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SHENANDOAH, PA., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1898.

### Better Than Klondike.

Invest your money where you are sure and southwesterly winds, with nearly stationary followed by lower temperature and to receive full value for the same.

Iron Bedsteads.



Solid Oak Fancy Base Extension Table. - \$3.75

Solid Oak Chanila Suits.

\$18.00 | Full size well made couches, Parlor Suits, 5 pieces, spring seat, full fringed, \$ 3.75 Wood seated chairs, .75 Side boards. Cane seated chairs,

J. P. Williams & Son, 13 S. Main Street,

SPECIAL SALE OF\_

Ladies', Misses' and Children's . .

COATS ^. CAPES.

Ladies' Plush and Cloth Capes and Jackets, at half value. Misses' and Children's Jackets at half price. Children's Long Coats, worth \$5, \$6 and \$7; your choice for \$2.50. Also 4 coats worth \$10 and \$12, claimed owning a pistol they searched him and as he had but ten cents in money they will sell for \$4.

J. J. PRICE'S, North Main St., Shenandoah, Pa.

## O'HARA'S LIVERY.

BOARDING AND SALES STABLES.

Undertaking in - -- - all its Branches,

Open Day and Night.

Cor. White and Lloyd Sts., SHENANDOAH, PA.



MANSION HOUSE STABLES, MAHANOY CITY.

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On Tap at all Customers

On Tap at all Customers

BOCK

### BICYCLES FOR 1898.

\$50,00 WILL BUY A VICTOR. \$40,00 WILL BUY A GENDRON. \$35.00 WILL BUY A DEMOREST. \$25.00 WILL BUY A WARRANTED WHEEL.

All standard make wheels, that you will run no risk in buying. Bring your old wheel in and we will over-haul and repair it now. Have it ready for you to ride the first fine day.

## SWALM'S HARDWARE STORE.

# A FEW\_ SPECIAL DRIVES

To Reduce Stock.

### Your Choice For 25 Cents.

3 Pounds Seeded Muscatel Raisins. 6 Pounds Good New Muscatel Raisins,

4 Pounds New Seedless Raisins,

4 Cans Maryland Sugar Corn, -

3 Cans Fine Northern Sugar Corn,

2 Cans Fancy Maine Corn,

4 Cans Early June Peas, 3 Cans Sifted Early June Peas, -

2 Cans Champion of England Peas,

2 Cans Early Sweet Peas,

2 Cans California Apricots,

2 Cans California Bartlett Pears, -

3 Cans Baked Beans, Large Size, -

25 Cents.

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DAVID BELL. Drunkenness.

## The forecast for Thursday: Fair to partly cloudy weather and fresh to brisk southerly with local rain or snow in the northern and

The County Commissioners and County Controller Will Resign.

Not Guilty. Wilkesbarre, March 9 .- The trial of Sheriff

Martin and his 67 deputies, on trial for five weeks for the shooting of marching strikers eight pieces. - 14.00 at Lattimer on September 10, 1897, was given A Light Sentence For the Commissioners to the jury yesterday, and this morning they returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury arrived at a verdict, it is said without much difficulty. The result is re-

ceived with anything but satisfaction by the

friends of the strikers. Threats were made

LATTIMER VERDICT.

Sheriff Martin and His Deputies Found

THE WEATHER

#### HELD UP BY ROBBERS.

but no violence is indulged in.

Reese Richards, Employed as Watchman, Attacked This Morning.

Mahanov Plane, March 9.—Reese Richards. employed as watchman by the P. & R. Railway on the Shenandoals branch, near this was robbed by four man wearing bandkerchiefs over the lower part of their Richards was in his watch-box when the came to the door and asked him what time it they promptly relieved him of it and de-manded his money and revolver. As he disconsiderately returned it to him for car fare and left, going along the track toward Rap-

Another watch-box at the "Flicker" cross ing was broken into, presumably by the same gang. Previously an attempt was made to break into the saloon kept by a man named Matthews, at Mahanoy Plane, but a burglar alarm scared them off.

The C. & I. police are following up the clues received, and it is quite probable the robbers will be apprehended. As robberies are becoming entirely too frequent all such malefactors should receive the full extent of the law when caught.

Bickert's Cate. Clam soup, free, to-night. Meat cakes,

FAIR TO ALL.

Equality.

The Spring season has arrived and we are ready for it with the largest, finest and best stock of clothing for men, youths and children ever brought to Shenandoah. article is sold with a guarantee as to quality and make, and every piece is made by us.

