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SPECIALIST.



POLICE AND FIREMEN PAID .- The police officers and members of the fire de-partment were yesterday paid their March salaries.

NEW QUARTERS.-After April 1, the Green Ridge Wheelmen will occupy the building on Green Ridge street, in which Dr. Underwood formerly resided.

COMPANY D DRILLS .- Company D. of the Thirteenth regiment, was last night drilled on the vacant lot at the corner of Adams avenue and Mulberry street by Captain Foote.

R. R. Y. M. C. A. CONCERT.—This af-termoon at 3 o'clock the railroad men will be treated to a banjo recital by Stanley Swartz. There will also be other musical selections. All railroad men are welcome

JEWISH CHAUTAUQUA .- A regular meeting of the Scranton circle of the Jewish Chautauqua society will be held at the home of Mrs. L. Oettinger, Madi-ton avenue, city, Sunday, April 1, 1900, at 345 p. m.

*RESTED EASILY.—Richard Lonergan, fr. of West Scranton, who was so badly injured Thursday by being thrown over the Cedar avenue bridge in a runaway, gested easily at the Lackawanna hospital yesterday.

"NEW CIGAR STORE—Ex-County Com-missioner William Franz has opened an up-to-date cigar store at 310 Washington avenue. One of the features of the place ie a smoking parior where the patrons of the place may enjoy a smoke and play a quiet game of checkers or dominoes.

MR. JONES' CONDITION-District Atforney John R. Jones is reported to be gradually improving, but his condition is still serious. The report from the hospital at which he is being treated at it octook last night was that while there was no marked change in the patient, he was pesting easily and somewhat improved the previous day. oved since the previous day.

REHEARSAL CONDUCTED.—A re-hearsal of the Intermediate A hoys' chorus which is going to sing at the com-ing teachers' institute the week of April 18, was conducted yesterday in the high school suditorium by the instructor in music, Mrs. Annie Barnas. The chorus is composed of some 200 boys and they sang yesterday with much spirit.

A SMALL FIRPA-At about 9 o'clock esterday morning another blaze broke it in a hode at 6 Hickory street occurred by John Wison and family and which the defendant owed A. S. Cleveland, and which was assigned with other accounts to his brother, the plaintiff, who is a wholesale merchant of Baltimore.

The defendant admits the bill, but puts in as an offset two notes amounting to \$155.40, against A. S. Cleveland, which he purchased from Chester M.

NOT A SINGLE ONE OF THE SUR-CHARGES IS SUSTAINED.

When the Verdict Was Returned Yesterday Morning Judge Savidge Said It Was Entirely Satisfactory to the Court-Mr. Replogie Also Secures Vindication He Sought. in the Suit of Cutler Against the Railway Company—Other Notes.

As foreshadowed in The Tribune the jury in the ex-county commissioners' case, interpreted Judge Savidge's charge to be, practically, an instruction to find for the defendants. Only one of the twelve jurymen hesitated bout so finding. He came around to the others' way of thinking at 9.30 o'clock, yesterday morning, after they had been out since 5.30 o'clock the

previous evening.
Shortly before 10 o'clock they came in and reported a verdict for the de-The foreman stated to Judge Savidge that one of the jurors wished it announced that he only agreed to the verdict because he didn't want to stand out any longer against the judgment of eleven of his peers Judge Savidge silenced the foreman before he could finish his explanation, saying "We don't want to hear anything about that. A juror's rea on for reaching a verdict does not concern us." The judge added that the verdict was entirely satisfactory to the court. The trial was begun March 19, one week ago last Monday, and was actually in court nine days all told. Dealing as it did with one hundred and thirty-five different items of surcharges footing up a total of \$16,500, it can be seen, without much argument that it was a decidedly tedious case

JURY OF TAXPAYERS. That the commissioners succeeded in single one of the surcharges should be sustained will cause many to believe in the claim that the ex-commissioners made from the outset that the surcharges were not wholly free from the taint of political prompting Whether they were or not, they succeeded most effectually in accom-plishing the defeat of two of the commissioners who sought re-election. Hon. John P. Kelly, ex-Judge H. A. Knapp and Hon. C. P. O'Malley were attorneys for the commissioners. The auditors were represented by H. M.

