

# PERTH AMBOY EVENING NEWS

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PERTH AMBOY, N. J., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1903.

## WAS CRUSHED TO DEATH ON A FLY-WHEEL.

Andrew Gardor Killed Yesterday at Ostrander's Brick Works.

## WAS HEATING COFFEE.

Body was Crushed in an Instant—Big Men Broke Down at the Sight and Work had to be Suspended—Body Brought to this City and will be Buried in St. Stephen's Cemetery Tomorrow Afternoon.

Andrew Gardor, fourteen years old, of Fords, was killed yesterday by being whirled around on the big fly-wheel on the engine at the Ostrander Brick Works at Kearsbey, which was making 160 revolutions a minute.

Gardor, it is said, had put a can of coffee on the boiler, so that he could have a warm drink. At 7.30 o'clock he went after it and, in reaching for the can, he lost his balance and his coat was caught in the swiftly revolving wheel. He gave one scream but that was his last.

Men from all parts of the plant ran up. The engine was stopped, but it was too late, for the life had been whirled out of the little fellow, and it was badly crushed, having come in contact with the hard tile floor every time the wheel went around. As soon as the engine stopped, the body was removed and was laid on the floor. Strong men broke down and cried at the sight, it is said, and all work was suspended, for when the workmen saw the result of the accident, many of them picked up their cans and went home.

Undertaker Thomas Burke has charge of the body and the funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon. Interment will be made in St. Stephen's cemetery.

## MINISTERS DISCUSS NEED OF REVIVAL

The minister's alliance met in the parlors of the Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. The address was given by Rev. A. Hanson, of the Danish M. E. church. His subject was "Need of Revival." After the address the ministers discussed the need of a revival in Perth Amboy. Arrangements for Thanksgiving were discussed. The address at the next meeting will be delivered by Rev. Mr. Kouling, of the Grace Lutheran church.

### CENTRAL LABOR BOARD.

There is to be a meeting of the Central Labor Board at their rooms in the Adelaide Building, Smith street, 8 o'clock Saturday night.

## SEXTON'S PUZZLE.

This picture represents the name of an article found in the school room. Can you guess it? The answer to Tuesday's puzzle is Ink Well. The winner of Tuesday's prize was Mr. A. Steiner, 103 Smith St.



### GRAND PRIZE OFFER.

The prize for to-day will be 1 Bottle Frost Cream for Chapped Hands or Rough Skin.

## DR. HENRY IS SECOND MAN ON THE TICKET.

Mistake in South Brunswick Gives Him 180 Instead of 108—He is Elected by a Good Majority—The Vote in This City is Credited to the Republican Club.

### PFEIFFERS' MAJORITY.

Carried Every Ward with the Exception of the Fourth—Is 581 Ahead of Adam Eckert the Democratic Candidate—Received Many Credits Everywhere—Republican Club to Plan for Future.

Dr. F. C. Henry, the local candidate for assembly, on the Republican ticket, is second man, being surpassed only by Alexander R. Fordyce, of Dayton. Mr. Gannon, the local man on the Democrat ticket, led his ticket throughout but not enough to elect him. Dr. Henry was not credited correctly in South Brunswick township. All the newspapers of the county had him 108 from the first poll there. The figures should have been 180. This puts Dr. Henry higher than either Mr. Martin or Mr. Jackson.

The vote in this city shows that Henry has a majority of 274 over Gannon, the highest man on the Democratic ticket. Dr. Henry's vote was 1687 while Gannon's was 1412. Martin got 1636 votes with 223 majority, and Fordyce got 1615 or 203 majority. Pearce got 1377 votes and Quackenbush got 1364.

Pfeiffer, for alderman-at-large, carried all the wards in the city excepting the Fourth. His majority over Adam Eckert is 581.

The Perth Amboy Republican Club is receiving most of the credit for the Republican victory in this city, today. That it served the party well there is no doubt and the club will continue an organization for work in the future. The club, before election, had ward committees appointed and these in turn divided each ward into blocks with a captain over one or more of them. Each man was held responsible and as a result the Republican vote was brought out in great shape. It was organization that counted. A meeting of the club will be held in a day or two when the plans for the future will be discussed. The club hopes to be still stronger at the election next year.

## STRAWRIDE TO MENLO PARK FOR A DANCE.

Last night about thirty-four young people started from here at 8 o'clock for a straw ride. Christy's big box wagon took the party to Menlo Park by the longest route. There they attended a dance in Thomas A. Edison's old laboratory. The old buildings used by Edison in his early days are still standing at Menlo Park and have been used for various purposes. Menlo Park's Fire Company is in one building. One is used for entertainments and the others are going to ruin. After spending some time at the dance, the party returned, arriving here early this morning.

