to await his appearance John Grouse, is an accessory to the murder, but he has made his escane. The prisoner said he was born in Old man Grouse and his son lived on Spain and gave his ocuepation as cook Pine street near the Delaware and Hudson depot in Archbald. On Saturday night, Sept. 18, 1894, Ruminisky came to Grouse's place; the old man used to keep a sort of a cobbler's shop. that is he did odd jobs mending old shoes

Bryn Mawr Monday and returned with The beer pail was called into requisition and about 1 o'clock Sunday morning the old man, the son and Ruminisky began to quarrel. The son struck his father on the head with a wooden form that shoemakers use in repairing the uppers of boots. The form was in the shape of a man's leg from the knee down.

It is alleged that Ruminisky took a hand in for fear the parricidal son would not be able to accomplish his brutal design. Ruminisky is charged with plunging a dagger six times into the old man's liver. Dr. Van Dusen, of Archbald, was sent for, but all surgical attention was fruitless. Old man Grouse

died the following Thursday. That is substantially the case for which Ruminisky will be called to answer for his life.

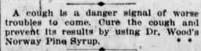
HENSLEY JURY OUT.

# Evidently Find It a Difficult Task to Agree. Very little was done in court yester-

day outside of the murder case against Joseph Ruminisky. In the case of Albert Burta, charged with keeping a tippling house, a jury was called in No. 3 and the case was opened, but before any testimony was heard the hour for adjournment arrived. Constable Bernard Davis, of the Second ward, is the prosecutor, and there are two indictments against Burta. The October grand jury found a true bill against him and there was one found by the December grand jury also. Both are for selling liquor without a license. The cases will be resumed today.

The arguments of counsel on both sides and the charge of the court were made early yesterday morning in the Phillp Hensley bigamy case, and the jury retired, but had not been able to agree at adjournment yesterday and they were still out deliberating at adjournment.

In court room No. 3 James Sheridan sr., James Sheridan, jr., Patrick Malloy, Timothy Moran, John Moran and Daniel Moran, were on trial the day before charged with assault and battery by James Leonard. All were re-turned yesterday morning not guilty. James Sheridan, jr., and John Moran were exonerated from payment of any part of the costs and the remainder of the defendants will settle three-fourths of the bill of costs among them; the pr secutor will pay the other onefou.th.,



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