

North Newburg Farmers' Club.
A pleasant meeting of the above club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Rippey, Feb. 11th.

The president and vice-president being absent, F. M. Whelan was elected president pro tem. Meeting was called to order and the exercises were opened by a solo and chorus, followed by devotional exercises. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Leon and Frankie Moore favored the club with a solo and chorus entitled, "You promised to keep me," and the dinner hour being near the meeting was adjourned.

After dinner the exercises were opened by a solo by J. S. Lemon.

"What shall we, as farmers, raise to receive the most profit," a well prepared paper by Ed. Holsington, brought out a long discussion, some thinking that hay and wheat would be the best paying crops.

A. D. Topping had a very interesting paper on, "Are we, as farmers, maintaining the fertility of our soil?" He thought the farmers of today were raising crops that took more fertility from the land than they were able to replace.

Select reading by Miss Fannie Card and a solo by Mrs. Felton were followed by a recitation entitled, "Beauties of Autumn," by Miss Ethel Rippey.

"Is it always best to strive for an ideal life?" a paper by Mrs. Geo. Lemon, and a recitation by little Laura Lemon, "What the choir said about her bonnet," were highly appreciated, as was a solo by Leon Moore.

"Should Sunday excursions be encouraged?" was answered by Mrs. J. W. Morris. She thought no Christian should encourage or take part in a Sunday excursion. A recitation by Master Willie Lemon followed.

The roll call showed every family represented. The question of sowed corn was discussed, after which the male quartette furnished a piece of music entitled, "When you see the angels stand." A declamation by Louis Holsington concluded the program and as there was time to spare, the question box was introduced. After spending a few minutes in answering the questions prepared, the club adjourned to meet with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whelan in March.

MONNIE LEMON.

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May Festival.

The annual May festival is to be held in Ann Arbor on May 15, 14 and 15. There are five concerts in all, the following soloists taking part: Sopranos, Madame Calve, Frances Dunton Wood; contraltos, Katharine Bloodgood, Jennie May Spencer; tenors, J. H. McKinley, Barron Berthold; baritone, Campanari; basses, Heinrich, Meyn. The soloists have not been arranged definitely as to their place on the programs of the different concerts. The first concert is Thursday evening, May 13th and a miscellaneous program has been arranged. Rossini's "Stabat Mater" which is sung by the Choral Union, will make up part of the program. Friday afternoon will be given up to a symphony concert. On Friday evening it is expected that Calve, the famous operatic singer, will make her first appearance before the Ann Arbor audience. She will undoubtedly give selections from Carmen and other operas she has made famous. An orchestral matinee is on for Saturday afternoon. The final concert Saturday evening will be given over to the rendition of Max Bruch's magnificent oratorio, "Arminius" by the Choral Union. The chorus, consisting of 300 voices will be assisted by the Boston Festival orchestra and the several soloists, all under the direction of Prof. Stanley.

The Boston Festival orchestra will assist at each concert, together with the several soloists above mentioned. The society has gone to great expense (about \$10,000) in preparing for the festival, some of the soloists commanding as high as \$1500, for one concert. The festivals are getting better and better every year, and it is only a question of a very short time when Ann Arbor will be recognized as the musical center of the West. Great credit is due Prof. Stanley, and others connected with the society, in bringing such an array of musical talent to our city.—Ann Arbor Register.

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The chewing gum habit will surely be given up by all girls when they learn that the incessant chewing is sure to make them look old before their time. It is claimed by eminent physicians that the constant and unnatural exercise of the facial muscles, such as is required in the use of gum, will not only ruin the shape of the mouth, but will cause wrinkles to appear in a short time.

The March Century is to be an "Inauguration Number," devoted especially to articles on life in the White House and at the Capitol, illustrated with a great number of interesting pictures, including two new portraits of Major McKinley and of President Cleveland at his desk,—all from photographs taken especially for The Century. A large edition will be printed. The interest in The Century's serials, "Campaigning with Grant" and "Hugh Wayne, Free Quaker," is so great that both the January and February numbers went out of print almost immediately upon issue.

Jubilee Quintette Rally.

The Quintette of Jubilee Singers from Nashville, Tenn., including Mrs. Ella Sheppard Moore, one of the original Jubilee Singers who sang before Queen Victoria, will sing at the Congregational church Tuesday evening, March 2, to assist in raising funds for the work and debt of the American Missionary Association.

This Quintette consists of Mrs. Ella S. Moore and Miss Lincoln Haynes, soprano; Miss Agnes Haynes, contralto; Rev. E. E. Scott, tenor; Rev. A. C. Garner, bass, who sang with such sweetness at the Jubilee Meeting of the A. M. A. in Boston. They themselves are living illustrations of the uplifting work of the A. M. A. Their songs include old favorites, "Steal Away to Jesus," "My Way is Cloudy," "Swing Low Sweet Chariot," etc. Their songs will be interspersed with short addresses on life and work in the south and work of the A. M. A.

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Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF SHIawassee, In a session of the Probate Court for the county of Shiawassee, held at the Probate Office, in the city of Corunna, on Monday the 15th day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

In the matter of the estate of Martin Welch, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of George E. Welch praying amongst other things, for the probate of the instrument now filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he be appointed administrator with the will annexed of said estate.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday the 15th day of March next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law, said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held at the Probate Office, in the city of Corunna and show cause, if any there be why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to be published in THE TIMES, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county of Shiawassee for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. MATTHEW B. H. Judge of Probate.

By KATHERINE E. KEISLEY, Probate Register.

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Obituary.
Died, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Simpson, of Kerby, Mich., Feb. 12, 1896, Mrs. Eliza Cameron, age 75 years.
Mrs. Cameron was born in Nelson, Ont., and removed with her family to Michigan 30 years ago and settled on a farm one-half mile west of Judds Corners, where she resided until the death of her husband, after which she removed to Judds Corners, and remained until the death of a daughter, Miss Lizzie, two years ago, since which she has made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Simpson.
In character Mrs. Cameron was of the finest, and most highly principled with a good sense of honor, a lovely disposition, and endured her last sickness with great patience. She was tenderly cared for by four loving daughters. Mrs. Cameron was a faithful member of the M. E. church for many years.

Mrs. Cameron leaves three sons, Henry Cameron, of Hillman, Mich., Daniel Cameron, of Helling, Mich., Will Cameron, of Chelsea, Wisconsin, and four daughters, Mrs. Ruben Lane, of Manotoba, Mrs. Lemuel Smedley, of Vernon, Mich., Mrs. Charles Simpson, of Kerby, Mich., and Miss Sarah Cameron, of Hazelton, Mich.; a number of grand children, five brothers, nephews, nieces, and a large circle of friends, all of whom will sadly miss her.
The funeral services were held at the M. E. church, at Judds Corners, Monday at eleven o'clock. Burial in the Flushing cemetery beside the husband she has mourned fourteen years, and two sons, Johnnie and Wellington, and two daughters, Misses Lizzie and Emma. M. M.

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