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INSPECTION SCHEDULE.

It Has Been Prepared by W. S. Millar. Third Brigade.

Major W. S. Millar, inspector of the Third brigade, National Guard of Pennsylvania, has completed his schedule for this year's tour of inspection. Beginning January 17 the trip will conclude March 31 at Harrisburg, The

Fourth regiment, Marietta, D. B. Case, onel-Company C (Columbia), Jan. 17 H (Lebanon), Jan. 18; G (Pine Grove), Jan. 19; E (Hamburg), Jan. 20; I (Potts-ville), Jan. 21; A (Reading), Feb. 28; B

ville), Jan. 21; A (Reading), Feb. 28; B and D (Allentown), Jan. 24.
Thirteenth regiment, Scranton, H. A. Coursen, colonel—Company G (Montrose), Monday, Feb. 7; Company B (Scranton), Tuesday, Feb. 8; Company B (Scranton), Wednesday, Feb. 9; Company D (Scranton), Friday, Feb. 11; Company A (Scranton), Monday, Feb. 14; Company C (Scranton), Wednesday, Feb. 16; Company H (Scranton), Friday, Feb. 18; Company E (Honesdale), Monday, Feb. 21.
Eighth regiment, Wrightsville, Frank Magee, colonel—Company I (Wrights.

Magee, colonel—Company I (Wrights-ville). March 1; Company A (York), March 2; C (Chambersburg), March 3; G (Carlisle), March 4: D (Harrisburg), March 5; B (Tamaqua), March 7; K (8t, Clair), March 8; F (Girardville), March 9; E (Mahonoy City), March 9; H (Pottsville), Jan. 21. Ninth regiment, WilkesBarre, C. Bow

Dougherty, colonel—Company C (Pittston), March 15; I (Plymouth), March 16; A (Wilkes-Barre), March 18; E (Parsons),

March 19; F, B and D (Wilkes-Barre), March 19; F, B and D (Wilkes-Barre), March 21, 22, 23, in order, Twelfth regiment, Williamsport; J. B. Corryell, colonel—Companies G, B, D (Williamsport), March 23, 23, 24, in order; H (Lock Haven), March 25; A (Lewisburg), March 26; C (Milton), March 28; E (Sunbury), March 29; F (Danville), March 30,

Batteryville C. Pheonixville, will be inspected January 22 and the Gover-nor's troop at Harrisburg, March 31. Major Millar will be accompanied in his tour by Sergeant M. K. Keck, Co. D., Ninth regiment, who was appointed

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DAUGHTER'S SHAME MADE FATHER INSANE

John Jones Became So Dangerous He Had to Be Placed Under Restraint.

HIS WIFE CAUSED HIS ARREST

Unfortunate Man Had a Revolver and Swore He Would Kill the Man Who Led His Daughter Astray -- He Is Now Confined in the Central Police Station and the Girl Is In the County Jail as an Incorrigible.

John Jones, 55 years old, is in the central police station-a raving maniac. Up in Dickson City there is a small cosy dwelling. The table in the lining room is spread-ready-but the bread is dry and hard, the milk is curdled in the pitcher-and the only living thing in what was once a home is a mewing cat, moving restlessly from empty room to empty room look-

ing for a friend. And in the county jail is a 19-yearold girl. Elvira,daughter of the maniac in the police station and of the woman who caused her husband's imprisonment because she feared the revolver

That revolver was meant for the man ho betrayed the daughter and led her,

lown the road to rain. Elvira Jones is young and pretty. Up to a year ago she was the pride of the Fourteenth ward, the Dickson City home. A younger yesterday afternoon, to recover \$29.25 brother, 17 years old, worshipped her, a married sister welcomed Elvira at her home in West Scranton, and Mr. and Mrs. Jones were a father and a moth-

er in all which that means. But in December, 1897, Elvira Jones met a man from this city. He, if the suspicions of the police authorities are correct, is a married man, living with his family. The young girl's downfall began here. A month's waywardness and she was taken back home; three weeks ago she again disappeared and last Tuesday John Jones, the father, went before Alderman W. S. Millar, of the Eighth ward, and swore out a warrant for his daughter's arrest on the charge of incorrigibility.

THE GIRL ARRESTED.

Fatrolman Day found the girl on the treet at a late hour and she was locked in the police station. This story has been told before in the papers-Elvira Jones was sent to the county fail Wednesday because her father, who appeared against her, wished it. Now omes the climax.

