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Special Bargains to-day in Misses' and Children's Coats just received in the new material.

Ladies' Fine Mackintoshes and Cravanetts, Plaid or Silk lined.

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These beverages just suit the most critical drinker. It just suits us to have them drink it, because they are pure and whole-



Justles Toomsy's Office the Scene of an Exciting Inchient,

THE WEATHER.

Andrew Drogalus and Thomas Kreshanl became involved in a quarrel in a South Main MUGWUMPS ARE ALL AT SEA I street saloon last night and Kreshanis was badly beaten. He went to Justice Toomey's office and swore out a warrant for his as- gwallow Wants to Run, But Wharton Barthat to commit an assault during the bearing would constitute an offense of a much more serious character than an assault elsowhere. This appeared to have an effect upon the defendant and he remained quiet. The case was then proceeded with. The com-

plainant stood in front of the desk and the defendant a few feet from him. As Kreehanis was telling his story the prisoner suddonly swung his arm around and gave the witness a back-hand blow in the face that sent him against the wall about eight feet distant. The sprang upon him. The hearing was dis-pensed with and the prisoner was committed in default of \$500 hall. The floor of the Justice's office was beapattered with blood Kreeluania' face

Kendrick House Free Lunch. Oyster soup will be served, free, to all atrons to-night.

An Excellent Production.

The Payton Councily Company, opened week's angagement at Kaler's opena house, Mahanoy City, last evening to a crowded house. This company has the strongest reperiods of the company may the strongest reperiods of comedies and dramas over presented in this region at popular prices, and carries a sixty-foot car of special scenery for the artistic mounting of its plays. The production last night was "Woman Against Woman," and it was presented in a manner to equal the productions of the high priced companies. The large audience was delighted, and the many from this town who witnessed the play are enthusiastic in their liberal praise of the cast and the special scenic effects. Shouandoah will be well represented during the week. Manager Quirk is to be commended for securing such a strong combination at popular prices for the amuse-ment of the patrons of his pretty play house. This evening they will produce "Alone in London," and at the matinee to morrow they give the finest production of "East Lynne" ever given in this region. For other dates see the opera house advertisement is an-other column. Between each act specialties are introduced, including popular illustrated

A Sure Cure for Coughs and Colds. That's what Pan-Tina is, 25c. At Gruhler Bros., drug store.

Charged Her Mother.

Miss Lizzie Schwindt, of Pottaville, swore out a warrant before Justice Toomey yester-day, charging her mother, Mrs. Philip Schwindt, of Mahanoy City, with the lar-ceny of a gold watch. The story told by the prosecutrix was that she visited Mahanoy Otre on Sunday testiond the defendant is that she gave the watch to her daughter and concluded to take it back.

THE FIGHT AGAINST MARTIN

It is Attracting Attention Throughout the State.

ker and Wayne MacVeagh Are His Only Sponsors-One is a Free Sliver Man and the Other a Free Trader.

pecial HEBALD correspondence

Philadelphia, Dec. 5-The local polital altuation in Philadelphia is growing in intensity and interest. The fight is nominally upon the question of who shall be the next receiver of taxes, but the result will mean more than this, clear who will control the Philadelphia delegates to the next gubernatorial convention and also the members of the legislature from the Quaker City. The fight is a battle against the power of

David Martin in city politics, and those who are in it propose to continue their efforts until they have succeeded in overthrowing the odious machine that Martin has commanded for the last eight years. The particular object at the present time is to defeat William J. Roney for the renomination for receiver of taxes, but the contest has in It nothing personal against Mr. Roney, who unfortunately happens to be a brother-in-law of Mr. Martin, and who is regarded in a special manner as being the personal choice of the combine boss. The fight is against Martinism in all its phases, and Mr. Roney ts a mere incident in the contest.

Those who imagined that the meeting between Senator Quay and Mr. Martin would deter Quay's former friends from conducting the fight against Martin now find that they were sudly mistaken. The anti-combine element in Philadelphia belleve in Quay, consider him a sagacious national leader, and consider that he has made a valuable United States senator, but they do not regard his judgment as in-fallible when he condescends to dip into division, ward and city politics. Hence, they propose to go ahead on their own lines without consulting any person or persons outside of the city limits. United States Senator Boles Penrose.

who has won all of his political laurels by reason of the fact that he has kept in touch with the plain people, has not belied his record in this instance. As

soon as it became known that there was to be a serious fight between the Martin and anti-Martin elements in Philadelphia he promptly and courageously and in the most public manner alled himself with the anti-Martin forces. He has indorsed the candidness of Harvey E. Newitt, the anti-Martin candidate for receiver of taxes, and has signified his willingness to take the stump in Mr. Newitt's behalf.

