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PENNSYLVANIA GRANGERS.

Patrons of Husbandry Install Officers at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 13.—The state grange patrons of husbandry closed their labors here by the installation of officers. There was quite a lively "scram" over reducing the membership fee and the proposition was voted down.

The committee on education made a report urging the doubling of the state appropriations for public schools, demanding an increase of the school term and compelling children to be kept at school until 14 years of age.

The Photographer Never Came. WEST CHESTER, Pa., Dec. 16.—About two weeks ago a well dressed man made the rounds of the town, and upon payment of 50 cents would give a ticket supposed to be good for a dozen cabinet photographs made by a prominent Philadelphia firm for \$1.75 and a family group taken by himself.

Carelessness Costs Four Lives. BRISTOL, Pa., Dec. 15.—At the Pennsylvania railroad crossing, while an expressman was driving across the tracks his wagon was struck by a New York west bound train, No. 31.

Delamater's \$5,000 Check. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—It was stated by Internal Revenue Collector David Martin, who indorsed Senator Delamater's worthless \$5,000 check, and who was consequently obliged to disburse that amount of money to the Chestnut Street National bank, where it had been cashed, that he would not suffer any loss from the transaction.

Over an Embankment. BIRDSBORO, Pa., Dec. 13.—Dr. H. B. Brusstar, of this place, Lazareto physician at the post of Philadelphia, was seriously injured in a runaway accident. He was driving a young horse, which he had just purchased, when the animal shied at a passenger train and jumped over an embankment.

A Car Blown Four Miles. MAUCH CHUK, Pa., Dec. 13.—During a hard gust of wind a freight car standing on a siding here was blown through a safety switch to the main track and thence down to near Lehighton, a distance of four miles & Co. said: "I am authorized to say that there is not a word of truth in the statement that Delamater & Co. will pay 50 cents on the dollar on the terms published.

Bank Wreckers in Jail. PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—The arrest of George F. Work has been followed by that of President Louis E. Pfeiffer, and also of Cashier Dungan of the collapsed Bank of America. Pfeiffer was given a hearing at the central station, and is now occupying a cell in Moyamensing prison, one floor above Work's quarters.

Delamater Made No Offer. MEADVILLE, Pa., Dec. 15.—George W. Haskins, one of the assignees of the late firm of Delamater & Co., said: "I am authorized to say that there is not a word of truth in the statement that Delamater & Co. will pay 50 cents on the dollar on the terms published.

Petitioners for Pardon. HARRISBURG, Dec. 16.—The eastern cases to come before the board of pardons at its final meeting today are as follows: Philadelphia—Albert Miley, conspiracy; Sarah Smith, perjury; John Enli, larceny and embezzlement; Frank Young, burglary; John Costello, unnatural crime; Dauphin—Henry Ware, murder; Lancaster—John Holmes, robbery.

A Serious Cavein. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 15.—A serious cavein occurred in the Hollenbeck mine, operated by the Delaware and Hudson Coal company, which affected about twenty acres. All the miners have taken out their tools. It is not known how seriously the cavein will affect the working of the mine.

Congressman Hiestand's Funeral. LANCASTER, Pa., Dec. 15.—The funeral of ex-Congressman Hiestand was held at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Stevens house, his late home. After the services the body was taken to Marietta on the afternoon train and interred in the family lot in Marietta cemetery.

SITTING BULL SLAIN.

Startling Reports Received by Gen. Miles.

ARREST AND ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE.

Sioux Warriors Attempt to Rescue Their Chief from the Custody of the Indian Police—Sitting Bull and His Son Killed in the Scrimmage.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 16.—Gen. Miles last evening received dispatches stating that in a fight near Standing Rock agency yesterday morning Sitting Bull and a number of Indian police had been killed.

The first dispatch was from Pierre, S. D., stating that Sitting Bull and his son had been killed, but giving no further particulars.

The other dispatch was from Standing Rock agency, S. D., and stated that the Indian police started out in the morning to arrest Sitting Bull, having learned that he proposed starting for the Bad Lands at once.

The Great Chief Arrested. When the police reached Sitting Bull's camp on the Grand river, about forty miles from Standing Rock, they found arrangements being made for departure.

No later particulars have been received, but the death of Sitting Bull and at least five of the Indian police seems undoubtedly true.

