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ORDERED TO RESUME HIS OLD POSITION ON MONDAY.

Mayor Bailey Made the Announcement Yesterday After a Conference with Captain Robling-Chief of Police Gurrell Is Glad to Be Relieved from the Duties of the Office-Extra Policemen Are Provided for in the Appropriation Ordinance.

Captain Frank Robling, jr., will on Monday next resume his place as chief of police. This was announced by Mayor Bailey yesterday morning, after he had had a conference with Captain

Acting Chief of Police Gurrell is giad to be relieved from the onerous post tion. He accepted the office against his own wishes and only at the earnest solicitation of the mayor. How well the mayor appreciated his act is generally known. Despite the handica; with which he was beset, Acting Chief Gurrell made an excellent record.

Captain Robling, it is understood, will be continued, at least for a time, as chief under the new administration, If he was continued for the whole term there would be few, if any, objections raised. The city today does not contaln a more popular young man and the police force, it will be generally admitted, could not have a better head. Chief Robling's return to the force will not cause any removals. Two extra patrolmen are provided for in the

priation for the pay of the extra officers in the interim. SHAMOKIN CITIZENS RELIEVED

estimates ordinance and special pro-vision is made of a transfer of appro-

Supposed Counterfeit Coins Are De clared to Be Good Money.

About a week ago the business mer and a few of the citizens of Shamokin were startled to find that the town was being systematically flooded with counterfeit silver dollars. Most of the dollars alleged to be bad were dated 1879, 1882 and 1884. Those who happened to hold any of the bad coins, and there were many just kept them for souvenirs or gave them away. It remained for on enterprising drummer to have one of the coins tested at the United States mint in Philadelphia. There the coins were declared good

What made the "scare" so plausible was the fact that that time George Czpatias and C. Okonsky, two residents of Shamokin, were arrested at Somerville, N. J., charged with counterfeiting. Their headquarters in Shamokin was raided and a large quantity of "bad" money found. Last Saturday a car load of goods marked

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About Novelty Dress Fabrics

Our Dress Goods Department has become the Louvre of the nations. The art weaves of the fabric world is gathered here. After a careful survey of the collection here, a customer remarked "that it is no longer the highly-exclusive, highly-perfected, carefully-picked styles in ultra-fashionable fabrics. The tidalreach and high-water mark in this and that nation's loom achievements collection of war relies in Corcoran are here, and as moderately priced Bros.' window. as you might expect to acquire them in the cities. For the most part, in but small quantities—a dress robe of a kind-and representing the ultimate efforts of the designers.

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It's not often that opportunities for acquiring high-class novelties in Dress Silks occur so early in the season. But there's an element of hard luck for the makers in the reasons for this-so these most stylish of this spring's silks come to you at two-fifths under their real value. They are 20 inches wide and were made to sell at \$1.25 a yard. There's no flaw in the weaving or dyeingjust a case of bad management on the part of the makers, and we send them forth in a half score of new sensational shades at 75c a yd. Samples of any and all by writing.

ISAAC LONG.

WILKES-BARRE, PA., MARCH 16, '99.

'household goods" were held up at Shamokin because they were consigned to Czpatias. The car was opened and the goods examined. A complete whis key still, counterfeit tools of the latest pattern and hundreds of dollars worth of counterfest coins, mostly of the nickel and half dollar denomination were found among the other effects. The two men are now in jail at Pittsburg.

PITTSTON NEWS

Zurenski's Attempt at Suicide a Success-What the City Expects to Expend for the Current Year-A Batch of Late Locals.

John Zurenski, who shot himself at his boarding house in Smithville on Monday last, died at the hospital yesterday morning. The ball entered his side and was lodged near the beart His death was due to the lungs being penetrated and hemorrhages which followed. The coroner was notified and he will appoint a jury to make an investigation. The body was still at the hospital last night, none of his friends having as yet claimed it. There was a woman who she said was his sister called shortly before his death, but she made no request as to the disposal of the remains when informed that he could not live. If the body is not claimed today it is probable that it will find its way to the dissecting table.

A favorable report was received here yesterday relative to the condition of Fred Herman, who went to Philadelphia to undergo an operation. The Pittston township election board

of the Cork Lane district have been bound over to court to answer the charge of changing the result of the ballot at the late election.

This morning at 9 o'clock there wil a month's mind mass at St. John's church, at the late pastor's request Bishop Hoban will be the celebran and the clergy from all parts of the diocese will be present in the sanc

tuary. At a special meeting of the select ouncil, the following appropriation: vere presented and recommended by the committee: Mayor's department \$700; treasurer's department, \$1,200 controller's department, \$700; clerk's department, \$1,440; city engineer's de artment, \$1,780; police department, \$3, 295; fire department, \$4,450; street de partment, \$6,670; board of health, \$880 elty assessor's department, \$800; maintenance of city hall, \$930; street light ing, \$7,500; state tax on loans, \$200 sinking fund and interest, \$5,500; street and sewers, \$20,000; contingent fund \$11,740, or a grand total of \$68,800.

