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SHENANDOAH, PA., SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1898.

HIGHWAYMEN FLED. Made Unsuccessful Attempts to Rob Miners Homeward Bound. While two Polish miners were on their way home from work at the Maple Hill colliery at three o'clock this morning, and had reached the summit of the hill between the Indian Ridge colliery and Ellangowan, two young men stapped from the bashes at the Regular Services in All Local Churches side of the hi way and one of them said, "Stop, you Polt a ----- we want to talk to you " One of the miners had a revolver with him and be promptly drew it, where upon the two would-be robbers ran away.

One of them shouted back, "We know you and will fix you for this in town." The miners were net disturbed again, however. They complained to the police upon arrival here and arrests are likely to follow. One of the miners had a pay of \$30 in his pockets.

To complete dressiness buy LEVIT hats Will Enjoy Themselves.

The theatrical profession is the only one in which the toilers never have time to enjoy a holiday. With the thespians the term "holiday" is synonymous with what is known in this region as "double shift"—in other words a nutince and evening performance. Such will be the case when the Little Irene Myers All other goods sold at equally Pianos, Organs. Ladies' Desks, night.

> A pretty selection of diamond rings suitable or Xmas gifts. Prices very low at Brumm's

Gibion Retarns. Gibion Retarns. Constable Matt. Gibion last night returned from Philadelphia, where he arrested Jere-miah Gallivan on a charge of selling brewed and malt liquors without a license. The accused gave \$300 bail before Magistrate Eisenbrown in Philadelphia to appear for a hearing before Justice Toomey in town next Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Galivan's defense is that his sales are legally made in Philadel phia. He sends out agents, and, upon getting orders, the beer is shipped collect on delivery when it reaches the consumer in the county. The decision in the case is looked for with interest by the brewers.

Roses, Violets and Carnations." Leave your orders at the Shenandoah drug re. Telephone connections. 12-21-4t

Police Appointment. Patrick Stack, one of the motormen on the Schuylkill Traction line, has been appointed on the C. & I. police force and will go ou duty in the Girardville district on January ist. Mr. Stack is a popular and highly esteemed young man who will prove as faithful an officer as he has been a motorman. His Christmas tide has been a bounteous

MAHANOY CITY. one, as his appointment was followed Thurs-day night by the gift of a son from his wife. It will do your heart good to examine A Holderman's stock of Jeweiry, Watches, Silverware, Diamonds, Lamos and other of Suitable Articles. arnamental goods. Prices lowest and never

eard of before, No. 31 North Main St. U Barrowsparrow Caught. Andrew Barrowsparrow was convicted at male quartette; solo, Mrs. the September term of criminal court of sell: and several Christmas selection ing liquor in West Mahanoy township with Mrs. Bevan. On Monday evening

CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS

To-morrow.

SPECIAL THEMES FOR SERMONS.

With a Couple of Exceptions the Christmas Entertainments Have Been Deferred Until Monday Night-Interesting Frograms Have Been Arranged

For the Occasion.

As Christmas falls on Sunday this year, but is not legally observed until Monday, no little doubt arose in some of the religious congregations of lown as to when the chil-dreu's services should be held. Some people maintained that the legal aspect of the matter had reference to the suspension of Company open its engagement for one week at Ferguson's theatre on Monday. Still the feetly proper to hold the children's exercises at regumon's theatte on atomay, say pass company will not let the holiday pass without allowing themselves some enjoy-ment, and after the performance Morday Monday was legally declared the day for without allowing themselves some onjoy gations ment, and after the performance Morday night they will have a Christmas tree gather night they will have a Christmas tree gather appropriate to hold the exercises on that appropriate to hold the exercises on that Ing in their sinte of rooms in the Ferguson House. Little Irene played with the Tommy Shearer company in town during Christmas week last year, and had the same kind of a gathering at the same hotel on Rest and January 2nd for the distribution of

presents. All the other congregations that intend having entertainments will hold them on Monday evening, next. CALVARY BAPTIST.

The decision in the case is looked for with following will be the program for the after-

infant department: "The Christmas Story," seven girls. Recitations—"The Babe of Bethlehem," Birdis Evans; "The Angel's Song," Minnie Hoffman; "The Christmas Moon," Stella Davis. Appropriate music will be rendered by the choir. The distribution of presents to children of the Sunday scheed of presents to children of the Sunday school will take place on Monday evening, Jan. 2nd. PRIMITIVE METHODIST.

