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PERSONAL.

Dr. and Mrs. Edson Green, of Green Ridge, have as their guests Misses Bent-ley and Wood, of Honesdale. Mrs. Harry Storm went to join he husband in Johnstown last week. Creston Clarke company will be at the

Lyceum March 4. Horace M. Walton, Roscoe Dale, Thos. R. Brooks and W. R. McClave were registered at the Hotel Lafayette in Philadelphia Saturday.

Miss Alice O'Malley, of Wyoming ave nue, has returned from a visit at Toledo, She was accompanied from Buffalo a trip to Florida tomorow,

Victor Koch, of the Scranton House; ex-Sheriff Charles Robinson and John Benore, of John Benore & Son, leave for a trip to Florida tomorrow. The engagament of Miss Jennie Dann,

Buffalo, to Thomas F. Archbald, of Jetferson avenue, is announced. Miss Dann is well known in Scranton society. Miss Bradley, of Jonas Longs Sor

millinery department, returned from New F. J. McDonnell, who was connected with the wholesale liquor house conducted by William Kelly, of Luckawanna avenue, has accepted a position as traveling salesman for Casey Bros.

An informal affair was held Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones, of Olive street. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Rice, Dr. and Mrs. Ware, Mr. and Mrs. William Silk-man, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. LaBar, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. John Roll, dr. and Mrs. George Russ, Mr. and Mrs. F. Megargel, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Consell. Mr and Mrs. John Simpson, Mr. and Buffalo,

The following editorial paragraph anpeared in Saturday's Times concerning changes to go into effect on that paper to-day: "Mr. M. J. O'Toole has resigned the city editorship of the Times, which he has held for four years to accept a tempting proposal to become editor of th derantonian. We acknowledge with pleasure the excellent service Mr. O'Toole has rendered to the Times and regard him as one of the brightest and most efficient of Scranton journalists. We trust that his relations in his new environme be as pleasnt as they were with us and predict that his abilty, tact and hustle wil increase the prosperity of the Scran-Mr. J. D. Keator, who has had an experience of three years on the Time: local staff, has been promoted to be local editor. Let his works speak for him." Mr. Rafter, who has been the South Scranton representative of the paper, will succeed Mr. Keator on the local staff.

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ODDS AND ENDS OF CURRENT TOPICS

SECRETARY APPOINTED BY MAYOR-ELECT MOIR.

Precedent Set by Mayor Connell and Mayor Bailey Was Not Followed. Mr. Hatton Has Had a Large Amount of Experience with Matters Pertaining to the City Government-Those Who Have Preceded Him in the Office-Visit of Band

Mayor-elect Moir has not followed the precedent established by his predecessors in the matter of appointing his secretary, Mayor Connell and Mayor Bailey selected their secretaries among the active newspaper workers of the city, but the mayorlect has seen fit to name Henry C. Hatton as his confidential man,

The selection is an excellent one. Mr. Hatton has had an extensive experience in matters pertaining to the city government during the last ten Almost immediately after reaching his majority he went into the minen council as the representative of the First ward, and made a fine record. He was bright, genial and enrgetic and soon won a conspicuous place among the older members of that branch of the city council. Since his stirement from council he has been cierk in several departments of the ty hall, and is now filling the posion of clerk of the common council. of which body Mayor-elect Moir is chairman. Mr. Hatton is well fitted by temperament and experience to take charge of the great army of callers who every day invade the mayor's office. It requires infinite tact and almost the gift of a mind reader to satisfactorily sift the wheat from the chaff to the end that the time of His Honor may not be needlessly wasted, and that every man who has a valid reason for seeing the mayor may be

Mayor-elect Moir is not without preedent, however, in going outside the ranks of newspaper workers for his secretary. During a portion of the term of Hon. John H. Fellows, Major E. D. Fellows, now secretary of the board of control, helped the mayor to attend to the innumerable matters that came before him for consideration, A secretary was of no great assist-

ance to Mayor Fellows, however, He insisted on seeing every caller and also in writing every letter and public document until he discovered that his messages to council received consideration after passing through the hands of a resourceful secretary. When Mayor Fellows learned that lesson his perpendicular handwriting and long sentences were less a feature of the sessions of council ARE TO ERECT A BREWERY a feature of the sessions of council dox type-written fashion that disclosed less of the individuality of the man and stirred up less opposition Until the end of his term Mayor Felows never delegated to any one else the responsibility of seeing his callers. His office was on the top floor of the Commonwealth building. many weary hours were out in by persons who had urgent bus-

visit to the mayor's conning tower was the splendid view that could be obtained. The Commonwealth building quarters for the first time were much impressed by the panorama that spread out before them.

