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### AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING

Lyndon Farmers Turned Out Well to Their One-Day Institute.

The first farmers' institute ever held in the township of Lyndon was held at the town hall, Lyndon Center, Friday, Jan. 16. It was a bright, fine day and the attendance of farmers and their wives at the morning session footed up to 75 people. At the afternoon session this number was increased to nearly 100. A picnic dinner was served in the hall at noon and was one of those hearty, substantial affairs that the good people of Lyndon are so famous for putting up.

George T. English, of Sylvan, chairman of the County Institute Society, presided and the principal speaker was N. P. Hull, of Dimondale, an institute worker appointed by the state.

The first subject was "Stock Feeding." Mr. Hull said to raise good stock it was necessary to commence with the sire and dam of the animal to be fed. Show stock is no use and good grades are as good as thoroughbred stock for feeding purposes. It is as necessary to have a good physique in cattle and pigs as it is for an athlete. Both cattle and pigs should be kept growing from the time of their birth to be profitable. Poor, slack feeding and poor housing are money losing schemes for the farmer. It takes 60 per cent of what an animal would eat when properly fed to sustain its bodily strength, the balance goes to put on flesh and make fat; so if an animal is only given 60 per cent of what it should have it is a money losing game the farmer is playing. Don't feed all corn, but feed middlings and corn. There is more money in fairly fat cattle and pigs than in what is known as prime stock.

The subject was discussed by C. D. Johnson, of North Lake, Harrison Hadley, of Unadilla, and Geo. T. English, of Sylvan. It was quite an animated one.

Adjournment was made for dinner. After the dinner hour, the program was opened by singing "America."

H. S. Barton, of Lyndon, opened the question "How to entertain children on the farm," in a short speech, in which he advocated giving the children something to raise on the farm which would bring them in some money of their own. The best men in the country were educated primarily in the rural schools. He further advocated the establishment of juvenile granges as a means of amusing the young people, also the organization of one in Lyndon.

Wirt S. Barnum, of Unadilla, master of North Lake Grange, made an excellent talk on this subject. We should educate the children toward the farm, rather than away from it. Nature study and farm life go hand in hand, but there is no nature study in connection with our public school system. If you like your vocation it becomes a source of pleasure and entertainment to you. You cannot retain the young people on the farm unless you give them a share in it. Give them cheerful homes, if they don't get entertainment at home they will go elsewhere to get it. He closed with a recitation.

S. G. Palmer, of Unadilla, made another good talk and spoke of the wrong done to children by giving them things for their own on the farm and then taking them away from them after they had reared them into valuable articles.

T. W. Mingay, editor of the Herald, and N. P. Hull also spoke briefly on this topic.

Wm. Stevenson, lecturer of North Lake Grange, recited "High Tide at Gettysburg," in an excellent manner.

"How to get the most out of the farm," was the next topic by N. P. Hull. He said you must put into the farm or you cannot get anything out of it. Some men are miners and take all out and put nothing into a farm, while others are agriculturists and use judgment, putting into the farm what they take out of it. It is a farmer's moral duty to leave the soil in as good condition as he finds it. Specialize, every farmer so have a specialty. He should also generalize. Improve your farms, use your brains, you can't run a 300 acre farm with a 40 acre head.

The subject was discussed by B. W. Sweet, Geo. T. English, W. B. Collins, Geo. Marshall, H. S. Barton and C. D. Johnson.

J. M. Rankin, agent for the Detroit Beet Sugar Co., was introduced and in a brief speech advised the Lyndon farmers not to grow sugar beets as the soil is not fitted for it.

After a vocal selection from a quintette Mr. Hull took up the subject of "Farmers' Organizations." He spoke of the benefits

resulting from their formation, and of the social value of the organizations. He recommended the plan of bringing the boys and girls together with their parents at these meetings, where they are interested and enlightened about cultivating crops, and given a knowledge of all things pertaining to the farm. He laid great stress on the training of the young farmer boys and girls that the farms may become a credit to them and they to the farms. He concluded his talk with the statement that no good can come to the farmer without organization.

It being late in the afternoon the paper was not discussed and shortly afterwards all left for home well satisfied with Lyndon's first institute.

### A PROSPEROUS COMPANY.

The Northwestern Farmers' Mutual Assessment This Year Is the Heaviest Yet Made.

The annual meeting of the Northwestern Washtenaw Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. was held at the Foresters' hall, Chelsea, yesterday afternoon and was well attended. Secretary English read his annual report, the substance of which was printed in last week's Herald. It showed the company to be in a prosperous condition. An assessment of \$3 per \$1,000 was ordered made, which will pay all losses and expenses for the past year and leave a small balance in the treasury. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—John Clark, Lyndon.  
Secretary and Treasurer—Geo. T. English, Sylvan.

Directors—For Lima, Leander Easton; for Scio, Clifford S. Parker.

### L. C. B. A. Officers Installed.

At a regular meeting of the Ladies' Catholic Benevolent Association, held at Foresters' hall Jan. 8, the officers elected for the ensuing year were installed by Past President Mrs. Mary E. Clark, assisted by Miss Lena Foster as reader. The officers are:

Past President—Mary E. Clark.  
President—Hattie M. Raffrey.  
First Vice President—Julia Foster.  
Second Vice President—Katherine Martin.

Recorder—Josephine Carringer.  
Assistant Recorder—Lena Foster.  
Financial Secretary—Anna M. Remnant.  
Treasurer—Margaret Miller.  
Marshal—Katherine Hummel.  
Inside Watch—Stella Miller.  
Trustees—Abbie Spirnagle, Margaret Conway, Mary Burg, Alice Nordman, Mary Clark.

After congratulations had been extended to the new officers the retiring officers invited the members to the reception room where a dainty lunch awaited them.

### How Washtenaw Legislators Fared.

In the makeup of the state legislative committees Washtenaw fared well. Lieutenant Governor Maitland made Senator Glazier chairman of the committee on Federal Relations and a member of the following committees: Executive Business, Banks and Corporations, Traverse City Insane Asylum, Counties and Townships, and Normal School at Mt. Pleasant. Speaker Carton made Rep. Whitaker a member of the important Ways and Means committee. He is also on the Federal Relations and Institution for the Deaf and Dumb committees. Rep. John P. Kirk also fared well, going on the Judiciary, Military Affairs and Normal Schools committees.

### Grange Officers Installed.

The new officers of North Lake Grange, No. 631, were installed Wednesday evening, Jan. 14, by Mrs. John Clark, of Eureka Grange, No. 2, Lyndon, and are as follows:

Master—Wirt S. Barnum.  
Overseer—S. G. Palmer.  
Lecturer—W. E. Stevenson.  
Secretary—Anna W. Stevenson.  
Treasurer—E. D. Rowe.  
Steward—F. E. Murray.  
Assistant Steward—A. E. Johnson.  
Gatekeeper—Elmer Jacob.  
Pomona—Julia Gibney.  
Ceres—Mrs. W. S. Barnum.  
Flora—Mrs. A. E. Johnson.  
Chaplain—John Fischer.