Rev. James Moore will preach a Christmaermon in the Primitive Methodist church to-morrow morning, and in the evening there will be a sacred service under the auspices of the choir, when the following program will be presented : Solo and dust, Jennie Hares

and Mrs. Malick ; solo, Mrs. Malick ; duet, Annie Timmons and Harriett Parrish Bevan several Christmas selections by out a license, but was never presented in annual Christmas entertainment will be held court for sentence. On one occasion it was in the church, and the following grogram atated that he could not appear, on account of injuries systained in a fight. To-day Constable Giblon arreated Barrowsparrow at to to the system of the syst

night by a reading of solemn mass at mid-night. To-morrow morning, at 11 o'clock, Rev. Albinus Kaminaki, the newly ordained curate, will read his first mass. He will be assisted by the rector, Rev. Matulaitis, and Rev. Milukas, who will act as dencou. It is expected Rev. Ollesinaki, of Philadelphia, will be sub-deacon. The cele-bration of the Forty Hours' Devotion will be bration of the Forty Hours' Devotion will be gin on New Year's Day.

Evergreens, Holly and Mistletoe Fresh from the forest. Leave your orders at the Shenandoah drug store. Telephone conections. Orders promptly filled. 12-22-31

TRUTH, PLAINLY TOLD.

The Always Busy Jewelry Store, Strouse's and Its Revelations in Gifts.

If there is ever a time when one wants the right kind of goods, it certainly is at Christ-mas time, when selecting articles suitable for presents. The gifts we offer you are not only desirable, but sensible and profitable when you consider the quality and the prices.

At the prices we are quoting for presents in our extensive line of jewelry silverware, brie a brac, novelties innomer-able, etc., you can afford to give yourself a present, make a good investment and save oney at the same time.

To-day is the last of the Christmas prepara-tory season and it will be a surprise to you if you come to our store and see our stock, which is yet at its best. We are receiving goods while you read our announcement. Our store is a delightful boon to the eleventhhour shopper, and it is a pleasure to us to be in such a position as not to disappoint you in your last desires.

We have delighted hundreds during this season, and are amply supplied to satiate the desires of all who may yet come. Why is it? Because independent, economical buyers find they can always do better at Streams find they can always do better at Strouse's than claewhare in quantity, quality and price. This is the truth plainly told, and holiday purchasers will be fully convinced when they make up their minds to buy their Christmas gifts at Strouse's, 11 North Main street.

SILK MUFFLERS.

Our entire line of fashionable patterns at cut prices. Seasonable holiday gifts. MAX. LEVIT'S, 10.00.5 12-20-51

Wagon Upset.

noon service: Greeting, Miss Mary Price. Revitations—"The Legend of the Christmas Stranger," Joseph Miller; "Christmas Bolis," William Thomas; "The Good Shepherd," Gwennie Lewis; "The Mission Band," Minnie Jones, Exercises—"Chiming Bells," Minnie Jones Revitations—"The Christmas Story." ween girls. Revitations—"The Christmas Story."

trol of all the paper money of the na

Brennan's Cale Attraction

Mesars. Council and Hallen, two clover setropolitan vandeville artists, will open an engagement at Dan. Brennaw's cafe to-night and will continue during the huliday week They will render all that is new in the world of song and also several red hat connedy sketches. A change of bill will be made nightly, and Mr. Brennan guarantees them to be an ail star attraction. 11-04-01

MUFFLETS. In great varieties at \$1.00. MAX LEVIT.

Artistic Decoration

paid.

Hill.

anybody.

Taking up the subject of imperialism Mr. Bryan said that the president has misinterpreted the sentiment of the people. They are opposed to giving the Philippine fslands back to Spain, but The large mirrors in Muldoon's cafe, cor They have not as yet declared in favor of embarking upon a cotonial policy. So great a change, he said, could not be undertaken without more investiganer of Centre and West streets, present an attractive appearance, having been artis-tically decorated with a likness of Admiral Dewey and holiday greetings by John P. tion and deliberation than the people had yet given the subject. Referring Carden, the painter

No matter how much better you think you to President McKinley's inquiry: "Whe are going to do by buying your Christmas will hauf down the flag?" he said:

CHRISTMAS THE ISSUES GIFTS. MUFFLERS, The Democratic Leader Talks to NECKWEAR,

WHO WILL HAUL DOWN THE FLAG?

