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It is no use to be astounded. The colossal wonder of the whole acquitted, but that he was indicted. The evidence in court against him was stronger, so far as can be judged, than that produced before the grand

And, presumably, the latter body heard but one side of the story.

themselves. A blockhouse in every farther from the truth. back yard, with a turret and Gatling shot may be planted where they will do he is unkind.

JOHN T. Ross, burker, of Baltimore plead not guilty, was convicted, then

William Williams, incendiary, of Frostburg, confessed, plead not guilty and was acquitted.

Ross will be hung. Williams has been returned to the

bosom of his family. This species of judicial consistency teaches that the neck is liable to injury by arranging the comedy of pleading not guilty to precede the drama of

lies he confesses.

JOURNAL raised several breezes. Words of commendation, notably from Barton, have reached us, how-

ever, to the effect that the JOURNAL' advice at this juncture was the only true course for the miners to pursue. The Journal adopted the latter half of the policy inculcated by Longfellow

in the "Psalm of Life:" Learn to labor and to wait. And the masses who already know how to labor have shown that they are apt ations as his creditors, endorsers or sureties pupils in the other line of study. Those, of course, who dislike both the "hour and article" of work would

> naturally kick at the additional task of waiting. Instinct and habit make up a combination too irresistible to be checked by anything that is not To return. In the language of a Frostburg miner-a man of breadth,

the Journal is right, of course, as it | will burn heaven itself.

And this brings us to the debate on the character of "The French Spy." courses, and gave it credit for a free papers. trenchant condemnation of a very estionable scene.

Many disagree with these excellent | we must have it. gentlemen and ourselves, notwithstanding the fact that when the curtain rose the astonishment of the audience was visibly intense and the very stillness of death reigned Even the boys, the effusive, demonstrative boys, were struck dumb for once. That was the instantaneous verdict of an audience predisposed to applaud

AFTER Mr. Semmes' earnest and anything out of the ordinary track. Says Rev. William Scott Downey: Works of art, however grand. sink into

Those knowing themselves indebted to me in the interest of society, infinitely pre- William Williams it "reckoned withfers the pulseless canvas and unpal- out its host." A case of lost motion, or no bite, no chaw.

THE JOURNAL is not at all advised,

It is a handsome establishment, and he panies have shown on two notable there, editor. Some friend of the mithe angel hope at the bottom of the with experience to guide they are colors." stronger now, morally and financially, to suspend work than ever before. They are constantly prepared for war. Their contracts are stipulated to cover embarassments from strikes. For statesmanship and here is an issue upon many years this was not the case, and | which we should all meet face to face and fear advantage of delivery necessities. Ben Butler said six years ago at Montgomery

men occasionally succeeded by taking | not. The Constitution must be changed! As land's present constitution is a relic of fossilhave headed off all enterprises for getting advanced wages on that basis. museum and do credit to the marl pits of New These are facts, and one does not Jersey." have to be a "company man or paper"

ments to be true. The small minority don't want it T. Johnson opposes it!

And right there is the issue between | we trust the Times editor was afflicted the JOURNAL and a few people.

discussed "Criminals as Moral Luna-

More than a matter of terms, it is to suggestive of the danger of longer trustgun, will be a fine defensive arrange- be doubted whether a lunatic of any ing vital issues to determination by the left at 12 o'clock for New York and the ment, but the extreme fun of the denomination can be in the legal jury system—a system which develops thing will arrive to the fellow who has sense a criminal. "The merry luna- a growing concern for the liberty of to work every day and stay up every tic," said Hawkesworth, "is never the criminal, and less and less regard

the most good. This is a glorious land, The more reason, therefore, is fur- many places driven the populace to and getting to be more so-to the fel- nished for taking care of the lunatic- punish crime. committed by a maniac," said Smollett, anarchy, nihilism, those hateful foes o "may be as pernicious to society as the law, order, government. most criminal assassination."

with greater wisdom that it would not | court and its fine-cut analysis; into | called as follows: be unreasonable "to divest all lunatics | contempt the lawyer and his insolence; of the privileges of insanity, and in into ridicule the juror, whose highest cases of enormity subject them to the qualification is sworn incompetency.

ing terms with William Williams. was whipped out of heaven and became | the answer of the jury to some refined the highest minister of justice in the fiction in the rules of evidence, there

empire of hell.

thing to do. It settles disputes at figure, the Cyclops of leaden heel a promise by Mrs. Wineland of \$20. The once, and relieves the community of a crushes under his tread the peace and prisoner mentioned two others in connection long shiver preceding the cataclysm. rest of the helpless, and with iron hand But for the Lord's sake, don't over- forges new fears for the innocent. come us with a substitute from Barton,

In effect the jury reached the con

1. That there was a fire. 2. In fact, about three fires.

3. And that the owners, under the inspiration of Bill Williams' comrade, the devil, set fire to their own property. This description of wisdom, if laid down in the book of final judgment,