### Held First Dress Rehearsal.

Last night the first dress rehearsal of the plays to be given on the 9th for the benefit of the Free Kindergarten was held in Wilder Hall. The plays are progressing nicely. The sale of reserved seats last night was very satisfactory. In Wilder Hall there are 600 good comfortable seats, each commanding a good view of the stage and the public is urged to take advantage of this opportunity to see local talent at its best.

## Its the Way TO LET THINGS of the World

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## COMPLAINS OF TROUBLED CONSCIENCE.

Says He Sold His Vote for a Pair of Shoes and Fifty Cents.

## WANTS ARRESTS MADE.

Jake the Fiddler Says he was Registered from a House in Marlford Street but that he Does Not Know Anything About the Place—Says He is Touched with Remorse.

This morning Jake the Fiddler strode into court, threw off his hat and demanded that arrests be made. After he had been soothed it was discovered that he did not want all Perth Amboy arrested, but just himself and one of our politicians punished. When questioned he confessed that he had violated his privilege as an American citizen and had sold his vote to a Republican on election day. The price, he said, was 50 cents and one pair of shoes. He had no kick coming as to the price, but said that he had been touched with remorse and wanted to take his punishment like a man and a citizen of the United States. He wanted to have his tempter do the same.

Jake said one-half of the drunkenness is caused by politics.

"These politicians take advantage of a poor man's weakness," he declared, "and make him sell his vote. I am touched with remorse and want to be locked up."

He said that he had been ill and had taken something for his nerves. His nerves were off when he succumbed to the temptation to sell his vote and in his confusion the offer was accepted. The Recorder promised to have the matter attended to and Jake is waiting. The authorities are somewhat startled at the affair. It is not often such a case turns up and what the outcome will be remains to be seen. Jake still insists that the politician be hunted out.

### MARINE SUPPER.

Ladies of Simpson M. E. Church Have Arranged a Fine Evening.

The ladies of Simpson M. E. church have arranged a fine evening's entertainment for those who attend the Marine supper tonight. Besides the best supper to be found the monophony will give selections. Pieces by all the leading bands in the world will be reproduced. Solos and duets will also be given. The music is promised to be just as real as if the musicians and soloists were actually present. The church has been handsomely decorated with appropriate designs for a marine supper and a good time is promised.

### OBITUARY.

Martin Mortensen died at his home Tuesday afternoon after a lingering illness. The funeral services will be held from his late home, on 513 State street, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at 2.30 from the Danish M. E. church. Rev. A. Hansen will officiate. Interment will be made in Alpine cemetery.

## TO INVITE THE PUBLIC TO INSPECT.

Board of Education will Throw Open the New Building No. 6 for Visitors.

## TO PRESENT THE FLAG.

Ladies of the Sixth Ward Have the Emblem Completed and will Present it with a Little Ceremony—Building will Soon be Ready for Pupils—Second Largest School in the City.

The Board of Education is getting ready to issue invitations to the Board of Aldermen, School Commissioners, and a number of other citizens to take part in the inspection of public school No. 6, when that building will be thrown open to the public. The ladies of the Sixth Ward have finished making a large silk flag and on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, it will be presented to the school on behalf of the ladies.

At the opening of the new school President of the Board of Education, Elsworth B. Walker, will make a short address in which he will thank the ladies for their kindness, he will also invite the public to inspect the building. It will take a short time to get things to rights after which the pupils will be taken to the new school building. When the great relief of the new school is reached, the great relief of the new school is reached.

## QUARREL OVER STOVE.

Claimed the one Delivered was Not as Handsome as the one Selected.

Tuesday afternoon a small crowd collected in front of a second hand furniture store on State street near Smith. They found a Hungarian man and woman and the Jewish proprietor of the place engaged in a discussion more emphatic than diplomatic. It seems that the Hungarian and his wife had purchased a stove called the Magnetic X-Ray and had paid for it. The stove delivered, they said, was not the one purchased and as the one purchased was much more elaborate than the one delivered, there was trouble and the ensuing discussion between purchaser and dealer drew attention because of its warmth.

There were due threats made, dark hints at broken heads and the like. An officer sauntered up and the trouble ended. The election day crowd went off disappointed. They wanted to see a fight. Yesterday morning a wagon came with a stove and took away another. The matter is settled, apparently.

### RECEPTION AFTER REHEARSAL

Cast and Managers of the Kindergarten Plays Entertained by Mrs. Green's.

After the dress rehearsal in Wilder Hall last night the cast and management of "Box & Cox" and "The Loan of a Lover" were entertained at the home of Mrs. Louis Greenley at 100 High street. An enjoyable time was had. Music and other amusements made the time fly rapidly. Refreshments were served. It was at a late hour when the merry party broke up. After wishing success to the plays they departed for their homes. Those present were: Clancy Boynton, T. C. Booth, Mrs. Orwin Browning, Prof. Shully, Dr. F. W. Kitchell, Harry Stiff, William VanWyck, Mrs. Sibley, Mrs. S. C. Nedham and Mr. and Mrs. Parker Runyon.