It was Mayor Connell who first dononstrated the possibilities of a secretary. When he was inducted into ofprior to that event a member of the city sinff of The Tribune. Mr. Edgar was not only a good newspaper man and a writer of more than ordinary cleverness, but a polished gentleman and a diplomat. The smoothness with which he handled the swarm of persons who found their way into the mayor's office was little less than marvelous. His services were almost priceless to Mayor Connell, who was endeavoring to give his best energies and thought to city matters and could not afford to have his office hour, wasted

where it would do no good. Mr. Edgar stood between the mayor and the flood and disposed of all matters save those it was essential mayor should consider perthe sonally. The results were very satisfactory. There was no cooling of heels York Saturday, where she spent a week for hours in the mayor's ante-chamber, making choice selections of spring styles. Those who had proper business to dis-Those who had proper business to diseuss with his honor saw him at once and were given ample time to talk over the matter at hand. The triflers and time consumers found a barrier between them and the city's chief mag-

When Mayor Bailey succeeded Mayor Connell he saw the advantages of the system that his predecessor had introduced and at once availed himself of it by appointing R. J. Beamish as secretary. The great assisstance he has been to Mayor Bailey is known ness dealings with the major's office Charles Schlager, Mrs. Whesler, of by every person who has had busiduring the last three years

James Greer, of New York city, manager of the Letter Carriers' band of that city, was the guest of the local carriers Saturday and yesterday. Mr. Green's band consists of sixty-five FOR THIS WEEK pieces, and will be heard here next September, when the National Letter Carriers' association honors Scranton with its convention. The band was at Toledo, O., last September and Mr. Greer is certain it will be no less a feature of the convention in this city. His visit here at this time is for the purpose of arranging for accommoda-

tions for the band men. afternoon the local postmen took him Coffee, regular price 32c. When Mr. Greer arrived Saturday to the Lyceum to hear the concert value 38c, this week 24c given by the Banda Rossa. "Mighty fine." Was Mr. Greer's comment after the concert. "but it's not the letter order. carriers' band by a good deal. We don't claim, of course, to possess the technique of the Banda Rossa artists. and probably would not be able to do anything with their heavy numbers, but for the ordinary run of band music we are in the race. You'll hear us in September, when we come to the conntion. Yes, you'll hear a whole lot of us, for we're going to stay a week." Mr. Greer was very favorably impressed by the appearance of Scranton. It was his first visit to the metropolis

of the anthracite coal fields and he approved of the evidence of push and COMBINATION IS progress that he saw on every hand. "It's New York on a small scale," was the way he summarized his Impres-

Up in Hallstead, Susquehanna county, they are preparing to give a royal velcome to the members of the Thirteenth regiment who reside in that prosperous little village when they return to their homes and their kindred. Preparations for the event have been in progress for some time and the local paper each week fairly bristles with rders of the commander of the parade which is to be one of the features of

the occasion. Saturday's issue of the Hallstead Herald contained General Order No. 4 set in large type and two columns This order contained the names of fifty-two men who have been hon-ored with positions as assistants to the commander and as aides. The return of the soldiers is to be a distinctly redfire occasion in the history of Hallstead, It's too had that some of the enthusiasm that animates the Hallsteadites cannot be transferred to this

Samuel J. Porter, the colored statesman of West Scranton, is ambitious to swing a club and wear a police officer's star, and he expects Mayorelect Moir to enable him to realize his ambition. Mr. Porter is a Philadelphian and is reputed to be a representative of one of the first colored famllies of the Quaker City. He is aggressive and argumentative and has for some time been a prominent member of the Keystone Republican club.

He is a splendid specimen of physical manhood, and if given the coveted position he will be the first colored man to achieve that distinction in this city. Colored men have already succeded in getting on the mail carryng force and on the fire department's list of permanent men.

