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A nice dressy hat nowadays adds a pleasing appearance to your personal outfit. It don't cost you a great deal of money to add that appearance if you would spend a few moments in examining our south show window and see the offers we give you at our special sale. We can supply the most fastidious with a nice black light, or dark brown stiff hat as well as a nice Fedora, crash, or straw hat. We have many kinds to select from. The announcement refers also to our stock of summer shirts, neckwear and collars. You need not go elsewhere, because our assortment and our prices are equivalent such as will complete a sale at any time.

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New Carpets, New Oil Cloth, New Linoleum.

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#### DROWNED IN A DAM.

fourthan Houser, Old and Well Known Besident, the Victim,

Jonathan Houser, aged 61 years, was found dead this morning in the reservoir at the northern end of Main street, from which the fire companies secure their supply of water to aprinkle the atreets. The place is known as "the Hookie dam." Attention was first attracted to the case by

the return to town at about seven o'clock of J. R. Coyle, Esq., Max Levit and Roy Rubright, after an early morning stroll on the mountain. On their STORY TOLD BY THE WIDOW! return they stopped at the dam referred to in order to give a dog accompanying them a swim. Upon reaching the breastwork of the dam they found lying upon it a suit of outer and underclothing, a pair of shoes and socks and a hat of the sombrero style. An examnation of the clothing revealed papers indi-cating that they belonged to Jenathar Houser, and the gentlemen concluded that the owner had been drowned in the dam. They hurried to town and gave notice of their discovery. A large crowd soon assemtheir discovery. A large crowd soon assembled at the dam. Two years men named located the body, which rested on the bottom and toward the center of the dam. The body was brought to the surface with the aid body was brought to the surface with the aid.

He located here about thirty-five years ago. His wife, Caroline, died about a year ago and His wife, Caroline, died about a year ago as since that time he has been looked upon as being somewhat erratic, at times laboring It was too bold to escape notice.

Judge Bechtel overruled the protest. stances leading to the death.

McLaughlin visited the residence of the son, his statement concerning his father's death. cited cases in support of his positic.

The witness stated that the deceased had Judge Bechtel overruied the objection been making preparations to enter a hospital T. J. Evans, a law student of Commission Philadelphia shortly, and that he believed ship, was stood saide by the Commission Philadelphia shortly, and that he believed ship, was stood aside by the Commission Philadelphia shortly. he went to the dam to wash himself, and by accident met his death. An inquest will be held to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock in the office of Deputy Coroner Burke.

Election of Officers, General Harrison Lodge No. 231, Knights the cath.

f Pythias, held a semi-annual election of The Co officers last night with the following result: Chanceller Commander, George W. Keiper, Vice Chanceller, S. M. Fetzer; Prelate, P. W. Bierstein; Keeper of Records and Sesis, R. D. Reese; Master of Exchequer, D. S. ive, Daniel Knelly.

An election of officers held by Washington

An election of officers held by Washington
Camp No. 112, P. O. S. of A., last night resulted as follows: President, Frank Shirey;
Vice President, W. H. Davis; Master of
Forms and Ceremonies, John W. Reese;
Conductor, John Cale; Inspector, C. Louis
Gable; Outer Guard, G. Clare Matter;
Trusteea, W. H. Kerslake and John A.,
Bittler; Delegates to State Camp, W. H.
Brown, W. H. Kerslake and F. M. Webster; Alternates, John W. Reese, John Cale and John A. Bittler.

The Lowrey Show.

This evening the Lowrey Bros. will close the three-day engagement of their show nere, which has been very successful. The ating capacity of the tent was fully taxed The matinees have also been excellently nized and the engagement will close with a large surplus of each in favor of the management. The Lowrey Bros. are deserv-ing of all the patronage that has been ac-and drawings of the scene of the murder Co-morrow the shows give two performances

Our'choice meats, butter, eggs. Bauser's, Cherry and Chestnut streets. tf

Pickuicked at Lakeside.

The families of M. L. Kemmerer, Oscar Kehler, E. F. Kehler, and Misses Annie Yost, Tillie Devr. Lizzie Krapf, Blanche and Clara Yost, Frances Kline, Katle Eisenhart and Clara Morrison enjoyed an outlog to Lakeside to-day. The trip was made by teams.

