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### VICE PRESIDENT HOBART DEAD.

PASSED AWAY IN PRESENCE OF HIS FAMILY AT 8.30 TUESDAY.

Though Death Was Not Unexpected It Came As a Great Shock—President and Mrs. McKinley Express Their Grief. Flage Half-masted and Gloom in Washington—Funeral to be Held Saturday.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 21.—Vice President Hobart died at 8.30 o'clock this morning. The family and physicians were present at the bedside when death came.

The Vice President has been failing since late yesterday afternoon, although reports given out were that he was holding his own. At midnight he became unconscious and at 7 o'clock this morning had an attack of angina pectoris, from which he never rallied. Mrs. Hobart, Dr. Newton, who is a cousin of Mrs. Hobart, and Miss Alice Waddill, the trained nurse, were at the patient's bedside constantly from the time he became unconscious. At 7.30 the Vice President's secretary, Mr. Evans, called up the White House by telephone and notified President McKinley that Mr. Hobart was dying. At 9 o'clock Mr. Evans communicated again with the President, notifying him of the Vice President's death. Up to 10.30 a. m. no arrangements for the funeral have been announced.

Garret A. Hobart, Jr., was also at his father's bedside. Mrs. Hobart bears up well under the bereavement.

Flags on the city hall and public buildings were half masted when the news became known. The bell on the city hall tolled at intervals during the forenoon and Passaic county court was adjourned.

Although the Vice President's death was expected at any time, there was still a faint hope to the last among his personal friends in Paterson that he would survive for some time to come.

Soon after the news of Mr. Hobart's death was sent over the wires telegrams of condolence began to arrive at Carroll Hall. Among the first to send sympathy and condolence to Mrs. Hobart were President and Mrs. McKinley. During the forenoon many intimate friends and neighbors called at Carroll Hall. Business houses and public buildings in Paterson are being draped in black. A special meeting of Common Council was called for noon at the city hall to take suitable action. The Vice President's private offices were closed as soon as his death was announced.

#### A GLOOM OVER WASHINGTON.

All flags in Washington are half masted. The announcement of the Vice President's death, while not unexpected, came as a deep gloom over the city, where he was loved and honored. The flag over the executive mansion were closed to the public. The President was deeply affected by the telegram announcing his colleague's death and at once dispatched a telegram conveying the sympathy and condolence of himself and Mrs. McKinley to Mrs. Hobart.

#### THE FUNERAL.

Paterson, N. J., Nov. 21.—Mr. Hobart's funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Church of the Redeemer (Presbyterian.)

#### Excelsior Etchings.

The weather has been charming and our farmers have been busy sowing oats and wheat. Glad to see a large crop of grain being put in.

Mrs. Tena Cook is still confined to her room quite sick.

The Misses Spence, of the Beth Eden section, have been on a visit to Mrs. Caroline Cook's family.

Good many of our people kept late hours a few nights last week watching for the shower of stars but they all report seeing nothing unusual.

Mr. Willis Watts and family, of Newberry, spent Sunday with his father's family.

Mrs. Knard who has been spending several days in Columbia and Leesville will return home this week.

All who attended the State Fair from this section report a large crowd and a pleasant time.

Sunday was a beautiful day for church going and we had the privilege and pleasure of attending services at Zion church. We arrived in time for Sunday-school which is superintended by Mr. E. P. Cromer and we say here that he is the right man in the right place. This is one amongst the best schools we know of and especially so in the way of good singing. At 11 o'clock we listened to a good sermon preached by Rev. Geo. S. Bearden pastor of St. Luke's church. This was our first time to visit Zion church and we hope to attend services there again soon.

SIGMA.

#### POLITICAL TALK AT THE FAIR.

Gossip That is Still Being Repeated in Columbia.

(Special to News and Courier.)

Columbia, November 23.—During Fair week there was a good deal of political talk, the echoes of which are still to be heard.

The strength of Governor McSweeney and the strong position he holds is being generally appreciated, and very little has been said about candidates against him.

The great question in connection with the gubernatorial race, if there is to be one, is purely as to policy.

