THE SCRANTON TRIBUNE-THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1899.



aplece Witnesses' travel fees . .. 20,000 One hundred thousand pages type written transcript of testimony at

day

Two extra copies at 5 cents a page., 10,000

and I'm going to do it." \$11.520 2,940

give to the public?" asked the reporter "I don't feel just in the mood to talk about the case now," replied the condemned man, "and, anyway, I don't believe it would do any good. The board of pardons has decided against

to wanted me to read and think about, "Have you any statement with refrence to your case you would like to

Two stenographers, 394 days at \$19 a Twenty thousand witnesses at \$1

him.

ANOTHER OBJECTION.

Another serious objection to the ordi-nance, as well as to the act of 1503, is that neither provide any limit to the amount of the fine, which may be imposed, except that it "shall not be less than \$100." It may be \$200 or \$1,000, or \$10,000. It is true that in our fundamental law we have sol-empty declared that excessive ball shall not be cooplead nor excessive fines improject is very much larger from begin-ning to end. There are one or two persons having holdings in the Lackawanna who have holdings in this, but many with large holdings in this plant have

day several thousand yards,

from two to five inches wide

-grandest values you ever

saw-real value 10c and 123/2c.

four cents.

Embroideries-From four

to seven inches wide, price

has been 15c to 20c. 10c Special today..... 10c

81/2c embroideries at ... 5c

1215c embroideries at.8c

Few members of the '99 committee

which has charge of the arrangements

for the coming grand convocation of

Knights of Malta were absent from

at Malta Temple. Chairman W. S.

Bartlett presided and much business

A souvenir padge was decided upon.

Requests will be sent to all business

It is expected that the Grand

Address, "Welcome, Sir Knight

Quartette, "Mardiash." Messrs, Beynon, Watkins, Stephens and Jones,

Band, Overture, "Maritann", Wallace

Duct. "Albion." Measure Beynon and Jones

Address, "A Malta Stronghold," Sir George H. Pierce, P. S. C., Grand Becorder,

Quartetts, "Ooward Christian Soldiers," Messes, Beynon, Watkins, Stephens and

Jones, Band, March, "Battery Park." All sing, "Bleat Be the Tie That Binds.

HONOR TO A SOLDIER.

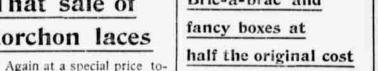
Reception Tendered to Ralph Greg-

Bauer's Band

Dennis

Mayor James Mou

vas transaced.



If you are at all interested in the purchase of vases, ornaments, shaving sets, manicure sets or toilet sets this

week, you should make it a

point to see the reductions we

made on the balance of our

Every \$1.00 article ... 25c

Every \$1.50 article ... 49c

Every \$2.00 article ... 75c

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FANNY MENDELSSOHN REHEARS-ML-The rehearsal of the Fanny Men-delssohn society this evening will be held in the Lyceum theater beginning at 7

SPECIAL MEETING-A special mesting of the Newman Megazine club will be held tonight in Guernsey hall at 8 o'clock. Every member is requested to attend, as business of importance is to be considcred.

VAN BERGEN FUNERAL .-. The re mains of the late Hon, John B. Van Bergen can be viewed at the First Presbyterian church, Carbondale, at Saturday morning. The functal will take place at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Interment will be made in Maple cometery.

ADDITIONAL RECRUITS.-The following men were sent to Fort Columbus New York harbor, yesterday from the recruiting station on Spruce street, to be assigned to the cavalry service in the regular army: John Casick, Robert lottes and Churles J. Collins. Scention Daniel K. Hay, Ashley; William James Hudson, Fell township

MRS. CLARKE'S RECITATIONS -- A delightful programme of dramatic recita-tions will be given by Mrs. Helen T. tions will be given by Mrs. Helen T. Carke, of New York on her first ap-pearance in Scr. nton on Thursday even-ing, May 4, at St. Luke's parish house, the As already announced she will have the neglistance of Mrs. Paul Gardner and Messrs. Southworth, Will Watkins and Thomas Glupel, insuring a thoroughly satisfactory musical as well as literary programme. The tickets, which are but 25 cents, are now on sale at Powell's music store and by members of the Guild of St. Margaret.