Have you heard of our One Price System? We'll tell you. Since the 3rd of March we have been doing business on a strictly One Price basis. No more cutting prices at our place. You find every garment marked dis-tinctly at what it is actually worth to the The payment of consumer. If you like what you examine you take it at the price marked-nothing less and nothing more. Since the One Price sys-tem has been in operation our business is express surprise at the prices marked on our goods. We have always sold cheap, but under the One Price system our prices are still lower. We mark every piece at bottom still lower, we mark every piece at bottom in and had a talk with him. As a result the response our One Price.

William, who has been attending a sold cheap, but college in Philadelphia, is in trouble.

It is reported that young Davis was shot four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American form four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the hearts of the American four times by a companion who then turned at two out the heart so out the heart so out the heart so out the h greater than ever it was before. People BOCK We can sell cheaper than others because we manufacture all our own clothing and have Bechtel ordered the polling of a jury to prono rent to pay. Spare a few minutes to look at our show windows—one filled with men's clothing and the other with children's cloth-After looking you will agree with us that there never before was a better or larger display of clothing in children's suits and novelties in Shenandoah. Anyone who wants to see the latest styles in clothing should not miss looking at our windows.

A Fine Merchant Tailoring Department has been opened in our store and we have over \$10,000 worth of piece goods from which you can select and have a suit made by our own tailors in our own building. We guar-antee perfect fit and elegant finish at any price you want. No fit, no purchase. MAMMOTH CLOTHING HOUSE,

L. Goldin, Prop., 9 and 11 South Main street, Shenandoah, Pa

P. S .- If anybody finds five days after making a purchase of us that we are not cheaper with our One Price system than any other store in the county, we redeem the goods and refund the money.

Meldaizis Cafe. Cream of tomato, free, to-night, Het lunch to-morrow morning.

The Pend was Devoid of Lilies. The Pond Lily club dance at Robbins opera whom were three gentlemen. The receipts amounted to one paid admission, 25 cents. tributed money to it. He was excused by the defense.

A brick building, centrally located, with Commonwealth. all the latest improvements, is offered for 25 Cents peter's law office, Titman building.

> Arrested for Assault. Anthony Visusky, Joe Rakus and Peter Gober, of town, was arrested here yesterday by Constable Frank Bertram of Pottsville on a charge of assault and battery made by

ville and entered bail before Justice Kuebler Kendrick House Free Lunch

Oyster soup will be served, free, to all pa-"Social Fourteen."

The ladies comprising the "Social Fourteen" were entertained last evening at the court sustained the challenge. residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Morgan, on West Oak street. The evening was spent very pleasantly, and refreshments were perved. Those present speak very highly of the reception tendered them by their bostess.

At Kepchinski's Arcade Cafe. Puree of pea, free, to-night. Hot lunch to-morrow morning.

Seeking Information.

Benjamin Buckley, a former resident of town, by calling upon David Bell, at Miners by the defense.

P. J. Curley was stood aside and Josiah P. J

Isane Morgans was lodged in the lockup Isaic Morgans was coaged in the coarse of by Night Watchman Creary on a charge of dict. He was accepted as Juror No. 4.

James Clifford, Sr., Mahanoy City, was

TO TAKE EFFECT ON APRIL

and the Withdrawai or Other Suits Will Follow-Trial of Commissioner Meyers Opened Tais Morning.

Special to EVENING HERALD

Pottsville, March 9.-The County Comcounsel for Commissioner Rentz, and W. J. prosecutor said "awsar," but the defense an-Whitehouse, counsel for County Controller swered "stand aside." B. R. Severn, got together during last even-ing and this morning and in accordance with an arrangement made at a consultation with was recalled. "Swear' said Mr. Winden and the counsel for the prosecution, held late the defense agreed. He made juror No. 8. vesterday afternoon, both Commissioners house for the purpose, signed papers this morning pledging themselves to resign from their offices. Similar papers were taken to Controller Severa, who is ill at his home in land, made the tenth juror; C. T. Leib, McKinjey's hands \$50,000,000 to Shenandoah, and at noon to-day they were Schuylkill Haven, the eleventh and Ellas received signed by Mr. Severn Klinger, of Pottsville, the twelfth. This

Shenandoah, and at noon to-day received signed by Mr. Severn
Upon their presentation to Judge Bechtel a point was reached at 10:30 o'clock.

light sentence embodying the payment of CASE OFENED
Fergus Farquhar, Ess, made the opening Rentz and Martin as to the nineteen counts address for the Commonwealth, reviewing in the misdemeanor in office suit, and the case the charges in a clear and comprehensible fixed for trial at this term of court will be manner, dwelling on the law and the impor-nol prossed. The suit against County Con-tance of complying with it in every particutroller Severn will also be not prossed, and the costs in both suits put on the defendants.

| Ar se that the interests of the people may be the costs in both suits put on the defendants. | Ar . Farquiar concluded at 11.35 The Taxpayers' Association believe this tempering of the prosecution with mercy relating to the failure to keep a tax lien will serve the ends they aim at-

Late this afternoon it was announced that the resignations of the Commissioners and Controller will take affect on April 1st, 1898. This will give the court time in which to appoint successors.