There was, as will be remembered, a call for a conference of Prohibitionists here during Fair week. It amounted to nothing so far as the number of those who attended the conference was concerned. It is stated that before the campaign is started it will be announced that it takes money to run a campaign. Of course the announcement is to be prefaced with the statement that the money is only to be used for organization and instruction, and for no other purpose.

The Prohibitionists say that with a little money for organization, and the opportunity of encouraging the voters and giving them information they would have won in the last election.

If the Prohibition strength puts out no better than it has been doing in the General Assembly their candidates will only chase a rainbow.

As the next campaign will include the Senatorial aggregation, if there is to be a contest, there is little hope of doing away with the interminable campaigning of the State; that is, going from county to county and singing practically the same song in county after county. The hope was that some one would have the State Convention change this rule and provide for ten or fifteen campaign meetings, but if Senator Tillman has anything to do with it he will no doubt insist upon his old platform of meeting the people face to face and having a campaign meeting in every county.

#### PROHIBITION IN GEORGIA.

The Debate on the Bill in the Legislature Causes Tremendous Excitement.

Atlanta, Ga., November 21.—The greatest excitement known in the General Assembly for years has been caused by the debate over the Willingham bill, providing for State prohibition. The bill has been pending since the beginning of the session, several weeks ago, but the debate was not commenced until to day. A vote will be taken at 11.30 tomorrow. A dozen amendments have been offered since the first reading of the bill. The fight has become one involving every section of the State. The ministers of various denominations and the State Prohibition Society have taken an active part. Personal letters have been written by the presidents of six Georgia colleges to the members of the Legislature asking the passage of the bill. Mayor Woodward, of Atlanta, recently addressed a letter to the mayors of Savannah, Augusta, Macon, Rome and Columbus requesting them to come here and protest against the passage of the bill, which they did. People from all sections of the State were in the galleries when the debate opened to day, among them being many ladies and several classes of school children from the city public schools, who came to lend their moral support to the passage of the measure. The debate continued all day and at times the speakers grew very bitter in their arguments against the opposing sides. Representative Willingham says he is confident the bill will pass.

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#### RURAL FREE DELIVERY.

A Strong Report in Its Favor by the First Assistant Postmaster General.

Washington, November 5.—A vigorous plea for rural free delivery is made in the annual report of First Assistant Postmaster General Perry S. Heath, made public tonight. Mr. Heath says the service so far has resulted in increased postal receipts, enhancement of the value of farm lands reached by rural free delivery of from \$2 to \$3 per acre; a general improvement of the condition of the roads traversed by the rural carrier; better prices for farm products, the producers being brought in daily touch with the state of the markets, besides educational benefits conferred by relieving the monotony of farm life through ready access to wholesome literature and knowledge of current events.

On November 1 rural free delivery was in successful operation over 333 services, radiating over 40 States and one Territory, Idaho, Wyoming, Mississippi, and Montana being the only States unrepresented.

Between the beginning of the new fiscal year, July 1, 1899, and November, with an additional expenditure of \$150,000 rural free delivery has been extended to nearly 180,000 persons at an annual cost of about 84 cents per capita, against an average per capita cost of \$2.80 in small towns of 5,000 population. "It is a small matter to a resident of a town," says the report, "to be saved a walk of a few hundred yards to the postoffice, while on the contrary it is a great accommodation to the farmer to be spared a drive of five or ten miles over country roads to get his mail. In a recent public discussion advocates of the system who took the value of the time thus lost in the busy farming season, at only fifty cents per head, found that their figures run up into many millions of dollars lost to the agricultural interests through being obliged to send to the village for the mails."

Rural carriers are shortly to be authorized to receive and receipt for letters for distribution as city carriers do now.

#### The Thornwell Orphanage.

The Thornwell Orphanage, under the presidency of its founder, Rev. Dr. Jacobs, is an institution for the education and technical training of orphan boys and girls. It is located in Clinton, South Carolina. Nine handsome stone cottages house the children. In addition there are school buildings, general dining hall, Industrial and Technical schools, library and shops. A farm of an hundred acres gives the boys opportunity for learning that business.

These orphans represent fifteen different States—(every Southern State) and their parentage was of eleven different denominations of Christians. They are received at the tender age of six, and after being taught to take care of themselves, go out to lucrative situations.

