

Kewaskum Statesman.

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GEO. NUGENT, Editor.

THE SUPREME COURT APPOINTMENT.

The vacancy on the bench of the supreme court caused by the resignation of Associate Justice Pinney has been filled by the appointment of Joshua E. Dodge of Milwaukee, much to the surprise of the legal profession, which was with the exception of the Milwaukee bar, generally in favor of the appointment of Judge Gilson of Fond du Lac. From the beginning it seemed to be settled that Judge Gilson would receive the appointment. Then it was announced that the Milwaukee bar laid claim to the place on the ground that the Cream City had not had a member of the court for nearly twenty years. The governor announced that if the bar of the county would agree on a candidate he might be appointed; and finally, after the bar had chosen W. H. Timlin as its candidate, the appointment was suddenly given to Mr. Dodge. There is only the question of locality raised against the appointment that has been made, as Mr. Dodge is an excellent lawyer and will undoubtedly make a good judge. It is urged by the Milwaukee lawyers that he has no claim to be called a Milwaukee man, since he has resided there but a very short time and that he should really be credited to Racine, which has until late been his home. Added to that, Racine already had one member of the court, associate Justice Winslow, and could hardly expect to have another. It is on this account that the bar of Milwaukee feels that the appointment has fallen in the wrong place, and that its voice has been entirely ignored. The appointment only holds good until next April, when there will have to be an election of a judge to fill the unexpired term of three years. Already it is announced by those not satisfied with the appointment that the bar will have a candidate to present to the people, and that will mean a contest between Judge Dodge and the new candidate. Such a thing is much to be deplored, since it will bring about an acrimonious contest, and one almost as bad as a political fight. Indeed in one view of the case, a personal fight for a judgeship may be even worse than a political fight, since the people have a way of their own for defeating the schemes of politicians when they aim at the courts. The contest next spring can hardly be partisan, for Judge Dodge is a Democrat and was appointed to succeed a Democrat, so as to keep the balance of parties in the court as nearly as possible. Gov. Scofield announced that it was to be a Democratic appointment and that he was anxious to have the leaders of the Democratic party in the state agree on who should receive it, after which, without waiting for such agreement or giving any time for a conference of any kind, he hastily announced his appointment. All the other candidates mentioned for the place were Democrats and all good men, all fully the equal of the one who received the appointment.

Whether there will be a candidate in opposition to Judge Dodge next spring or not will probably depend on the Democratic portion of the bar of the state, since Republican lawyers can hardly be expected to take any part in the movement unless they have a grievance. At present the grievance is confined to the Milwaukee and perhaps the Fond du Lac bar, but those two localities are not the whole state and cannot expect to control the bar of Wisconsin in such a matter. Much will also depend on the record that the new justice makes on the bench. If he proves to be an efficient member of the court the bar of the state will not feel like taking up a personal fight against him, a contest that will not be so much personal to himself as to Gov. Scofield. In fact, all the ill feeling expressed in the matter is toward the governor and not toward the judge. The Milwaukee bar claims that it did not receive courteous usage at the hands of the governor, and there is apparently a very good show of reason for the complaint. But that is all past and gone and there is considerable time between now and April for hot heads to get cool. Judge Dodge is in the prime of life and in vigorous health. With his abilities he may be expected to develop into such an admirable member of the supreme court as to disarm the present opposition. His record thus far is good. He was assistant attorney-general during 4 years of the Cleveland administration and proved himself equal to the responsibilities of the place, winning hearty commendations from the supreme court and eminent lawyers of both parties. He is but 44 years old and has many years of active life and vigor before him. If he proves to be a good judge he should not be punished because Gov. Scofield did not do exactly the right thing in the manner of his appointment.

NEW PROSPECT NOTES.

More snow.

Jacob Mueller had a wood-sawing bee Monday.

Adolph Blackmore of Osceola was a caller here Wednesday.

Peter Mueller of Saukville called on relatives and friends here Sunday.

Peter Uelman, Jr., who has been working in Fond du Lac for the past 2 years, returned home Sunday.

The Billville Meeting.

In the meeting here at Billville (We was feelin' full an' fine), To settle every question In the financial line. The silverbugs an' goldbugs, By turns they took the stand, With a beatin' of the benches An' the playin' of the band. The marshal, he kept order, But 'twas lively when the mayor Declared he ruled the country An' was bound to take the chair! But the sheriff was ambitious, An' he rushed up from the door, An' then the chair was broken, An' the mayor he took the floor. Then up he jumps, the grocerman— Saying "These here accounts I hold Agin you Billville citizens, Must all be paid in gold!" An' then a 6-foot silver man, Or maybe six foot four, Laid hold of that 'ere grocerman An' pitched him out the door! An' then there was a riot, An' while we fit an' fust The militia rushed in an' put The lamps an' meetin' out. —Admiral Constitution.

Speaking Clocks.

In Switzerland they have commenced making both phonographic clocks and watches, which leave anything heretofore accomplished far in the shade. By merely pressing the button of the new timepiece it pronounces the hour distinctly. The alarms call to the sleeper, "It's 6 o'clock; get up!" There are some which even add the words, "Now, don't go to sleep again!" The form can be changed to suit the buyer and make the warning more or less emphatic. This application of the phonographic principle is due to a French watchmaker settled at Geneva. He introduces into both clocks and watches little slabs of vulcanized rubber, on which the desired words are traced.—Moniteur de la Bijouterie.

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CAMPBELLSPORT CULLINGS.

Dr. E. J. Orvis of Oakfield called here last Saturday.

Mrs. Riley of Chicago is visiting Mrs. M. Campbell.