The people of Philadelphia are thoroughly aroused upon this issue, and if the \$,000 municipal employes, including

appointing David Martin as secretary M'KINLEY'S

Congressman William A. Stone, of Allegheny, stopped in Philadelphia a few days ago on his way to Washing-ton to attend the session of congress which begins today. Colonel Stone had nothing to say concerning his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor except that reports from Urges Action to Prevent Repeated Bond for the Shenandosh Manufactoring Company. his friends throughout the state who are working for his success are very

favorable. "My whole attention just now," he said, "is devoted to advancing the bill

I introduced in the extra session, and SHOULD which is in committee, to restrict immigration. I have every reason to be-lieve that it will be favorably reported Spain Should be Given Time to Perfect the at an early date, and will pass the house before the summer recess. The Pennsylvania members should support this bill as a unit, as this state surfers more through excessive immigra-tion than any other state in the Union In other states the immigrants crows into the cities, but in Pennsylvania they not only locate in the large centers of population, but also in the country districts.

This is because of the diversified industries apread over this state. We have anthracite and bituminous coal mining, coke, oil, fron and natural gas. and the operation of these varied inter-ests attracts the immigrants in such numbers that competition with Amer-ican workmen reduces wages and results in our citizens walking the streets ecause they cannot support their famllies upon the compensation that for-

eign rivals are willing to labor for. "Over 70,000 immigrants were dumped into Pennsylvania last year. Our mills and workshops are running on full time, yet we have thousands of un-employed citizens seeking work. That That is not prosperity. We should seek to take care of our own first, and the proper way to do it is to place some restric-tions upon immigration. It is said by the opponents of my bill that Ameri-cans will not dig ditches. The answer to that is they will dig ditches if they are paid fair wagas. The digging of ditches and dirt do not degrade labor; It is the wages that degrades it. Pay a man wages enough to enable him to keep his family and éducate his chil-dren, and no matter what his work is, if it is honest, he and those dear to him are contented and happy."

Colonel Stone was asked if he thought congressmen from other states would support a bill that would benefit Penn-sylvania to a greater extent than the other commonwealths, "We pass-

ed the Chinese exclusion act in the interest of California, yet it has been of benefit to almost every other state in the Union. If they do not support a bill to restrict immigration in time their own states will feel the effect by the overflow from Pennsylvania seeking employment in their localities. T. M. A.

Bickert's Oate. Sour krout, free, to-night. Something special to-morrow morning.

The Coal Trade.

demptions. We have \$900,000,000 of currency which the government by sol-emn enactment has undertaken to keep The Coal Trade. The authracia coal tande season of 1897 inis practically closed, and from now until the end of the year the demand for coal will be regulated by the thermonetter. Whatever new business is done will be only from hand to mouth. The scincity of amall tomage vessels, owing to so many wrecks and compe-tition of the large business which has made the building of new constwise coal carrying achooners unprofitable, is now telling. In

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Issues.

NOT RECOGNIZE CUBA ! Proposed Autonomy Fish Premised by Sagasta's Cabinet-Favors

Hawaiian Annexation.

Washington, Dec. 7 .- The attendance in both houses of congress yesterday was notably large, daspite the known fact that no business would be trans acted. The event of the day was, of course, the reading of the president's measure, a voluminous document of 14,-000 words, and at the conclusion of the wading both houses adjourned until today.

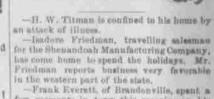
The message congratulates congross upon assembling under felicitous con-ditions. Peace and good will with all the nations of the earth remain unbroken, he says, and we should feel genuine satisfaction at the growing spirit of fraternal regard and unifica-

tion in all sections of our country and the lifting of great public sense above party prejudic Beginning with the subject of the finances the president says that, while the full effect of the legislation of the extra somion has not yet been realized.

what it has already accomplished as surce us of its timeliness and wisdom To test its permanent value further time will be required, and the people satisfied with its operation and result thus far, are in no mind to withheld from it a fair trial.

The next question pressing for con-sideration is that of the currency. With the great resources of the government and with the honorable example of the past before us, we ough not to besitate to enter upon a currency revision which will make our d mand obligations less onerous to the government and relieve our financial laws from ambiguity and doubt. The evil of the present system is found in the great cost to the government of maintaining at parity with gold our different forms of money, and the experience of the past four years have demonstrated that this is not only an expensive charge upon the government, but a dangerous menace to our national credit.