Picnic at Lakeside. A grand picnic is to be held at Lakeside (East Mahanoy Junction) on July 4th. There will be a shooting match at live pigeous and olue rocks and a first class orchestra furnish music.

Romeius, the Muscular Marvel, At Bickert's cafe to-night. The king of strong men, and able to lift a ton. Also dis-g. What caused the death of Henry plays other seemingly impossible feats of Elliott?

Salaries Increased. Misses Bolich and Cunningham, clerks in the local post office have received an increase of salary of \$100 per year, each. It is only fair to state that the increase was made upon recommendation of Postmaster Bedea, based

upon the faithful service of the employes. Cream puffs on ice all summer at George Scheider's bakery, 23 East Coal street.

The First Lithuanian band of town will old its anniversary outing at Lakeside on Thursday, 29th inst., going by special train at 8 a. m. on the P. & B. Railway,

Scholder's Dainties. Strawberry, chocolate and vanilla ice identity the District Attorney asked :
ream and orange water ice, daily, also Q. When did your husband die? cream and orange water ice, daily, also delivered. Scheider's bakery, 27 East Centre

To Give a Concert. The choir of the United Evangelical church of town will give a censort on Thursday evening, July 8th, at Brandonville, for the becefit of the Union church of the latter

FREE LUNCHES TO-NIGHT,

BICKERT'S. Bean soup, free, to-night. Special to-

CHAO, BADZIEWICZ'S. Cream of tomato soup will be served, free, to all patrons to-night.

POOLER'S. Pea soup, free, to-night. The largest and left, on the floor.

# SECURED

Fillott Murder Case Opened at Pottsyllie This Morning.

Helpiess Spectator to the Shooting Corroborated by One of Her Daughters Evidence of Threats Made by Brennan Before and After the Shooting.

Pottsville, June 28.-The trial of Thomas Brennan was resumed this morning, at nine Seventeen year old daughter of the deceased, o'clock. Sheriff Toole had his special venire was sworn:

of fifty jurors ready at about eight o'clock. She was at the front door when Brennan

and was within the meaning of the law. Mr. Brumm retorted that not only the and Agent Slattery that Brennan had shot letter, but the spirit of the law was violated. ber father. The witness was subjected to a

sists of two sons, Joseph, of town, and Philip
Houser, of Minersville. An inquest will be held to determine, if possible, the circumtypess leading to the death.

A. M. Seligman, a retired merchant of Was the next witness. She resides at Ashleid to determine, if possible, the circumtypess leading to the death.

Deputy Coroner Burke and a jury consisting of J. J. Cardin, John Cuff, Patrick Burke.
Newcastle township, was stood aside by the talking about somebody that evening, but didn't know at the time it was Elliott that ing that the prosecution had no right to on West Oak street, at noon to-day to obtain stand aside any more jurymen. Mr. Bechtel cited cases in support of his position and T. J. Evans, a law student of Cass town

TWELFTH JUROB SECURED.

Preston C. Thomas, a painter of Potts ville, said he had an opinion, but he could, it placed on the jury, render a verdict accord ing to the evidence and the requirements of The Commonwealth said "Swear." After

Counsel for the defence had questioned the juror at some length he was accepted and sworn as the twelfth jurer. THE JURORS

M. A. Porter, druggist, Tamaqua; Otto Owens; Master of Extended, S. Schueider, Master of Guard, George W. Wagner; Schueider, miner, Proter township; Philip Master of Work, William Veale; Inner Bettinger, miner, Minerwille; Luke Roberts, Guard, Oscar Bolich; Outer Guard, W. J. Lucas; Trustee, C. H. Sampsell; Representationer, Mahanoy City; Harry M. Foulk, hotelkeeper, Pottsville; Timothy Flynn, farmer, Rush township; Charles Reith, moulder, Pettsville; Lewis Reed, Inborer, Foster township; Patrick Hanley, miner, Mahanoy township; Michael Dounhue, bartender, Minersville; Presten C. Thomas, painter,

A general feeling of relief was expressed at the outcome. The other 49 jurors were then discharged by the court. THE CASE OPENED.

