THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 18, 1896.



St. David's Day Banquet.

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this time! Do you not know that you can not be regarded in any other light than

as deserters who deserve no other politi-IN ALL ITS BRANCHES. cal fate for your disgraceful conduct than future oblivion? "O, judgment, thou hast fied to brutish beasts and men have lost their reason" if we are to be influenced or intimidated by such men.

Are these the men that would assail

the integrity and honesty of Colonel Ezra H. Ripple, whose charcter is those re-

The people of the Tabernacle Congrega-tional church will conduct a St. David's Day banquet on March 2. About 500 tick-ets have been sold and many more are going. The church has been accustomed to hold banquets on this day for many years past and the affairs are always suc-censful.

Married at the Alderman's. May Shear and James Maloney, both of his side, were married Tuesday evening y Alderman John, of the Fourth ward. Dis is the first marriage before a West lide alderman for a long time past.

News Notes and Personals

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police station last evening, charged with abusing his wife. A hearing will be given The writ of mandamus means that the council must make the appropriatoday

today. Miss Alice Griffiths, of Bellevue Heights, Muss Lendered a surprise party on Tuesday evenig. Several present sang solos, Among the entertainers were Thomas Matthias, David Reese and Alice Grif-fiths. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs.

James Moran, of West Market street, is suffering from a bad cold. Robert Lewis, of Wavne avenue, left last evening to visit friends in Carbon-

dale. Mrs. Evans, of Brick avenue, is suffer-ing from a severe attack of rheumatism. You can set a package of "Quick Shine" stove polish at Thomas Jehu's groeery store for 20 cents, and a pint of cockles free of charge today.

WRIT OF MANDAMUS.

Olyphant by the Court.

Presents Nearly Fifty Reasons for Change of Venue.

Attorney Cornelius Smith made his application yesterday morning before Judge Edwards for a change of yenue

issued Against the Borough Council of in the case of perjury against John G. Jennings, He read nearly fifty reasons why the case should be tried in some other county. He alleges that he is entitled to a trial

A writ of alternative mandamus was directed by the court yesterday to the borough council of Olyphant on behalf of the board of health of that borough in another county on the strength of the fact that Judge Archbald will be The expenses of the board for the year 1895 were \$295 and this was not providthe fact that Judge Archald will be subpoenaed as a witness. Judge Ed-wards took the papers and will pass upon them today likely. The case is the first on the list for trial.

BASE BALL GOSSIP.

"Jack" Rowe, who was with the fa-mous Internationals in 1878, will manage Buffalo this season.

Breltenstein expects to make three times as much money at Chester, Ill., as he would make with St. Louis next Jake Drauby will not play with Scran-ton. He has been signed by Providence, and so informed Manager McDermott by telegraph yesterday.

Billy Barnie has finally secured the Hartford, Atlantic league, franchise. The Toronto club of this year will not play Sunday games in Buffalo or any city.

Scranton has secured another new trial pitcher, George Getts, an amateur southpay twirler who created somewhat of a stir in and about Waterloo, Ind., last season. He will be taken on the prac-

The Atlantic Association of Base Ball clubs is considering the advisability of in-creasing the circuit by taking in either Waterbury, Danbury or Meriden, Conn., and then making it an eight-club circuit Instead of six, as originally intended.

Instead of six, as originally intended. Joe Sullivan, of the Philadelphia club, on looking over his contract, found that taking one drink of musty ale during the season would cost him \$100. Sullivan doesnt' like the new-style contract, and will not sign it. Such a contract would be the proper thing with some Eastern league players.

league players. There is a widespread suspicion that John C. Chapman will be the manager of the Wilkes-Barre club. He denies the im-peachment, but there are those who be-lieve that he is only making use of a bit of diplomacy. One of Mr. Chapman's big-gest successes was scored with Syracuse. It is rumored he may acquire interest there. He and Herr Kumtzech should be able to make winners out of the Stars. A Hazleton dispatch says: "The Hazleton

able to make Winners out of the Stars. A Hazieton dispatch says: "The Hazieton management has now signed twelve play-ers for the coming base bull season. They are: Robert Westlake, catcher and man-ager: Cooper, catcher; infielders, J. F. Davis: Bob Rothermel. Smith. Halbauer and Wiegan; pitchers, Ffrom and Jordan; outfielders, Bradley and Hobright. An-other pitcher and fielder are yet to be signed. Manager Westlake says the team is much stronger than the pennant win-ners of last. The men are expected to report here April 15."

report here April 15." Buffalo Times: "There will be more timber grafted on to the Eastern league clubs the coming summer than for many years, and for that reason it will be a hard matter to pick the probable winner until the season is several weeks old. The champion Springfields have lost such val-uable men as Donneily. Callahan, Shan-non and Jones, and all these must be re-placed. If it is with young players, as seems probable, the task of arriving at a decision will be several folds harder. Providence will be pretty much as it was, but Scranton, Wikes-Barre, Toron-to and Buffalo will make so many changes that the handicappers will be all at sea. Rochester, too, will show a number of new faces."