### New Century Comfort.

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Royal Azure Wove, kid finish,	25c box
Columbia Linen, water-marked,	25c box
Extra Superfine quality, gray tint,	35c box
Octavo, Ruled, Cream wove paper,	10c box
Juvenile Size, Cream wove,	10c box
Elegant Invitation Paper,	20c box
Large Royal Linen, French gray,	35c box

See our window full of

## Mammoth Rubber Balloons.

The greatest 5c toy for children ever sold.

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# THE CHELSEA HERALD.

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## THE WEEK'S NEWS

### Happenings of the Past Seven Days in Brief.

### ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

#### Casualties and Fires, Personal and Political Notes, Business Failures and Resumptions, Weather Record.

### INTELLIGENCE FROM ALL PARTS

#### CONGRESSIONAL.

In the senate on the 14th the house resolution providing rebates of the duty on coal for one year was passed. The militia bill also was passed, with an amendment striking out of the bill the section providing for a reserve force of 100,000 trained men. In the house the bill to provide for a rebate of the duties on foreign coal for a period of one year was passed by practically a unanimous vote, 253 to 5. Mr. Perkins, chairman of the judiciary committee, offered a resolution providing for government seizure and operation of coal mines and companies transporting coal.

On the 15th the senate passed the Hoar resolution calling upon the president to inform the senate what government is now existing in the island of Guam. Senator Tillman continued his arraignment of trusts and monopolies and again charged that the attorney general was responsible primarily for lack of action against trusts. The statehood bill was under discussion for a time. Adjourned to the 19th. In the house the army appropriation bill was passed and the department of commerce bill was considered under a special rule making it a continuing order until disposed of.

The senate was not in session on the 16th. The house devoted the day to private war claims, passing about 20.

The senate was not in session on the 17th. The day in the house was devoted to debate upon the senate bill to establish a department of commerce and labor, a substitute being finally passed by a vote of 137 to 40.

#### DOMESTIC.

Ransom O'Neal and Charles Tunstall, negroes, were shot to death by a mob at Angleton, Tex., for murder.

Conductor O. S. Daniels, Fireman J. L. Huddleston, E. D. Flory and J. Hester were killed in a freight wreck at Sour Lake, Texas.

Mrs. Rella Gibson, wife of Alexander Gibson, near Jasonville, Ind., drowned herself and baby in a well.

President Roosevelt signed the anthracite coal repeal bill and it became effective immediately.

Five Chicago policemen are accused of accepting bribes from junk dealers charged with buying stolen property, and then refusing to prosecute.

The coal strike arbitrators heard the testimony of the Erie company witnesses at Philadelphia that less coal has been produced by miners since the 1900 strike, and foremen declared colliery discipline was hampered by unions.

Tommy Ryan, middleweight champion, defeated Bill Stiff in four rounds of fast fighting at Kansas City.

The National Live Stock association convention in Kansas City endorsed President Roosevelt's proposed commission to investigate grazing problems.

A cigar company with \$1,000,000 capital has been organized to fight the national trust, the factories to be located at Detroit.

Friction between the attorney general and house committee over the anti-trust bill may delay legislation at the present session.

J. H. Tillman, lieutenant governor of South Carolina and nephew of the United States senator, shot and perhaps fatally wounded Narciso Gonzalez, editor of the Columbia (S. C.) State, over an old political feud.

A New York physician successfully used injections of formalin in case of blood poisoning and cured a woman who had reached a state of collapse.

Gov. La Follette, in his message to the Wisconsin legislature, arraigns railroads for alleged failure to pay their share of taxes, condemns paid lobbyists and asks for an effective primary election law.

Baron von Sternberg, the new charge d'affaires of Germany at Washington, predicts friendlier relations between Germany and the United States.

Two of the public schools of Philadelphia are closed on account of the coal supply becoming exhausted.

At Riverhead, L. I., Louis A. Disbrow was acquitted on the charge of killing Clarence Foster at Good Ground on the night of June 9. The indictment charging Disbrow with the murder of Miss Lawrence on the same night will be dismissed.

A combine of the Independence iron mills at Muncie, Hartford City, New Albany, Terre Haute and East Chicago, Ind.; Findlay, O., and Muskegon, Mich., has practically been completed.

Through its president, Robert Treat Paine, the board of directors of the American Peace society has taken action favoring an international peace congress.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw welcomed delegates to the international customs congress in New York, which is attended by representatives of nearly all the Latin-American republics.

The industrial situation is seriously disturbed by the coal shortage, according to R. G. Dun & Co.'s review. Transportation lines are neglecting merchandise for coal shipments, but many manufacturing plants are obliged to close.

John Mitchell, addressing the strike commission, says operators are responsible for the reduction of the output, which they have charged to unionism.

Belated and indignant passengers landed by the steamer St. Louis at New York gave out resolutions scoring the management and talk of damage suits because of the slow and trying voyage on the liner with leaky boilers.

Two men are dead and two others are perhaps fatally injured as the result of the explosion of a freight locomotive on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Monrovia, Md.

Two boilers in the Ranney refrigerator factory blew up at Greenville, Mich., killing two men, injuring more than a dozen others, and causing an estimated money loss of \$25,000.

The State bank of Toronto, Kan., has closed its doors. The liabilities probably will amount to about \$35,000. It is said only a small per cent. of the deposits, which amount to \$15,000, can be paid.

Capt. Streeter, William McManners and Henry Hoeldtke were sentenced to Joliet prison for killing Watchman Kirk in the "District of Lake Michigan," in Chicago.

In a wreck near Sycamore, Ill., on the Great Western railroad, one person was killed and 30 others were seriously injured. Of these several may not recover.

William Fitzhugh, mining expert, declares there is \$500,000,000 of gold in sight in Alaska.

By an explosion in the Monongahela furnace department of the National tube works, McKeesport, Pa., three men were killed and seven injured.

The grand jury in Chicago has voted true bills against 39 coal corporations and their officers. The anti-trust law was used, and for the second time in Illinois corporations themselves are indicted.

Ireton Bros.' grain warehouse and elevator at Van Wert, O., burned, causing a loss of \$68,000.

#### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

United States Senator John C. Spooner was the unanimous choice for reelection in the joint senatorial caucus of the Wisconsin legislature.

Apostle Reed Smoot has been nominated for United States senator by the republican caucus of the Utah legislature.

Canute R. Matson, former coroner and sheriff, who served at the time of the execution of the anarchists, died of heart disease in Chicago.

Congressman A. J. Hopkins was unanimously nominated for United States senator by the Illinois legislative republican caucus.

Alice B. Tevis, ten-year-old daughter of the late Hugh Tevis and heiress of several millions, died at San Francisco. Zilpha Dockery, a colored woman, said to have been the oldest person in Texas, is dead at Hattonville, aged 106.

Abram S. Hewitt, former mayor of New York and for many years representative in congress, died Sunday morning, in his eighty-first year.