Yesterday Mrs. Jones, the mother signed her name to information against her husband. The charge was threats, for want of a better name. She stated John Jones had been dangerously demented. Wednesday morning after the Reaching there the mother and son for dinner. Jones entered, he would not the bill. eat but went to bed. Soon afterward he came down stairs. "I cannot sleep," he cried wildly; "I cannot sleep until I send that man to his last sleep." He had the revolver in his hand. As he spoke, Jones raised the weapon and fired. The bullet passed between mother and son and shattered a picture on the wall. Then he continued firing until the revolver was empty. Mrs. Jones left the house and her son followed to the home of the married sister in West Scranton. Yesterday morning she decided to have her hus-

band arrested. Detective Will Clifford took the warrant and with the young son went to Dickson City. They found the house empty and the doors unlocked. All Jones' violence could be seen. 'The walls are punctured in a half hundred places with bullet holes. An outhouse is also marked by the revolver. The table was as it had been left. Chairs were broken, window panes smashed. But Jones had disappeared.

BENT ON MURDER.

The man was located in North Scranon, and was coaxed to Alderman Millar's office. Here he was like a raging bull. He swore again and again that he would kill his daughter's betrayer. "It will cost the county nothing: I will kill him and then myself," he said. By strategy the revolver, a 32-calibre weapon, was taken from the man and he was locked in the police station until he either calms for a hearing on the charge of threats or is committed to an asylum. Jones is grey haired and naturally of a gentle disposition.

FOURTH Y. M. I. DEBATE.

John Boyle O'Reilly and Marquette Conscits Will Meet. Representatives of John Boyle O'Reil-

ly council, South Scranton, and Marquette council, North Scranton, will ngage in the fourth debate in the Young Men's Institute series in College hall Monday night. The subpect will be: "Resolved, That Womans' Suf-frage is Desirable."

Captain Duggan, Joseph Evans and James N. McCarthy will handle the negative for Marquette council, and P. W. Gallagher, P. H. Gilleran and Thos, J. Murphy will represent the affirmative for the North Scranton organiza-

STREET CAR TERROR ARRESTED.

Thomas Covue, However, Denies Assaulting Motorman Gleason. Thomas Coyne, of Minooka, was ar

rested yesterday as the man who assaulted William Gleason, the street car motorman, on a car at Moosic one night last week. The Traction company is prosecuting the case.

Gleason, before Alderman Millar yesterday, denied the assault. He claimed

it a case of mistaken identity. He furnished \$500 ball to appear at court.

TO DECIDE UPON A PAVE.

Meeting of North Scranton Property

Owners Tonight. testamentary were granted to her by There will be a meeting in Fenner & Chappel's hall, North Scranton, tonight of the property owners of North Main avenue and Providence road. The object of the meeting is to deide what kind of a pave is most de sirable for these thoroughfares.

ORBAN'S PARTIAL CONFESSION.

dmits Hitting His Brother, but

Denied Knowledge of Murder. County Detective Leyshon at the ounty jail yesterday morning secured an equivocal confession of murder from Andrew Orban, who was arrested at Mayfield Wednesday for the killing of his brother, Joseph, at Brownsville, near Pittsburg, on Christmas night. Orban admitted having hit his broth

that Constable Porter, of Brownsville, **ESTIMATE FOR** or some other Fayette county officer, who will be able to identify him, was on his way here for the purpose aking him to Favette county. He said ne did not know his brother was dead

Completed at a Meeting of the Park until he was arrested by Constable Hosie at Mayfield. Up to an early hour this morning the jail officials had not been acquainted of the arrival here of an officer OVER SIXTEEN THOUSAND ASKED from Fayette county.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The Annual Meeting Will Be Held Monday Evening.

The annual meeting of the board of trade will be held Monday evening. Officers nominated at the December meeting will be elected for 1898 and Secretary Atherton's annual report will be read.

Among the business of the meeting will be the consideration of a report by the manufacturers' committee on an adjustment of commercial water rates to large consumers.

BRILL BRINGS SUIT.

Says the City Is Indebted to Him for Working on Sunday-The Claim Is Approved.

John Prill, formerly employed by the city as one of the foremen in the street cleaning department, brought a civil action before Alderman George yesterday afternoon, to recover \$29.25 which Brill says is owing to him for labor done. The question at issue is:

Did John Brill work Sundays? Street Commissioner A. B. Dunning, who was made defendant in the suit, thinks that Brill did not work Sundays. So firmly was the street commissioner in his opinion that he struck off the Sunday accounts in the time bill sent in by Brill. But the street commimssioner possibly made a mistake, although City Solicitor McGinley does not think so. Nevertheless, judgment was awarded to Brill for the full amount at the hearing yesterday.