Nathan Haessly of Theresa was here on the 18th inst.

Jos. Regner of West Bend made a business call here Monday.

Mrs. Hauser of Lorima called on Mrs. L. C. Kohler last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hendricks and son Ray spent last Saturday at Fond du Lac.

The dance in Guenther's hall last Thursday night was a social and financial success.

W. C. Cisco has returned home, after spending a month with relatives and friends in Nebraska.

Mrs. John Schmitt of Wabena, Wood county, attended the funeral of the late Charlotte Schmalz on the 18th inst. and returned to Wabena last Monday morning.

The regular monthly meeting of the directors of the Campbellsport mutual fire insurance company was held on the 3d inst., and the company proved to be in a very prosperous condition. The reserve fund is nearly \$5,500 now, with all losses paid. The company has insurance rated at nearly a million dollars. The rates are but 1/2 per cent of stock company ratings at that.

NEWFARE NEWS.

Mrs. George Braun spent a few days of last week in Milwaukee.

August Klug spent from last Wednesday until today at Milwaukee.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Math. Schladweiler is seriously ill.

The door-yard of Hy. Pirks has been leveled up and greatly improved thereby.

Mr. and Mrs. John Okenfels and children from Kewaskum called on the John Marx family Sunday.

Henry Ketter and wife and son went to Milwaukee last Tuesday to attend the wedding of a son there.

Jac. Schladweiler, who has been working near West Bend the past summer is under the parental roof.

The anniversary of the birth of John Pesch was celebrated at his home on the 18th inst., when dancing was indulged in and the occasion greatly enjoyed.

Oscar Groeschel, who had been hauling cream from this vicinity to Kewaskum for some time, has been succeeded by Nic. Remmel, who formerly had the route.

A party was held at the home of Mrs. Jos. Dworschack on the night of the 17th inst., on the occasion of the 22d anniversary of the birth of her guest, Susan Fellenz. About sixty people were present and dancing was the chief amusement. A delightful supper was served at about midnight and the affair throughout proved highly enjoyable.

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For a good, reliable watch or clock call on Braunwarth, the West Bend jeweler and optician. A 20-years' experience in the jewelry trade, as he has had, will surely be of service to you in selecting a time-piece that will make you happy. He has watches from the cheapest to the highest price manufactured. The prices are reasonable.

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The letter G furnishes us a curious bit of orientalism. Its Hebrew name is gimmel, camel, from the resemblance of the Hebrew character to the head and neck of that animal. The character was thus almost certainly derived from a picture of that animal, which, reduced to a hieroglyphic and then simplified, still distinctly indicates the shape of the head and neck of the beast of burden familiar to every dweller in eastern lands.

The crosses on the English royal crowns were introduced by Richard I during his short and turbulent reign. The arches of the diadem were added by Henry VII in 1482.

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Table with columns for station names and times for various routes including Milwaukee, Racine, and Fond du Lac.

LAONICAL LOCALS.

Stock fair next Wednesday.

George Abel visited his sister at Cascade last Sunday.

Julius Dreher has recovered from a few weeks' siege of typhoid fever.

Prof. Borchart of Fond du Lac called on the M. Rosenheimer family last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Noworatzky visited the Durashack family at New-fane last Sunday.

Chas. Raether, who had been in North Dakota since last April, returned home last Saturday.

Timothy Foley, formerly proprietor of the Hartford Times, was here Wednesday on insurance business.

Chas. Weinberger of the town of Scott was here Tuesday and purchased a feed cooker of Nic. Remmel.

Emil, the 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Koehler, accidentally broke his arm above the wrist last Monday.

The railroad water-tank has been repaired by a gang of the company's men, who put some new iron bands around it.

Chas. Barwig of the wholesale liquor firm of Barwig Bros. at Mayville, called on the trade here last Wednesday.

Wm. Koehler, who is on the police force in Milwaukee, spent Sunday with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. John Koehler.

Skating on the mill-pond and lower portion of the river is splendid and our young people are taking advantage of it.

Rev. Grunewald will give instructions in catechism every Friday forenoon hereafter, in the school room of the new church.

Chas. Strobel, who is in the employ of the Wisconsin Telephone Co. as a lineman, was home from Milwaukee on Sunday.

H. J. Eberharter, furniture dealer and undertaker, sells pianos, organs and sewing machines at lowest prices and gives full warranty with them.

A turkey shoot and poultry rifle will be held at the Kewaskum house on Dec. 4th, commencing at 1 p. m. Free turkey lunch at 6 p. m.

NOTICE.—We have a Keystone de-horning clipper, and all parties desiring to de-horn should call on or address FORD BROS., Kewaskum, Wis.

Lehman Rosenheimer, who attends the state university at Madison, and John Miller of the Oshkosh normal, spent Thanksgiving at home here.

Mrs. Louis Lesselyoung and children arrived from Fond du Lac last Wednesday for a few weeks' visit with her brother Wm. Koepke and family.

Chris. Kierig of Elmore has postponed his dance from Nov. 27th till some later date, owing to the fact that tomorrow will be the first Sunday in advent.

Wm. Wahling, who sold his farm in the town of Wayne recently, moved into the second story of Dr. G. P. Brandt's house, on Fond du Lac avenue, last Monday.

The Camas flower medicine tincture, which started a series of entertainments in Schneider's hall last Saturday night, left Tuesday without filling out their week's engagement.

Mrs. Adolph Rosenheimer and daughter Belinda, Mrs. H. J. Lay and daughter Mathilda, Misses Elizabeth Hausmann and Thekla Backhaus spent yesterday in Milwaukee.