IN THE HOSPITALS.

Patients Received from the Mines and Shops Yesterday.

ployed as laborers in the Avondale mines, operated by the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western company at Plymouth, were painfully burned about the hands and face yesterday at noon by a small explosion of gas. They were brought here to the Moses Taylor hospital. Their injuries are not serious. Arthur Lang, one of the press boys employed in The Tribune job office, had the little finger of the right hand crushed while feeding a press yester-

day. He went to the Lackawanna hospital and the finger was amputated. Charles Mozaika, of Green Ridge, employed as a laborer in the Dickson mines, was struck by a flying piece of

coal while at work yesterday and thereby two large cuts were inflicted upon his head and face. He was removed to the Lackawanna hospital.

DEATH OF JOHN BARRETT.

Father of Editor John E. Barrett, of the Scranton Truth.

John Barrett, of Pittston, one of the oldest residents in Luzerne county, died at his home yesterday at 12.30 a'clock. Deceased was born in Ballycustle, County Mayo, Ireland, and came to this country with his wife many years ago, and settled in Pittston. He was a graduate of Dublin col-

lege, Ireland, and was considered one

Constable fees for serving 20,000 subpoenas 10.000 Expenses of constables 5,990 In the above computation the cost of erving the respondent's subpoenas is figured at 50 cents a piece. It may be

that only 15 cents apiece can be collected. The new constable's fee bill was signed just as the work of serving these subpoenas was undertaken. The rate that was in force when the court placed the subpoenas in the hands of the officers, it is contended. was the old rate of 50 cents and the officers are charging up that amount. They will have to sue for it, of course,

but they are determined to leave no stone unturned to collect it.

SOME CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

Several Sewering and Paving Jobs Now Under Way.

Work on the repairs of the Hyde Park avenue and Academy street sewers was begun yesterday by Street Commissioner O'Boyle, under the supervision of City Engineer Phillips, The Hyde Park avenue portion of the sewer will be attended to first and when it is completed the Alcatraz Paving company will commence the work of pay-

Donahoe & O'Boyle yesterday began work on the private sewer that is to extend from St. John's church, on Fig street, to the Harvey silk mill, where it will connect with another private

ewer emptying into the river. The work of paving Dix court in the rear of the city hall will be entered upon this week or next. Notice of the certification of the contract was received by City Engineer Phillips yesterday. The Forest court, Breck court and Von Storch avenue and Honesdate

street sewers will be started as soon as the contracts are certified.

Martin Verick and John Portsuz, em- THIRD DISTRICT WILL ELECT.

Convention Called by Chairman Nichols for May 8. A. Nichols, Democratic chair

man of the Third legislative district, issued a call yesterday for a convention to be held at the St. Charles hotel, Monday, May 8, to elect delegates to the state convention in June. The primaries will be held between the hours of 4 and 7 o'clock p. m., at

the regular polling places. Smoke the Popular Punch Cigar, 10c

The "Angelus," a Piano Player quite different from the mechanical devices put on the market, is creating a star among lovers of good music. With its use one can get the most delicate touch and expression. Wo cannot all be Sauers and Rosenthals, but with the "Angelus" we can beome, after a little practice, very good porformers, far better than ninety-nine out of every hundred, besides having the advantage of a repertoire of thre thousand pleces. New music is added very week. Those interested should call at Perry Brothers' music store and hear this twentieth century wonder.

Smoke The Pocono 5c. Cigar,

me, and I suppose that most of the people have made up their minds as to what they think about the case." He said this in as indifferent a man-

or as if it was a matter of no imortance whatever to him that he was cussing. He was indirectly asked if feared to meet the death that has en allotted to him. There was not the suspicion of a movement of any of the muscles of his face as he answered that he does not fear death, but dis-

GUT TO COME.