Colonel Bryan Answers the President's

Question by Declaring That It Shall

Be Hauled Down Whenever the Peo-

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 24,-Colonel W. J

reception at the Oliver theater by

house was crowded, and Colonel Bryan

received an ovation. He was intro-duced by Governor Holcomb, who for

mally welcomed him home and compli-

mented him for his patriotism in en-

cordial welcome and complimentir the members of his regiment and Colo

tion ls s greater menace to the conn

tion, because congress is asked to ac

upon them at once. The president re-

ommends that the regular army be

permanently increased to 100,000 men

There are, however, two new ques

ns which demand immediate atten-

try's welfare than any foreign foe.

After thanking his neighbors for their

listing in the army.

follows

n Cuba.

Woman's Elmetallic League

Bryan returned to Lincoln yesterday afternoon, and was last night tendered

ple So Declare, as It Has Been Before

Herald.

His Neighbors. GLOVES. MACKINTOSHES,

SWEATERS,

CANES and

UTIBRELLAS,

FULL DRESS CASES, SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, FANCY HALF HOSE, LATEST LINEN COLLARS AND CUFFS

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We have them all. Call and see them. They are awaiting your inspection.



A Constant

just now than will confront our army

"Some of these problems were under Of new goods and especially discussion before hostilities began others have been thrust upon us as a new designs in coats, cloaks and wraps. The result of the war. Let me improve this, my first opportunity, to assure season is now at its height. Not a day but



Here you'll find prices in keeping with your trse and styles inapproachable.



OR SISTER

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FRICKE'S CARPET STORE.

10 South Jardin Street.





EXTRA! READ THIS! Feather Boas, 23c. Plush Capes from \$2.50 up to \$20.00. Astrakin Capes at the same prices. Also

a full line of Cloaks at the lowest prices. Reefers from 69c. up to \$7.00. Collarettes from \$1.65 up Heavy Skirts from 99c. up to \$10.00. Silks, Satins Heavy Skirts from 99c. up to \$10.00. Silks, Sa'ins and a full line of Waists. In the Millinery depart-ment we have a full line of hats and all kinds of trimmings. Ladies' and Gent's Natural Wool Untrimmings. Ladies' and Gent's Natural Wool Underwear, 35c. A full line of Children's Underwear.

A Few Suggestions

NEW YORK BARGAIN STORE, NO. 23 SOUTH MAIN ST., SHENANDOAH, PA.

1898----HOLIDAY SEASON----1899. hall, corner Jardin and Centre streets. One of the features will be a waltzing contest.

FULL STOCK-ALL NEW GOODS, NEW CROP and NEW PACKING.

RAISINS----New blue muscatels, 2, 3 and 4 lbs for 25 cents. New Seeded. New Seedless. New Sultana. New to receive a Xmas gift made from Anthracite coal 7 See them at Brumm's. Valencia. New Layer Raisins.

-2, 3, 4 and 5 pounds for 25 cents. PRUNES-EVAPORATED FRUITS-New Peaches, Pears, Apricots, Apples and Plums.

New Figs and Dates. New Citron, Lemon and Orange. New Florida and Jamaica Oranges. NUTS-Almonds, Cream, Filberts, Pecans and Walnuts.

CANNED GOODS---1898 PACKING.

Fancy California Lemon Cling and Crawford Peaches. Fancy Pears, Plums, Apricots and Cherries.

Extra Quality Standard cold packed, 3 for 25 cents,

CORN-Extra Fancy Maine, 2 for 25 cents. Fancy New York State, 3 for 25 cents. Standard Maryland, 4 for 25c.

PEAS ---- Fancy Sifted Early June, 2 for 25 cents. Sweet Wrinkled, 3 for 25 cents. Extra Early June, fine quality, 4 for 25 cents

BEANS ---- New Lima Beans, 3 cans for 25 cents. White Wax String Beans, 4 cans for 25 cents. Baked Beans, 2 and 3 cans for 25 cents.