The court will not waste much time in apcointing successors to both Commissioners There are a number of applicants for the

The names of Frank Kantner, of Lofty Joseph Nichter, of Pottsville ; James Leahy. of Gilberton; William Dochney, Mahanoy City; Rev. Edwards, Pottsville, who has a big petition ready for cours, and others are prominently mentioned as successors to the Commissioners. The first named two are He was examined as to the extras paid on the said to be in the lead.

The Governor will appoint the successor to Controller Severn, and it is generally believed that Charles A. Snyder, Esq., who is an out and out candidate, will be named by the Governor. He has announced his candi dacy for the Republican nomination this of Mahaney City, for neglecting to enforce year for this office.

The payment of the \$10,000, with interest, will be guaranteed.

COMMISSIONER MEYERS' TRIAL.

After a half hour's consultation the coun is sel for the prosecution and counsel for Comsel for the prosecution and counsel for Com-missioners Kentz and Martin returned at 4:05 William, who has been attending a business missioner Charles Meyers for trial and Judge

leaving a total of 27 counts. POLLING THE JURY.

This morning the counsel lined up as follows: For the Commonwealth, District Attorney E. A. Bechtel, A. W. Schalck, John F. Whalen, Fergus Farguhar; G. A. Berner and Charles A. Snyder, Esqs. For defense, E. B. Smith and Charles A. Berger, Esqs. William L. Sheafer, the prosecutor and agent for the Taxpayers' Association, was sitting at the Commonwealth's table and Commissioner the promptness with which your representation of your society and all save name. The speeches which at the Commonwealth's table and Commissioner Meyers, the defendant, looking none the tives have settled the policy hald in your Messre. Cannon, Henderson and Dolli-worse for his worry, was scated near his society by my dearly beloved husband who ver on the Republican and Messre.

lawyers. Close to him was his brother.

J. S. Brown, who has taught school for 27

This amount (\$43) was paid to me to-day by years in Wayne township, was the first juror your superintendent, W. T. Evans, and called. He was asked by Whalen if he had agent, James Patterson. I cheerfully recomexpressed any opinion against the Tax-mend your payers' Association, whether he had heard community. or read of the case, and if he could render a verdict in accord with the evidence. He answered the questions satisfactorily to the Commonwealth. In answer to Attorney house last evening was a flat failure. An at-tendant stated this morning that the entire number of dancers present were eight, of mers Taxpayers' League and had never con-

J. H. Dunkleberger, of Hegins township, and James Head were stood aside by the

Adam Parton, a expenter of Pottsville, sale. Terms to suit purchaser. Possession given April 1st, or present lessees to continue at option of purchaser. For full terms and particulars write or call at S. G. M. Hollo verdict in accordance with the evidence, even 2.25 of should it be developed that the company was Frank R. Webber, of Brummertown, was

worn as juror No. 2. Charles A. Mantz, West Penn; William R. Lauderfeldt, Ashland; C. P. Leib, Schuylkill Haven, and Harry Cartwright, Pottaville.

were stood aside by the Commonwealth. Edward Audrews, inventor, Pottsville; M. J. Euch Bubins. They were taken to Potts-Leahy, miner, Gilberton; Charles Lauben-stein, Ashland, and Dennis Haley, Mineraville, were also stood aside by the Common-Harry Leisey had an opinion which would

require evidence to remove and was of Wm. Penn, fell from a porch this after-challenged by the defense for cause. The court sustained the challenge.

A. C. Eisenbuth, of Orwigsburg, had no projudice against William L. Sheafer, the secutor in the case. He had read of the mit and had talked about it. He was sworn Oscar Kleckner, barber, Pottsville, for-

merly lived at Cressona, the home of defondant Moyers. He had merely a speaking acquaintance with him. Stood aside by the Commonwealth.

Wertman was excused by the court.
Peter Suber, a blacksmith of Minersville,

said his employment by the P. & R. company would not influence him upon reaching a verstood aside by the Commonwealth,

#### ohn Gray: Harry Chance, druggist, of Pettaville, was FUND sworn in as Juror No. 5. William Stout said he read a newspaper that had nothing in it about the Commisaloners' case. He was at once stood aside by the Commonwealth. D. G. Lewis, of St. Clair, had formed and

Beebtel in reference to the influence of

opinion and was finally stood aside by the

oe Sherman, Schuyikill Haven, were stood

James I, Helwig, of Lavelle, was sworn in

Daniel Ellis, Sr., Pottaville, and formerly

J. H. Dunkleberger was recalled and sworn

Judge Bechtel then quashed count No. 7.