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## DOCKS LIKELY TO START FULL TIME.

Many of the Men who have been Idle Have Orders to Return—Coal Mines in Pennsylvania start-up Full Time Yesterday—Means More Shipping to be Done.

## I. O. O. F. INSTITUTE NEW LODGE

Degree Team from Lawrence Lodge Goes to Woodbridge for the Work.

## GRAND MASTER THERE

New Lodge has Seventy-five Charter Members—Promises a Good Growth—Delegations from Perth Amboy, Carteret, Rahway and Plainfield—Supper was Served.

Lawrence Lodge I. O. O. F. is doing a lot of work for Odd Fellowship in this city. A short time ago they organized a new lodge in Carteret and last night another was born at Woodbridge. The lodge there has fifty-three charter members. It is known as Hobart Lodge, 270.

The new members were initiated by a degree team from Lawrence Lodge, this city. Grand Master Chester Tomson and staff were present. District Deputy Becker installed the new lodge. Delegates were present from Carteret, Rahway, and Plainfield, besides this city. The lodge was instituted yesterday afternoon and last night the degrees were conferred.

A big turkey supper was eaten in Masonic Hall. Speeches were made by members of the various delegations. Dr. Crowther, from this place, spoke. Some of the delegates from this city went by train and some by trolley. They returned late last night.

### GIVEN HIS CHOICE.

Hans Hanson will Probably go to Jail Unless Friends Appear.

Hans Hanson, who gave his occupation as a boatman, was arrested by Policeman William McDermott this morning on the complaint of Mrs. John C. Kress, who said that the fellow insulted her. Recorder Pickersgill fined him \$10 or the choice of thirty days in jail. Up until noon he had not paid the money and his prospects of going to jail are good if some friend does not come along very soon.

### Baptists Church Notes.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist church meets tonight in the chapel at 8 o'clock. There will be speaking by Mrs. N. B. Randall, of Orange. Everyone is welcome to come. A silver offering will be taken up. The Roll Call committee will meet at the pastor's residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### WESTMINSTER CADETS.

Tomorrow night the Westminster Cadets will hold a meeting in the armory on Rector street. An entertainment will be provided for them. After the entertainment the cadets will have a debate.

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## HAS BEEN SLACK.

For Several Months it has been Dull in this City Owing to the Small Shipments of Coal—Prospects of better Times Ahead—Cities Must be Supplied and Business Picks up For Winter.

There is every prospect that the Lehigh Valley docks will be working full time by Monday morning. This seems very probable from the fact that the mines in Pennsylvania from which coal is supplied for shipping at the docks, began on full time yesterday and many of the men in this city, who had been laid off while the work was slack on the docks, have received orders to report at the usual hour Monday.

For the last three months most of the employees of the Lehigh Valley railroad in this city have been working but three days a week. Some who were laid off found work in other places, but they will all be glad to come back to the docks again.

When F. O. Pierson, the terminal shipping agent at the Lehigh Valley docks, was asked by a News reporter if the docks were to start full time work, he said that he would answer any questions in regards to the matter. At the present time, he said, he had no means of knowing.

Mr. Pierson admitted that the coal mines had commenced operation. Many of the employees have received orders to return to work tomorrow and one of them told a reporter that they expected to work not only full time but considerable overtime, for New York and surrounding cities are demanding their winter supply of coal, and as the Lehigh has not shipped coal of any account from either this city or Easton for some months, it will be a great hustle night and day.

The strike of the fifty trackmen has been peaceably settled as was foretold in the Evening News and yesterday morning they returned to work.

## BOLD ATTACK AT FLORIDA GROVE.

Woman Complains of an Assault—Struck Man in the Face and He Ran.

Mrs. Richards, who lives at Florida Grove, says she was attacked by a man Monday afternoon. She was alone at the time and she had gone out to the woodpile. As she started to fill her arms with wood, a man came up the bank from the river. He was half drunk, she says, and demanded beer.

When he was told the beer selling days of Florida Grove were over, he seized the woman by the throat, according to her statement, and began choking her. Mrs. Richards is an invalid but she had strength enough to strike out with a stick of wood which she held in her hand. The blow landed across the man's face and blood flowed. The man, finding things going against him, ran, and Mrs. Richards returned to the house. She is suffering from the shock.

Detective Huff investigated, but the man left no clues and it is not likely that he will be caught. Since the old Florida Grove has been closed the place has not been frequented. The Richards family lives in the house as a caretaker. The spot is lonely and well adapted to assault without fear of arrest.

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