A JURY term of court costs the dent writes, "was done, but without avail. the county not less than \$5,000. A portion of this huge average sum

Two ministers of the gospel quoted | will have to be appropriated this time the JOURNAL last Sunday in their dis- to the purchase of William Williams' Emancipation from the thraldom of community in general."

confessed guilt costs high, but it seems

THE Mayor and Council should put at least forty-nine more night police- this place. "She was," in the language of a her. His statements connecting her with the men on the force, and confine their promenades to the thoroughfares correspondent, "a consistent member of the fire are untrue; never talked with him about the matter, nor offered him \$20 to set Nickel's promenades to the thoroughfares died in the bright hope of a glorious immor- house on fire. fronted by the stables, coal houses, tality. The funeral service, held at the John pig pens, and other outbuildings. Wesley church by Rev. W. R. Davis, was how fire appeared when they first observed Their noses would keep them awake. | largely attended."

protracted effort to impeach the late Borden Shaft, and Miss KATE FESTERMAN, of panel he is doubtless surprised at the Mt. Savage. great success which grew out of his

WHEN the penitentiary yawned for last week. He will recover.

THE people of Frostburg, hopelessly

ed by the intelligence that an Alleconfessed incendiary is not guilty.

William Chidester was killed in an Elk But facts should be fairly stated and THE Meyersdale Commercial calls it Garden mine Monday afternoon by a fall of in drawing pillars when a large area of roof who henceforth has set out to burn a occasions that they are the masters as nority will rise on his hind legs and fell, burying Chidester alive. His comtown need not enter there and leave well as the owners of this field, and yawp something about your "true panions escaped. It was feared that his remains would never be recovered, but a number of brave fellows persevered until next afternoon, when the poor man's body, In the imperative mood the editor crushed beyond recognition, was found and of the Cumberland Times writes his

> Here is a question for true and patriotic children survive. Nothing definite so far as to the success of pool or amount of the proposed advance. John Chambers has \$97 on the firemen's

> > Weigh every word of editorial in this paper.

The Fire Department held a jollification at headquarters Wednesday evening. The absent host was well remembered, and he may look out for an ovation when he returns.

And the same author has declared brings under popular disrespect the ficulty was overcome, however, and the roll

O. C. Gephart, foreman; Alex. Morton, W. H. Robinson (col.), William Knieriem, Samuel Denson (col.), John Fisher, W. H.

Zacharias, Peter Martz and Jacob Brengle. uame of justice, primitively glorious, C. F. Nickel, the owner of one of the is bathed in shame and made a byword | burned properties, testified that Williams had fact, if William is to be believed in of humiliation. A culprit is loosed to been in his employment as hostler about spite of the verdict, the intimacy was run unreined his desolating course over two weeks before the fire. It was his (Wilwarehouse between 4 and 5 o'clock in the morning. Met him about 6 o'clock, after the fire; he said he was sorry he was not around in time that morning; that he had awakened about 3 o'clock, but feeling badly, went to Hence, whether it be a decree come sleep again, and overslept himself. He also said-"I would have shot the son-of-a-gun if I'd been there." He promised to try and find out who started the fire; witness told him to come back and help him during the day, but can be no doubt that it is one of the he didn't come. Next day had a talk with most dangerous endorsements of crime | him, when he said: "Don't implicate me; I ---. will tell some day." Witness detailed the meeting in Aspinall's saloon of himself, Marx Wineland, James Aspinall, Sheriff Though blind, the goddess sees eye Houck and Williams. To Nickel and Aspinhis manhood. That is exactly the to eye with guilt; or, changing the all Williams confessed starting the fire under with the affair-a lady and a man. Williams

> admitted also setting fire to the Willison and Koch properties. After the cross-examination of Mr. Nickel

Wednesday morning the court ruled out the confession, so far as made at Aspinall's on the night of the arrest.

D. J. Williams saw the prisoner in the jail the day after the arrest and inquired how he

Other witnesses were examined corroborating the foregoing and the State rested.

Lucy Dorsey, mother-in-law of Williams, said that he (Williams) had not been away

J. C. Wilson and Adam Krause described J. C. Brady said that Williams once be-

onged to his (Brady's) father. Williams was then considered weak-minded. Susan Jackson, colored, was called to testi-

Argument began at 2 p. m. and ended at 7. Personal.-Homer McNeill, of Oskaloosa, verdict of "not guilty" was rendered. The prisoner was discharged and came to Frostburg next day.

