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THE THIRTEENTH'S LAST MANOEUVRE

PARTICIPATED IN THE DIVISION REVIEW YESTERDAY.

Weather is Now Very Pleasant and the Boys are Prepared to Enjoy The Fragment of Camp Life That Remains—Re-examination of the Men Was Resumed Yesterday Afternoon—Commissioner George W. Jenkins Has Arrived in Camp to Conduct Today's Election.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Camp MacKenzie, Augusta, Ga., Feb. 20.—The news has been received here that all the volunteer troops stationed at this place will be mustered out of the service forthwith. It caused general satisfaction, especially among the members of the Thirteenth Minnesota, the Thirteenth's neighbor. This will break up Camp MacKenzie. A division drill and review was held this morning and in which Major General Young and Sumner took part.

In view of the recent orders received directing the regiment to be mustered out, it is understood that today's was the last military exercises in which the Thirteenth will ever participate. This does not displease the boys, as they are now concerned merely about their trip home and have no desire to take part in any more drills. The weather is now pleasant and all want to enjoy the remaining three weeks of camp life as leisurely as possible. The mustering officer of the Thirteenth, Captain Howe, visits the regiment daily and offers all necessary suggestions. The sample pencil copies of the rolls are practically completed and will be turned in for examination tomorrow.

The re-examination of the men was resumed this morning and Companies C, H, and B are now being re-examined. This work will be resumed tomorrow, Generals Sumner and Young left here this afternoon for Washington, where they will attend the sessions of the court of inquiry.

Commissioner George W. Jenkins, of Scranton, is in camp, and will tomorrow conduct the election among the boys for the city officers.

Richard J. Bourke.

TO COMBINE THE OPERATORS.

Plan to Improve the Anthracite Coal Trade.

"Regarding the Anthracite Operators' association and a new road to tide-water the evidence is accumulating that the independent operators are not anxious to build a road to tide-water. It seems likely, however, that the attempt will be made to get these smaller companies in one large company which would control their lands and ship their coal over one of the existing roads. Vanderbilt interests are reported behind this movement.

"It is altogether likely that if such a company were brought out with the right interests behind it, and heralded with a flourish of trumpets as one that was to work the everlasting salvation of the anthracite trade, its stock would go like hot cakes in the present condition of the stock market. How far such a company would permanently better the anthracite trade is another matter.

"So far its producers are concerned the general situation of the anthracite trade just now leaves little to be desired. Coming after an unexpectedly heavy consumption in January, the widespread and intense cold with its accompanying snow storms, has made the consumption for the first half of February something beyond the wildest dreams of the most sanguine sales agent. From all over the west

Physicians as a class are opposed to what they call 'patent medicines.' It is not often they openly endorse them. Now and then, however, some of the more liberal doctor, who has been the eye witness of a remarkable cure by the use of Dr. Pierce's Kidney and Bladder Pills, feels it a duty to tell what he knows.

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DAY'S DOINGS IN DUNMORE BOROUGH

TODAY'S ELECTION OF VITAL IMPORTANCE.

It Will Decide the Future Policy to Be Pursued by the Borough—An Exciting Runaway on Drinker Street—Rev. A. J. Van Cleft Will Lecture in the M. E. Church Tonight—Infant Child of Mr. and Mrs. John Dykes Badly Burned.

Today's election is of vast importance to the people of Dunmore. They will have an opportunity of saying by their vote whether the borough is to proceed along progressive lines or relapse into the methods pursued for years while the Democrats ruled this little municipality.

This election is not so much a matter of politics as it is of business to the people of the borough. During the years of Democratic rule improvements were unthought of, money was squandered and the squabbles of officials gave Dunmore an unenviable reputation far and wide.

It was not until progressive Republican officials made their impress felt in borough legislation that better days began to dawn for Dunmore, and now that they are well on their way it would be little less than criminal to take a backward step when so much yet remains to be done.

The Democrats and Whigs are jubilant over the fact that the Republican council has expended \$23,000 for the fiscal year ending March, 1899. Information regarding the causes of this expenditure will be of interest at this time. When the Republicans took the reins of government they were handicapped by proposed law suits, which were entirely justifiable and a legacy from Democratic negligence. To avoid these suits Clay avenue was graded and the Quincey bridge was built, costing \$1,100 for both.

Then there were innumerable little bills which the Democrats contracted and which the present R-publican council obliged to pay out of this year's appropriations. Then came the last, but not least, the cost of the bridge and the cost of the citizens of the borough \$7,755.58, the borough council's share being one-half, or \$3,822.29. The result of the contest was the unseating of all the Democratic officials, nine in number, who were illegally elected. They have also improved the borough's buildings and grounds by erecting an iron fence and stone steps, etc., making a model town hall instead of a place for loafers. Can any Democratic council of the past show such a clean, economical and well administered government at the present Republican council?

AN EXCITING RUNAWAY. An exciting runaway took place on Drinker street yesterday morning. A team of horses belonging to a farmer who resides on a farm near the corner, started up the street at a rapid rate, spilling the contents, consisting of butter, etc., along the road. Tearing themselves free from the "hob" as they rushed along, they turned from the street, mounted the bank in front of Mr. Malay's, crossed the porch and ran a post away. The horses continued their mad flight through the garden, tearing clothes-lines down. They cleared the fence in the rear of the garden and landed on Harper street, where they were caught.

The horses were uninjured. The sleigh was almost a complete wreck. The driver escaped injury, although he was dragged along for a considerable distance endeavoring to check the horses.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES.

The Rev. A. J. Van Cleft will deliver a lecture in the Ash Street Methodist Episcopal church this evening. The subject will be "Abraham Lincoln." All are welcome.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet in the church parlors tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

The Cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Seigle, on Third street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 28, an illustrated lecture will be given in the church parlors by Professor Hawker under the auspices of the Epworth league, entitled "The Fate of the Nation." One hundred and fifty pictures representing scenes during the battle in the late war will be shown. An admission of 19 and 20 cents will be charged.

SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will serve a supper in the church parlors Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, from 7 to 9 o'clock. Ice cream will also be served, but extra. Price of the supper will be 15 cents.

Rev. W. F. Shawyer, of Dover, will give an illustrated lecture in the Dudley Street Baptist church this evening.

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entitled "Ten Nights in a Bar Room." Lecture to start at 7:45 o'clock. Patrick Murphy, of Sport Hill, who was arrested Sunday by Officer Sawyer for being drunk, was given a hearing before Burgess Powell yesterday morning and fined \$3 and costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weber, of South Blakely street, spent Sunday with friends on the South Side. Born—Sunday, Feb. 19, 1899, to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith, of Rigg street, a son.

Mrs. Morris Harrington, of Apple street, is quite ill. Mrs. William Ackenreider, of East Drinker street, is indisposed. Mrs. Martin, of Elm street, is quite ill at her home.

William Donohue, of Philadelphia, is spending a few days at Mrs. Nellie Harrington's home, on Apple street. An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Dykes, of East Drinker street, was painfully scalded the latter part of last week. The little one was seated at the table and succeeded in spilling a cup of hot tea on its breast, burning it quite badly. Much hope, however, is entertained for the recovery of the child.

DEATH RATE DECREASED.

Falling Off of Eight as Compared With Previous Week. There was a falling off of eight in the number of deaths last week as compared with the previous week, when forty were recorded. Of the thirty-two deaths, three were from contagious diseases, one from typhoid fever, one from diphtheria and one from membranous croup.

Fifteen new cases of contagious diseases were reported. Of these, eleven were from diphtheria; three scarlet fever and one whooping cough.

MOTHERS

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