"It's got to come, you know," he said, My health is excellent and has been ever since I have been in here, and my nerves have always been the best.

They are yet," he added as he held out his arm to show there was not a susolcion of a nervous tremor. Reverting his case, he said: "I have had the services of good at-

torneys and they have done the best they could for me, but somehow things have gone against me from the be sinning of this case, and I suppose I must be contented. I didn't expect much from the board of pardons and I'm not much disappointed at their refusal. I don't see that anything further

can be done for me," and Van Horn laid down the pipe on which he had been plackily puffing and drawing some tobacco from his trousers pocket, be gan industriously to chew a portion

of it. The officials at the jail who have watched Van Horn closely for months are much impressed by his wonderful

olness and nerve. They have no anticipation of any disagreeable scenes on the scaffold. Sheriff Pryor yesterday began his

reparations for the execution. A few days ago Van Horn was moved from the upper to the lower tier of cells in corridor six. He now occupies cell number eleven, near the western end, This is the corridor in which Merolo was hanged, and here, too, within



no connection with the Lackawanna. The Scranton man whose name has been printed in connection with this enterprise is probably a stockholder in the Lacka-wanna, but he also holds stock in many other companies."

----HOME FROM SAN JUAN.

pany, of Scranton, Pa., is not true. This

Two Members of Eleventh Regiment Arrive and Many More Coming. George Klinglesmith and William Grose, both of Scranton, privates in Company I, Eleventh infantry, arrived likes the manner in which it comes to home this morning from San Juan.

Porto Rico. There are about 450 boys from Scranton and Wilkes-Barre in this regiment and most of them are

now homeward bound. They are the soldiers who it will be remembered were recruited by Lieutenant Dentler and are now being discharged under general orders No. 40 which is framed on the act of congress

directing that these volunteers should be discharged at the end of the war. A large number of others are expected

terly of the accommodations on board the transports, and even at this late Philip J. Thomas, now of New York, day the attempt was made to feed them but for many years a well known labor on embalmed "Eagan."

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETING.

Second Prosbyterian's Membership and Finances Contributed.

The annual meeting of the members of the Second Presbyterian church was The son is now in college studying for held last evening to hear reports from the ministry. the various societies and organizations for church work. Rev. C. E. Robinson, D. D., presided. The following report was read:

Present membership of the church, to become mayor of Scranton, having 770; membership of the Sunday schools, been asked to stand for the place by 676; contributions for home missions in the unanimous voice of the people, irthis city and through the west and respective of party. south. \$6,367; for foreign missions, \$2,-855; for other benevolences, \$2,120; for ter, Mrs. Thomas sought out her huscongregational purposes, \$16,148; total, band with the expectation of rejoining \$27,490.



Prominent Citizens Join in a Petition to the Mayor.

A petition was circulated yesterday by Charles P. Matthews asking Mayor and then Thomas confessed to his wife Moir to complete the asphalt repair that he and this other woman had been contract and proceed with the repairs living together as man and wife. at once. It was signed by all the prominent citizens whom Mr. Mat- wife proceeded to secure evidence for mayor's hands early in the evening. Attached to the petition was a clause prompted to attach their signatures they had been generally regarded as nly by their interest in the city. Mayor Moir declined to give out the

tion. He will transmit it to common ouncil tonight, he stated.

Another Big Oil Strike.

Toledo, O., April 28.-A blg strike he oil fields at Cambridge, O. has caused Her daughter is working in Wilkesnearly as much excitement as the recent find at Scio. Speculators are rushing in from all over the country. The atrike is uarded day and night.

street. Funeral announcement later. ance.

not be required nor excessive fines im-

posed nor cruel punishment inflicted, and that no man can be deprived of his life. Bhorty or property unless by judgment of his peers. But what do such declarations amount to if for violations of municipal ordi-mance a magistrate or judge upon com-plaint may confiscate the property of the offender or send him to jail? These views are in accord with those of Indee Sout.