The dance given by our hook and ladder firemen last Thursday night was a social and financial success. A large crowd was present and dancing was kept up until an early hour the next morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Schaefer entertained a number of friends at their home last Tuesday evening on the occasion of the 26th anniversary of Wm. Schulz's birth, and all had a very pleasant time.

Adolph Rosenheimer's new residence is now being painted by G. B. Wright, but the interior carpentering is not finished yet, as the stairs, etc., have not arrived from Milwaukee, where they are being made.

Albert Koepke and wife from Milbank, S. D., arrived Wednesday for a few weeks' visit with the Nic. Guth, Sr., family here and Mr. Koepke's folks at New Cassel. Albert is a brother of our school principal, Gustave Koepke.

The turkey shoot held by N. J. Mertens on Thanksgiving was well attended, and over 50 of the fowl were won at target shooting, card playing, etc. The turkey lunch at 5 p. m. was excellent, and the whole affair passed off pleasantly.

Peter Bonesho, formerly of Ashford but now living in Milwaukee, expects to be employed as a merchant's policeman in the Cream City soon.

Miss Amanda Kauffing of this place and Geo. Pfeiffer of Milwaukee were married last Wednesday at Rev. Geo. Schneider of Wauwatosa. The couple left on the 2:30 train for Milwaukee, where they will reside. Hearty congratulations, George!

Mrs. Wilhelmine Schroeder, who had been ill for six months or more, passed away in death last Sunday at 2:20 p. m., in her 60th year. The deceased was born at Allecular, Prussia, Germany. Her parents immigrated with her to America in 1859 and settled at Barton. She married John Schroeder in 1859 at St. Michaels, Rev. Roehrl officiating. Eleven children were born to them, nine of whom survive—Adam of Barton, Theo., Joe and Carrie (Mrs. Charles Koepke) of Milwaukee, John of West Bend, Mary (Mrs. Alex. Wilson) of Hartland; Peter, Julia and Anna at home. The funeral took place last Wednesday with services at the Catholic church.

There is good skating on the river here and all we now lack of being in the throes of winter is a few inches of snow.

Miss Clara Huecker, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Huecker of this place, was married to Jacob Schroeten Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Reform church, with the bride's father officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Elizabeth Hausmann of Kewaskum and Miss Annie Hartman of Milwaukee, while the groomsmen were his brother Peter and the bride's brother Carl. The bride wore a white nun's veiling dress decorated with smilax. A tulle veil was fastened with her diamond engagement ring, and she carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Her maids both wore white organdies and carried bouquets of red roses and carnations. Miss Olga Wedde presided at the organ and played a renowned wedding march as the bridal party entered the church. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was served to relatives and a few intimate friends. The couple departed, amid a shower of rice, for Holton, Kas., for a 3-weeks visit with the groom's brother. Our wish is that their future days may not be so stormy as their wedding day.

ST. MICHAELS MITEs. Peter Dricken has bought a fine organ for his daughter Mary.

G. B. Wright of Kewaskum was a caller in our burg last Saturday.

Peter Fellenz and wife Sundayed with the Hahn family at New Cassel.

G. P. V. B. of Jersey called on his sweetheart K. S. here last week.

Nic. and Math Schneider made a business trip to Dundee last Saturday.

Gertrude Schneider is employed at the home of Mrs. K. Schumler who is on the sick list.

Miss Margaret Herriges left for Mt. Herod to keep house for her brother Rev. John Herriges.

Fred Behnke, Sr., has moved onto the Dresher farm, which he rented, in the town of Mitchell.

Alfred Niebblor and sister Ella of Boltonville spent Sunday at the home of Miss Helen Jung here.

The duck shoot at Phillip Fellenz's place last Sunday was not well attended on of account bad weather.

Mathias Herriges had the misfortune of losing a horse last Tuesday, which got hurt in a wire fence some time ago.

George Schmidt and family have moved onto the farm that he bought of Math. Beisler. It is located 1/2-mile south of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fellenz went to Cadott last Saturday to spend a few weeks with their daughters there, Mrs. Nic. Roden and Mrs. Frank Wilhelm.

The concert which was held in the parish school hall Tuesday night by the choir of the congregation was not well attended, owing to the storm. Two pictures presented by Rev. Muenzer were raffled, and Nic. Thull, Jr., won one and Jacob Meeth the other.

ASHFORD ACTIONS. Herman Knar is sojourning in the Cream City.

Mrs. Celia Dreikosen returned to Milwaukee last Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Fleischmann, who has been very sick this week, is now convalescing.

Quite a number of our young people attended the dance at Brownsville on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleischmann spent several days of last week visiting relatives at Fond du Lac.

Joe Berg returned to Shawano last Monday, after spending the summer with his uncle Joe Serwe.

Miss Gertrude Netzing spent a week visiting at her home in Boltonville and returned here Sunday.

Messrs. Michael Muel, John Dreikosen, Wm. Jaeger and Leonard Hall departed for Merrill last Monday, where they will work in the woods this winter.

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT. Holiday goods have already been placed in our store. They are grander than ever before and consist of diamonds, watches, jewelry, rings, silverware, etc. Don't fail to inspect our magnificent holiday stock! You will find our prices right and the goods as represented. Respectfully,

19-26 B. BRAUNWARTH, West Bend.

BARTON BARDS.

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Miss Clara Huecker, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Huecker of this place, was married to Jacob Schroeten Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Reform church, with the bride's father officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Elizabeth Hausmann of Kewaskum and Miss Annie Hartman of Milwaukee, while the groomsmen were his brother Peter and the bride's brother Carl. The bride wore a white nun's veiling dress decorated with smilax. A tulle veil was fastened with her diamond engagement ring, and she carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Her maids both wore white organdies and carried bouquets of red roses and carnations. Miss Olga Wedde presided at the organ and played a renowned wedding march as the bridal party entered the church. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was served to relatives and a few intimate friends. The couple departed, amid a shower of rice, for Holton, Kas., for a 3-weeks visit with the groom's brother. Our wish is that their future days may not be so stormy as their wedding day.