Capt. A. C. Anson, the once famous ball player, announces his candidacy for the nomination for the office of city treasurer of Chicago, on the democratic ticket.

#### FOREIGN.

The Swedish government commission reports \$7,000,000 needed to prevent starvation in the northern districts.

The British debt has been increased \$600,000,000 because of the Boer war.

Constabulary Inspector Fletcher, while traveling alone in the province of Albay, Luzon, was attacked by 30 bolomen. Fletcher killed five of his opponents, but was himself wounded. He escaped and returned with a party which overtook the bolomen and killed six.

The remission of the coal duties by the United States appears to have little or no effect on the British market.

United States Consul to Paris Gowdy says it is not likely that any French coal will be shipped to the United States as a result of the action of the American congress in placing coal on the free list.

The official figures show that 4,714 persons lost their lives and that 33,112 houses were destroyed as a result of the recent earthquakes at Andijan, Russian Turkestan.

Six men were killed and four seriously wounded in the accident on the battleship Massachusetts during target practice off Culebra island. A percussion primer exploded while the gun breech was open, setting off the full charge inside the turret.

M. de Blowitz, for many years correspondent of the London Times in Paris, is dead.

Cardinal Serafino Vannitelli has been appointed vice chancellor of the Roman Catholic church to succeed Cardinal Parocchi, who died Thursday. The new chancellor is now regarded as the probable successor of Pope Leo.

The German cruiser Panther shelled Fort San Carlos, at the entrance of Lake Maracaibo, Venezuela, for one hour. The fort returned the fire with four guns. The Panther withdrew in the direction of Curacao.

#### LATER.

In the United States senate on the 19th the house bill providing for establishment of a department of commerce and labor was referred to the committee on commerce. In executive session the Cuban reciprocity treaty was considered. Senator Lodge introduced a resolution for an inquiry as to whether certain countries are discriminating against the United States. In the house the consular and diplomatic appropriation bill, the third of the regular budgets, was passed.

Gen. Miles arrived at St. Petersburg, and from there he will proceed home via Berlin, Paris and London.

The United Mine Workers' fourteenth annual convention opened in Indianapolis and President Mitchell was given an ovation.

Narciso G. Gonzales, the Columbia (S. C.) editor shot by Lieut. Gov. Tillman, died of his wound.

The joint republican caucus nominated Thomas C. Platt to succeed himself as United States senator from New York.

The Illinois inheritance tax law has been upheld by the United States supreme court.

Fearing poverty Mrs. William Hanna, aged 78 years, of Oakland, Cal., killed her husband, aged 76 years, and then killed herself.

The fiftieth anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. was marked by the opening of a record-breaking convention in Washington, at which President Roosevelt was the guest of honor.

South Dakota divorcees granted to nonresidents have been declared invalid by the supreme court.

Forty-four coal men and corporations were indicted by the special grand jury in Chicago for conspiracy in restraint of trade and combination to regulate and fix prices of coal.

Gov. Yates formally ordered Sheriff Barrett to end boxing and pugilistic exhibitions in Chicago.

The Susquehanna iron and steel mills at Columbia, Pa., employing 1,500 men, had to shut down because of lack of coal.

A bill has been introduced in the Missouri legislature prohibiting football in the state.

The coal strike commission opened its thirty-seventh day's session in Philadelphia. Much of the testimony was along the same line as that already given by superintendents of mining companies.

#### MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

Railways of the United States plan to expend this year in betterments and extensions about \$300,000,000.

Marconi says he expects to have his wireless system ready for commercial telegrams within a few months.

An Indian aged 30 years has filed his ninth divorce suit, all his former wives living in the same neighborhood.

Plans are well advanced for the formation of a national union of teamsters with an initial membership of 150,000.

North German Lloyd steamers soon will land passengers at Plymouth instead of Southampton, shortening time to London five hours.

Baron von Sternberg, the new representative of Germany in the United States, will be given a rank equal to or higher than ambassador.

Euchre for Catholic charity was played in a New York armory by 7,500 persons, who sat at 1,875 tables. The sum of \$10,000 was realized.

Mrs. Teresa Fischer died of seasickness after reaching Baltimore on the steamship Breslau from Germany. Inability to eat led to her collapse.

Gen. Chaffee, in an address at a banquet, said an order from President McKinley had prevented his seizing treasure worth \$80,000,000 in China.

After two years' experimentation with nicked steel rails the Pennsylvania railroad has decided to place them on the heavy curves throughout the Allegheny mountains.

Rev. J. J. Adams, of Rochester, N. Y., has issued an appeal that denominations unite in building a church as a tribute to the famous anti-slavery agitator, Frederick Douglass.

Gov. Taft has sent a circular letter to the provincial government in the Philippines enjoining them to maintain an impartial attitude in the religious dispute over church property.

John M. Mack, financier and street railway magnate, became one of the five most heavily insured men in the country when a policy of \$1,000,000 on his life was issued in Philadelphia.

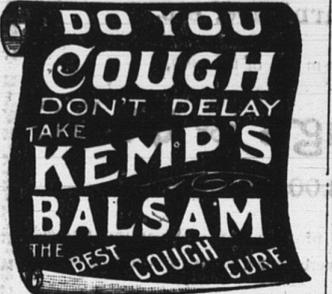
Rev. Dr. H. S. Hoffman, who for 30 years has not accepted a penny of salary in the various churches where he has labored has announced his resignation as pastor of the Reformed Episcopal Church of Our Redeemer in Philadelphia.



Mrs. F. Wright, of Oelwein, Iowa, is another one of the million women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A Young New York Lady Tells of a Wonderful Cure:—

"My trouble was with the ovaries; I am tall, and the doctor said I grew too fast for my strength. I suffered dreadfully from inflammation and doctored continually, but got no help. I suffered from terrible dragging sensations with the most awful pains low down in the side and pains in the back, and the most agonizing headaches. No one knows what I endured. Often I was sick to the stomach, and every little while I would be too sick to go to work, for three or four days; I work in a large store, and I suppose standing on my feet all day made me worse. At the suggestion of a friend of my mother's I began to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it is simply wonderful. I felt better after the first two or three doses; it seemed as though a weight was taken off my shoulders; I continued its use until now I can truthfully say I am entirely cured. Young girls who are always paying doctor's bills without getting any help as I did, ought to take your medicine. It costs so much less, and it is sure to cure them.—Yours truly, ADELAIDE PRAHL, 174 St. Ann's Ave., New York City."—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.



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THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 1903.

Wm. Campbell, of Pittsfield, struck the nail on the head at the farmers' institute held in Ann Arbor last Thursday, when he said: "A farmer must love his stock and his work. If he does not, he will soon be in the class of bummers, dead beats and cheap politicians."

Ypsilanti has adopted standard time to take effect Feb. 1. Now let's see Chelsea get in line with the rest. Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Manchester—that order of things is not right, it should read Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Chelsea, Manchester, etc. But Manchester was first in line after all, instead of last.