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significance when compared with woman, that wender of creation. But for public exposure the Journal, C. F. NICKEL. | pitating marble.

ment to the firemen. It makes them but in its judgment those who expect divided on many questions, are almost feel, doubtless, that 1887 opens well 55, 60 or 65 cents per ton will be dis- a unit against making a hero out of If there were any ground for such

cannot be limited. THE court house cost about \$65,000. just as fairly considered. The com- "folly well heeled." Be careful over rock. He was engaged with two others

But that day is past. The companies Blair's dinner table in my presence, "Mary.

to state them or believe them. More than this the great majority to the other extreme. of men in this region know these state-

memory, or guilty of a heterophemy. ONE or two newspapers have lately

It is to be questioned whether the term, "moral," in the foregoing eral buildings, an Allegany county WORKINGMEN and others who own quotation is legitimate. It would be jury would not take his word for it. their homes are advised that if they just as easy to speak of lunatics as From a local standpoint this finding want to protect them, they must do it religious, only this-it would be a step is the climax of foolery and injustice.

night to steer the turret so that the kind." Hence, in the nature of things for the safety of property and people. freaks. "The consequences of murder | provides groundwork for communism

> common penalties of the law." THE devil, it appears, was on speak-

The programme, therefore, should of that deep, profound, bosom-friend, a betrayed community, while men and be inverted; then have the jury enter never-go-back-on you fashion that the women, blinded by the flashing imposwith the smashing tragedy—the grand | devil got his chum "into trouble," and | ture, vainly lift their scorched eyes to conversion act, which assures the sin- then into jail. But the way the old see what it means. ner that he is a saint; that when he chump, not chum, got walloped on the confesses, he lies; and every time he last round made the angels weep tears down from the hauteur of the bench that started not when, as Lucifer, he through the peerage of the panel, or

THE Frostburg correspondent of the ever imposed upon a community under Lonaconing Review foreshadows, as a the effigy of justice. dernier resort, that he will fall back on

or elsewhere. The same to you, Workman.

Accident .- Edward O'Brien was badly hurt in Franklin mine Friday afternoon of Iowa, visited Thomas McNeill, his uncle, this week.

Brevities .- But little local this week. The supply of editorial, however, will very nearly

Measurements were made this week, it is stated, for a splendid schoolhouse on the St. Michael's church property-lot east of the

Read Munn & Jones' announcement of a proposed change of business; in fact, read all the new advertisements.

taken to his grief-stricken family. He was about 46 years old, and his wife and several

rubber suit fund. Go to John and chip in,

A Fine Wedding .- The marriage of Joseph Bear, of this place, and Miss Bertha Hamburger, of Baltimore, took place at Much as the JOURNAL has favored Lehman's hall, that city, Wednesday aftera new Constitution it jumps with pain noon, Jan. 26, 1887, at 5 o'clock. Dr. Benjamin Szold, assisted by Dr. Keiser, of-But, hold! There is an awe-struck ficiated. The ushers were Messrs. Solomon whisper current that General Bradley | Hamburger and Abraham Jandorf, of New York, M. H. Bear, Simon Heilman, Simon Kann and Henry S. Sterne. The stage of the hall was covered with luxuriant foliage plants, and the guests, after the ceremony, for the time being with an unreliable enjoyed dancing and a supper at night. Frostburg was represented by Mrs. H. Bear, Miss Sallie Bear, Harry Bear, Mrs. Stern and In spite of abundant and unimpeach-Henry Jandorf. A large number of attendable evidence of the fact that William ants from other cities joined those of Baltimore in honoring the occasion. Addresses Williams confessed setting fire to sevwere made during the repast, among them one by Henry Jandorf, of this place. A large number of valuable and handsome presents were received, also many telegrams, including one from the Frostburg Fire Department Generally speaking, it is solemnly extending congratulations and good wishes. All had an immense time. The bridal party

It is this sort of thing which has in The Journal wishes much joy.

The Williams Trial .-- After an unsuccessful effort to impeach the validity of low who rates his wages at \$20 per fire. for exempting the public also from his It is this sort of discrimination that the juries for this term by the counsel of dicted for arson, the trial began Tuesday. "Some difficulty," it is reported, "was experienced in getting a jury, and it was found It is this sort of judgment which necessary to summon talesman." The dif-

Naughton, Charles D. Warfield, Dr. J. F. In the present instance, at least, the

None but those who have groveled along under an infliction so awful can a motion by the defense to exclude Williams' fitly measure the plummet-line with confession was made. which nineteen-twentieths of our peo-

> came to get into this trouble. He replied that "the devil and Mrs. Wineland got him Thomas Hill testified that he saw Williams day after the arrest in company with James Kane and W. H. Koch. Prisoner admitted that he set fire to Nickel's house but not Koch's

from home the night of the fire. He went out about 5½ o'clock. Lizzie Williams, daughter of the prisoner, corroborated "Aunt Lucy." but the crossexamination rattled her on chronology. Mrs Marx Wineland denied all complicity with the Nickel fire. Was not out of her Mrs. Sarah Albright, in the 50th year of her house until 5 o'clock-after the fire. Wilage, wife of Harrison Albright, colored, of liams attended her cow and carried coal for

> fy similarly but court ruled it out. Others testified immaterially, and defense Case was given to the jury, and at 9 p. m. a