Flames Attack Pike Opera House Block in Heart of City.

MANY ARE BURNED OUT

Lodgers in Theater Building Rescued with Difficulty-Henrietta Crosman Loses All Her Costumes and Scenery.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.-This city was visited by a fire today that destroyed Christmas week. one-half of a square in the most central part and caused a loss of over \$2,000,000. The burning embers were carried for miles, the Kentucky suburb being cov-

were seriously injured by falling walls, but both will recover. Although there are reports of persons being missing it is not thought that any lives were lost. Capt. O'Keefe and seven firemen were caught on the roof of one of the buildings and all came near perishing when Among the losers are Arusts John Ward Dunsmore, Rena DeCamp, Elizate Capt. O'Keefe and seven firemen were caught on the roof of one of the buildings and all came near perishing when the flames broke out under them, but they were rescued by ladders. The fire has wiped out some of the landmarks of the city. All the buildings were among the most substantial in the city with the possible exception of the large Pike building.

Among the losers are Arusts John Ward Dunsmore, Rena DeCamp, Elizate the C. Eckstein and C. A. Meurer, whose studios were destroyed with many valuable pictures.

Losses in Detail.

The American Book Company will lose \$250,000 on their publishing house and stock and machinery. The plates of the eelectic system of school books were possible exception of the large Pike building.

Starts in a Basement.

About 1:30 this morning flames in the basement of the Pike building on Fourth street, be-tween Vine and Walnut. An hour later

were in danger, but this location was spared. It was not until after daylight that the spread of the fire was checked

Lodgers are Rescued.

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The escape of Will Jones, the well

which led him to throw his cuff into the street below and thus make his whereabouts known, saved his life.

After a hard rehearsal Jones went to the Pike building about midnight to get his valise, which he had left in a studio of an artist friend on the fourth floor. After entering he was so tired out he fell asleep in a chair. When he awoke suddenly he was almost blinded and suffocating, but saw outside the glare of the flames. He crawled to the door. Outside in the great air shaft the flames were shooting up. How he made his way he does not know, but instinctively

windows, so they were ordered out. Later they returned to "their calls" and when the large day force of girls came on duty they fearlessly went to the sixth floor for duty, although the fire raged a

floor for duty, although the fire raged all around them.

The Pike Theater building was totally destroyed by fire in 1866 and it narrowly escaped total destruction on March 30, 1902, when there was a Sunday matinee in progress, but no lives were lost in any of the fires.

After the first of last year the interior of the Pike was remodeled and the theater redecorated and refurnished at an expense of several thousand dollars. The

acceptance and refurnished at an expense of several thousand dollars. The scenery and costumes used by the Pike stock company during the season which closed last Saturday night, valued at about \$10,000, were stored in the opera house. Included in this was a good portion of the expensive costumes used in the presentation of "Cinderslie" during the presentation of "Cinderslie" during the presentation of "Cinderslie" and the presentation of "Cinderslie" during the presentation of "Cinderslie" and the presentation of the presentation tion of the expensive costumes used in the presentation of "Cinderella" during

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### GET AFTER SMOOT.

and the danger of a general conflagration Ministers' Association of Salt Lake City Sends Formal Protest to the Senate.

As it is known that about twenty people sleep in the Pike building there were at first reports that several lives had been lost, but none of these reports have been confirmed. There were many narrow escapes. Night Watchman John Agin and Mat Garretson and Harry Richardson, doorkeeper, saved six lives by entering the building and forcing their way through the smoke and rescuting a rear rown of the Pike building and forcing their way through the smoke and rescuting a rear rown of the Pike building and forcing a rear rown of the Pike building and with their been a roar rown of the Pike building and with their been rown of the Pike building and seep thrown in They were John Mulvern, B. W. Zeigler, H. C. Storey, J. F. Me. Donald and W. C. Ackher. Capt. J. C. Glannan, head of a well-known detective bureau, who was asleep on the third floor, was awakened and escaped in his ingihtlothes. He lost all the records of his office. Nothing was saved from the theater company.

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As there are over 400 different losers it is impossible at this writing to estimate the total loss. The fire was still burning at 9 a. m. with little prospect of control of the Mormon Church, is living in open loykamy and has had a child born to imposs was then estimated at over \$2,000. Goo. John Keenan, night watchman of the Mormon Church, is living in open loykamy and has had a child born to imposs was then estimated at over \$2,000. Goo. John Keenan, night watchman of the last of the well and the propersion of the Secape.