THE PIEST WITNESS

Horace Reber was the first witness called and

while waiting for him Mr. Schatcz directed

special attention to some legal points involv-

ed by the separation of the Commissioners on

the fact that the defendant was elected a

that he served from Jan. 1, 1897, after having

Clerk Reber was sworn and said he was

elected as Chief Clerk on January 1, 1897.

county hospital contract and is still on the

stand giving testimony on figures involved

in the contract as the HERALD goes to press.

T. J. Joyce, of Mahanov City, to-day

rought suit against Constable M. F. Geiger,

Justice Whitney, but was dismissed by the

train this morning for Lancaster.

Prompt Payment.

Shenandoah, March 8, 1898,

Gone to the Klondike

Fell From a Porch.

The ten-year-old son of Thomas Hanlon

MRS. MARY FLOOR.

court to-day.

filed his bond. He did this to save time.

Mr. Smith said the defense would admit

Chief Clerk of the County Commis

monwealth, and so was Charles A. Mantz.

William R. Landerfelt, undertaker,

expressed an opinion, but could weigh the 000,000 Appropriation. This jurer was closely questioned by Judge

PATRIOTIC SPEECHES Charles Marquardt, miner, Girardville was sworn as jurer No. 6: He is employed by the P. & R. C. & I. Co. Michael Shore, of Cass township, and Man-The Passage of the Appropriation, it is

Shemannoah, and John Burns, also of Sheuandeah, were stood ande.
Edward F. Lorsh, of Donaldson, said be 

> ing in their cars, every member of the house of representatives yesterday re-James Head was challenged by the Com- sponded to the president's first call to his vote for a bill placing in Presider pended at his discretion for the na tional defense. Party lines were swep gway, and with a unanimous voice of gress voted its confidence in the ministration. Many members who w responsibility of breaking their pair annals. In order that they might go or mation to maintain the dignity honor of their country. Speaker Reed who, as the presiding officer, selden thustasm which greeted the announce ment of the vote-431 year and no may

All day long the galleries were jam plauding to the echo the steritus p triotism of the words of eloquen which were uttered by the members the floor. All the speeches were bri Although four hours were allowed f debate, so great was the pressure for time that no one member was give more than five minutes, and most beganly fraction of a minute. In al 59 speeches were made. With one ac claim members from the north ar the territories, battle scarred vetera of the Union and Confederate mies, all joined in proclaiming their support of the country's chief magis-

college in Philadelphia, is in trouble.

It is reported that young Davis was shot out the hear's of the American people world that when threatened from withbeat as one. In the whole depate there A souvenir to all callers on Bechtel ordered the polling of a jury to proceed. Counsel were not ready and the case was adjourned until nine o'clock this morning.

A later report states that young Davis is served with distinction under Hanco reed. Counsel were not ready and the case was adjourned until nine o'clock this morning.

Bechtel ordered the polling of a jury to proceed. Counsel were not ready and the case will living, but the other young man died almost instantly. Both had been attending Pierce's business college in Philadelphia he insisted that our relations we The court had refused to quash the second and third counts in the indictment, as asked for yesterday by E. B. Smith, Esq., and reserved his decision on count No. 7.

Judge Becktel announced the quashing of

sides, was that this appropriation, by preparing for war, would prove the To the Officers of the Home Friendly Insur-ance Company, of Baltimore, Md., B. L. Talley, President.

Surest guarantee of peace. Others in-sisted that war's alacums would soon be heard, and Mr. Mann, of Illinois. surest guarantee of peace. Others i be heard, and Mr. Mann, of Hillnois, declared that war actually existed in GENTLEMEN :- I desire to extend to you

Yesterday's session of the senate was largely devoted to the consideration of Which we have selected for t mend your society to the people of this the District of Columbia appropriation The bill, containing a provision for the reduction to about one-half of in the district, was passed. A bill ap-propriating \$288,000 for the relief of the Thomas P. Riley, who was employed as a general hand by the Shenandeah Beef Combook agents of the Methodist Episc Church South was also passed. As it has already passed the house, the pany for several years, left town this morning for the Klondike. He first goes to Bufhis signature.