The Pinckney Dispatch pertinently asks the question "Why should the taxpayers of Michigan object to paying the one mill tax to sustain the great University of Michigan, which is a credit to every citizen of the state, when they pay two or three cents on every gallon of coal oil whenever Rockefeller wants to make a donation to Chicago University?" There is no good reason why any objection should be raised to this tax by anyone. Instead of "knocking" the University and its means of subsistence every chance he gets, any citizen of Michigan should feel proud and glad to pay the small amount that falls to his share of the tax which supports one of the greatest educational institutions in the world, and which is essentially "a poor man's college."

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Lima.

Quarterly meeting services were held at the M. E. church Sunday. Presiding Elder E. W. Ryan was present. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at the afternoon service.

Mrs. Ida Lutz, wife of William Lutz, of Lima, died Thursday, Jan. 15, of pneumonia, after a very short illness, contracted the Sunday previous. She was 87 years old. The deceased leaves her parents, husband and two children, aged 1 and 14 years. The funeral was held Sunday. Interment was in Scio cemetery.

## DIED IN GRAND RAPIDS.

Michael Looney Seized With Paralysis of the Heart Died Very Suddenly.

Michael Looney, of Chelsea, died suddenly at police headquarters in Grand Rapids Saturday at 11 o'clock from paralysis of the heart. At about 10:30 o'clock in the morning Patrolman Hale was notified that a man had fallen in a fit on the sidewalk near the corner of East Fulton and Commerce streets. He was taken into Owen Stephenson's blacksmith shop and the police ambulance called for. On the way up to the hospital, where the attendants first intended to take him, Looney recovered sufficiently to warrant his being taken to police headquarters to recover.

In the office of Turnkey Doherty the man said that his name was Looney and that he lived with a brother-in-law named O'Connor on a farm three miles west of Chelsea. He gave his age as 45 years. His mind appeared to be wandering and as he seemed to be getting worse Dr. Moffat was called. While Looney was being supported in the arms of Balliff Leishman he suddenly relapsed into an unconscious condition and died before the arrival of the physician.

Coroner LeRoy was called and the remains removed to undertaking rooms. In the man's pockets were found papers which confirmed the name and residence he had given at police headquarters. Several receipts for medical assistance rendered him by Dr. Schmidt, of Chelsea, and a bottle of medicine procured from a Grand Rapids drug store on a prescription from Dr. Groner were also found.

Mr. Looney left Chelsea about a week before his death with the intention of going to work in Grand Rapids. He was a kind, good hearted man and was well liked by all who knew him. The relatives who survive him are three sisters Mrs. J. W. O'Connor, of Sylvan, Miss Lizzie Looney, of Detroit, and Miss Belle Looney, of Grand Rapids, and two brothers, Arthur and John Looney, of Chelsea.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, Chelsea, and the remains were interred in St. Mary's cemetery, Sylvan, beside those of his parents on Tuesday morning.

I love thee, O yes, I love thee,  
But it's all that I can ever be,  
For in my visions in the night,  
My dreams are Rocky Mountain Tea.  
Glazier & Stimson.

### Arbeiter Unterstutzungs Verein.

The Chelsea Arbeiter Unterstutzungs Verein held its annual meeting Monday evening and elected officers as follows:

President—C. G. Kaercher.  
Vice President—Michael Staffan.  
Secretary—Israel Vogel.  
Treasurer and Cashier—C. Neuburger.  
Color Bearer—Fred Wolff.  
Secretary Sick Committee—Geo. Bauer.  
Trustees—Jacob Schumacher, Michael Merkel and Hubert Schwikerath.  
Physician—Dr. G. W. Palmer.

### Whooping Cough Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the parents or guardians of children suffering from whooping cough, in the village of Chelsea, that unless prompt notice is given to me of the presence of this disease in their families, I shall report them to the prosecuting attorney of Washtenaw county to be dealt with as the law in reference to the spread of contagious diseases provides.

DR. G. W. PALMER,

Health Officer.

### North Sharon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Dorr are on the sick list.

The W. H. M. S. met with Mrs. H. D. Hewes last Wednesday.

Miss Belle Merriman and Mrs. Grace Merriman and daughter spent Friday at L. B. Lawrence's.

Chas. Fish accompanied Henry Wolfe to the hospital at Ann Arbor, Monday, where Mr. Wolfe will have an operation performed on his hand, from which he has suffered so much.

### How's This?

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## North Lake.

Zero weather now after the thaw of last week.

Sunday Ed Daniels was laid up with a cold and chills.

Mr and Mrs. Isham and children visited her sister Mrs. Leach last week.

Geo. Fuller, of Berries Island, has moved into the John Ray house to get nearer the schoolhouse.

After two weeks' of evening meetings here, it was decided on account of the interest manifested to hold them another week.

The ice houses here are filled with a good quality of slip down. One man pulled himself about half in while pulling a cake out.

Mrs. R. C. Glenn is improving slowly. Blood poisoning from a burn on her hand caused the sickness from which she has been suffering.

The grange gave a supper to the new members, one evening last week. They believe in feeding the young members to give them a good start.

Edward Collings got enough tamarack out of the swamp to make a half day's sawing for the stram saw, and is now hauling the wood to Chelsea.

There is a man near Silver Lake who put angle worms in a can with earth in it in his cellar late last fall, and now he is having fresh perch every Friday. If any are left in the can in the spring he will make them into oil to run his stiffened joints all summer.

It is safe to say there is as good feeling among the church members here, and also among outsiders, as there has been for many years past. If people keep apart they get soured on each other. As a social power the meetings held have been good, spiritually better still.

Your scribbler rode home from Chelsea a few days ago with Wm. Livermore, of Unadilla. On the way was trying to impress him with my age. After I had waited for him to show surprise, he said he was in his 80th year, almost one-quarter older, and never had been sick except last summer.

Since the rural delivery of mail started, it is safe to state that there has been a gain of one-third in all mail delivered, and one-half more in many cases. Now, as soon as a thief lands in Detroit the key is applied to the smokehouse door and we poke the Plymouth Rock and the old gobbler a notch higher up on the roost.

The Lyceum at the town hall was well attended Saturday evening. One young man on the negative side of the question was wound up for a half hour stunt and could not be pulled from his perch until all unwound. That's right, boys and girls, fit yourselves for a useful life. Prize fighters prepare for years for their battles, why not future senators, governors and judges—yes, and presidents. They must all come from the farmer's or workingman's sons and daughters.

In Chelsea Friday last your scribe was shown a device for taking turkeys from the highest tree. It could be fastened to a long pole and caught around the neck of the bird. It stops all alarm and turk has to go to Chelsea. I came home and thought and planned and devised means of protection. I have concluded to join the grange or eat the turkeys right away—this after losing two shoats. Another man was showing me a garden hoe which could be adjusted to fit the short, the tall, the smart, the lazy, as he said he could shave himself with it (and you too if you only let him). Will try and be away from home when he calls. It makes me shiver to think of being shaved this weather.

### Lyndon.

John McKune, who has been very sick, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Edward Gorman, who has been very sick, is much better.