Alderman Kellow, however, qualified his decision with the remark.

leave the higher courts to look into the case." An appeal will be taken. As the story was told before Alderman Kellow Brill was employed to look after a gang of men at \$2.25 per day. He sent in his time accounts for June and July including eight of the nine Sundays upon which he worked. The street commissioner passed upon the bills. He stated yesterday that he did not detect the matter and in due time Brill was paid for the Sundays.

Street Commissioner Dunning,in fact, was not the original discoverer of the "mistake." It was City Clerk Martin that since her daughter was put in jail Lavelle who, when Brill sent in his account for August, noticed that the five Sundays were counted and the hearing he purchased a revolver and matter was then called to the atten-a box of cartridges and went home. the street commissioner, Mr. tion of the street commissioner, Mr. Dunning said the time was excessive were waiting with the table spread and the five Sundays were wiped off

Street Commissioner Dunning did more than this. He looked over Brill's accounts for June and July and discovered that for eight of the nine Sundays in these months Brill had been paid. This, the street commissioner pronounced, an error which had escaped his notice. To rectify it the street commissioner deducted thirteen days' time from Brill's August account and when Brill made his appearance on pay day he found \$29.25 less than what he expected to re-

Then he brought the civil action. At the hearing Assistant City Solicitor M. J. Walsh represented the city. Brill handled his own case. In his testimony he briefly stated he worked thirthrough the dwelling the marks of teen days for the city for which he wanted pay On examination he said he didn't know whether or not he worked Sundays in the month of May, neither did he know when he began to get city pay. He was pressed by Attorney Walsh to say something about May. "It will bring up fond recollections," suggested the attorney. remarked Brill, "recollections that I don't care to revive."

"How many Sundays did you work in June?" "How many are there?" retorted Bill, 'I counted them all so that I

could make no mistake." In this manner the examination was carried on, Brill skirting about in a somewhat clever fashion. When asked whether he was authorized to work Sundays Brill admitted that he had no special orders. His time for June and July were passed and he took this as an indication that he should continue working. He stated his Sunday work consisted of looking for barrels and nuisances.

Commissioner Dunning on the stand stated that he never authorized Brill to work on Sundays. He had conferred with the city solicitor on the matter and was told that Brill's present claim wouldn't stand. He wondered why Brill had missed counting all the Sundays in July. He left one out. was somewhat exciting throughout.

CAPT. JACK CRAWFORD.

The Poet Scout to He Heard at the Y. M. C. A. This Evening.

Captain Jack Crawford, "the poet scout," will give the third entertainment in the Members' course this evening in the Young Men's Christian association hall. Captain Crawford has been heard be-

fore in Scranton and received high encomiums from the press and people His humor and pathos are no less illustrated in his delivery than in his writ-

WILL OF JAMES J. LYNCH. He Left All of His Property to His

Wife. The will of James J. Lynch, late of Olyphant, was admitted to probate yesterday by Register of Wills Koch. In it he leaves all of his property, real, personal and mixed to his wife. She is also named as executrix and letters

the register. The will was made on April 23, 1895, and was witnessed by James W. O'Brien and John T. Mooney.

SCRANTON BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Mr. L. F. Lalathe is bookkeeper for the Hess Baking Co., and Mr. Ed. Williams is in the office of the Scranton Packing company. Both young men assumed their duties this week. A request for a lady bookkeeper, on Tuesday; one for a gentleman bookkeeper, on Thursday; two for gentlemen stenographers, on Friday. Why not prepare for business? There

are plenty of good paying positions for those who are qualified to fill them. ** er on the head with a pick handle. He made the admission after being told French Plat. F. L. Hitchcock & Son. THE CITY PARKS

Commissioners Yesterday.

Of This Amount Nearly Fifteen Thousand Is for Nav Aug Park. Two Thousand Dollars to Go Into a Lake and Swimming Pool--For Connell Park Eighteen Hundred Dollars Is Asked, and for Woodlawn Two Hundred and Fitty.

