

## ***MINERS AND THEIR WAGES.***

**SHENANDOAH, Penn., Nov. 13.**—A call has been issued for a special meeting of the Executive Board of the Miners and Laborers' Amalgamated Association representing the entire anthracite region of Pennsylvania, to be held at Pottsville, Wednesday, Nov. 18, for the purpose of taking definite action upon the basis question, to wit: That a formal demand be made upon the various Coal Exchanges for a sufficient guarantee that from and after October, 1885, no percentage will be deducted from wages below the so-called \$2 50 basis. Delegates are required to be fully instructed how to act on the question. The men are determined not to submit to the reduction of 3 per cent. below the basis price as reported by the Coal Exchange, and a strike is probable, unless the coal companies restore the 3 per cent.

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