Railrand to Scattle, Washington, where the Railrand to Scattle of the Country in a state of defense, and the Railrand to Scattle of Mr. Biley's object in Golden. The two men will then strike out for the land of gold. Mr. Elley's object in to put the country in a state of december for the land of gold. Mr. Elley's object in to put the country in a state of december of the outburst of patriotic speeches in congress, there was a certain feeling to the less informed circles.

(Continued on Fourth Page.)

evidence on its merits. Evidence, however, senate Unanimously Passes the \$50,-would be required to remove the opinion.

Held by the Majority, Will by Preparing For War Become the Surent Guarantee of

has seldom been paralleled in the

trate in the face of a possible foreign

John Davis, coal operator at St. Clair, received a telegram calling him to Millersville.

If war did not come the 250,000,000 appropriated by this bill would be wisely propriated by this bill would be wisely THANSPIE OF PROPERTY.

A deed was to-day recorded from T. J.
Broughall and wife to William Broughall for premises in Shemandoah, the consideration for the general contention by the majority, among them the lenders on both

Balley and Sayers on the Democratic

falo, and thence via the Canadian Pacific Railroad to Scattle, Washington, where he Despite numerous conferences of of-ficials, of the continuance of the propar

way, the Klondike bee is buzzang loudly in that the situation as to our relations the bat of W. J. Bowse, who is employed at with Spain were yesterday much more swift & Co's branch house at Mahanoy City, favorable than it was on Monday. Per-Swift & Co's branch house at Mahanoy City, but it is not likely that he will risk a visit haps the semi-official advices received until steam heat is introduced in the chilly from Madrid, indicating a peaceful Billy's intimate friends say be has a purpose on the part of the Simnish seme in his brain. He read about a government, contributed in large measbig scheme in his brain. He read about a government, contributed in large mean who drifted into such hard luck in the ure to that feeling, or it may have been Klendike that he was obliged to break up that the growing knowledge of the his valuable sled for fire wood. Billy is wast extent of our own resources tendhis valuable sled for fire wood. Billy is credited with saying that he will take a big dog with him and using the bark for fuel. press others with the futility of atthat may be, the feeling prevailed, and at the White House, too, after the cabinet meeting, wherein all of the facts that were known to the president as to the existing state of affairs were laid unreservedly before the cabinet

laid unreservedly before the cabinet members and discussed.

While Captain Brownson is going abroad for the government to learn what ships of war are for sale, and their condition, he will not necessarily make any purchases. The officer left Washington last night, and will take the St. Paul to Southampton, sailing form New York, He will report his arrival immediately at the United States embassy in London, but further than that the captain declines to Inthan that the captain declines to in-dicate the places he will visit in Europe. He has been furnished all of the information in the possession of the navy department respecting the ship-ping in course of construction in Eu-

ONE C

A MURDEROUS ASS

Joe Petroskis was almost mus use and had almost bled to des o a quarrel between him and the same and it extended to the other who porneed upon him and almost earthly extreet. During the fraction was wielded with bloody effect, struck Petroskis on the ellow of the and shivered the flesh and bane a on the load. An artery in the ar were put in the man's head and fiftee

boon so inch long from the ar

of the uses mints. Others are to be as

A Hit for Coughs and Colds. What : Pan-Time, 25c. At Grahler B

Washington, March 9.-In a spirit of drug stars Washery Lestroyed,

w Tyler & McTurk, was totally destr with one-half meanance. Thirty in The plant will be rebuilt.

Scalp Treatment. Katharine A. Hickey, 126 N. Main S.

Shenandoah's leading millin parlors.

Hundreds of trimmed liats two alike Entirely new styles.

Nothing that has been seen before. And the largest assortment.

New goods, new shapes and n colors Don't fail to be at the ope

Our stock is large and prices lowest. And goods open for inspection March 17th, 18th and 19th Hats for spring and summer f

490 to \$12,98, Also mourning hats and bonne

specialty. Hats trimmed free of charge

Will Open March 17, at 7 p.

# Plain Words About Baby Coaches. . .

Spring will soon be he and we are anxiously awaiting its balmy days. Why? B cause we are already prepare to have every wife call on t and see our new and extensive

Baby . . .

season of '98. When it con down to prices we can sell y wonders of makes at

\$5.00 and upward. M. O'NEILL

Looking Over the Stoc



Every household has a stock of goods which it draws upo daily. They find it is advis able to keep this stock up to i good standard. You wan your stock of

GROCERIE

To be fresh. We give you the best supplies and keep your stock satisfactory. We carr a stock of quality and mak prices right. BLOATERS,

MACKEREL, HERRING, COD FIS And all kinds of Canned Fisl

T. J. BROUGHAL 25 South Main Street.

At KEITER'S