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HARRY E. BRIGGS DIES. known Cincinnati actor, just before the roof of the burning building fell, and his rescue half dead from the top of the building, was a thrilling and most miraculous one. Jones' presence of mind, which led him to throw his cuff into the street below and thus make his where

He was born in Galesville, Ill., Feb-He was born in Galesville, Ill., February 18, 1865, and was the son of Newton and Hattie L. (Payne) Briggs. His father removed to Madison with his family in 1880 and from that time until the fall of 1898 Mr. Briggs resided in Madison. He graduated from the United States Steel Corporation has been practically completed. Upon the authority of one of the officers it is said that there is a deal now 'pending whereby the plant of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, the law department in 1889. While studying law he was in the office of La Follette, Siebecker & Harper. Upon his admission to the bar he became a Madison. He graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1887, and from versity of Wisconsin in 1887, and from the law department in 1889. While studying law he was in the office of the west up to the roof and in some manner got through a skylight. He fell over something and was stunned. When he recovered the flames were shooting through the roof. He crawled to the edge, but the firemen in the street did not notice him. He shouted himself hoarse. He took his cuff and wrote on it:

1 am on the roof. Nearly dead from gas. I am on the roof. Nearly dead from gas. I am on the roof. Nearly dead from gas. I am on the roof. Nearly dead from gas. I am on the roof a man standing outlined in the sparks. Jones crept along the edge of the rear of the building and there waited for the firemen who placed a ladder across the alley from the telephone exchange building. Jones was carried down and taken to the hospital.

Telephone Girls Frightened.

The girls in the telephone exchange building, across an alley from the burning Pike building, were badly frightened as the dark clouds of smoke rolled about the building. The exchange rooms are on the top floor of the six-story building and the night force consists of eight exchange and the night force and the nig

## MOB ATTACKS OFFICERS.

Pitched Battle 'Between Striking Miners, Deputy Sheriffs and Federal Marshals.

RESIST AN INJUNCTION.

Battle Rages Furiously for Several Minutes and Several People

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 25 .- A The loss of the Henrietta Crosman Company, which has been at the Pike this week is over double that of the Pike Crosman Company. Henrietta Crosman Balas and deputy sheriffs under Chief pitched battle took place at Wright's Coal miles, the Kentucky suburb being covered with them. The fire departments of Covingten, Newport and other Kentucky towns came promptly to the assistance of the local firemen and it was noon before their combined efforts had the fire under control. Crews continued at work on the roofs of surrounding buildings and a general configuration was narrowly averted.

The underground system of telegraph and telephone wires not only prevented communication from being cut off, but also enabled the firemen to prevent the fire from spreading as they could not have done had all the wires still remained on poles and buildings that formerly surrounded the burned district. It was perhaps the greatest scare the city everhaps the greatest scare the city everhaps

BARNUM'S LOSS HEAVY.

Winter Quarters Badly Damaged, but All of the Animals Were Safely Removed.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 25.—An ex-plosion of a kerosene oil lamp in one of the brick buildings at the Barnum &

Several of the night force were burned and had narrow escapes from death by an explosion which occurred at the outbreak of the fire. Cambridge City, Ind., Feb. 25.—A large barn belonging to John S. Lackey

was destroyed by fire this morning and fourteen fine race horses being held for

There are three charges against President Twining and two against Treasurer After some delay Twining secured five

Pueblo, Col., Feb. 26.—Harry E. Briggs, until 1898 a resident of Madison, Wis., died here Tuesday.

ABSORBS ANUTHER FACTORY.

United States Steel Corporation Buys the Jones & Laughlin Mill.

Pittsburg. Pa., Feb. 25 .- One of th

MINNESOTA AND WISCONSIN UNI-VERSITIES CAN'T AGREE.

Dispute Over Selection of Judges Leads to Break-Badgers Expected Gophers to Dodge.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.-There will be no joint debate this year between Wisconsin and Minnesota universities Wisconsin's attitude in the negotiations regarding the matter of choosing judges is criticised by the Minnesotans, who say that "fair play" has not been given them. They have closed the subject and will ask Nebraska for a debate next year.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.—The announcement that the Minnesota debating team has refused the terms offered by Wisconsin caused no surprise in Madi-

TARRED AND FEATHERED. Young Man is Carried Out of the Village of Grafton on a Fence

Grafton, Wis., Feb. 26.-[Special.]-George Stentz, a resident of Port Washington, was tarred and feathered here last night and then was carried out of town on a fence rail. The punishment was administered by fifty young men of this place, who became enraged at cer-tain actions of Stentz. He was warned never again to enter the limits of Graf-

ton.