Assistant District Attorney M. P. Mc Laughlin made the opening speech for the Commonwealth, beginning at 9:32 and ending at 9:48. He queted the law on the subject of murder and told the story of the crime in a brief and quiet, but eloquent paid his board and was very angry. I said to him "ask God to guide you." manner.

call Constable William Walters, the presecu- Creek colliery. He testified he was at the performers demonstrated that the large call Constable William Walters, the prosecutories demonstrated with the show. It is not case, but the train had evidently station waiting for a train to take him home not arrived. The court ordered that another not arrived. The court ordered that another when Bronnan came up and said to Agent witness be called.

RIMER S. BECHTEL

civil engineer of Pottsville, identified maps or an the patenage that has been accorded them. The show is clean, artistic and interesting, and some of the specialties introduced are worth in themselves the amount charged for admission to the entire shows.

Once the scene of the murder.

Photographs of the house were also identified and submitted to the jury. In answer to said to me: "I have shot Harry Elliott."

The witness then repeated the following conversation:

DR. C. W. BANKS.

Always Fresh and Beltable. called to attend Henry Elliott at New Philadelphia at about 6:45 on the fatal evening. He found him suffering from a gun shot wound in the head. The doctor described the post-mortem made by him and Dr. Robert Gray, of Port Carbon, the following day, June 3rd, and the finding of the bullet between the second and third convolution of the brain, near the top and forward part of the head. The bullet had entered above and in front of the right ear, making an opening \( \frac{1}{2} \) by 1\( \frac{1}{2} \) inches. It took a slightly upward and forward course, striking

nostrils and mouth.

By request the doctor produced the ball. a 33 calibre, and also a small fragment of cartridge found near the ball.

character, saying he was ready to submit the question at once. Mr. Bechtel objected and the offer was withdrawn,

THE WIDOW'S STORY. Mrs. Henry Elliott, the widow of the deeased, was called to the stand. The big ssemblage held its breath expectantly and histened with the closest attention.

Mrs. Elliott was in deep mourning.

Her evidence was given in a low but distinct tone of voice. After the usual questions of

A. About two o'clock in the morning following the evening he was shot. Q. Do you recollect the evening of the 2nd of June?

A. Yes, sir. Q. Go on and tell what you saw? A. I was coming around the yard to the front gate and turned back to my husband; he was washing in the back kitchen. Bren-nan came into the kitchen. Our 16-month old baby and myself and Harry were there. Harry was near a tub in the center of the room and the little girl was standing near with her hand on my husband's back, helping to wash him. Brennan said :

Q. Have you told us all?
A. I have told you all.
Mrs. Elliot then identified photographs of he kitchen, la which the various positions ere marked, and also the maps produced. Mrs. Elliott said her family consisted of two boys and six girls, the eldest 20 years. Her husband was in his 40th year, It was between 6:30 and 7 o'cleck the shooting occurred. It was pay day. My husband was a fire boss at the colliery and spent his evenngs at home mending shoes

On cross-examination Mrs. Elliott stated hat she walked back from the front gate to notify her husband that Brennan was com Miss Silk having warned him that liren an had been making threats. Q. You knew Brennau from childhood up

A. No; he had been living in Silver Creek I have known him for some years, and didn't think he would do such a deed. DR. RORERT GRAY

corroborated Dr. Bankes relative to the post

SADIE RELEGITY,

body was brought to the surface with the aid of pieces of plank about an hour after the discovery of the clothing was made. Its appearance indicated that it had been in the water for several hours. The remains were the removed to the home of one of the deceased's body of the county. He therefore protested against the panel.

Off the names and they as abswered.

When the list was fluished Mr. Brumm, one to the dinning room, and then east to the sewing room. He came back into the sitting room and then out on the porch. He then went into the summer kitchen in the garden, where Elliott body of the county. He therefore protested against the panel. y Undertaker E. J. Davies.