Hannah and E. C. Newcomb. In the case of Stuart Cutler against the Scranton Railway company, the jury awarded a verdict for the plain-tiff in the sum of \$50. He gred for \$5,000 for permanent disability, al-leged to be the result of being ejected violently from a trolley car. The defense was that Cutler was drunk and profane, and assaulted the conductor. I. H. Burns and George W. Beale represented the plaintiff. Major Everett Warren appeared for the company. In the trespass case of Attorney D. B. Replogle against Arthur Frothingham, the jury found in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$1,250. Mr.

Replogle sued for \$15,000 damages to his reputation and loss of business resulting from alleged malicious and unwarranted arrests on charges pre-

AFTER A VINDICATION The principal thing Mr. Replogle was after was a vindication, but he prooses to proceed to get everything else that is coming to him. case of this kind a defendant must pay the damages or go to jail for sixty days, providing the plaintiff pushes the case and is willing to pay

the prisoner's board. Joseph O'Brien and James H. Tor-rey represented Mr. Replogle. E. W. Thayer and R. H. Holgate were Mr. Frothingham's counsel.

A verdict for the defendant was returned in the case of John A. Lee against Caroline Hamilton, in which brother sued his sister on a \$500 note she gave to her father to insure the carrying out of an agreement to care for him during the remainder of his She says she discharged the obligation and should not be called upon to pay the note, practically, a second time. H. D. Carcy represented the plaintiff and R. A. Zimmerman the defendant.

The case of Mary J. Duggan against the city of Carbondale, was given to the jury just previous to adjourn-ment. H. C. Butler and I. H. Burns represented the plaintiff, and City Solicitor R. D. Stuart, the defendant, The plaintiff was awarded \$500 by a board of viewers for damages done her property by reason of lowering the street grade in front of her property, between two and three feet.

She refused to accept the award and

took an appeal. DEFENDANT'S CONTENTION. The defendant holds that the damages were trifling. Previous to the grading the level of the Duggan lot was five feet above the street and was reached by a sianting path. To add two or even three feet to this ascent was not such a damage as should call for a big award, it was contended.

Judge Archbald disposed of two eases in the main court room, leaving untried only one open case, that of N. A. Hulbert against J. B. Lesh. which will be disposed of today, a jury having already been selected and

The case of E. B. Huntington against J. D. Williams was the first to be tried by Judge Archbald. It was a suit to ecover a rent claim.

When Mrs. Huntington succeeded to her deceased husband's business in the Williams building on Washington avenue, there was owing for rent \$440. When the business was moved to Spruce street the rent for the time it was in Mrs. Huntington's name was all settled but the rent due at the time all settled, but the rent due at the time she took charge was not settled. The landlord destrained the store goods and Mrs. Huntington appealed. The appeal was sustained, the court agreeing with At-

tornek George D. Peck that the goods of a dead man cannot be destrained. CLEVELAND CASE.

The case of R. D. Clevelan1 against Thomas F. Palmer was given to the jury by Judge Archbald at 5 o'clock.

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Butts. The dispute is as to whether Verdict of \$50 for the Plaintiff curred before or after notice of the assignment was given Palmer. side swears one way and the other an-

Butts and Palmer contend that the ale of the notes occurred August 17. 1896, and Palmer avers he did not receive notice of the assignment until August 19. The plaintiff says he gave the notice several days prior to August 17. E. C. Newcomb appears for the plaintiff and A. J. Colborn, jr., for the defendant.

Toyed with Girl's Affections. Testimony was heard before Judge Edwards vesterday in the divorce case

of Lovendia Fink against William H. Fink. It showed a clear case of base deception and desertion on the part of the husband. The libellant is a 21-year-old girl, who lived with her mother, Mrs. Sarah

McCarthy, of Penn avenue. The husband is a traveling man who, it will be remembered, served two months in the county jail for obtaining money by member of the Independent Order of falsely representing himself to be Odd Fellows.

In 1896 he met and won the McCarthy girl, then a mere child of 17, and on December 21 married her, Rev. Joseph K. Dixon performing the ceremony Five days later he left with her for Philadelphia, but at Bethlehem deserted her, bidding her to stay there with relatives until he should send for

He never sent for her, and the po girl, not wishing her mother to learn of her trouble, kept the matter a satisfying the court and a jury of the secret. Alarmed at her daughter's taxpayers of the county that not a long silence, the mother started out to seek her, and after a long search and many inquiries located her and took

About a year later he wrote her and sought a reconcilliation. As a result of the correspondence he sent her a ticket and she went to Philadelphia. This was February 10, 1898. Less than a month later, March 4, 1898, he gave her a ticket to Scranton, and 25 cents to pay for the carrying of her trunk, and sent her home. She has never seen nor heard of him since.