George M. Davies, of Lansford, Carbon county, was one of the distinguished visitors to the city Saturday. He came here to pay his last tribute respect to the late Enoch Harris, his life-long friend, who on Saturday afternoon was taken to his last home Mr. Davies is an ex-chairman of the Republican committee of Carbon counand is an aspirant for the office of associate judge of that county. He s a pleasant, courieous gentleman who has a large following of friends at his home. He is one of the opera-

tors for the Lehigh Coal and Navigation company Down in Lehigh county they are doing some energetic hustling to secure the appointment of Judge Albright as member of the Supreme court, to succeed the late Justice Williams.

Judge Albright is a Democrat, and if Governor Stone decides to name a member of that political household for vacancy it is felt by his friends that his chances are good. Judge Alin this city and has many friends here.

Scranton Men Said to Be at the Head of a Movement to Construct a Beer Brewing Plant at Stroudsburg.

"A beer brewery to cost \$75,000 will iness with his honor, but could not be erected and operated in this town get his ear until a host of callers who this year," says the Stroudsburg mains of the Crystal Lake company ment of a dog tax or some equally important matted had been heard at of the interested parties are withheld ength. One of the compesations of a until all arrangements are complete,

"Some time ago a tract of land on Lincoln avenue, this town, on which was then the tallest structure in the the fine Frankenfield Springs are locity and those who visited his honor's cated, was purchased ostensibly for a dyeing plant. It was learned later that a big brewery was to be erected on the land.

"The capital stock of the brewing company is placed at \$100,000, more fice and went to his quarters in the than half of which has been subscribnew city hall he took with him Mark ed. Those interested in the scheme are Edgar, who had been for some time mostly Scranton people, principally the hotel and saloon men of that city

"The ideas is to make the brewery a consumers company and place as much stock as possible with hotelmen, bottlers, restaurant and saloon keepers. There is no intention to go into competitin with local bottlers, if they become stockholders and handle the product of the brewery. The new concern will be independent of all brewery "The plant is to be an up-to-date

one in all respects. The building will be five stories, fire proof, and work will be started in the early spring. The contract for the building and equipping will probably be given to the Wilhelm Grieser Engineering company, of Chicago.

The brewery will have an output 30,000 barrels per year or a hundred barrels a day. Ales, porter, stouts, Weiss beer and soft drinks will be produced.

"The object of locating in Stroudsburg is on account of the pure water and those who know say that the Frankenfield spring water is of such quality that the beer will be the nest made in the country.

Application will be made at the coming court for a brewers' license and later a company will apply for a

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Creamery Butter, 5 lb Olives, pint bottles 25c.

COURSEN

AN ASSURED FACT

ELECTRIC LIGHT COMPANIES UNDER ONE MANAGEMENT.

Dunmore Electric Light Company, Suburban Electric Light Company and Scranton Illuminating Heat and Power Company Have Passed Into the Control of the Trust. Dunmore Plant Has Been Purchased Outright and It Is Said Will Be Shut Down.

The big combination of local electrical companies, the details of which were exclusively foretold in The Tribune several weeks ago, is now an assured fact. The American Electric Light, Heat and Power company which at the head of the movement will after March 1 be actively interested a the management of the Dunmore Light company, Suburban Electric Light company and the Scranton Illuminating Heat and Power com-Dany.

The Scranton Electric Light company, which furnishes the arc lights for the city and is controlled by the Scranton Gas and Water company, will probably not pass into the control of the trust but there will be at least a usiness understanding which will prevent active competition with the trust. Negotiations with the Dunmore Suburban and Illuminating companies have been brought to a satisfactory termination and now to all intents and

purposes are in the trust. Information with reference to the deal is jealously guarded but it is un-derstood that the Dunmore plant has been purchased outright and will soon be shut down. The power necessary to carry on the business it has been doing will be supplied from the Subur-

ban plant on Washington avenue. The arrangement under which the Suburban and Illuminating companies go into the trust is not a complete surrender of their identity as companies, but is more in the nature of a pooling arrangement.

Some time ago the Carbondale com pany passed into the control of the trust and before long it is confidently asserted that all the electric companies in the valley will have one gen-eral head to direct their affairs.