Protection Against Bond Issues. It is manifest that we must devise some plan to protect the government against bond issues for repeated re-demptions. We have \$900,000,000 of



Word in Passing.

few moments in town this morning on his way to Pottsville. -James Malloy, of Wm. Penn, is slowly

recovering from a severe attack of typhoid meamorth

-Miss Alice Schreffler, of town, spent yesterday as a guest of friends in Mahanoy City. -Miss Sallie Littlehales, of Mahanoy City. was a guest of friends in town last night J. James, of South Jardin street, is

on the sick list. -Justice Green and Constabile Joe Peters were among the visitors to town this more

Hon, Seth Orme, of St. Clair, was a guest

lint -'Squite George Johnson, of Lost Creek,

was a visitor to town to-day, --Misses Daiay Swank and Maggie Krout, of Ringtown were guests of friends in town

to-day -Miss Lizzie Reese, who was seriously ill for several wocks, is able to resume her duties as cashior in the Famous clothing house,

-Mrs. Sammutha Davies, of town, has been appointed deputy of the Daughters of Liberty Lodge No. 84, of town, and No. 123, of Mahanoy City.

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Telephone or telegraph to M. Ulrich & on, Ashland, Pa., when you have a dead horse, mule or cow. They will pay you \$1.00 and remove it promptly. 11.30tf and remove it promptly.

Christmas - Thoughts

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Of the most staple as well as the lates novelties and Christmas Holiday Goods. This mon h we offer some values that fairly sparkle with attraction.



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tonics of the system. Justice May at Mahanoy C



COLUMBIA BEER They also suit the most healthiest drinker. Why ? because they the watch to her brother, that the mother have no equal. Good brews are took the watch from the brother's pocket the most comfort-giving and best the defendent is that the most the story of Mrs. Schwindt furnished \$300 hail before Just try a 10c box of Cascareta the flocat iver and bowel regulator ever made. Diphtheria Raging. That dreaded disease diphthoria is spreadng in St. Clair. Last week three children died in one family, while two others were down with the disease. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. John W. Reese lost their interesting little daughter, aged two years. Last Wed-nesday her brother disd from the same dis-case. It is a and blow to their parents. Many other cases are reported in that town. Company removes your dead animals, free of charge. 11-30-1m Jack Boner Wins, The contest between Jack Boner, of Sumnit Hill, the coming man in pugillatic sircles, and Sailor Lynch, at Athens, near Philadolphia last night, was witnessed by a large crowd. Boner forced the fighting from the first and won in the fifth round, Lynch succeeded Sharkey as the middleweight The approaching holidays demands watches by the harrow full, judging from the display seeu in Brumm's show window. Ball Renewed. bis ball his bondsman, Paul Gurawicz, hay. dashes the hopes of the mugwumps to ng surrendered him. Louis Kachinski furnished the \$900 ball required. White Pine expectorant, 25 cents per bottle at Povinsky's drug store, 28 East Centre St. Court Notes. The votors of Hill's district petitioned urt to have the district divided. The court took the papers. In the matter of the application of St. Stephen's Catholic church and Archbiahop Ryan, to mortgage church property in Port Carbon to erect a school, court signed an

order permitting mortgage to be given. A charter was granted to St. Paul's Reformed church, at Cherryville. One Minute Cough Cure cures quick! That's what you want 1 C. H. Hagenbuch.

Appointed Assessor. Patrick Whalen was yesterday appointed district ammemor for Colos No. 1 district, Mah-anoy township, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Whalen.

A Mighty Nice Thing for Coughs.

What? Pan-Tina, 25c. At Grubler Bros., drug store.

Citizans' Committee.

8 South Jardin street, on Friday evening, 10th mat. at 7 o'clock, sharp, to make arrange-ments for the Spring election. By order of DANIEL STEENER, Pres.

the police and firemen, are compelled to keep their hands off there cannot be a shadow of a doubt concerning the result. Mr. Martin will simply be swept

out of political existence. He obtained his hold in local affairs through the as-sistance of the officeholders, and he has continued his grip upon the party ma-chine solely because of the immense patronage that has been placed at his disposal by a subservient mayor and by weak and vacillating heads of city de-Don't forget the Shenandosh Fertilizing his decisive stand in this controversy.

torial contest. There has been much backing and filling during the last three or four weeks, and no one can tell just what they propose to do in the mat-ter. The friends of Dr. Swallow are

Ball Renewed. John Roskufski, who is a defendant in state treasurer. State Chairman Gartee, who was expected to give comfort January. on North White street was obliged to appear to an independent movement, has come before Justice Toomey last night to renew out in a public interview in which he

> the ground. He says that he is against coalition in any shape or form, and that no one but a straight simon pure Dem-ocratic candidate can expect the sup-

port of his organization next year. In addition to this there is a division

in the Democratic party. That portion represented by Mr. Garman and his free sliver friends are in favor of the ibedeath of a child that was run over and notes be restricted to the denomina-Congressman Joe Sibley or James M. cars. How Co. Brumm is counsel for the be required to redeem their notes in plaintif. Guffey, the millionairs Pittsburg oil plaintiff. operator. On the other hand, the gold Democrats, like ex-National Chalt Harrity and ex-State Chairman Wright. favor the selection of some man in the class of Robert E. Pattison or ex-at-

torney General William U. Hensel. The only general William U. Hensel. The only persons who are with Swallow on the coalition idea are Wharton Barker and Wayne MacVeagh, the one a free silver man and the other an avowed

free trader. Here we have confusion worse confused. The distinctly anti-Quay Republicans

Married. William H. Beck, of town, and Miss Jane Ann Edmundson, of Wm. Penn, were mar-ried at the later place on Sanday by Justice

himself a candidate. He is living in the vain hope that some deal may be

A meeting of the Citizens' Standing: Com-littee will be held at the HERALD office, No.