Mrs. Thos. Stanfield is visiting her sister Mrs. P. Cavanaugh, of Munith.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stanfield have been visiting her parents in White Oak.

Mrs. M. Hankard spent the latter part of last week with friends in Jackson.

Gertrude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, who has been suffering with a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism, is much better.

The young folks held a pedro party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark on Friday evening last. All report a pleasant and enjoyable evening. About 30 were present.

Reinhold Otto died at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Otto, Monday morning, of quick consumption, aged 18 years, after an illness of three months. The funeral services were conducted at the house yesterday afternoon by Rev. A. Schoen, and the remains were interred in the John Moore cemetery in Lyndon.

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# CONGRESS REMOVES THE DUTY ON COAL.

## Measure Providing for Rebate on Foreign Coal Passed by Almost Unanimous Vote—President Signs Bill.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The bill reported from the ways and means committee Tuesday to provide for a rebate of the duties on foreign coal for a period of one year was passed in short order by the house Wednesday by practically a unanimous vote, 258-5, those voting against it being Messrs. Cushman and Jones, of Washington; Gaines, of West Virginia; Mondell, of Wyoming, and Patterson of Pennsylvania, all republicans. The bill was considered under the operation of a rule which cut off opportunity to amend. The only opposition to the measure came from some of the members representing coal states, who expressed the fear that the admission of Chinese mined coal in Canada would injure the coal industry of their states. Both Mr. Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Payne, of New York, the republican leaders, expressed the opinion on the floor that the bill would not relieve the existing distress. They said it would satisfy, however, public demand for action, and show the disposition of congress to do what it could. The democrats, although they supported the bill, took the view that it did not go far enough, saying that coal should go on the free list, and when the bill came back from the senate with a proviso which virtually placed anthracite coal on the free list, they applauded vigorously. Mr. Dalzell, in the course of his remarks, said that there was practically no anthracite coal in the world except that in the United States and a little in China. The senate amendment was adopted without division.

### Senate Adopts the Bill.

Washington, Jan. 15.—The senate acted promptly on the house bill providing rebates of duty on coal and passed it unanimously, without debate, a few minutes after it was brought from the house. A com-

mittee amendment was adopted by the senate adding a section to prevent the imposition of a duty on anthracite coal after the expiration of the time provided for in the bill, granting a rebate on all coal.

**Move to Seize Coal Mines.**  
Washington, Jan. 15.—The chairman of the judiciary committee of the house Wednesday introduced the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the committee on the judiciary be and is hereby directed to investigate and report to the house, with all convenient speed, the opinion of that committee as to the power of congress to declare that a necessity has arisen for taking possession of all coal, coal beds and coal mines in the United States and all lines of transportation, agencies, instruments and vehicles of commerce necessary for the transportation of coal, and that if in the opinion of that committee the power exists and a necessity for the exercise of such power has arisen, that the committee forthwith report to the house a bill declaring the necessity, providing fully and in detail the occasion, modes, conditions and agencies for said appropriation that will fully and completely exhaust the power of congress in that regard."

### Signed by the President.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Shortly after one o'clock Thursday afternoon Representative Wachter, of Maryland, chairman of the house committee on enrolled bills, accompanied by Representative Allen, of Maine, reached the executive offices with the engrossed and enrolled copy of the free coal bill passed by congress Wednesday. President Roosevelt received the committee at once and signed the measure immediately, expressing, at the same time, his pleasure that congress had acted so promptly.

## POPE SHOWS HASTE.

Names Cardinal Vannutelli as Successor of Dead Cardinal—Will Probably Be Pope's Successor.

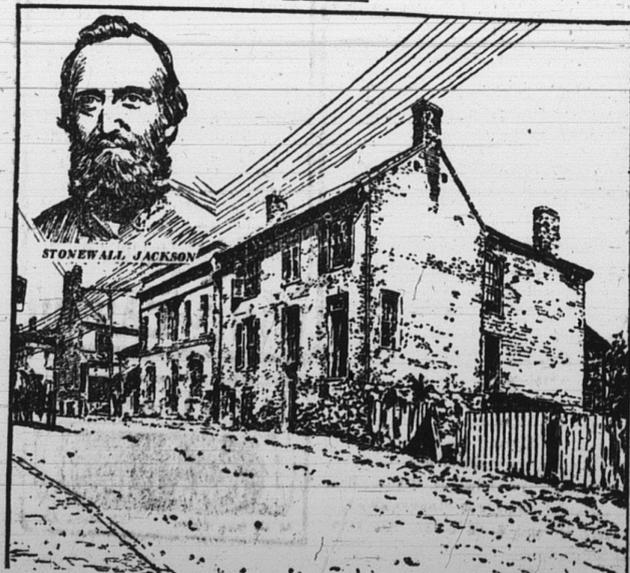
Rome, Jan. 17.—Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli has been appointed vice chancellor of the Catholic church, in succession to Cardinal Parocchi, who



CARDINAL SERAFINO VANNUTELLI. (Probable Successor of Pope Leo XIII.)

died Thursday. The haste with which the pope filled the vacant office is much commented upon. Cardinal Vannutelli is now regarded as the probable successor of Pope Leo, as vice chancellor of the church is one of the highest positions in the papacy.

## STONEWALL JACKSON'S HOME AT LEXINGTON, VA.



It is to be turned into a hospital for Confederate veterans, which will be in charge of the local chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy.

## VENEZUELA'S ENVOY.

United States Minister Bowen Comes to Washington to Negotiate for Settlement of Dispute.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Minister Bowen is expected in Washington today. It is understood that the representatives of Great Britain and Italy do not feel it incumbent on them to await the coming of Baron Speck von Sternburg before beginning their conferences with Mr. Bowen. Neither the London nor Rome foreign offices are inclined to favor settlement of their claims by a joint commission, the point being made that they are not interested in the claims of each other or of Germany. The plan outlined, and which will be submitted to Minister Bowen, contemplates the adjustment of the claims of each power by its representative with Minister Bowen, each nation taking up its claims separately but along the same broad general lines of procedure. It has been agreed that the claims of private citizens for injuries suffered in Venezuela shall be the first to be adjusted. These claims in the case of Germany are believed to aggregate nearly \$500,000, while those of Great Britain are between \$200,000 and \$300,000.

The powers will insist upon an early settlement of these obligations, and so far as Great Britain and Italy are concerned they are prepared to accept a reasonable guarantee for prompt payment. All hope that the United States has intended standing surety for these obligations has been dismissed, but an effort will be made to secure them either on the customs collections of Venezuela or the proceeds of a Venezuelan loan. A cash payment will be demanded so far as Great Britain and Italy are concerned, provided a satisfactory guarantee by Castro is offered. The method of procedure in settling the claims will not be decided until Minister Bowen arrives, as the representatives of the powers have been instructed that the first move along this line is to come from Venezuela's representative. Minister Bowen while here will act solely as Venezuela's special envoy. The state department has made it plain to the powers that the United States does not intend to take a hand in the Washington conferences, and merely will act as the means of communication between the Venezuelan envoy, Mr. Bowen, and the representatives of the powers. The allied powers have not committed themselves as yet regarding the raising of the blockade. No such request has been made, and, as one diplomat put it: "We do not intend to cross that bridge until we come to it." But intimations have reached Washington that Italy and Great Britain are not inclined to favor a continuation of the blockade after the opening of negotiations, and that Germany will be requested to give her consent, provided Mr. Bowen presents such a request. Should Germany refuse the request of Great Britain and Italy, these powers, it was stated, would not postpone favorable consideration of Mr. Bowen's request, but will withdraw their ships.

