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ROUND THE REGION.

The first woman indicted for murder in thirty years in this county is Mrs. Barbara Roscanna, of Plymouth, whose case the grand jury returned on Saturday. She is charged with the murder of her infant daughter, whose body was found in a pond near the house. The woman admitting throwing the body in the pond, but said the child died a natural death and she was to poor to pay for its burial.

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The convention of the United Mine Workers opened in Wilkesbarre this morning and will continue for three days. About 400 delegates are expected, representing the 43,000 mine workers of District No. 1, which comprises all the upper coal field from Carbondale to Wilkesbarre

Wilkesbarre

Mrs. Hiram J. Willour, of Shamokin, who was taken to the pest house Thursday with her three children, all of whom were supposed to be suffering from smallpox, have been discharged from the institution, physicians having pronounced their allment chicken-pox.

Most of the non-union men who caused the strike of the 800 union mine workers at the Bottonwood colliery joined the union, and the others, it is expected, will join. In that event work will be resumed unless the company keeps the mine closed.

Alexander Hahm, 5 years old, of Wilkesbarre, died of hydrophobia. He was bitten three weeks ago by a mad dog. Three others were bitten on the same day by the dog, but all have apparently recovered.

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A cat with eight legs, two bodies and wo tails was born on the farm of Chris-opher Bachman at Rock Glen last seek and is still alive.

The two-month-old daughter of Martin Kline got the nippel of a milk bottle in her throat at Wilkesbarre and was choked to death.

Twenty cases against Schuylkill ounty grocers for selling oleomargarine vere brought before the grand jury last

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There has been much complaint of late about the secret proceedings of grand juries being made public, and in his charge to the last grand jury Judge Lynch cautioned the jurors about the smatter. At first it was supposed that some members of the jury had made public the proceedings, put it now turns out an eavesdropper was at work. To ventilate the grand jury room it is necessary to open a large transom. A man secreted himself in a closet nearby and overheard things. An arrest will probably follow.

Some experiments with artillery fire directed against a captive balloon have been recently carried out in Germany at the school of instruction at Alten Grobov. The balloon was allowed to ascend to a height of 300 meters (984 feet), and fire was opened upon it at a range of 4,800 meters (very nearly 5,000 yards). Sixty rounds were to have been fired, but at the seventeenth the balloon was struck, the envelope was torn, and the gas ignited, the car failing to the ground.—London United Service Gazette.

CHOICE MISCELLANY

A Pigiail Party.

The Philadelphia Record relates: "A pigiail party was given in his studio the other night by an artist from the west. The arriving guests were very curious to know what on earth this sort of a party is, and they found it to be one whereat the tails of pigs are the main dish of the supper. As accessories there were served, of course, sauerkraut, sausages, cheese and pretzels, but the delicious pigitalls lorded it easily over their neighbors. They were fried, and each guest found he could eat a dozen without difficulty. In St. Louis, 'the artist said, 'pigitais are as common an article of food as pigs' feet or beefsteak. Every butcher has them on sale, and they cost about 20 cents a dozen. Here in the east they seem to be unknown. I had a great deal of trouble to get these that you are eating tonight and had to order them two weeks in advance.' Several men got the recipe for their cooking and said they would leave standing orders for pigtails with their butchers."

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Codfish, Errs and Ment.

The mother codfish is prolific, the roe of a large one contraining as many as 9,000,000 eggs. Nature seems to have provided for a much larger supply of cod than we are obtaining, but the eggs, floating on the surface of the water to hatch, are destroyed by millions. Codfish eat anything that comes along, from tacks to sharks' teeth. In the stomach of a large specimen two ducks were found. The fish weigh as much as 150 pounds, and the biggest are four and a half feet in length. One man has caught 600 in a day of eleven hours on the Newfoundland banks with a hand line. Eighty men take on an average of 1,600 a day on the Dogger bank. Newfoundland is the headquarters for dried cod. Consul Carter, at St. John's, says the quantity held there before the present season opened was 35,840,000 pounds. The stock on hand a year before was 42,500,0000 pounds.—

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Paper That Stops Bullets.
A series of interesting and in their way almost unique firing trials has been undertaken by the Swedish government. The purpose of these experiments was to examine the effect of shooting against pasteboard. The trials were conducted on the wharfs of the Swedish navy in Carlserona, and the target used was a prepared one of millboard, against which fire from revolvers, rifles, carbines and machine guns was directed.

The pasteboard, which was three inches thick, resisted completely the bullets fired from the small arms, Aut was perforated by the projectiles from the machine guns. The experiments may be said to have given very interesting results. Bullets from the carbines used are able to penetrate wooden planks five inches in thickness, but they could not penetrate the pasteboard, which was only three linches thick.

Bogus Art Works in Paris.

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The last witnesses were heard on Saturday in the case which is to decide if the body of the murderer and suicide, Raiph J. White, can rest in the Sweet Valley cemetery. There were 136 witnesses in all.

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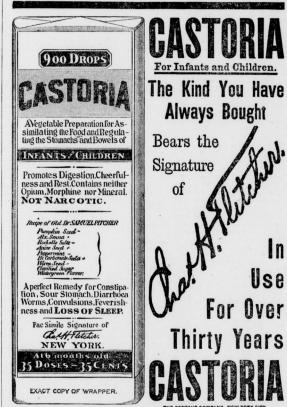
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An interesting exhibit at the Smithsonian institution is an old German clock that was ticking about fiften years before the birth of the great hard wood, and the work was all done by hand. Every piece of the mechanism is highly polished, and it is put together with hand wrought rivets of brass. The parts show very little wear, and the timepiece is so carefully constructed that it does not vary a second in time during twenty-four hours.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

The President's Bath.

Even the linotype can sometimes be musing. In a report of a speech at the Mayflower descendant's banquet in one of the best of the papers we read recently that "Theodore Roosewith with a simple bath being good for the constitution.—New York Mail and Express.

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happened. In less than an nour the orioles had taken every hair and carried it to their tree. Before many days the pretty nest was done and the birds were enjoying their new home.

In the fall, after the orioles had left their elm tree home, Aunt Lucy had some one climb the tree and get the nest, and there, so curiously woven into the liming, were the soft, white, golden and black hairs.

Aunt Lucy keeps the nest in her parlor and counts it as one of her greatest treasures.—Bertha B. White in Primary Education.



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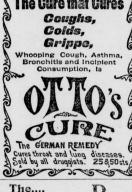
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