PAYING FOR THE STOCK. Consolidated Company Parts with

\$100,000 of Its Cash. Joseph J. Jermyn, George B. Jermyn and R. H. Patterson, of this city, were in Carbondale Saturday paying for the stock recently purchased from the bright frequently presides over court stockholders of the Crystal Lake Water company. The gentlemen named are the principal stockholders of the new Consolidated Water Supply company, which is to succeed the Crystal Lake Water company.

Over \$100,000 was paid out in Carbondale Saturday to the Crystal Lake stockholders. They received \$1,000 for every \$100 share of their stock.

The consolidated company was chartered to do business in Lackawanna and Susquehanna counties and has already in view the leasing of several other water plants. The new dam at Brownell's swamp is to be built at once and important extensions to the in Carbondale are to be made this sum-

NUMBER OF WITNESSES HEARD. Examined Saturday in the Langstaff-

Kelly Contest. The following Dunmore voters were examined Saturday in the Langstaff-

Kelly election contest: Harry Davis, Sam Willis, William cor, M. L. Speck, Charles F. Brooks, Frank Merrifield, Joseph Jackson, J. W. Cooper, John Twaddle, Frank Rice, John Allen, M. E. Vegiard, James Friant, E. N. Weaver, J. B. Towner, T. B. McClintock, James Matter, Bryan Brady, Frank Cole, David Decker, Frank Williams, George Albig, Edward Holcomb, Willis G. Clark, Alex. Marsh, Frank Secor, Adam Hill, Ben Parsons, Preston Smith, Timothy Foster, A. A. Peckins, Steve Roosnowk, Joseph Gillette, A. L. Conrad, Jerome Wade, Sylvester Knapp, Eli Swartz, H. J. Swartz, Charles Hardenstine, Joseph Dodge, George Jackson, John Price, Clarence Jackson, George Jones and Jason Cole.

FUNERAL OF M. HENCHY.

Services Held at St. Peter's Cathedral Saturday Morning.

Many friends attended the funeral of the late Michael Henchy, which was held Saturday morning from the resdence, 340 South Washington avenue. Deceased was injured at the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western machine shops over a week ago and died last Thursday afternoon at the Moses Tayor hospital.

The remains were borne to St. Peter's cathedral at 9 o'clock and a high mass of requiem was celebrated. At the conclusion of the services the remains were borne to the Cathedral cometery, where interment was made. The pallbearers were Thomas Hogan, John Murphy, Philip and Daniel McAloon, John Kennedy and Thomas O'Malley.

CAUSED EXCITEMENT.

Horses Ran Away, Driver Was Thrown Out, Carriage Damaged.

Blacksmith Philip Schnell had an exciting experience Saturday shortly after noon, while on his way from Green Ridge to his shop. He was driving a single horse and leading another in the rear. The latter becoming frightened reared and planted his fore feet in the back of the buggy.

The noise and lurch of the vehicle startled the driven horse and away be dashed. Schnell was thrown out and both horses ran away. The horses were later captured. Mr. Schnell was unharmed but the carriage was damaged

EXCITING RUNAWAY.

Horse Belonging to M. E. Alderman Injured and Had to Be Shot.

A runaway horse caused considerable xcitement on West Market street Saturday morning. The animal is owned by M. E. Alderman, and was being used by Grocer Stoll. While standing in front of the latter's place of business the horse became frightened and dashed down the street, striking several

wagons but no one was injured The horse fell near the East Market street bridge and one of its legs was broken. It was deemed necessary shoot the animal and Patrolman John Thomas put it out of its misery.

MILLS WILL RESUME.

South Mills Shut Down for Repairs

Since Friday's Accident. After several days' delay, the South steel mills of the Lackawanna Iron and Steel company are scheduled to resume operations tonight. The mills were forced to shut down last Thursday night as a result of the accident to the bloomer" engine, which caused the death of John Joyce and serious juries to two other workmen by the breaking of a large fly-wheel.

The injured workmen are progress ing favorably. The coroner has taken no action as yet as regards an investigation into the cause of the death of Joyce, but expects to do so today.

CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

Two Small Boys Compelled to Solicit Alms from the Public.