There was a meeting of the Park Commissioners yesterday at the City Hall, which was attended by Selectcouncilman C. E. Chittenden, M. J. Burns, and C. F. Wagner and Common Councilman James Moir. The superintendents of Nay Aug and Connell parks

were also present. It was decided to submit the following to the estimates committee as the amount of money necessary to run the park department of this city during the fiscal year, 1898;

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PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

12,639 Enrolled, and an Average Attendance of 10,942 During Dec.

of attendance at the public schools during December were finished yester day at the office of Superintendent Howell. Compared with the attendance during December, 1896, the record is as follows:

Dec., 1896, Dec., 1897. Females 6,441 6,560 12,176 12,639 Average Dally Attendance-Males 4.985 Females 5.395 5,313 5,529 Percentage of attend-

Perfect attendance 3,593 Last month 1,284 citizens visited the schools; there were \$2 visits by controllers and 28 by Superintendent Howell: 72 pupils were promoted and

THREE ACTIONS IN TRESPASS.

Against Carbondale Traction Company and City of Carbondale.

Thomas Killeen and Maria Killeen of Carbondale, yesterday began actions against the Carbondale Traction company and the city of Carbondale to recover damages for injury done to their property by the construction of the

Anna McDonough and Bernard Gilmertin have also begun actions against the same corporations. The cause of action in the four cases is identical The plaintiffs are represented by Attorneys I. H. Burns and M. F. Sando

THE SUNDAY NEWS

The Leading Sunday Paper in North-

eastern Pennsylvania. Dunmore's new burgess and the speakeasies. Mr. Beemer and his ten-Bob Fitzsimmons writes to 'Pastime' concerning Corbett's recent hallenge. The jeweler and the barber's wife, The dangers of Twelfth ward politics. A great Dunmore letter. Latest in regard to Eddie Cordiner. A lively political column from

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HIGH SCHOOL CAMERA CLUB.

Gave an Exhibition of the Work of the Work of the Members Yesterday. The Scranton High school Camera club gave an exhibition yesterday at the rooms of the Scranton Camera club, 421 Lackawanna avenue, between the hours of 2.30 and 10 p. m. There was a fine exhibition of the work done by the club.

The exhibition committee was composed of Gustave Brown, chairman; Walter Northup, Roswell McMullen, Hugh Lynch and Robert Gardner,

INDUSTRIAL JOTTINGS.

Briggs colliery was idle two days this Continental mines have been idle or a week past for repairs. A cylinder on one of the engines having been broken. The Taylor celtery is idle and under-

going general repairs in all departments

The Cayuga colliery resumed operations at the beginning of this week after con-

siderable repair work about the fan shall and inside The Dickson Manufacturing company are busy upon several large and varied orders for foreign parts. Two six-wheel switching lecomotives for the Sanyo railroad in Japan; two heavy locomotives for Honduras, Central America, and two air motors for a South American Mining company. These latter will be of special design to withstand an unusually high pressure. Orders have also been placed with the above company by the Delaware and Hudson company for the construction of several locomotives. The Cliff works department of the Dickson company

Cuban Relief Fund.

lief fund

Crystal Palace Sold.

Ex-Sheriff John J. Fahey has sold the Crystal Palace hotel, on Lackawanna avenue, to M. F. Fadden, of Priceburg, formerly proprietor of the Fadder House on the boulevard.

There was no decision.

Williamsport, Jan. 14.-The ice on the

25 00 West Branch of the Suspuehanna river 125 00 broke on a five-foot flood at the mouth

RANT.—In Scranton, Pa., Jan. 13, 1898, Mrs. Michael Grant, of Langstaff ave-nue. She is survived by a husband and two children, Catharine and Edward. Service Sunday afternoon at St. Patrick's church. Interment in Hyde Park Catholic cemetery.

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Total\$31 25

Moore and Gorman Meet. Philadelphia, Jan. 14.—Dick Moore, of St. Paul, and Johnny Gorman, of New York, fought six rounds at the Arena to-night. Each man seemed to carry consid-erable overweight which interfered to some extent with their lighting, but both fought hard and beyond their evident earnestness the bout was without feature.

Ice Jam Four Miles Long.

of Sinnemahoning creek, above Lock Haven. A jam four miles long is lodged against the Pennsylvania railrond bridge at Queen's Run, but no danger is antici

DIED.

VLOR.-In Sera on, Pa., Jan. 13, 189 Robert Taylor, at his home, 223 Railroad avenue, at the age of 64 years. Funeral from the residence Sunday afternoon Services at St. Luke's church at 1.20 Interment in Washburn street

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