The assault on Stentz occurred shortly after 8 o'clock. Stentz was taken to the center of the town and stripped to his underwear. A hot coat of tar and plenty of feathers were administered and he was forced to ride. forced to ride on a rail, followed by a crowd of jeering men and boys.

Line. Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 26.-It is

reported that negotiations are under way whereby the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Company will acquire the old Kickapoo Valley & Northern railway, now known as the Wisconsin Western. The road is fifty-two miles long and runs north from Wauzeka through the Kickapoo valley, tapping one of the most fertile sections in the state.

TWO HURT IN EXPLOSION. Men Employed in Brewery at Sheboygan are Painfully Injured by Ex-

plosion of Gas. Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 26.—[Special.]
—Gustav Prenzel and John Schmidt, while varnishing a storage vat at the K. Schreier brewery, were painfully injured by an explosion caused by the gaslight coming in contact with the alcoholic fumes arising from the varnish.

inight. But three pardons were granted during the period and but eight paroles. In addition to these seven pardons to restore to citizenship convicts who served their sentences were issued.

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OSTEOPARTHS SELECT OSHKOSH.

Dr. J. F. McNary of Milwaukee is Elected President.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.—The convention of the Wisconsin State Osteopathic Association closed last evening, after what is conceded to be the most important gathering of osteopaths in the state. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. J. Foster McNary, Milwaukee; vice president, Dr. A. S. Davis, Ashland; secretary, Dr. E. J. Elton, Kenosha; treasurer, Dr. E. M. Culbertson, Appleton; executive committee, Drs. F. N. Oium, Oshkosh; E. A. West, Portage; N. L. Thompson, Sheboygan; legislative committee, Drs. L. E. Cherry, F. N. Oium and E. J. Elton; delegate to the national association meeting at Clavalera (Constitution). and E. J. Elton; delegate to the national association meeting at Cleveland, O., in July, Dr. E. J. Elton of Kenosha; alternate, Dr. Harriet Whitehead, Mil-waukee. It was decided to hold the 1904 meeting of the association on February 24 of next year at Oshkosh.

WILL OPEN TWO NEW BANKS. Located at Salem, Kenosha County, and Wauconda, Ill.

Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 26.—Companies have been organized in this city for the have been organized in this city for the purpose of opening two banks in this section of the state. The first will be located at Salem and the other will be at Wauconda, Ill. Frank S. Komp of this city, the president of the Kenosha State Bank, will be president of the new banks. The bank at Salem will be opened on March 1, with a capital of \$10,000. J. A. Foster, Jr., has been selected as cashier. Foster, Jr., has been selected as cashier. Harry O. Van Hart will be cashier of the bank in the Illinois city. It will have a capital of \$20,000, and will be operated as a private bank. A NEW TRIAL IS DENIED.

Sensational Breach of Promise Case will

be Taken to the Supreme Court. Manitowoc, Wis., Feb. 26.—[Special.]
—Motion for a new trial in the SchleyKrueger \$5000 breach of promise case
has been denied by Judge Kerwan in the circuit court here, and notice of an ap-peal to the supreme court has been filed by attorneys for Krueger, against whom the court ordered judgment of \$1800, the amount given in the verdict of the jury. The case was heard at the January term of the circuit court and was one of the most sensational ever before the local bench. Motion for a new trial was made on the alleged conduct of the jury.

FINGER RING MADE OUT OF BONE Relic of Civil War Presented to the G. A. R. Museum.

R. Museum.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.—A unique relic of the Civil war was received yesterday at the Grand Army memorial museum at the capitol, being a finger ring made from a section of a rebel's leg bone. The ring, with five old bullets which had been taken from Confederate graves near Richmond, Va., were presented to the Wisconsin collection by Maj. Guy Pierce of Kilbourn, who commanded the Fourth Wisconsin Cavalry in the Civil war.

GOPHERS WON'T DEBATE, SPOONER FILES A REPORT,

Makes Return to Governor of Expenses in Recent Campaign.

Contributed \$1300 to Campaign Funds, but Did Not Spend a Dollar to Secure His Own Election.