## VICTIMS OF FLAMES.

Fire at Pittsburg Causes Two Deaths—Two Burned to Death and Three Injured in a Cleveland Blaze.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 20.—In a fire Monday on Fifth avenue, in which the monetary loss will not exceed \$35,000, two persons were burned to death and a number of others made narrow escapes from cremation. The dead are: Henry Trachtenburg, aged 70 years, an invalid, burned to death in his room; Mrs. Bessie Trachtenburg, wife of Henry, aged 73, rescued from the building, but returned to save her husband. She was overcome by the smoke and suffocated. It was reported that many others were caught in the flames, but this proved untrue. Two families, those of Jacob and Simon Levin, the former containing nine children and the latter three, lived upon the upper two floors. The firemen had an exciting and difficult task to rescue them.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—Fire early Monday destroyed two adjoining apartment houses near the corner of Euclid avenue and Andrews street, East Cleveland, resulting in the death of at least two persons, and the injury of several others.

The dead: Mrs. Guy Norton, 20 years old, burned to death; Mrs. Jessie Dickey, widow, 45 years old, burned to death.

## PLATT RENOMINATED.

Senior United States Senator from New York Is Named to Succeed Himself.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 20.—The joint republican caucus Monday night nominated Thomas C. Platt to succeed himself as United States senator by a vote of 108 to 1 for Elihu Root, the latter cast by Assemblyman William A. Denison, of Jefferson. Senators Brackett, Brown and Elsbarg and Assemblyman Clark, of the Twenty-ninth New York district, were absent.

## FOUND TRUE BILLS.

Chicago Special Grand Jury Returns Indictments Against a Number of Coal Dealers and Operators.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The special grand jury that has been investigating the coal famine indicted 27 corporations and 17 individuals Monday, a total of 44. An early test trial of some of the cases has been arranged for. The offenders are divided into three classes under the several indictments, and they are held answerable to the law which prohibits trust confederations and combinations to regulate trade and prices. Counts based on the statutes against conspiracy to restrain trade and prohibiting blacklisting are also included in the bills.

The defense of the men accused will be that they have done nothing in opposition to the provisions of the statutes under which they have been hauled into court, and they will seek to demonstrate the unconstitutionality of the anti-trust act if the criminal courts adjudge them guilty on the evidence which was the basis of the true bills.

In the report to the court accompanying the indictments the jury declared that combinations similar to the ones attacked existed also in other industries. The report declared that the scarcity and high price of coal were the result of an abnormal condition in the relation of demand and supply, due to the anthracite strike, and the increased demand for coal due to growth of industrial activity.

Following is the list of those indicted: Corporations—Chicago, Wilmington and Vermilion Coal company; Big Four Wilmington Coal company, Gardner-Wilmington Coal company, Wilmington Star Mine company, Bell & Zoller Coal company, Murphy, Keenan & Co.; Carbon Coal company, the Wilmington Coal Mining company, the Cardiff Coal company, the Star Coal company, Streeter, Ill.; Braceville Coal company, Braceville, Ill.; the Acme Coal company, Illinois Third Vein Coal company, Tenaha Coal company, the Devlin Coal company, Spring Valley Coal company, the Marquette Third Vein Coal company, Oglesby Coal company, Brullette Creek Coal company, Oak Hill Coal and Mining company, Coal Bluff Mining company, Glen Oak Coal Mining company, Nevins Fuel company, Indiana Fuel company, McClellan, Sons & Co.; Crescent Coal and Mining company.

Retailers—N. W. Sanford, C. F. Lusk, Frank E. Lukens, secretary Retail Coal Dealers' association of Illinois and Wisconsin; Gus Aucott, E. H. Keeler, Frank McGrew, F. M. Durkee, C. L. Marston, R. C. Brown.

Mine Operators—Hugh Shirkie, Clinton, Ind.; J. J. Higgins, Oak Hill Coal and Mining company, Indiana; J. Smith Talley, president of Coal Bluff Mining company; Joseph Martin, Edward Shirkie, Brullette Creek Mining company; John Shirkie, same company; H. R. McClellan, Walter S. Bogle, president Crescent Coal and Mining company.

## HELD BY ARMED MEN.

Colorado Legislature Is in a State of Siege—Armed Officials Patrol Corridors of the Capitol.

Denver, Col., Jan. 20.—The Colorado senate has been in a state of siege all night, with the republican members practically imprisoned behind locked doors in the senate chamber and 50 armed deputy sheriffs, all democrats, on guard in the corridors. The republican lieutenant governor has appealed to the governor for state troops to clear the corridors, break down the doors, and relieve the republican prisoners. He has not yet consented, but says that if the rival factions in the senate do not reach an agreement soon he will resort to extreme measures.

## HONOR LEE'S MEMORY.

Birthday of the Great Confederate General Fittingly Observed Throughout the South.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 20.—The birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee was generally observed throughout the south Monday, special exercises being held in nearly all of the southern cities, where in many instances a holiday was observed. One of the most notable memorial services was held at Austin, Tex., and was participated in by Hon. John H. Reagan, former postmaster general of the confederacy. At Little Rock, Ark., the legislature adjourned in honor of the day, and a large memorial meeting was held in Charleston, S. C., and Richmond, Va.

## Two Chinamen Killed.

San Francisco, Jan. 20.—Five Chinese were shot, two fatally, Sunday night, in a Tong war in Chinatown. There were three successive affrays, the latter two being in retaliation of the first, which took place in a gambling den. In the first affray the intended victim was shot through the body and two bystanders struck by the bullets, but not seriously injured. Four men are in jail, and the police say they have strong evidence against two of the prisoners.

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

### Tragedy at Adrian.

William B. Chio, aged 45, of Toledo, shot and killed his wife Elizabeth, aged 35, and then fired the revolver at his own breast. Both victims were dead when a crowd of people, who heard the shots, broke into the parlor of Platt's hotel in Adrian, where the tragedy occurred. The couple had been living apart and the woman was an employe of the hotel. She had charged that her estrangement from her husband had been due to the latter's abusive treatment of their 14-year-old daughter.

### Sometimes Lawful to Kill.

Frederick Sieloff was acquitted of manslaughter in Jackson. He shot George Smith September 27, when the latter was in company with officers who were attempting to arrest Sieloff without a warrant. Judge Peck, in charging the jury, said Sieloff had a right to use all necessary force to protect himself from that arrest, as the attempt without a warrant constituted assault and battery.