Marriage Licenses.

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Court House News Notes. Hon. John P. Kelly and H. L. Taylor vere yesterday appointed receivers in he case of Lewis and others against

VETO OF THE MAYOR.

It Was the Topic Most Generally Discussed in the City Hall Yesterday-Some Possibilities.

The mayor's veto of the controller's clerk hire was the principal topic of conversation in and around city hall terday and prophecies as to w common council will pass the item over the mayor's head or not were very numerous. If the veto is allowed to stand Deputy Controller Hartley and Controller's Clerk John W. Howell will go on strike immediately. The controller can then plead that he has not sufficient help. He might refuse to countersign warrants but he could be mandamused by court to sign them. It is understood that he has been advised by his attorneys that he can mandamus councils to allow the !tem. The question as to whether fourteen or more votes can be secured to pass the item over the mayor's veto is one

difficult to answer. The controller believes that some sixteen or seventeen councilmen will vote in his favor, while others contend that less than fourteen vill vote for his clerk hire. It was stated yesterday that rather

than commit themselves on the matter a majority of the councilmen would absent themselves Monday morning so that no meeting could be held. It is not obligatory for the members to neet on Monday morning until they meet for re-organization. Should such tion in Northeastern Pennsylvania.

The controller is inclined to treat very ligthly the mayor's statement that he cannot increase the emoluments of his office during his term. The controller construes this to mean that the money he receives from the city cannot be increased. He further contends that the money he receives from the school board is entirely septrate from that received from the city and that the article of the constitution forbidding such increase does not

over this point. He also points out that his contract with the school board is only of a emporary nature, existing only until such time as the supreme court rules on the appeal from Judge Archbald's uling taken by Attorney D. J. Reedy. An opinion on this question is expected faily now and the controller says that he ruling of the lower court may be reversed, which would mean that he would have to sign school board warrants in the future without compensa-

All of which goes to show that if the mayor's veto is sustained or allowed o stand by default there will be lively times in city hall for some time yet to come.

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LYNETT AND CADDEN SECURE THE HONORS

THEY WILL BE DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Selected Yesterday by the Democratic State Delegates from This County as Lackawanna's Choice. Colonel F. J. Fitzsimmons Named as the Choice of the Local State Delegates for Delegate-at-Large. He Has Been Selected for Temporary Chairman of Convention.

In the office of City Treasurer E. J. Robinson in the city hall, yesterday afternoon, a meeting was held of the delegates from this county to the Democratic state convention, which meets in Harrisburg next Thursday. The meeting was called for the purof selecting national delegates and alternates for this congressional district, the presidential elector and Lackawanna's representatives on the various convention committees. The meeting was very spirited and not all of the work blocked out for the delegates was accomplished.

The custom of the Democratic party is to have the delegates from the various congressional districts get together and agree upon their choice for na-tional delegates. These names are reported to the convention for ratification. Each congressional district is entitled to two delegates and besides eight delegates from the state at large are chosen. The state delegates from this county are: First district-P. W. Costello, Joseph

Taylor and William Cusick.
Second district—E. J. Robinson, Mar-tin T. Cadden and D. W. Vaughan. Third district-J. J. Coyne and Willam W. Baylor. Fourth district-Thomas A. Hen-

dricks, James F. O'Rourke, John J. Sullivan and B. J. Kelly.