ST. MICHAELS MITEs. Peter Dricken has bought a fine organ for his daughter Mary.

G. B. Wright of Kewaskum was a caller in our burg last Saturday.

Peter Fellenz and wife Sundayed with the Hahn family at New Cassel.

G. P. V. B. of Jersey called on his sweetheart K. S. here last week.

Nic. and Math Schneider made a business trip to Dundee last Saturday.

Gertrude Schneider is employed at the home of Mrs. K. Schumler who is on the sick list.

Miss Margaret Herriges left for Mt. Herod to keep house for her brother Rev. John Herriges.

Fred Behnke, Sr., has moved onto the Dresher farm, which he rented, in the town of Mitchell.

Alfred Niebblor and sister Ella of Boltonville spent Sunday at the home of Miss Helen Jung here.

The duck shoot at Phillip Fellenz's place last Sunday was not well attended on of account bad weather.

Mathias Herriges had the misfortune of losing a horse last Tuesday, which got hurt in a wire fence some time ago.

George Schmidt and family have moved onto the farm that he bought of Math. Beisler. It is located 1/2-mile south of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fellenz went to Cadott last Saturday to spend a few weeks with their daughters there, Mrs. Nic. Roden and Mrs. Frank Wilhelm.

The concert which was held in the parish school hall Tuesday night by the choir of the congregation was not well attended, owing to the storm. Two pictures presented by Rev. Muenzer were raffled, and Nic. Thull, Jr., won one and Jacob Meeth the other.

ASHFORD ACTIONS. Herman Knar is sojourning in the Cream City.

Mrs. Celia Dreikosen returned to Milwaukee last Saturday.

Miss Lizzie Fleischmann, who has been very sick this week, is now convalescing.

Quite a number of our young people attended the dance at Brownsville on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleischmann spent several days of last week visiting relatives at Fond du Lac.

Joe Berg returned to Shawano last Monday, after spending the summer with his uncle Joe Serwe.

Miss Gertrude Netzing spent a week visiting at her home in Boltonville and returned here Sunday.

Messrs. Michael Muel, John Dreikosen, Wm. Jaeger and Leonard Hall departed for Merrill last Monday, where they will work in the woods this winter.

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT. Holiday goods have already been placed in our store. They are grander than ever before and consist of diamonds, watches, jewelry, rings, silverware, etc. Don't fail to inspect our magnificent holiday stock! You will find our prices right and the goods as represented. Respectfully,

19-26 B. BRAUNWARTH, West Bend.

LETTER FROM FOREST FIRE REGION.

A letter has been received by Mrs. M. Rosenheimer from Wm. Ruseh of Barton county thanking her and other ladies here who made up a contribution of clothing, etc., to be distributed among the unfortunate who lost in the forest fire up there last September. Mr. Rauch, who has charge of the distribution of such contributions, is well known in this country. He conducted a general store at Addison Center from 1876 to 1883 and was a member of the county board five terms. His experience in the forest fire is given in his letter written at Poskin Lake under date of Nov. 14, as follows:

As promised in a former letter, I will endeavor to outline my experience in the forest fire that swept over this country—especially Barton county and vicinity—and wiped out so many homes and destroyed so much property.

NARROWLY ESCAPED BEING BURNED ALIVE.

On the 27th of September, a couple of days after my son-in-law and a friend arrived from Buffalo Lake, Minn., for a visit, they wanted to see our county seat, Barton. It was a fine day, and as we were nearly out of flour my wife suggested that I might take a grist to mill and show our visitors the country. The fire had then been raging south of us for several days, but our hope was that its seat was on the opposite side of the railroad. However, we had hardly reached Barton, about 6 1/2 miles away, when the wind raised and turned directly south. I left my companions in the mill, went to the mill and was hurrying for home when I was informed that the bridge we had come across, within 1/2-mile of Barton, was afire and the whole woods burning so as to render it impossible for me to proceed. Still my wife was homebound, as I feared the fire would cross the railroad and destroy my property. Someone told me that I could go 4 miles north, strike the Cumberland road and get home that way, so my 2 friends and I tried it. We went north all right, but the fire was burning on the west side. When we had went about 3 miles we could not see any fire, but when we got to the corners to turn west we only proceeded about 160 rods farther when we noticed the fire crossing the road, burning trees on either side of the road. We stopped and I went to see how large a radius the fire swept but had only proceeded 15 rods when my friends shouted that the fire was behind us. They turned the wagon around, and as I jumped in to save myself, I was struck by a mad gallop for about 3 rods and just got out in time to save our lives, as we would have smothered had the distance been greater. As we whirled over the hell-like track of fire and smoke on our heads, our companions made our dash for life doubly terrible by continuously shouting "Oh, my God, we are lost; have mercy on my wife and children!" We were more dead than alive when we escaped, and on the whole this incident of my experience at least is one which I shall never forget.

BARRED FROM HOME BY FIRE.

