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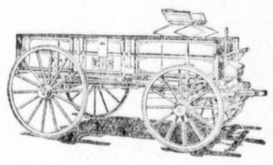

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The annual election of the officers of the Peerless Fertilizer Co., held at their offices in Chestertown on Monday week resulted as follows: W. W. Hubbard, President; David B. Ford, Secretary; Jesse Medders, Treasurer; W H. Elliott, Book-keeper; C. E Newcomb, Stenographer; L R. Duyer, Supt. factory.

At 1 30 P. M the annual dinner was held at the Eastern Shore Inn. A sumptuous repast was served in a most acceptable manner. The following was the menu:

Oyster Cocktail — Oysterettes
Olives — Chow Chow
Cream of Tomato Soup — Mixed Pickles
Spring Beets — Creole Sauce
Home Grown Celery
Roast Turkey — Cranberry Sauce
Hominy — White Potatoes
Celery Stewed in Cream — Candied Sweet Potatoes
Maryland Biscuit — Hot Rolls
Hearts of Lettuce — Smithfield Ham
Plum Pudding — Brandy Sauce
Coffee — Tea
Mints — Cigars — Cigarettes

Those present from Chestertown were: W. B. Copper, W. B. Usilton, J. D. Bacchus, R. H. Collins, L. B. Russell, J. T. Anthony, H. H. Klinefelter, W. I. Walker, C. W. Whaland, L. H. Wood, W. J. Vannort, Rev. J. L. Ward, W. W. Hubbard, D. B. Ford, Jesse Medders, H. B. Strong, Wm. H Elliott, C. M. Newcomb, L. B. Duyer and A. C Pinder.

The out-of-town guests were: G. A Wilson and W. F. Clark, Henderson, H. T. Moore, Ridgely; Harry Griffith; Sassafras; J. T. Wilson, Delmar; E. F. Burris, Houston, Del.

Hicks' Forecasts For February

A regular storm period is central on the 1st, extending from January 30th to February 4th. Causes of disturbances are at a minimum at this period, the regular "Vulcan" influence being the principal factor. The Moon is at extreme north declination on the 1st, and the Mercury period, which is central on the 8th, laps partly into this period, bringing on a condition which will doubtless be prolonged by the Mercury influence into the next two storm periods. Falling barometer, rising temperature and increasing cloudiness, which begin in western parts the last two days of January, will be working into the central valleys by the 1st, and during the 2nd, 3rd and 4th, storms of rain, snow and wind will develop and make their way across the Mississippi valley and thence eastward to the Atlantic ocean. Threatening weather, with tendency to sleet and snow squalls, may be prolonged for several days.

A reactionary storm period is central from the 6th to the 9th. The Moon is in apogee and in opposition with Earth and Sun on the 6th, and on the celestial equator on the 9th. The Mercury equinoctial period is at the crisis, and the reactionary forces will reach a climax on and touching the 7th, 8th and 9th. The regular changes in temperature, wind directions, barometric pressures and precipitations will pass from west to east, culminating in blizzards of sleet and snow, on and not far from the 9th. Storm forces from the south are apt to clash with storm forces from the north, with Moon on the equator on the 9th, followed by a sudden sweep of high gales and cold wave from the northwest.

A regular storm period is central on the 15th, covering the 10th to the 15th inclusive. The Mercury period will be at its culmination during this storm period. The Moon will be at last quarter and at greatest declination south. The approaching Vernal equinox will also be felt. The planet Mars will pass its perihelion or nearest approach to the Sun, on the 20th, thus adding to the causes that will unite in the somewhat unusual disturbances during and about this period

A reactionary storm period is central on the 17th, 18th and 19th. By this time the influence of Earth's March equinox will be increasing in force, so that the reactionary forces will be excited beyond the normal and a renewal of storm conditions is to be expected on and next to Saturday, Sunday and Monday, the 17th to 19th. The Moon will be coming north, in perigee on the 20th, new on the 21st, and on the equator on the 22d, all of which, blending with the Vernal equinox, will prolong and intensify this reactionary period.

A regular storm period is central on the 24th, embracing the 21st to the 26th. At this time we will be well within the grasp of Earth's equinox; the Venus period will also have set in, and as stated above, the Moon will be in conjunction with the Earth and Sun, and on the celestial equator, on the 21st and 22d. In the meantime, the planet Mars will be in perihelion and approaching conjunction with Sun, Earth and Moon. As early as the 22nd, counter storms will develop over northern, inland regions, attended by thunder, rain and high gales and during the days intervening between the 23nd and 26th, tropical storms of wide and dangerous sweep, will unite with boreal storms in central parts of the country, bringing danger to exposed regions along the coasts, and to many inland sections. Upon the whole, we believe that February will bring more than an average of disagreeable winter storms and weather.

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JONES.—In sad but loving remembrance of our dear Husband and Father, Chas. H. Jones, who departed this life three years ago, February 7, 1914.

On you, dear husband, I could always depend,
And know I had one sincere friend;
And of all the hours on earth which you spent,
Your heart to me was always bent.

But with me, you could not always stay,
For oh, so sudden, you were called away;
Rest on, dear husband, thy labor is o'er,
Thy willing hands will toil no more.
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It is hard to part from those we love,
The voice I loved is still;
A place is vacant in my heart,
Which never can be filled.
WILLIAM.

Hour by hour I saw him fade,
And slowly sink away;
Yet in my heart I prayed,
That he might longer stay.
DELLA.

In the house of fadeless beauty,
Father, is now a shining star;
Dwelling in the Holy city,
With the golden gates ajar.

Yet, again, we hope to meet him,
When the days of life has fled;
When in heaven with joy we'll greet him,
Where no farewell tears are shed.
BERTHA.

Once I had a father, who was good and true,
And I was always happy though earth's joy were few;
He sought out every pleasure, cared for me night and day,
And was to me a father in every word and way;
From morning until evening sorrow rests upon my brow,
He has gone from earth to Heaven, and I have no father now.
FLORENCE.

Though they kept me from you father,
As you drew your last sweet breath;
They will not part us in Heaven,
For our Father knows the best.
HELEN.

Father, dear, since you have been taken from me,
Nothing seems the same;
My home is not like it used to be,
For every thing has changed.
CHARLIE.

Home is sad, O God, how dreary,
Lonesome, lonesome every spot;
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