### Health in Michigan.

Reports to the state board of health from 70 observers in various portions of the state indicate that during the past week smallpox, consumption and whooping cough increased, and diphtheria decreased in area of prevalence. Consumption was reported at 237 places, measles at 42, typhoid fever at 47, whooping cough at 23, scarlet fever at 95 and smallpox at 127 places.

### Found Guilty.

Dr. Roy W. Griswold was found guilty in Bay City of manslaughter in connection with the death of Agnes Eberstein, a Battle Creek young woman who died at a local hotel under suspicious circumstances some months ago, and for whose death E. T. Bennett, a former prominent newspaper editor in Bay City, is already serving a term in prison.

### Woman Slays Intruder.

Mrs. Oscar Chase shot and instantly killed Asa Manhart, a former boarder, at her home in Portland. Mrs. Chase had forbidden Manhart to come to her house. However, he came, and began hammering on the door. Mrs. Chase warned him to desist, but he paid no attention. The woman then shot through a window, killing him instantly.

### After Outside Settlers.

Five thousand acres of land in Cedarville and Ingallston townships have been purchased by the Menominee Abstract & Land company from W. F. Hone, of Chicago, and Burns & Hicks, lumbermen, of Menominee. The lands are principally tracts from which the hardwood has been cut. It is the intention to colonize them with outside settlers in the spring.

### Will Harness the Rapids.

The scheme to connect Green Bay, Wis., and Escanaba by an interurban electric road has been revived with indications of success. It is proposed to obtain the bulk of the necessary power by harnessing the Chippie rapids, on the Menominee river, five miles from Menominee, which it is estimated can be made to develop in excess of 4,000 horse-power.

### Condition of Wheat.

The Michigan crop report for January in regard to the condition of wheat says: "There has been some freezing and thawing, but correspondents generally agree that but little damage has been done to wheat. The ground was fairly well covered with snow during the month and thus protected the crop in most counties."

### News Briefly Stated.

The Colonial hotel and several other buildings were destroyed by fire at South Haven, the total loss aggregating about \$50,000.

Mrs. George Backart, aged 93 years, died in Howard City. She was one of the oldest pioneers of Newaygo county.

Joseph Keute, whose wife died recently in Grand Rapids, was found dead in bed. Excessive grief was the principal cause of death.

Richard Arnold, a veteran, died at his home in Camden. He served two years in Libby prison.

Deputy State Game Warden Bedell, of Menominee, says all milliners and women who wear hats trimmed with certain kinds of birds protected by law, of which there are many, are disobeying the state game laws, and are liable to arrest as any other violator of the law.

The next meeting of the State League of Republican clubs will be held at Grand Rapids February 12, when the Lincoln club banquet comes off there.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Taylor has selected as a site for the federal building at Battle Creek, the property at Main and Division streets, at a cost of \$16,500.

Banking Commissioner Moore has taken possession of his office and A. E. Manning, who has had charge of the office work was retained.

### GONZALES IS DEAD.

#### Death Finally Conquers Victim of Tillman's Bullet.

Universal Sorrow Expressed at the Outcome of the Tragic Affair—Lieut. Gov. Tillman Unmoved by the Death.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 20.—After four days of suffering, death came shortly after noon Monday to Narcisso Gener Gonzalez, editor of the Columbia State, who was shot last Thursday by Lieut. Gov. James H. Tillman. He was unconscious when the end came. His wife, his three brothers, his sister, members of the editorial staff of the State and the surgeons were present.

#### Great Sorrow.

A few minutes after the end came it was known all over Columbia. There is no apparent anger, no display of excitement, but an unnatural quiet is noticeable throughout the city.

Throughout the day and night hundreds of telegrams of sympathy have been pouring in, not only from com-



N. G. GONZALES.

munities, newspapers and citizens from all over South Carolina, but from many American citizens north and south. Among them were expressions from Hugh M. Thompson, of New York, ex-governor of South Carolina, and Gonzales de Quesada, Cuban minister to Washington. When the news that the end had come was bulletined to Charleston the flags on the buildings of the News and Courier and Charleston Post were at once placed at half-mast.

Monday morning Dr. W. Gill Wylie, after consulting with Drs. Guerry and Barren and members of the family, decided to try the experiment of an intravenous injection of formaldehyde. At nine o'clock the injection was made in the arm. It was known that favorable results in arrest of peritonitis, if they should follow at all, would be at once manifest. But there was no improvement.

#### Death Ends It.

As time passed the patient's respiration grew weaker and the evidence of



LIEUT. GOV. J. H. TILLMAN.

approaching death became plainer. Just before the end, the surgeons, by request, resorted to a second injection. There was a momentary strengthening of the pulse, but almost before the injection had been completed Mr. Gonzalez was dead. An autopsy on the dead body was held by Dr. A. B. Knowlton. Drs. Legrand Guerry and James H. McIntosh, who attended Mr. Gonzalez, assisted.

#### The Wound.

It is understood that the finding of autopsy will be in a general way that the direct cause of death was sepsis, due to a sloughing of the large bowel at and about the site of the injury to that organ. The point of entrance of the bullet was in the right side of the abdomen, six inches below the right nipple and 2 1/2 inches to the right of the middle line. The point of exit was on the left side of the abdomen 3 1/2 inches below the left nipple and nine inches to the left of the middle line. There was a slight injury to the front wall of the stomach. Every vital organ was examined, and all found typically normal.

#### Tillman Unmoved.

Soon after the death of Mr. Gonzalez a telephone message carried the news to Capt. Sligh, the county jailer, and he apprised Col. Tillman. It is stated that the latter received the intelligence without any expression of tokening any emotion. He was asked if he would make a statement, and replied through his brother-in-law, ex-Judge Buchanan, that he had nothing to say.

### PITY FOR THE ANGELS.

#### Wouldn't Do for Them to Put Snow on That Woman's Front Steps.

The lady with the enameled teacup slipped and sold this story. She said the incident happened in Brooklyn, says the New York Times: "A little boy stood at the window watching the snow falling upon the pavement and blowing together into dusty patches.

"Aunt," he said, "do the angels send the snow?"

"Yes, dear," said aunt, without looking up from her book.

"There was silence for awhile. From out the house across the way a white-capped maid came with a broom and swept the sidewalk and the steps. She was the servant maid of Mrs. S—, a very fastidious, fussy old lady, who has a strong dislike for both children and dirt. Indeed, she seemed to regard the words as synonymous. Only that day she had sent little Jack and his chums away from her side of the street.

"Jack watched the maid for awhile—then he startled his aunt with this statement:

"Well, I'd pity the angels if Mrs. S— catches them putting snow on her steps!"

#### The Peruna Almanac.

The druggists have already been supplied with Peruna almanacs. There is sure to be a great demand for these almanacs on account of the articles on astrology which they contain. The subject of astrology is a very attractive one to most people. The articles on astrology in the Peruna almanac have been furnished by a very competent astrologist, and the mental characteristics of each sign is given, constituting almost a complete horoscope. A list of questions and answers on astrology sent free upon request. There will be a great rush for these books. Ask your druggist for one early before they are all gone.