New Orleans Baking Molasses, best quality, 10 cts. a quart. Don't forget our strictly Fresh Fancy Creamery Butter. Fresh Dairy Butter.



him down to the Pottsville jail, where he Hinderliter and Thomas James; solo, Luis will remain until the court passes sentence on him next week. Detter, duets, Fannie and Lizzie Hinder-liter, Mabel Detter and Lizzie Hinder-

Patterns were never so pretty, prices never so low, selections never equalled as our stock of jewelry and silver novelties is this year. E. B. Brumm. 12-14-tf The Theatre.

Dance To-night.

The Shenandoah Glee Club will hold their

annual dance this evening, in Dougherty's

An enjoyable time is in store for those who

Wouldn't your distant friends be delighted

There is nothing in the candy line that you

Columbia Fair To-night.

can not get at Kemmerer's.

attend

A Christmas carol service will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church to-morrow morning, commencing at six o'clock. The regular services will be held at the usual

"The Black Flag" has been selected for the Monday matinee of the Little Irene Myers Company at Ferguson's theatre, to be preaching the sermons. The annual Christ followed by a magnificent production of masentertainment for the children will be "The Siver King" at night. It will be the held Monday evening.

first performance ever given in this city of the latter play at popular prices, it being FIRST BAPTIST. Rev. D. I. Evans will preach a special ser her phenomenal dramatic ability. Con-trough entitled, "The Christmas Message" will be

tinuous performances will prevail throughgiven between the acts of every play. It will include bymns, prayers, read ing of scripture lessons, recitations by Sarah Rlower, Stella Davis, Sadie Roberts, Mar Have you seen the show window display of

garet Howells; solo, Miss Jones; recitations watches, jewelry and silver novelties at Brumm's? 12-14-tf Jane Hopkins, Gettie Whomsly, Sarah Rogers Garfield Jones, Tillie Roberts, Edith Rogers, Louisa Williams, Eddie Roberts, Meriam

ones, Mary Miller, Walter Capper, Ethel Miller, Mary Whomsley, Gwennie Jones, Ida Miller, Jennie Blower, Ray Hopkins, Ettie Potts, Joseph Jones, Sarah Jones, Bessie Griffiths, Sarah Roberts, Lizzie Hopkins. In addition to the above there will be addresses,

inging by the primary department, etc. TRINITY REFORMED.

The early Christmas service in the Trinity | than you pay for them in large citys. Reformed church will be held at 0 a, m. Regular services will be held at 10 a, m. and

Company received a large turkey as a Christmas gift. About forty turkeys were required for the distribution. The kind re-held in the church on Monday evening. membrance was heartily appreciated by the recipients of, the company's gifts.

EVANGELICAL.

Presiding Elder Stirk, of Allentown, will assist the pastor, Rev. I. J. Reitz, at the morning service in the United Evangelical numerous attractions and the indications are hurch to-morrow and regular service will be that the attendance will be large.

Colombia Fair To-night. There will be a change of program for the intertainment at the Columbia Fair in the church. PRESEVTIBLAN.

The usual services will be held in the Presbyterian church to-morrow morning and vening, and the Christmas entertainment will be held on Monday night.

ANNUNUIATION.

Regular Christmas masses will be celebrated in the Annanciation church to morrow morn-ing, at 7, 8 and 10 o'clock. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

There will be three services in All Saints There will be three services in All sains Episcopal church to-morrow, at 8 and 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. The Christians exercises will be held on Monday evening. The fol-lowing is the program for to-morrow : Pro-cessional, "O. Come all ye Faithful," com-munion service in E flat, Woodward; Te Dence in D. J. T. Field encounter and nume

ST. STANISLAUS POLISH CH. ACH.

The Christmas services in St. Stanislans Polinh II. C. church will be inaugurated to-

Lost Creek No. 2, on a capias, and husiled Brogton, Gertrude James, Fannie and Lizzie presents somewhere else, don't let go of your "The flag is a national emblem and presents somewhere else, don't lat go of your money until you havo seen our goods and liarned our prices. You may think this little speech is made wholly in our own in-terest, but if you take our advice you will find there is money in it for you. E. B. liter, Mabel Deiter and Lizzie Anderstein dialogues, Margaret Edmundson and Lizzie Taylor; Eda Edmundson and Willie Taylor. Brumm, 12-14 tf

baul it down. The flag was raised upon Canadian soll during the war of 1812. Post Office Hours. and it was havied down when peace was restored. The flag was planted upon Chapultepec during the war with On Monday the post office will close at 11 a. m., No money orders will be issued or paid. The following places will be served