A case of extreme cruelty to children was discovered by several persons whose business kept them in the cendirty-faced boys, whose names are awanna avenue, and by going through ome acrobatic feats, excited sympathy from the older ones who observed them

Inquiry revealed the fact that these boys have been doing this work for some time, and upon being questioned, the older boy stated that himself and his brother were afraid to go home before they obtained a certain sum of money each night, fearing punishment, Their father's name is Michael Dougherty, they said, and he lives at 628 Fellows street. If their story is correct their case ought to be attended to at once by the authorities.

THE REGIMENT'S RETURN

Committee Much Perplexed Over the Arrival Being Scheduled for a Sabbath Day-Another Meeting to Be Held Saturday.

As a way out of the dilemma which the return of the Thirteenth on a Sabbath day presents, it is suggested that the formal welcoming demonstration be postponed until a few days later, and that they be given a banquet at the armory and a reception at the Lyceum,

The reception committee at its meeting Saturday was in a quandary as to what was best to do. After many plans were discussed the above suggestion was adopted as the best put forward, and if it meets with favor from the soldiers themselves will likely

structed to submit the proposition to colonel Coursen with the request that he ascertain the sentiment of the men and acquaint the committee with the same at the earliest moment. It is expected that an answer by

Secretary Charles E. Daniels was in-

telegraph will have been received when the committee meets again Wednesday afternoon The detailed plan of this demonstration contemplates a half holiday

throughout the whole city and a parade from the armory to the Lyceum between the banquet and the reception. The Eleventh regiment, the old members of the Thirteenth and the Grand Army veterans will form the Each member of the regiment will have the

hundred members of the regiment, thus it can be seen, will tax the capacity of the theater, The out-of-town companies will be

requested to attend the celebration in This is the way they are going at the reception which is to be given the fifteen or more Hallstead boys, who

are out with the Thirteenth: ATTENTION BATTALION: Headquarters Commander of the Jubils

Hallstend, Pa., Feb. 29, 1899, General Order No. 4. In addition to the appointments bereto fore made in last week's Herald, the felowing officers have been appointed and

ssigned to duty. It is the duty of all the staff officers on he staff of the different commanders to sist the commander in getting his men together, to see that the men are mounted and have flags, and to notify the men the time of the parade, and in fact to assist in all things pertaining to the parade in hs command. By order of the

Commander. Major Christopher McCormick, Major L. B. Crook, Major William McLoud, Captain C. L. Crook to be assistant mar-

Lieutenant J. W. Crook, Lieutenant C. A. Holden, Lieutenant James Simrell is hereby assigned to duty on the headquar-ters' staff. Lieutenant Fred Fisk Lieutenant Ei-

mer Decker, Licutenant Kenneth Johnson are hereby assigned to duty on the staff of Colenel I. B. Preston, Captain Wellington Decker, Lieutenant Ed Blakeslee are hereby assigned to duty on the staff of the color division com-manded by Captain Henry Vosburg. Captain John Maynard and Captain Jo-seph Gruslin are hereby appointed chief

of artillery The following aids have been appointed and assigned as follows: James Crum-mie, R. H. Cole, Ed Summers, Eugene Aldrich, F. E. Cole, Charles Aldrich, Da-vid Mfiler, William Aldrich, Ezra Whited Hobart Guan, William Jinsel, Lewis Hoff-man, James Gilchrist have been assigned to duty in the second division and

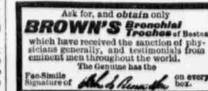
reby ordered to report to Colonel f. B. Aids William Brown, John Pettit, Milror Squres, Herbert Sackett, Thomas Geth-any, Alonzo Watson, Reuben Barnes George Taylor, Charles Sisson, Clarence McKinney, Fred Ress, A. H. Compton, Arthur Green, Jerome Shoat, Mr. Squires, Fred Osterhout, Alfred Cole, A. I. Eldred, Fred McLoud, George Berkimer, Virgil Walker, Fred Sisson, Lou Riss have been assigned to duty in the color division, and are hereby ordered to report to the ommander, Henry Verburg.

Smoke The Pecono Cigar, 5c.

BORN STEPHENS.-At Nicholson, Pa., Feb. 24,

1890, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Stephens DIED.

DAVIS.—In West Scranton, Feb. 25, 1899 Thomas W. Davis, aged 61 years, at bis residence, 339 South Main avenue. Fu-neral Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock



THAT IS UNIQUE MATTHEWS BROS. **ELECTION CONTEST**

MADISON TOWNSHIP CANDI-DATES COMPLAINANTS.