Mrs. W. C. Price is visiting friends n Providence this week.

Company H, the crack company o the Ninth regiment, has reorganized with a full quota of membership and also elected all their old officers, with James Brennan as captain. They, with Company C, will go up to Scranton or the 23d and take part in the reception to the Thirteenth regiment.

The board of health held meeting last night, and the report of scretary Craig showed that there wer twenty-three deaths during the pasnonth and but one case of contagious disease in the city. They will ask the ouncil for an appropriation of \$1.94 or the next year.

Gilbert Jones, Alexander Sloan and Fred, Seibel, members of the school oard, went down to Wilkes-Barre yes terday to defend the latter, which was sued by Attorney Morris for \$502.50 for services. The board held that the bill vas excessive and refused to pay i The case was heard in court yesterday before Judge Halsey and resulted b an allowance of \$300.

Douglass, the magician, will appear at Music hall next Saturday afternoon and evening, and they say that he quite proficient in the black art. The Crystal Social club, a compan

of respectable young men, will hold their annual dance tomorrow evening in Armory hall. John Havana was committed to jai

yesterday by Alderman Evans, not be ing able to secure bail on the charge of assault and battery. The prosecuto was S. Swartz, of Dupont, who had four watches and a satchel taken from necessary to send to the cities" for him, and then assaulted because his stock in trade was not of more value. George Andrews, who is at Manila has sent a paper to Will Webber called the "American." It is an interesting sheet, and is now added to the large

> Prof. Charles Stewart, a young man of good elecutionary ability, gave ; varied programme of recitations and Impersonations to a good-sized audience last evening in the Young Men's Christian association hall. Many of the numbers were loudly applauded, and the entertainment was both interesting

and successful. The members of the Young Men's Institute in their new rooms in the Oliver Burke building held a splendid and successful entertainment last night. The nocktrial was an amusing feature, and the young men that were concerned in it acquitted themselves very creditably. Mr. Burke entertained with some new and funny selections with the phone

There was a pleasant gathering at he Riverside house last evening, when Thomas Dotter, assisted by the Three D's social club, rendered a very intersting programme of vocal and instrumental music

graph.

The Newon Coal company will pay their employes tomorrow and the Pennsylvania Coal company with several of the individual operators will pay on Saturday. The amount to be disbursed will be twenty thousand dollars more than what comprised last month's pay

Several of the Main street property owners have made applications to the city for permits for the improvement of their properties. This is a good, healthy, spring idea and the city can stand more of it.

M. J. Hughes went down to Wilkes-Barre yesterday and come home with two hundred and fifty dollars less in his pocket. We might add that quite number went down and passed through the same experience. It was the last day for taking out their II-

Patrick Gallagher is lying dangerously ill at the home of his mother

CURRENT SPORTING TALK.

A shortstop named Nugent, of Utica has been signed by Wilkes-Barre. Harry Smith, of Massillon, Ohio, has signed with Wilkes-Earre as a catcher. Jud Smith and Al Wagner, of the Wash-ington club, have been sold to Toronto. Scrappy Joyce, of St. Louis, has been ordered to join the New York's by Mana-

ger Day. Mike Griffin, the Brooklyn's centerfielder, has been purchased by Cleveland for \$4,000.

for Hartford in the Eastern league the Buffalo will release Catcher Urquhart

and retain Pitcher Lee. Sam Wise has been sold to Newark. The University of Michigan foot ball eleven will play two games with Penasylvania this season Joe Corbett will not sign with Manager Hanlon. It is rumored that he will soon

marry a California belle. Big Bill Clarke, formerly of this city, as signed to play first base for Pitts-John J. Kelly, of Shamokin, has been recommended for a position on Nick Young's staff of umpires.

The Allentown club may be transferred to some other city on account of their failure to secure grounds. Catcher Clarke, of Baltimore, will play with Boston this year, his release hav-ing been purchased for \$2,000.

The Cincinnati Reds have begun training in the South, and Breitenstein, their tar pitcher, has joined them. Manager Frank Rinn, formerly of Lan-caster, will have charge of Reading's inerests in the Atlantic league this year. The Luncaster club wilk play exhibigames with Boston prior to the A special meeting of the Atlantic lengue will be held in Philadelphia on Satur-day, April I, when the schedule will be

Rochester is claiming Dugglesby, but he has signed with Philadelphia, and will play with Wilkes-Barre if let go by

Little Jimmy Casey, formerly of To-ronto, will play third base for Wash-ington. He is already a big favorite in the capitol city.

Cornell will play Lehigh at South
Bethlehem on Thursday, April 27. This
will be the first game in several years be-

tween these colleges. Superintendent L. O. Rose, of the Delaware and Hudson canal, is authority for the statement that the towpath from Rondout to Honesdale will be free to all wheelmen this year.

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