I was now entirely shut off from home, so we went back to Barton, where I went to the telegraph office and learned that 3,700 cords of wood piled at Poskin Lake was afire and the whole village was up to burn up, also that the fire had crossed the railroad. I then determined to walk up the track alone and endeavor to reach home, despite the contrary advice of friends. At about 1/2-mile out I struck the fire and smoked, but as the woods were not thick I stood it and went on until I reached a telegraph crew boss on a velocipede and with whom I rode along through heat and smoke in the dark. As burning trees on either side of the track lighted the way we pumped on until we reached some of his men who were keeping the telegraph line up by saving the poles from the flames, but they said we could go no farther. After stopping a short time, however, the Lord seemed to favor us, as it began to rain and soon showered quite heavily. A big fellow in the crew then volunteered to lead on while we followed in the rear ready to rescue him in case he should fall. In this way we proceeded through to the wood pile afire this side of Poskin Lake. Here I was near home but still shut off by the burning wood-pile ahead and the fiery woods at either side. After sizing up the situation I finally concluded to run through the fire and ashes at the south side of the wood pile, where the flames had subsided, and I thus succeeded in reaching the track ahead.

SAFE AT HOME.

At Poskin Lake a big crew of men had gathered and saved the village. Luckily the wind had changed a little to the southwest and led the fire from my place, which joins the village limits. I got home at 10 p. m. and found my family safe, for which we thanked God. Next day the fire had nearly surrounded us, as everybody set back fires to save their property, though it proved wrong and caused the most danger, as the wind changed and the fires burned property which otherwise would have been safe, so we were kept in constant danger for a week. Then a Godsend came in the shape of a soaking rain, which lasted nearly a whole week and quenched the fire entirely.

While this great forest fire did inestimable damage, it also cleared the country of underbrush and big timber, so that farming is now comparatively easy here.

WM. RUSEH.

KOHLVILLE ITEMS.

Did you enjoy your Thanksgiving dinner?

Math. Marx of Lomira visited relatives here last Sunday.

Casper Straub of St. Kilian transacted business here Tuesday.

J. Hamann made a business trip to the Cream City last Wednesday.

Herman Thielke and family from Mayville spent last Sunday with J. Hamm and family here.

Some of our young folks attended the opening dance in Zimmer's hall at Allenton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Illian and their daughter Mignon, also Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ruefnacht, spent Sunday with Fred Menger and family at Wayne.

TO THE PUBLIC.

We have just adopted a system for crushing corn in the ear. Bring in your ear corn, and we assure you that we will give satisfaction at reasonable prices. Awaiting your patronage we remain yours as usual,

WM. PREIN & SONS, New Cassel.

COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

(Continued from last week.)

At the session on the 17th inst. a resolution was adopted appointing Andrew Schmidt superintendent of public property and appropriating \$900 for his use.

Committees on general and court claims reported a lot of bills. Chris. Herman was elected as superintendent of the poor. Chas. Koelle was elected as court-house janitor.

On the 18th inst. G. W. Jones was elected a trustee of the insane asylum, also Chas. Leins and Jos. Ott. The janitor's salary was fixed at \$480. It was resolved to have 1,000 copies of the proceedings printed in pamphlet form at a cost not to exceed 6c a copy. Committee on general claims reported a lot of bills. School Supt. Derser's report was received and filed. Reports from the clerk, treasurer and district attorney were referred to proper committees.

On the 19th inst. \$220 was appropriated for stationary for county offices. Committee on general claims reported a lot of bills, also the committee on court claims. Treasurer Guth presented his bond and it was referred to the proper committee.

(To be continued next week.)

WAYNE WATINGS.

It was 4° above 0 here Wednesday.

Jacob Batzler returned from a trip to Appleton last Monday.

Albert Abel succeeded in exterminating 5 skunks last Wednesday.

Mrs. Otto Schmidt and daughter spent Sunday with the Foerster family.

John Emmer is serving as a jurymen at the fall term of court at West Bend.

J. M. Martin and wife from Kewaskum called on his parents here Sunday.

Geo. Petri attended a meeting of the cheese board at Fond du Lac last Monday.

John Braun of Jackson spent Sunday here visiting his cousins, Henry and John Braun.

Chas. Brandt, Henry Petri and H. Martin transacted business at the county seat Tuesday.

Miss Dullea, teacher of our public school, spent Thanksgiving with her parents at Boltonville.

Peter Werner and wife from Little Cedar Lake called on Henry Martin and family here Sunday.

Laura Abel has returned to Cascade, after spending two weeks under the parental roof here.

Misses Elizabeth Hausmann and Thekla Backhaus from Kewaskum called on Rosa Petri here Sunday.

Boys, prepare for a charivari! You will have occasion to rally in the western part of the township soon.

Stephen Long and wife from Newburg spent Sunday here visiting his father-in-law Simon Hawig and family.

Mrs. Marose and children from Lomira spent a week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Schmidt.

Amrose Donnelly and son Joseph returned home to Olivia, Minn., last Monday, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Clark.

Adam Schrupp, who lives about 2 miles west of here, has found a copper stone which is so heavy that he cannot draw it.

Messrs. Andrew and John Byrne and their sister Maggie returned to Milwaukee last Monday, after attending the wedding of their brother James.

TO CALIFORNIA.

Attention is called to the excellent service of the North-Western line to California and the favorable rates which have been made for single and round-trip tickets for this season's travel. Best accommodations in first-class or tourist sleeping cars, which run through every day in the year. Personally conducted tourist car parties every week to California and Oregon. Choice of a large number of different routes without extra charge.

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Every watch will have a ticket, which will be sealed up in a tin box, said box to be dropped into a bin of flour, which will be drawn off into sacks, and the party lucky enough to buy the sack of flour containing the little box will get a watch free of charge.