They Allege That After the Names of the Republican Candidates for School Directors There Was Nothing to Indicate the Length of the Terms of the Offices They Aspired to Fill-Count of the Vote Cast at Tuesday's Election in Scranton and Carbondale Completed.

unique in its way was begun Saturday by Attorney M. J. Martin before Clerk of the Courts Daniels. It will not saddle a big bill of expense on the taxpayers tral city late Saturday night. Two as some of its distinguished predeces sors have done. The contest is brough Dannie Dougherty, aged 14 years, and under the provision of the school law Willie Dougherty, aged 8 years, were of 1854, which provi is that when diseen to enter different saloons on Lack- rectors for different terms are to be voted for the term for which each on aspires must follow his name. Three directors were to have been A MOST elected Tuesday in Madison township.

An election contest that is somewhat

two for three years and one for cre year, L. J. Hornbaker, D. W. Swarts and John Pirie were the Republican candidates, and John McAndrew, Edward Webster and Thomas Hoar were the Democratic candidates. It is alleged that the terms of the Republican candidates were not speci-

fied and that under the law all votes cast for them will be thrown out. If that be so, the three Democrats will take the offices. There is a tie between Hornbaker and McAndrew, each receiving ninety votes. The contest will consist of

nothing more exciting than a recount of the votes by the clerk of the courts.

The Count Completed. On Saturday the official footings of CONRAD, Lackawnna Avs. the votes cast for candidates last Tuesday in the cities of Scranton and Carbondale were ascertained by the court. The vote in the city of Scranton was printed in the Tribune Saturday. For Hot House Cucumbers, Carbondale a summary of the vote is as follows:

Mayor-J. W. Kilpatrick, D., 1567; J. M. Alexander, R., 1,289. Kilpatrick's majority, 218. Treasurer-P. F. Connor, D., 1,562; Louis Gramer, R., 1,273. Connor's majority, 229. Controller—John F. Wheeler, D., 1,545. M. Stewart, R., 294. Wheeler's major-

Assessors-W. H. Bate, R., 1,257; The Scott, R., 1,493; Robert Campbell, R., 1,047 Jehn Moffitt, D., 1,178; John Hanson, D. 1,286; P. F. McKenna, D., 1,985. Court directed the payment of the force of clerks Saturday who assisted

in the count. Attorneys J. F. Gilroy and Ralph Levy received \$25 each; Attorneys W. M. Bunnell, W. F. Shean C. E. Daniels and F. M. Lynch, each \$20; and Attorney W. M. Lowry and Deputy Prothonotary John F. Cummings each \$20. The latter two pre-pared the blanks in which the vote was compiled.

Exceptions Dismissed.

On Saturday Judge R. W. Archabld handed down an opinion dismissing the exceptions to the report of the auditor in the estate of Emma S. Wat-kins, deceased. Mrs. Watkins died in 1888 and left five children. There was a lien against some property she owned None but members of the regiment and to satisfy it a sheriff's sale took more than enough to pay the debt privilege of inviting one friend to the and this sum was put into a fund for eception. As there are over eight the benefit of the minor children.

David T. Jenkins put in a bill of \$12 a month for the board of one of the children and Attorney Charles E. Olver, who was appointed auditor to distribute the fund, refused to allow the claim. Judge Archabld sustains him. The opinion was on the exceptions to Mr. Olver's rejection of the claim.

BURGLAR AT RICHMONT PARK.

Tried to Gain Entrance to James R. Burnett's Residence. An attempt was made to burglarize the residence of Attorney James R. Burnett, on Richmont avenue, at 11 o'clock Friday night. The intruder was discovered operating on a rear window of the cellar by a lady living near by, who gave the alarm.

The burglar made his escape with-

out securing anything. Several of the

neighbors searched for the man, but no trace of him could be found. GIBBONS CASE ADVANCED.

Supreme Court Will Hear Argument On April 10. Upon petition of Attorney R. H. Holgate, the Supreme court has fixed April 10 as a special date for hearing arguments in the John Gibbons contempt

proceedings. In the original order made early last week the case was set down for argument during Lackawanna's week before the Supreme court in February,

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