Mr. Bechtel denied the imputation, saying for?" The rest of the witness's testimony the taking of the jurors included New on the conversation was identical with that the located here about thirty days were the taking of the jurors included New on the conversation was identical with that the located here about thirty days were the shooting witness. of her mother. After the shooting witness ran to the P. & R. depot and told Mr. Brobst

testimony.

land when not teaching school at New Philadelphia and boards at Mrs. Comers', where

searching examination without shaking her

was referred to. The defence objected and the Common wealth withdrew the witness for the time

The boarding boss, was called. He heard Breaman, while the fatter was vashing himself, say that "Harry Elliott is a He docked me two shifts." Comer said to him "My God, Tom, what is the matter with you?" Witness thought Brennau was in drink. Brennan had been beaten for constable at the February election and got out a petition to be High Constable. Elliott was a member of the Town Council and had re-

Q. What did Brennan say? A. He was very angry and said "The rotten—is no good. He took the bread and butter out of my mouth,"

Q. When did be leave the house?

A. At about 6:45. On cross-examination witness said Bronna was under the influence of drink. When he kneeled down to wash from the tub his elbow missed the rim of the tub and he fell to the floor along side of it.

JAMES WALSH Testified: He boards at Comers'. He heard

Reeman say "Some people are putting it to me hard. Harry Elliott docked me two shifts and knocked me out of four days. I will get even with him. I will go up and only in two miles. For those first two will get even with him. I will go up and punch the head off him." MRS. PATRICK COMERS. The boarding mistress, testified: Brennan

The District Atterney said he desired to Of Pale Alto and engineer at the Silver may be said that she was outclassed all Constable William Walters, the process of the proc

Slattery: "I shot Harry Elliott and

J. R. KING

King: "Don't you think that is wrong?"
Brennan: "No it ain't."
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Brennan: "I have a kindly feeling for Elliott.
I don't think you should do a thing like that.
What did you do it for?"
Brennan: "Far pastime."
King: "It was not very nice pastime."
Brennan: "Go on about your business, now."

King : "I am not ready to go.

ing Brennan: "Go on, or you will get the conof tents of this (with his hand on his back
pocket.) There's five more here and you
and will get it. There is another man, McGovern,
and he will get it, too." When cross-examined the witness said he had good feeling for Elliott and Brennan,

slightly upward and forward course, striking the right eye bone and optic nerve, and the othmoid bone, causing hemorrhages of the nostrils and meuth.

Mr. Brumm: "And you showed it by quarreling with him?"

A. "I worked with both of them at the Silver Creek colliery and got along with them two." At 12:30 p. m. the court adjourned until

A SURPRISE SPRUNG.

When the court reconvened at two o'clock Elliott?

A. Hemorrhage and prostration, the result of shock, and the wound.

The doctor then produced the revolver, a five-barrel Smith & Wessen, and Judge Bechtel ordered it secured to prevent possible accident.

On cross-examination Mr. Brumm wanted to question the witness as to the defendant's

man threatened to witness by Brennan, and the witness were members of the Aucient Order of Hibernians and the three men had banded together to persecute Brennau because he was not a member.

This inference was stoutly denied by the witness, who said the organization was a chartered one and organized for charitable purposes only. He said they would assist each other only in case of charity, but not in a case like this.

Three other witnesses were called and testified that Brennan had admitted the killing and said he was sorry for it. This he said at the 'Squire's effice, on the way to and at the jail. This was the evidence brought out up to 3 p. m.

About a dozon employes of the Schuylkill Fraction Company enjoyed a picnic at Helfenstein, below Ashland, last evening. Among the sports indulged in was a game of ball be-tween the single and married mon's nine, at the Lavelle fair ground. The game was won

street saloon keeper, and carried off a half

last January for extensive repairs and a

## "PENNSY" A WINNER!

Against the Crews of Wisconsin, Summer Cornell and Columbia.

WISCONSINA VERY CLOSE SECOND Days.

The Splendid Oarsman From the West Led From the Start, and Had the Race Well in Hand, When Their Coxswain's Bad Steering Defeated Them.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., June 28.-Twenty thousand people yesterday saw one of the most exciting four mile boat races ever witnessed in the history of college rowing. Five thousand people on the observation train yelled themselves hoarse in frantic appeals to the various college crews to do their best. and with the other 15,000 they saw the Pennsylvania crew come over the line by a short half length from the Wis-consins, who lost in the last 200 yards by had steering. Cornell, the victor in former years, pulled after, full four lengths in the rear, and Columbia, never in the fight after the end of the first mile, trailed in a good three lengths from the stern of the Cornell

It was the kind of a race that makes the blood tingle, and was made so by the crew that came over a thousand miles to meet former victors, for without the gallant Wisconsins in the race it would have been a doleful proces-sion after the second mile was secred. To say that there was surprise on the observation train and amid the great crowds upon the banks when the Wisfor the boys from the west.