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WM. PREIN & SONS.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Barley.....\$26 46

Spring wheat, No. 2..... 26 50

No. 3..... 26 50

Red winter..... 26 50

Bye No. 1..... 45 00

Oats..... 22 00

Butter } Roll, fair to choice..... 12 00

 } Dairies, fair to choice..... 12 00

Eggs..... 20 00

Washed wool..... 22 00

Unwashed wool..... 16 00

Potatoes..... 25 00

Beans..... 100 00

Hay..... 5 00

Red Clover seed..... 3.75 00

White "..... 4.00 00

Hides..... 68 00

Honey..... 6 00

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Ducks..... 36 00

Geese..... 36 00

Turkeys..... 41 00

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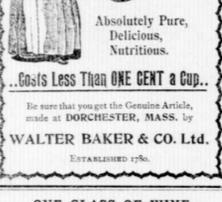
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Creeping Consumption

Do not think for a single moment that consumption will strike you a sudden blow. It does not come that way. It creeps its way along. First, you think it is a little cough; nothing but a little lack of weight; then a little loss in weight; then a little cough; then the fever and the night sweats. The suddenness comes when you have a hemorrhage. Better stop the disease while it is yet creeping. You can do it with

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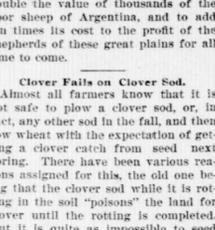
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ONE GLASS OF WINE.

Persons Who Think it Changed the Course of Politics. It is said that a single glass of wine probably wrecked the Democratic party in 1850. The story is worth telling. After the breaking up of the National Democratic convention at Charleston the party in Georgia held a state convention. Great excitement prevailed. The leaders of the party could not agree. It was a critical period.

FARMERS' CORNER

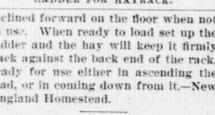
Famous Lincoln Sheep. Fine pastures make fine flocks, and his fine Lincolnshire sheep is reared on the richest pastures of the world, as well as fed on the succulent roots grown on the fertile farms. Recently this sheep has come into the forefront as an improver of the native flocks of Australia and South America, the half-bred mutton making the finest shipping mutton for the English markets. The ram whose portrait is given was purchased from the leading flock in Lincolnshire, England, for the sum of one thousand pounds sterling, and the animal was unquestionably worth



Lincoln Ram Rib. Its destination is to more than double the value of thousands of the poor sheep of Argentina, and to add ten times its cost to the profit of the shepherds of these great plains for all time to come.

Clover Fails on Clover Sod. Almost all farmers know that it is not safe to plow a clover sod, or, in fact, any other sod in the fall, and then sow wheat with the expectation of getting a clover catch from seed next spring. There have been various reasons assigned for this, the old one being that the clover sod while it is rotting in the soil "poisons" the land for clover until the rotting is completed. But it is quite as impossible to seed with clover on any newly plowed sod, and that disposes of the clover-poisoning theory. The true explanation seems to be that when a soil of any kind is decayed under a clover or any other sod, the soil above it falls down, thus destroying the slight hold which the young clover plant has, and obliging it to remain its hold before the leaf wilts and kills the root. Clover will come up well enough on a clover or any other kind of sod, but unless there are almost constant rains during the spring little of it will live. Even a timely seeding does not do well on a newly plowed sod, though in young plants the growing up of the clover is much less in the grass than it is in any kind of clover.

A Paying Device. It is a difficult thing to get on and off a load of hay; and yet both operations are often necessary with each load of hay that is drawn in. Make a light ladder, and use it to get the end of the hay rack, so that it can be



Stone Fences. While the stone fences common in all sections where stone abounds cost nothing for material, and with hard work are therefore within any one's ability to construct, they are not usually very satisfactory. Horned stone soon learn that the top stones can be easily displaced and then the fence can be jumped. The best way to stop jumping is to place a barbed wire over the fence, fastening it to stakes firmly in the ground. It may seem cruel, but the stock must learn not to jump, and they won't get hurt. But when sheep have learned to jump a low stone wall, even a barbed wire over it will not stop them. There must be several wires, so close together that the sheep cannot get their heads between them. That will stop the first sheep, and no one of the flock will try to jump after the leader has turned back.

Remedy for Striped Bug. To save squash and melon vines from attacks from the striped bug, take a small stick or stake, less than two feet long, and run it up the middle of the top of the stalk, slanting to the top of the stalk. This will make a hill. Take a strip of heavy paper one foot long and one inch wide. Double one end and tie a string around it, and the other end of string to stick, so that the lower end of paper will just clear the plants; the passing breeze will keep it fluttering and twisting every minute, and the striped bug never taries when something is moving so close above him.—Practical Farmer.

Preventing Horns from Coming is better than cutting them off after they have most. If when a calf is a few weeks old the head is examined, the place where the horns will appear can be plainly seen. Get a stick of caustic potash and apply it to this spot, first removing the hair, and hold the potash there until it makes a slight sore. There are few or no nerves where the horn is formed, and this sore will not affect the calf injuriously in any way.

Poison to Hogs. Powdered soap, now so largely used by hotels and laundries, are injurious to pigs if fed to them in small. The Cornell school has found that in many cases death resulted from poisoning by the excess of free alkali in soap. Small amounts of powdered soap produce no immediate bad results, but it is not safe to feed the animals. The proper proportion of dish water is the sewer.

Remedy for Fleas. I notice some one asks how to rid a barn of fleas. It seems to be not generally known that what will kill them.

THE HOUSEHOLD

When Papa's Sick. When papa's sick, my goodness aaked the awful, awful times it makes. He speaks in oh! such lonesome tones, And gives such ghastly kind of groans, And rolls his eyes and holds his head, And makes me help him up to bed; While Sis and Bridget try to heat Hot water bags to warm his feet, And I must get the doctor quick— We have to jump when papa's sick.