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### THE BOY TURNED OUT.

#### Knowledge Gained at First Hand, in His Case, Was Not Easily Forgotten.

He was a boy of 12 who was at the zoo with his father to see the sights, and as they stood before the cage occupied by the chimpanzee the boy inquired:

"Father, do them things like boys?"

"Mebbe they do, my son," replied the father; "but I guess I wouldn't git too near."

"But that one wants to shake hands."

"Yes," he peers to; but I wouldn't shake."

"Don't you think he wants to be friends?"

"Mebbe so, but you kin jest wink at him to let him know how you feel."

That didn't exactly satisfy the boy, however. The "chim" insisted on reaching out his black paw for a friendly grip, and while the father's back was turned the lad extended his hand, says the Boston Globe.

Next instant his howls caused a rush of the crowd to see what was the matter, and as he held up a finger which was bitten to the bone and danced about, the father produced a handkerchief to tie it up and explained to the people:

"He's my son Claudius, and he's a great hand to find out things. He's just found out that them critters hev teeth, and if he ever gits over this, he won't never want to shake hands with no more monkeys."

#### His Father's Example.

Army and navy officers are enjoying a hearty chuckle over the discomfiture of a well-known retired officer who is a familiar figure at several clubs in Washington. This officer has a son of considerable promise, but of tender years. A few years ago, so the story goes, the officer married a fortune and soon after discovered that he had heart disease and went on the retired list. "Jack," said a visitor to the son the other day, "what are you going to be when you grow up?" "Well," said the eight-year-old with grave deliberation, "I've been thinking of that for some time and I think that when I'm a man I'll get heart disease and go on the retired list, just like papa."—Chicago Chronicle.

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**COUNTY CLEANINGS.**

Ann Arbor Knights of Columbus will give a banquet in the near future.

The Michigan Central will turn the Henning property facing the depot at Ann Arbor into a park.

The expense of caring for the helpless poor in Ann Arbor has been largely increased by the high price of fuel.

The Union Savings Bank, Manchester, paid a dividend of 7 per cent last year and added a neat sum to its surplus fund.

A new rectory for St. Joseph's church, Dexter, is to be erected this year. The stone for the foundation is being drawn now.

E. B. Hall, an Ann Arbor coal dealer, had nine carloads of anthracite coal confiscated while on its way to him from the mines.

Representative Whitaker has introduced a bill in the house to allow the city of Ann Arbor to issue bonds for \$40,000 to pay up its overdraft.

The schoolhouse on the town line between Ludl and Freedom townships was burned Jan. 13. Most of the books belonging to the pupils were saved.

The patrons of the Grass Lake creamery received 27 cents a pound for December butter, that being the highest price per pound received since the company was organized.

The newly elected officers of the Unadilla Sunday School are: Superintendent, Wirt Barnum; secretary, Emmet Hadley; treasurer, Frank Barnum; librarian, Roy Palmer; organist, Inez Marshall.

The Loyal Guard Band, at Dexter, is preparing to give a specialty entertainment by vocal talent, Feb. 20, with a dance afterward. The proceeds will go towards the purchase of new uniforms.

The total losses from fire in the city of Ann Arbor during the year 1903 were less than \$4,000. This small loss from fire is remarkable when it is considered that the city is assessed for over \$10,000,000.

For the first time in 12 years Jackson county will hold a county fair the coming season. It will require \$10,000 to build suitable buildings and put the grounds in shape, but this it is said, will not be impossible.

Ann Arbor is to have a Carnegie library building. It will cost \$30,000 and \$2,000 a year must be appropriated to support it. The school board and Ladies' Library Association will join hands in cinching the proposition.

The Jackson & Suburban Traction Co. were compelled to stop running their cars Thursday night on account of a lack of coal to run the plant of the Electric Light and Power Co., from which they obtain their supply of "juice."

The contractors for the new engineering building of the University of Michigan, made a mistake in their figures when estimating and will lose from \$5,000 to \$7,000 thereby. They want the board of regents to reimburse them the amount.

Carl Lohrke, of Ann Arbor, cut his wife over the eye with a knife Saturday evening and then plunged the knife into his own abdomen. Both will recover. The affair grew out of a family quarrel, which are said not to have been infrequent.

It pays to have a telephone. A Litchfield farmer's team ran away one day last week, and stepping into the house he telephoned to his neighbor down the road to head off the team. A little later he found his horses hitched in front of his neighbor's house.

A Junior League has been organized by the young people of the Francisco German M. E. church. The following officers have been chosen: Mrs. L. Katterhenry, superintendent; L. Kalmbach, president; Erwin Kalmbach, vice president; Rena Notten, secretary; Elmer Schweinfurth, treasurer; Linda Kalmbach, organist.

Prof. Austin George, superintendent of Ypsilanti schools, died Tuesday morning of heart failure, aged 61 years. He was taken ill Monday afternoon, while at school but seemed better Tuesday morning. Death came at 9 o'clock. He was one of Michigan's most prominent educators and wielded a vast influence for good in the state.

The records of accidents by corn husking machines in Lenawee county show that since Dec. 1, 1900, there have been 32 persons injured by the corn husker. In 16 cases amputation of a hand or fingers has been necessary, and in nearly all instances where the hands have been caught in the machines the members have been crippled to a certain greater or less extent.

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**PERSONALS.**

A. C. Watson, of Unadilla, was a Chelsea visitor yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nordman, of Jackson, spent Sunday in town.

Mrs. O. H. Obert, of Durand, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Colton yesterday.

Miss Anna Crane, of Reading, is spending a few days with Miss Edith Boyd.

Aaron Gorton was out of town a couple of days last week on business for his mother.

Miss Sophia Schatz is visiting relatives and friends in Grass Lake and Jackson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Mensing were Manchester visitors Thursday and were in Dexter Friday on business.

A. H. Mensing, with the Brown Oil Can Co., of Toledo, Ohio, left Tuesday for a business trip in the interest of that house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McCarthy, of Barry county, and Mrs. Bertha Orbring and daughter, of Francisco, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Spencer Friday.

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**NATIONAL PEAT FUEL CO.** Is the Name of the Concern That Will Operate a Peat Factory Here.

Detroit Tribune: Articles of association were filed Tuesday at Dover, Del., incorporating the National Peat Fuel Co., of Detroit, to manufacture from peat fuel of all kinds. Capital stock, \$1,000,000.

The company is composed entirely of Detroiters. Frank J. Peddie, general manager of the International Patent Co., is president and a director. The other directors are: Fred H. Postal, Arthur H. Gaukler, ex-Judge George Gartner, Thos. Sutherland and J. N. Todd.

The company owns through the inventors, Sutherland & Todd, a compressor by which at least 100 tons of peat a day can be converted into fuel. The lands upon which the company proposes to build its plant are situated near Chelsea, Mich., and it is stated that the peat runs from eight to 35 feet in depth.

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