The cost of support is comparatively small. Five dollars will board, clothe and school a boy or girl for a month. This could not be done, were it not that the young people are a busy set and practice self-help. The money that cares for them is that which each benevolent individual gives, as moved by his own heart, or the Father of all. There is not a State in the Union that does not contribute. No one compels. No one is responsible for their support. Often, there is but a day's supply ahead; but never, in the 25 years of its existence, has there been want. He that says: "I am the Father of the fatherless," seems to have a hand in this. And what of you?

#### From the Reports

Of the dealers in this city, we think no proprietary medicine has a larger sale than Pain Killer. Its valuable properties as a speedy cure for pain cannot fail to be generally appreciated, in case of accident, or sudden attack of dysentery, diarrhoea, cholera morbus.—Montreal Star. Avoid substitutes, there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis'. Price 25c. and 50c.

#### Utopia Does.

The quarterly meeting convened at New Chapel last Saturday and Sunday, church business transacted and some very fine sermons preached. The Missionary Rally Day is to be there on the 4th Sunday of this month. Everybody is invited to attend.

On Tuesday, November 7th, we took the train at Silver Street for Columbia. Well, of course, we enjoyed ourselves while at the capital. We saw "George" on Friday and took the train at Newberry and went all the way up to Old Town. There I met with pleasure my good friend's, Messrs. Hagood Clary, Jno. R. Hopp, Jno. Coleman and C. C. Crouch. On Saturday afternoon, my good old friend, C. C. Crouch, and I pulled out for Leesville, going via Denney's cross roads, Mt. Willing and Batesburg. At Mt. Willing we saw our friends Padgett & Riley and at Leesville we were the guests of Rev. Mr. Joab Edwards's family. We arrived there about 9 o'clock Saturday evening and as they were expecting us they awaited supper. Now in reality they were strangers to me, but not seemingly so, for I have never been to a place where I was treated more courteously in my life. Early Sunday morning we went over to Prof. L. B. Haynes, and then to the Methodist Sunday school, and in the afternoon to the Baptist church and enjoyed an excellent sermon preached by Rev. Wilkins, and in the evening to the Lutheran church and listened to another fine sermon by Rev. Kinard. I'm almost in love with the entire place. I have never been anywhere during my whole career and treated more courteously; and, they may rest assured I am the one to enjoy and appreciate their hospitalities. Leesville is the finest place in the world, and they certainly have a magnificent school and the young people are brought up under good Christian influence. We left there, though with regret, about half past nine o'clock, coming back via Delmar high school, Kinard's store, etc., and arrived at Old Town at 2 o'clock Monday morning. This visit to Leesville was a period of grand enjoyment and will ever bring fond recollections to our memories. We spent a "merry night at Mr. G. M. Werts", and returned home Tuesday. Let's hear from big four up at Old Town. We think they could get up some good dots if they would.

A Utopia Lad.

Nov. 16, 1899.

#### WHEELER WILL STAY IN ARMY.

What He Would Advise Congress To Do On First Day.

Manila, Nov. 20.—Gen. Wheeler has decided not to return for congress. He is writing a letter to President McKinley, with a request that it be forwarded to the house of representatives. In the course of an interview with a correspondent of the Associated Press, he said:

"Congress if it occupies the first day of the session in passing a resolution declaring in unmistakable terms that the sovereignty of the United States is to be maintained in the Philippines, thus dispelling Aguinaldo's delusion that the anti-imperialists can assist him, will be performing a sacred duty. Such a resolution would save the lives of many American soldiers and thousands of deluded Filipinos, would avert famine, suffering and desolation from these islands and would render unnecessary the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars."

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COFFEE JUMPING HIGH.

Bubonic Plague Will Make Breakfast Tables Expensive.

New York, Nov. 20.—Coffee was sensationally advanced today, largely on account of the bubonic plague reports. The market opened at a rise of 20 to 25 points, soon followed by an additional gain of five points. The sales were extraordinarily large. It is argued that as the plague is at Santos that port will be quarantined against which will prevent the shipment of coffee.

#### Not Dealing in Futures.

(Chicago News.)

"What do you charge for a bath?" asked a seedy individual his J. entered the barber shop.

"Twenty-five cents," replied the tonsorial artist, "but you can have five tickets for \$1."

"No; I don't want five said the s. i. "I might not live that many years."