When papa's sick he has to stand Right side the bed and hold his hand, While Sis she has to fan an fan, And says he's "dyin' man," And wants the children round him, To be there when "sufferin' pa gets through"; He says he wants to say good-by, And kiss us all and then he'll die, Then moans and says his "breathin' thick" It's awful sad when papa's sick.

When papa's sick he acts that way Until he hears the doctor say, "You're all right as a day or so," And then he'll say "I ought to see, He's different as he can be, And growls and swears from noon to night, Just 'cause his dinner ain't cooked right; While Sis and Bridget try to heat Hot water bags to warm his feet, And I must get the doctor quick— We have to jump when papa's sick."

To make a barrel Ottoman saw the barrel in half, after which bind with a hoop, nailing to each stave, and clinching the nails. Be sure the head is firm. Then to cushion use curled hair, or excelsior and over this tack unbleached muslin. Over the muslin place cretonne or whatever the cover is to be, and tack around the edges. Get buttons with metal shanks and with the tuft the seat by boring holes through the head and passing a strong string through the head and stuffing and tying it in a tight knot over a nail to draw the button down into the cushion. Of the same material make a founce for the sides, gathering it on a stout cord, and tacking it fast. The founce should be full enough to hang gracefully and where tacked the edge can be finished by glimp ornamented with large headed upholsterer's tacks.

Odoriferous Feet. Few things are more offensive to their possessor or to the public at large than feet with an odor. It is worth knowing, however, that this trouble may be corrected. The remedy, as given by one who has had occasion to try it, is as follows: Dissolve one-half cup powdered borax in a gallon of hot water, and soak the feet in this from five to twenty-five minutes. Then add one teaspoonful of vinegar. Scrub the feet thoroughly, using a strong soap suds. Rinse with tepid water, then cold, and dry thoroughly, rubbing with a heavy towel.

German Coffee Bread. Cream two-thirds cup of white sugar, one egg and a large spoonful of butter. Work into this one pint of light dough, such as is ready to mold into loaves. The secret of success is in the thorough mixing. The result must be a creamy, smooth loaf, only to be best, sifted over the top a shallow layer of best. Baked in a good oven twenty minutes and eat while warm.

In Ironing erievies. In ironing napkins, fold like tablecloths, with the selvages together, then iron straight up and down with the warp, not across. Fold in strong soap suds, and fold back evenly to the edges. This allows it to open readily. If there is a mottled, fold outside. Fancy folding is a matter of choice, but most private families prefer the ordinary plain fold. Sherry allows but one way, the English pocket to hold the roll.

Coraped Beef Hash. Chop a pint cup of bean, cold corned beef; cut up the same quantity of cold boiled potatoes, with one small onion. Put a large tablespoonful of butter in a frying pan and stand over the fire to melt. Add the potatoes, beans and corned beef, and cook for five minutes, turn in the meat. When well heated pour over a pint and a half of water, season with pepper and salt and stir until well mixed. Take up in a heated dish and serve.

A Sponge Cake. Take five eggs, the weight of four in sugar and the weight of three in flour; mix the eggs and sugar in a basin, and beat them with two forks for a quarter of an hour; then take out the forks, and take a spoon and gently stir in the flour, stirring very gently. Have a small cake tin buttered inside, then pour it in. It takes about half an hour.

Soft Gingerbread. One cup of sour milk, one cup dark rich molasses, one-half cup butter, one-half cup sugar, one egg, one tablespoonful of ginger, two cups bread flour. Cream the butter, molasses and ginger together, add the milk, flour and egg and a pinch of salt, and last the soda dissolved in one tablespoonful of warm water. Bake in shallow pans.

All sorts. If you want to pick a flaw in humanity begin at the men who say women are delusions and snares always snared by delusions? Beggars are unknown in Malabar. The poorest part of the city is the Chinese quarter.

In fifteen years Russia has sent 24,000 prisoners to Siberia, fully 100,000 relatives of prisoners having accompanied the exiles of their own free will.

The chief ingredients in the composition of those quantities that gain esteem and praise are good nature, truth, good sense and good breeding.—Addison.

London is much healthier in summer than in winter. In the third week of January 2,021 deaths were recorded, while in the third week of June the number was only 1,193.

Light, traveling at the rate of 186,000 miles a second, requires eight and one-quarter minutes to come to us from the sun. A railway train, spending day and night, at the rate of sixty miles an hour, would cover a distance as great in 170 days.

GENERAL NEWS.

Admiral Schley received ovation at Frederick, Md., and was given a public reception in the evening, that city in recent years.

Rev. Father Luke Baudenfeld, the oldest priest in the diocese, died at his American residence, at St. Paul's monastery at Pittsburgh after a lingering illness. Father Baudenfeld had been a member of the order fifty-two years.

Mayor Ziegenhain of St. Louis received a telegram from Paragon, Ark., saying that the negro prisoner, who had been on a shooting trip, was seriously ill. Next day he had died just as the special train carrying his father and the surgeon arrived. He died at the age of 200 years.

Charlemagne Tower, the United States minister, and Mrs. Tower have issued invitations to all Americans residing in London for the reception on November 24, Thanksgiving day.

As a result of an accidental explosion at the Port of Portland, Ore., on Oct. 10, George W. Ferguson, a quarryman, is dying, two of his children are dead and another child is dangerously ill. Ferguson was hunting for life to build a fire, and found a powder keg in a hole in the ground. He had attempted to start a fire with it, a loud explosion followed which knocked him down. He was carried to the hospital, but died before the ambulance arrived.