ROBINSON PRESIDED. All of the delegates were present except Mr. O'Rourke. E. J. Robinson presided over the meeting and Martin T. Cadden was secretary. By unanimous consent, E. J. Lynett, editor of the Times, was named as one of the national delegates from this congressional district. T. J. Jennings and Mr. Cadden sought the other delegateship and Mr. Cadden was chosen. C. G. Boland, of this city, and Hon. James J O'Neill, of Carbondale, were named as

alternates. Colonel F. J. Fitzsimmons was named as the choice of the delegates for na-tional delegate-at-large in the followng, which was offered by Mr. Baylor and adopted:

Four years have nearly rolled by, on the wheels of Time since a great and comparatively unknown commoner flashed meteor like before the American people and was promptly accepted by them, as the most unselfish and brilliant tribune, who ever raised his voice in the western hemisphere for the uplifting of western hemisphere for the uplifting of the masses and for the equality guaran-teed by the organic law of this land. The suddenness of his greateness was no less surprising than its permanence is gratifying. He and the Chicago plat-form are identical, and each breathes the best hopes of the plain, common peo-ple of this glorious union of states. Not-withstarding that he emphasized with an incomparable grandeur of eleguence. an incomparable grandeur of eloquence, the imperishable principles of Democracy,

yet there were those of his party, who, to mildly speak, declined to follow his matchless leadership. TIME HAS ARRIVET

great benefactor of mankind is to be given again the reins of his party and cutrusted with the responsibilities of standard bearer. There should be no chances taken in giving him an honest start. His nomination should not be fainthearted. The potent voice of Pennsylvania should ring out clear and unmistakable for William Jennings Bryan. The Keystone state should send no un-

certain delegate to Kansas City. Those who were true four years ago only should be chosen. Believing that circumspection should be exercised in the selection of delegates, and that the great anthracite section of our state should have the fullest possible representation, we, the delegates of Lackawanna county, elected to attend the Democratic state convention at Harrisburg, April 5, 1500, do hereby pledge ourselves to support no person for delegate against whose loyalty to Democracy there can be any question of doubt. We further maintain that Northeastern Pennsylvania, is entitled to one of the eight delegates at large, and for that distinction we present the man, who in the trying days of 1395 electrified our county with speeches which were classics in diction, masterpleces of oratory and as sound in their Democracy, as were even the undying utterances of Bryan himself. Resolved, therefore, That Lackawanna's the undying utterances of Bryan himself.
Resolved, therefore, That Lackawanna's
choice for delegate at large, is Colonel
Frank J. Fitzelmmons, and we do hereby
pledge him our support and to use all
honorable means to procure his selection, knowing that if chosen he will not
only be an honor to our county, but a
credit to the commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

LEAVE WEDNESDAY. The Lackawanna delegation will leave for Harrisburg at 2.18 Wednes-day afternoon, and that night will hold a meeting in Harrisburg to name their choice for committees and presidential

elector. Colonel F. J. Fitzsimmons received a letter yesterday from John S. Rilling, of Erie, chairman of the Democratic state committee, notifying him that he has been selected for the important position of temporary chairman of next Thursday's convention.

A NEW TRIAL ASKED.

Reasons Filed in the Martin Trespass Suit.

Attorneys Jessup & Jessup, representing the Delaware and Hudson Railroad company, yesterday asked the United States circuit court for a new trial in the case of John T. Martin against that corporation, in which a verdict of \$55,500 for the plaintiff was recently rendered.

The attorneys give as their reason for a new trial the following: That there was a lack of testimony brought out by the plaintiff's side in his behalf; that the verdict was excessive and should not be allowed to stand; that the court erred in not granting a motion immediately after the completion of the plaintiff's testimony; that the court erred in not properly instructing the jury on certain points brought out by the defense: that according to the testimony of the plainand at the bringing of the suit.

JOHN T. MARTIN WORSE.

Dr. John O'Malley Called to Attend Him at Easton.

Dr. John O'Malley, of this city, was hurriedly called to Easton yesterday morning to attend John T. Martin, formerly of this city, who was recently awarded a verdict of \$55,500 damages for injuries received in a Delaware

and Hudson wreck some time ago. The doctor returned late last night and stated that Mr. Martin had suddenly become very violent, and had failed to recognize him when he reached Easton. He has been removed to the nome of his sister, where the surroundings are quieter.

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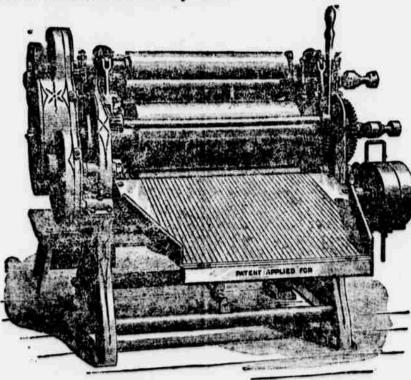
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