When billions or costive, cat a Cascatet and y cathartin, cure guaranteed 10c, 25c.

the month of November the Delaware, 315,400 4% per cent bonds Lackawanna and Western Railroad is re- and sold to sustain the gold reserve an for shipment to Western Lake ports before the close of navigation. The Lackawanna company is now imported to be curtailing its output, and will, it is said, hold down its tonuage of newly-mined coal as closely as possible to the actual requirements of its walk and vachating heads of city up partments. Penrose, who always has been strong in the city of his birth, has strengthened himself immeasurably by his decisive stand in this controversy. The mugwump element and the con-stitutional kickers in the Republican party seem to be all at sea concerning their intentions in the coming gubernarade. The Lehigh Valley Coal Company is should give the secretary of the treas-

Meldainis Uafe. Kidney stew, free, to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Dr. Reese is a Candidate.

ter. The friends of Dr. Swallow are anxious to have him nominated as the candidate for governor, but the most in the policy of superintendent of the state hospital, at Hasteton, made vacant by the resignation of Dr. H. M. Kaller. Among the candidates, is Dr. George Heese, who is the resignation of Dr. H. M. Kaller. Among the candidates, is Dr. George Heese, who is the resignation of br. H. M. Kaller. Among the candidates, is Dr. George Heese, who is the resignation of br. H. M. Kaller. Among the candidates, is Dr. George Heese, who is the present attached to the staff of the state the present attached to the staff of the state the present attached to the staff of the state the present attached to the staff of the state the state hospital to the presihospital at Fountain Springa. Dr. Reese is a non of Capt Edward Reese, of Park Place. interest bearing debt, a United States three sules arising out of his ejectment from man, of the Democratic state commit-the Columbia Brewing Company's building tee, who was expected to give comfort January. note The president invites careful con-sideration for the detail plan of the sec-

For Baut,

re-room and dwelling, 7 rooms. Apply

The Karahuta Case. The case of Karahuta ra, the Schuyikin Traction Company has been placed on the supreme Court which opened at Philadelphia yesterday. It is not set to be the set of one-half of 1 per cent, and that na-tional banks may be established with a capital of \$25,000. He also recom-Supreme Court which opened at Philadelphia yesterday. It is an action for damages for

> gold. The Cuban Quest fon. The president devotes much space to a consideration of the Cuban ques-

retary of the treasury to protect the gold reserve. He concurs with him in

tion. Summarizing the Listory of for-mer outbreaks, the president comes

Breen's Risito Cafe. Vegetable sonp, free, to-night. Hot bunch to-morrow morning. Two Shonandoah Personals.

Fram Minnerwitte Messerager. Gill Ferginan, of Latt Creek, accompanied ing of its remarkable increase, its ten-

by his lady friend, Miss Annis Coogan, of aclous existence against enormous Shenandoah, sujoyed a drive to town last forces massed by Spain, the wide Sunday. Mr. Fergusan came down again on aprend destruction of property and the Thursday and is sponding a faw days here as disregard of the civilized code of war

to Mrs. M. Duffy. The latter returned home the desire to see the Cubana enjoying on Monday.

At Kepchinski's Areade Cafe.

Analy popular in the sinte and out-side of his own county and in a few anti-Quay spots in the state he has no political arrength worth talking about Moreover, it is out of the question for him to go into the field as a reform can-didate, because he is mainly held re-sponsible for the Hastings regime, which has been anything but a reform administration, and which has in ad-dition to answer for the politic.

MAIN STREET. LLOYD STREET. CHRISTMAS GIFTS LITTLE MONEY.

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the inalienable right of all. Of the con centration policy of Weyler be says; "It has utterly failed as a war meas-

Thursday and is spontang is now any active of the continuent to be of the cousin, Mrs. John Duff. Mrs. Romster, of Philadelphia, and daughter, Mrs. P. J. Monagian, of Shemani-daah, arrived here hast Saturday on a visit grant with the continuent to be of the continuent to be of the state of the cousin descent to be of the continuent to be of the tions give rise to gravest apprehen-nions. There is no desire to profit by Spata's misfortunes, and we have only that measure of self control