The joint committee of the Senate and House which is looking into postal affairs will convene in Chicago to take up that branch of the inquiry relating to the cost of transporting mail over the railroads, and the Adams postal route.

Atty.-Gen. Monett today filed suits in the Ohio Supreme court against the Solar Refining company and the Ohio Oil company, both of them from Toledo, business in Ohio. Suit is brought under the anti-trust order made by the court in 1902.

The governor of Ohio has made requisition on Gov. Hastings for Frank K. Taylor, in connection with the case which is wanted in Cleveland for child abduction.

The American board of commissioners for foreign missions has received a cablegram from Harport, Eastern Turkey, announcing the arrival there of the Turkish government refused passports upon their departure from Constantinople.

No less than five new sugar companies have been incorporated in the Hawaiian Islands, and two of them are now the output of raw sugar will be increased considerably.

Stuart Knill, head of the firm of John Knill & Co. and lord mayor of London during the year 1892-93, is dead at London. He was born 1824.

A fire which broke out in the shipyards of John H. Starin at West New York, N. J., on Oct. 10, destroyed several buildings and their contents and caused a damage estimated to be about \$100,000.

At Delaware, O., a bloody coupling between a horse and a cow, which resulted in the death of the horse, was reported by John B. Coninger, the wealthy stockman, was picked up by a woman, and placed in the back of a Four tracks, as his pocket had been robbed of \$40 he was known to have.

Settlements for Women. An important experiment will shortly be made in England, with the object of forming settlements of women in different parts of the country for the cultivation of the land, and thus enabling them to add to their incomes by the sale of their own produce, such as poultry, eggs, honey, etc. The idea was started by the Countess of Warwick, and an institution will be formed in connection with the settlement in October, where they will be trained specially for the work. It is an excellent idea, and the children of the settlement will be of the age of 16 to 20 to obtain a thorough training (theoretical and practical) in the various branches of agriculture, viz: Flower and fruit growing, and packing for market, especially the raising of chickens, mushrooms, etc. The settlement will include a poultry and dairy work. The council of Reading college has consented to provide the necessary courses of instruction, and to recognize the Countess of Warwick's hostel as a place for the residence of women students. The full course of instruction will extend over two years, but those who wish to do so may join the short courses and special courses, which include the following: fees for instruction and board will not exceed \$250 a year.

Got His Salary from the Sultan. In an extraordinary incident occurred which the Emperor of Constantinople. The Sultan was returning from a hunting party, and he found a large line of men in the carriage, and the Sultan's feet. Prince Abdul Kader, the son of the Sultan, who was with the latter in the carriage, jumped out and shot the Sultan's feet. "They are the men who murdered my father!" There was a scene of intense excitement, and an attempt was made to shoot the Sultan. Instead of explosives, it contained a baby. The man who placed the bomb in the carriage was a poor official; he had not received his salary for months, and he had thrown the child into the carriage in order to draw the Sultan's attention to his plight. The Sultan, on hearing the man's story, ordered his salary to be paid, and the child was taken into the household of Prince Abdul Kader.

Boiled Water. In advocating the practice of boiling water (and milk) of uncertain purity, the health authorities of the United States have issued a warning. It is declared that the water which is boiled in a kettle, and can scarcely be due to the absence of dissolved air, and the fact that the walls of great depth often contains very little.

Avoid the Night Air. Avoid the night air when damp and cold, and you will often avoid having neuritis, but St. Jacobs Oil will cure it no matter what the cause, and no matter how long it has continued.

Strange Mexican Farm Custom. A strange custom is followed by Mexican farmers. They use oxen of one color and another color, and when they are harnessed together they know it must be the right thing to do, because their forefathers did it.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury. As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the system, such articles should never be used. Beware of cheap ointments for catarrh, as the damage they will do is not only to the system, but to the brain. Halls' Catarrh Cure is a safe and reliable remedy, and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials will be given on request.

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Singular People in Jamaica.

The correspondent of the Philadelphia Record at Kingston says that nowadays the colored negro prides himself on descent or connection with the Maroons, who murdered the French and defied the British in 1732. The famous Count de Cade as one of his progenitors and ignoring every other color in his blood but the black. Yet the truth is that the blood of almost every nation mingles in his veins. While the coconut hair, which is the most striking feature, dominates, every kind of the hair and color of the eyes may be found, with almost every shade of complexion, from ebony to Jersey cream.

Among the singular people in Jamaica are the colored Jews, who unite the dark skin and protruding lips of the African with the Hebrew's sharp features, twinkling eyes and nose of abnormal development. There is a very large Jewish element in the island, in proportion to its size and population. Kingston alone has a Jewish colony 2,000 strong. They control the mercantile business, and with the same accommodating spirit which distinguishes them elsewhere, they are always ready to lend a helping hand, under the sign of the three golden balls. The Jews of Port Antonio are distinguished by their industry and their social importance of the Israelites in Jamaica. The Jewish community in Kingston was settled while Cromwell ruled in England, and every body knows that the people who were expelled from the continent of Spain and Portugal. There are two flourishing Jewish communities, one of Spanish and Portuguese Jews, which also includes the negroes, the other for English and German Jews.

Churches Seven Centuries Old. Some of the wooden churches of Norway are fully 700 years old and are still in an excellent state of preservation. Their timbers have successfully resisted the frosty and almost Arctic winters because they have been repeatedly coated with tar.

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Population of Belgium. In twenty-five years the population of Belgium has increased by 24 per cent. It is now between 6,000,000 and 7,000,000. The consumption of alcohol has increased 54 per cent.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. An excellent cure for colds, coughs, and all other ailments. Price, 25c. The genuine has L. E. Q. on each tablet.

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