Mexico, and it was hauled down when the war was over. The morning papers with the first delivery : Brownsville, Turkey Run. Yatesville, Ellangowan and Maple announce that General Lee ordered the flag hauled down in Cuba yesterday, because it was raised too soon. The flag will be raised in Cuba again on the first of January, but the president de-Fair dealings in ladies and gents' gold and silver watches. Engraving done, free, with ctares in his message that it will be every purchase. Buchanan, jeweler, 118 S. hauled down as soon as a stable govevery purchase. Buchanan, jeweler, 118 S. Main street.

ernment is established. Who will deny to the people the right to haul the flag down in the Philippines, if they so de-sire, when a stable government is es-Leave your orders at the Shenandosh drug

tablished there? "Our flag stands for an indissolutie

Mr. McCarthy's statement is the HERALD state is represented by a state John McCarthy called at the HERALD every territory sees in the constitution office to deny the statement that Thomas a star of hope that it will some day a star of hope that it will some day office to deny the statement that Thomas McGuire, whose son was injured by a stone thrown by young McCarthy, had made ap-thrown by young McCarthy had made ap-thrown by young McCarth of the case. He received no such offer from the zeal or reflect the aspirations of vassal colonies which are too good to

he cast away, but not good enough to You are cordially invited to visit Holderbe admitted to the sisterhood of states man's Jewelry store, No. 31 N. Main street. "Shall we keep the Philippines and and see the display of artistic goods never shown in Shenandoah before at prices lower amend our flag? Shall we add a new star-the blood star. Mars-to indicate

Forecast for This Week.

Roses, Violets and Carnations.

Mr. McCarthy's Statement.

store. Telephone connections.

tf that we have entered upon a career o Pooler's Christmas Attraction. conquest? Or shall we borrow the yel

The generosity of the Columbia Brewing Company was demonstrated yesterday, when each employe received a large turkey as a Christmas gift. About forty turkeys were The children's Christmas gift. About forty turkeys were Sha'l we adorn our flag with a milky way composed of a multitude of minor

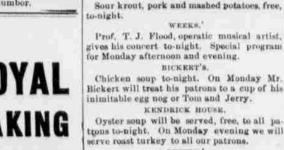
The Fair at Lost Creek,

stars representing remote and insig nificant dependencies? No, a thousand The fair of the T. A. B. society and band. of Lost Creek, will open in Temperance hall times better to haul down the Stars and Stripes and substitute the flag of an independent republic than to sur-

render the doctrines that give glory to 'Old Glory.' The mission of that flag is to float, not over a conglomoration Call at Holderman's Jowelry store and get prices on goods superior to any in town. It

of the free and the home of the brave." Child Injured. Maggie, seven-year-old child of Andrew Ramiskie, of Mahanoy City, sustained a frac-

ture of the left leg at the ankle to-day, while playing on a pile of lumbor.



PETERS.' Potato soup for free lunch to night. On Monday evening we will serve, free, possum, sour krout and pork.

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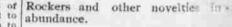
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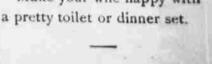
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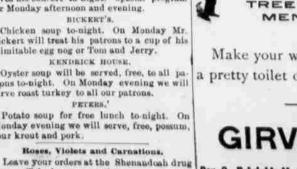
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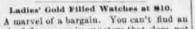
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Robbins' opera house. The Columbia Glee Club and Mr. Cooney will sing. The door gift will be a box of groceries. Fashionable stiff hat, \$1, MAX LEVIT'S.

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Holiday Jewelry Shoppers. See our holiday stock. We have an elegant selection. A'l goods sold on their merits

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alco sell the out meats.

No misrepresentations, Orkin's, 129 South Main street.

All kind of taffies at Kemmerer's. We

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We can furnish you with pains of any size or variety, at short notice, and our prices are reasonable. Electric cars pass our door. Payne's Numery, Girardville. 12-16-41-cod

munion service in E. Bat, Woodward; Te Denm in D, J. T. Field; magnificat and nunc Dimittis in D, J. T. Field; suthem. "Let us now go even unto Bethlehem," Hopkins; offertory, "Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem," Cruickshauk ; Becessional, "Angels from the realms of glory."

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