If your oven does not bake on the bot-om, try cleaning it out underneath. A sating of fine most accumulates some-imes that hinders the beat from coming benuch the term

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who will take part are: Florence and Grace Urban, Angella and Regina Kelly, May Hughes, Emms and Freda Ludwig, Emma and Florence Webber, Katle Allen, Marie Swift, Margaret Phillios, Minnie Saxton, Hattle Foster, Frank Costello, Percy and Abram Urban. Connell park. Board of revision and appeals Water rent. Electric lighting. incidentals and judg-1,050 00 5,220 00 46,550 00 20,000 00 ments 1.000 00 3.042 00 4.562 87 Insurance MR. SMITH'S APPLICATION. State tax on loans Sinking fund and in-

60.840 00 ***************** \$466,752 55 \$343,348 \$7 The last item of \$60,840 practically does not enter into the calculation be-ing provided for by special levy. This would leave \$280,508.87 to be provided for. The estimated revenues are \$272.-\$13, but as the estimate is based on last

year's valuation it is lower than the revenue will really be, so it is quite safe to allow a margin of a few thousand dollars to be looked after later.

ROMANCE OF FIGURES.

Julia's Love Was to the Extent of \$114. Groom-Elect Thought He Was Worth More and Sued the Fair Maiden.

What promises to be an interesting awsuit was instituted in Alderman Fuller's office yesterday. One Albert Grumotski, of Priceburg, is the plaintiff and his complaint is against Lewis Mowcatski and sister.

Julia, of Connellton, whom he charges with conspiracy to defraud him. The conspiracy according to Grumotski's story, is just a little out of the ordinary. Albert is young, but not hand-some. In fact, he is repulsive. What nature left undone towards making him a rival of Joe Ott was accom

by an explosion of powder and a fall of coal. He knew that his chances of getting married to anyone but a blind girl were very small and therefore stood ready to snap up the first chance

stood ready to snap up the first chance that came along. Not long ago a Polish storekeeper of Priceburg was deliverin; groceries to the Mowcatskis at Connellton, and Lewis asked him if he could get a good husband for Julia anywhere. The obliging merchant immediately thought of these and before leaving he made

of Albert, and before leaving the made a match for her with the Priceburg likeness of the 'star gazer." Julia had not seen her husband-elect until after the match was made, nor

was she distraught when she was permitted to eye him a week or so after-ward, neither was she tickled to death

at his appearance; but with grim re-solve, as long as the die was cast, she was satisfied to be his bride. The day was set for the ceremony, a clergyman was engaged, and the pro-gramme was all arranged. The custom

in Connellton demanded. Albert was in Connellton demanded. Albert was told, that he purchase two kegs of beer as a preliminary festivity. He was in gracious mood; they could borrow money from him, and he not only got the beer, but he bought enough of ham, cheese, bologna, baker's bread, sweet cakes, etc., for the wedding that it took two wagons to haul the stuff to the house of the Mowcatskis. At the eleventh hour she changed her

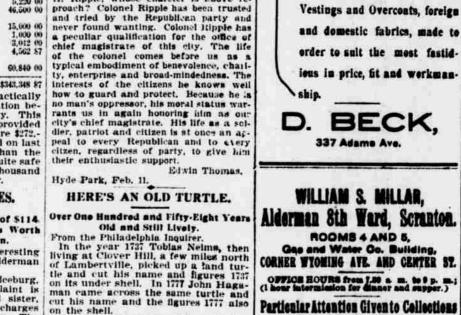
At the eleventh hour she changed her mind and sent word to him she could only be a sister to him. While he was

struggling nobly to stagger from under the heavy blow, she recanted and sent word to him she would marry him. His gladness knew no limit and he made a lavish bestowal of dress goods and trinkets on her. He received a second notification that

she could not see her way clear to go through the sea of matrimony in the same boat with him, but she would not return any of the purchases he made and he verily believes that it was all a scheme on her part to love him for just \$114, the amount of his outlay, and hence he brings suit.

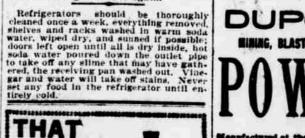
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on the shell. Within a few weeks this turtle has been seen on the Jerome Waldron farm near Clover Hill, where it apparently makes its present home. The names are distinct because Rev. Mr. Oliver, a former resident of Clover Hill, found the turtle a for reserved.

the turtle a few years ago and cut the letters and figures over again.



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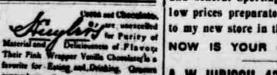


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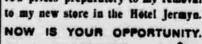


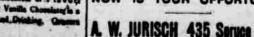


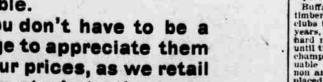
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