The Badgers a Surprise. The alleged ragged stroke, the badly keeled boat, the too long reach, all were forgotten as the fast moving craft kept its sharp nose to the fore, and then the people saw the lenders turn out toward the shore at the finish and lose the race to the men from Pennsylvania by a short half length. Well did the Pennsylvanians obey the infunction of Ellis Ward to red lenders.

The 50c and 65c Kind for 25 Cents.

The 75c. Kind for 39 Cents. function of Ellis Ward to not lose their heads. From the first eighth of a mile they rowed a stern, hard chase, at one time being astern of both Cornell and Wisconsin, but their pluck and endurance sent them over the line first in good time and by such a small mar-

miles she did gallant work, but she was struggling against evidently better crows, and it was only by exertions of a phenomenal nature that she man-aged to keep the nose of the boat shead of Penssylvania for a brief time dent, there was never a time when she stood a chance of winning the race. She went to the rear in the first quar-I'll hang." Breauan put his hand to his ter of a mile, although she made a goo throat as he said this.

When the crews were called out to prepare for the start it was rather pitiful to hear the three eastern crews get cheer after cheer and the western crew not any. The race was started at 7:05, after the crews had been twice called back. On the third attempt the crews got away without accident. This start was a beautiful one, the four boats' noses seeming to hang together for the first two strokes. As they settled in the stroke taught them by the various coaches Wisconsin seemed to be rowing the least number of strokes per minute of any of the crews, but her boat was going faster than any of the others. Wisconsin rowed 32. Pennsylvania 34, Cornell 34 and Columbia Before the first eighth mile was finished the Wisconsin boat had shoved its nose ahead of the other crews, with Cornell second, Pennsylvania hanging well on to her, and Columbia third dropping astern.

The Fight For Second Place, When the first half mile was reached so fast was the Wisconsin boat going that it had taken its whole length ahead of the Pennsylvania boat and was half a length ahead of the Cornell boat, on the extreme east. Columbia was rowing with the nose of her boat just overlapping Pennsylvania. Frantically the Pennsylvania rooters on the train yelled at their crew, and in a few minutes they shot their boat up even with the Cornell boat. But to catch Wisconsin was not so easy. When the mile was reached the Wisconsin boat had a lead of a clear length over Pennsylvania, while Cornell and Penn sylvania were see-sawing. The Wis-consin crew had settled down to a stroke of \$2 to the minute, the boat never checking between the strokes and the blades cutting the water as keenly as a knife. "Look at these westerners go," shouted those on the observation train, and Wisconsin stock went up for a little while. The slow recovery and the slow stroke had behind it a wonderful power, and the Wisconsin boat never checked or stopped as it went toward the second mile mark.

the Lavelle fair ground. The game was by the singles to the tune of 15 to 5. Spectators and the victory was went by the fine total say the victory was went by the fine total say the victory was went by the fine the Cornell crew put a little more back the Cornell crew put a little more back. Unknown robbers last night entered the ers. But it was quite apparent the collar of Adam Cheraikas, the South Main there was little chance of their holding collar of Adam Cheraikas, the South Main there was little chance of their holding in the collar of "Harry, what did you dock me two shifts barrel of beer. Entrance was effected by breaking the lock off the front cellar door.

Harry auswered: "I sin't the timekeeper. I didn't dock yen. I will see the boss to morrow. What benefit would it be to me?"

Brennan said "What benefit is it to you?"

He then shot and my husband fell to the about two weeks. The colliery shut down last January for extensive repairs and a street satoos xesper, and carried do a nair it there. Ward's men were rowing in magnificent form, while Cornell was bot yet rowing with the usual Cornell was conserve force. Their work was being done spasmodically, and they seeming by made a desperate effort to get to the front and stay there long enough last January for extensive repairs and a

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fit of the lowest prices possible. Extraordinary values in lawn and percale Shirt Waists-all are

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