An Unappreciated Legacy. PITTSBURG, Dec. 13.—Through the death of her uncle, Miss Carrie E. Painter, of Homestead, has become the heiress to an estate of \$500,000.

Death Due to Koch's Cure. NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—A case of death following the use of lymph was reported yesterday. The case was an advanced one of tuberculosis-meningitis and was one of five operated upon by Dr. Jacobi in the New York Foundling asylum.

New Orleans Has the Grip. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 15.—New Orleans has been struggling in the hands of a gripe for the last four weeks. Dr. T. F. Salomon, secretary of the board of health, estimates that the number of people sick with a gripe at from 26,000 to 30,000, as many as six and eight members of one family being confined to their beds by the disease, and many business firms are seriously embarrassed by the absence of their employes.

Co-operative Housekeeping. CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—The first seven days of the co-operative housekeeping scheme started in the fashionable suburb of Evanston are said to have proven the plan a success. Over 5,000 orders have been served from the central kitchen to the stockholders. No fault has been found with the food or its cost.

The Oldest Masonic Officer. TRENTON, N. J., Dec. 16.—Joseph H. Hough, the secretary of the grand lodge of Masons, died here. He was the oldest Masonic officer in the world, having been grand secretary for forty-eight years.

A Poor Man's Panic Predicted. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Isador Strauss, of New York, in an interview published here, predicts a poor man's panic. "So far," he said, "we have had a rich man's panic, induced largely by speculative efforts to depress securities. Before the situation is relieved the masses are bound to suffer. I expect to see factories shut down or run on short time, wages lowered and a general era of hard times."

The Senate Caucus. WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Republican senators met in caucus at the residence of Senator McMillan last night and remained in session for more than three hours. They adjourned to meet again Wednesday night without coming to a definite conclusion on any of the propositions under discussion, but after indicating the probable fate of several of them.

Pittsburg Needs Fire Escapes. PITTSBURG, Dec. 16.—The department of public safety has decided to prosecute all owners of buildings of three stories or more which are unprovided with fire escapes. The penalty is a fine of \$500 and one year's imprisonment. There are hundreds of such buildings in Pittsburg.

Ben. Butler's Farewell. BOSTON, Dec. 15.—Before commencing his lecture on Wendell Phillips Saturday night, at Tremont Temple, Gen. B. F. Butler announced this as his farewell appearance on any lecture platform. The veteran was visibly affected.

A Colored Class Orator. EXETER, N. H., Dec. 15.—Phillips academy will have a colored class day orator. He is a Philadelphia boy and his name is Henry C. Minton. He is one of the brightest boys in the school and ranks high in scholarship.

ON THE TIDAL WAVE.

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POLITICAL—The closing year has been crowded by unparalleled Democratic victories in the State and nation. With the new year Governor Pattison will enter upon his second term, and the work of the great Presidential battle of 1892 will be laid this year.

LITERARY—During the year this department of THE WEEKLY POST will give more value and interest to the family circle. Several romances by the foremost authors of the day will succeed each other in quick succession.

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(1) MRS. AMELIA E. BARR'S new serial, "The Bells of Tassier." Mrs. Barr is the author of that most successful serial, "Friend Olivia," just completed in The Century, but hereafter Mrs. Barr will write exclusively for The New York Ledger.

(2) HON. GEORGE BANCROFT'S description of "The Battle of Lake Erie," beautifully illustrated.

(3) MARGARET DELAND'S latest story, "To What End?"

(4) JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL'S poem, "My Book," written expressly for The Ledger, beautifully illustrated by Wilson de Meza, and issued as a FOUR-PAGE SOUVENIR SUPPLEMENT.

(5) MRS. DR. JULIA HOLMES SMITH starts a series of articles giving very valuable information to young mothers.

(6) ROBERT GRANT'S entertaining society novel "Mrs. Harold Stagg."

(7) HARRIET PRESCOTT SPOFFORD, MARION HARLAND, NARQUISE LANZA, MAURICE THOMPSON AND GEORGE FREDERICK PARSONS contribute short stories.

(8) JAMES PARTON, M. W. HAZELTINE and OLIVER DYER (author of "Great Senators") contribute articles of interest.

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For the purpose of making certain changes in the organization of our business, and changing the entire line of our stock, as consisted at present, we shall offer our entire stock of

Men's Clothing & Furnishing Goods Boots & Shoes

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LOOK AT THESE PRICES.

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