These views are in according to a solution of the opinion that the ordinance is void and in accordance with the agreement of the parties enter judgment for the defendant. The coplaint is quashed and the defendant is discharged. 2

ASKS FOR A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Alice Thomas Says Her Husband, Philip J. Thomas, Was Cruel and Unfaithful

to Her.

Mrs. Alice Thomas yesterday instito arrive today. They complain bit- tuted divorce proceedings against her alleged unfaithful and cruct husband,

leader in this city.

They were married April 9, 1581, and men along the line of march to have lived together until Jan. 19, 1888, when them decorate. The Malta color is black and red. The American Flag some difficulty arose and they agreed to separate. Mrs. Thomas went back company, of Easton, will decorate the to her native place, Newport, South Lyceum. Hotel Jermyn and Malta Tem-Wates, and entered upon the education pler: of her two children, a boy and a girl. Commandery Standard will arrive here waann a few days and was be placed on exhibition at Richards. Wirth &

About a year ago she was induced to Lewis, clothlers, on Lackawanna avereturn to this country by glowing letters received from her husband, one of Early next week the tickets for the his statements being that he was about concert at the Lyceum Wednesday evening, May 10, will be sent out to he various commanderles in the ounty. Anthracite commandery will conduct a smoker in Malta Temple Upon arriving here with her daugh-

Tuesday evening at the conclusion of the exemplification of the blue and master builders' degree. him. He secured a boarding place for The following is the programma

them, but did not live with them. The adopted last night and which will be reason for this Mrs. Thomas did not given at the Lyceum Wednesday evenunderstand at the time, but later it ing, May 10: developed that he was living with an-Band, "Onward Christian Soldiers.

of his marriage to the Adams avenue Thomas and this woman had a falling out soon after Mrs. Thomas' arrival

Thomas went to New York and his

thews could reach and placed in the a divorce. No record could be found of his marriage to the Adams avenue woman, but evidence was not lacking setting forth that the petitioners were that he had lived with her and that

man and wife. This and allegations of cruel and barbarous treatment form signers of the petition for publica- the grounds for divorce.

Thomas is now at the Mills hote! in New York and is employed by George Francis Train in promoting the various enterprises of that famous citizen.

Mrs. Thomas is living in this city and makes a living as a professional nurse.

ory by the Wheelmen. DIED. M'DONOUGH.--in Dunmore. April 28. M'DONOUGH.--in Dunmore. April 28. 1926, Mrs. William McDonough, 55 years of age, at the residence on Chestnut street Forward approximation of the street of \$20,000, mostly by smoke. The origin is positively un-known. The loss is covered by insur-Kalph Gregory, a popular member of the Green Ridge Wheelmen and 118

Every \$2.50 article ... 78c MALTA CONVOCATION. SILVERSTONE, THE EYE SPECIALIST Meeting of the Committee Was Held 321 Lackawanna Avenue, Last Night.

stock.

Up Stairs Over Lauer & Marks,

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Keep us in mind and you won't regret giving us your patronage-you will get goods as represented-giving you our easy terms of payment or very lowest prices for cash. Immense stock of Household Goods-Stoves, Carpets Iron Beds, etc. Five large floors full to the celling-at

Thos Kelly's Storis, Franklin Avenue

guest of honor was a corporal in Company D, Thirteenth regiment, and it was in honor of that fact and some others that the reception was given. It was informal in character and thors oughly enjoyed.

Professor R. U. Perry, of Perry Bros. ormer representative on the bicycle kindly loaned one of the Angelus pland racing circuit, was tendered a recep-tion by his fellow members of the music afforded much pleasure. Cigars club last night at the club house. The and refreshments were served.

Reading, Pa., April 26.-This afternoon a mysterious blaze broke out in the stock

the second s

Fire at Reading.