SENT \$1000 TO BRYANT

Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.-[Special.]t was not necessary for John C. Spooner spend a single penny in securing his -election as United States senator. In he same way it was unnecessary for him to make any promises of any kind. If any person expended money in his behalf was without his knowledge. Senator Spooner today filed a state-

ment concerning his expenditures as re quired by the statutes. The law requires the filing with the secretary of state but the statement was sent to the executive chamber and immediately turned over to the secretary of state.

While the statement shows an expenditure of \$1100 and a further sum of about \$200, the money was not expended directly in connection with the re-election of Senator Spooner. It represented con-tributions to the campaign fund. Sena-tor Spooner's statement is as follows:

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The undersigned having been duly elected a senator of the United States for the state of Wisconsin by the Legislature of said state, the two branches thereof voting separately on the 27th day of January, 1903, which votes were by joint convention of the Legislature held pursuant to the laws of the United States, canvassed or ascertained, and the result thereof declared on the 28th day of January, 1903, hereby makes pursuant to Sec. 4543c, Chap. 185, Wisconsin statutes, 1898, the following statement, to wit:

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INSANITY IN THE FAMILY

Mother and Brother of Murderer Both
Lost Their Minds—Dead Woman
Lived at Manitowoc.

Manitowoc, Wis., Feb. 26.—[Special.]
—Mrs. John Powell, the Marathon county woman who was killed by her husband yesterday, was a Manitowoc girl, daughter of John Reiss of Kossuth. The Powell family resided here until six years ago. Insanity is supposed to be responsible for the deed. Powell's mother was insane at the time of her death and his brother, George Powell, was taken in charge here a few weeks ago and returned to Fall River, Mass., to be cared for by his father, he being insane. The murdered woman was 33 years of age.

MILWAUKEE ROAD

MAY BUY KICKAPOO,

It is Negotiating for the Purchase of the Wisconsin Western Railway
Line.

Line Manitowoc State Here and the state of Wisconsin for the Republican campaign fund from Dane county. That he pald his railway fare, and such hotel expenses as he was permitted to pay. That he kept no account of said expenditures and is not able to state them accurately but estimates them at not to exceed \$200.

That except as above stated he neither contributed, expended or promised any money in endeavoring to secure, or an any way in connection with the election of fany other person at said election, except as herefunatter stated. That he has no knowledge or belief as to the sums of money contributed, disbursed, expended or promised any money in endeavoring to secure, or an any way in connection with the election of any other person at said election, except as herefunatter stated. That he has no knowledge or belief as to the sums of money contributed, disbursed, expended or promised any money in endeavoring to secure, or an any way in connection with the election of any other person or persons in his behalf, wholly or in part, in endeavoring to secure, or an any way in connection with the election of any other person or persons in his behalf, wholly or in part, in endeavoring to expended or promised any mother person or

That except as above stated he neither contributed, expended or promised any money whatever in connection with said election. That this statement is as full and as explicit as he is able to make it.

JOHN C. SPOONER. The statement was sworn to before R. B. Nixon, a notary public in Washington, February 21.

FEW PARDONS GRANTED. Gov. La Follette Makes Annual Report

to the Legislature. Madison, Wis., Feb. 26.—[Special.]— The report of the governor regarding the number of pardons and paroles granted during the past two years was presented to both branches of the Legislature last night. But three pardons were granted during the period and but eight paroles. In addition to these seven pardons to re-store to citizenship convicts who served

victed in the Sauk county court on a charge of horse stealing on the testimony of William Good, who afterwards made Dr. J. F. McNary of Milwaukee is Elected a confession exonerating the Bedells, who had always maintained their innocence.

don issued.

George Peterson of La Crosse, convicted of larceny under peculiar circumstances was paroled on condition that he stances was paroled on condition that he would abstain from intoxicants. Peterson engaged with comrades in a saloon carouse and a pocketbook was found on him the next day that belonged to the bartender. He claimed to have picked it up. It contained nothing excepting a promissory note.

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Seven paroles were granted to inmates of the Milwaukee house of correction. Five were convicted for abandonment. Marcus A. Fee, an insurance agent, couvicted of embezzlement and sentenced to three years was paroled conditionally upon his reporting to the governor quarterly his whereabouts and occupation. He was convicted, the governor says, of technical embezzlement, caused by lax business methods. Mathew Quay, whose real name is Frank Hines, convicted of vagrancy, was paroled conditioned upon his abstaining from the use of intoxicants. He had not drank liquor for five years prior to the time when he became involved in the clutches of the law. That he was not a vagrant was shown by the fact that he had money in the bank.

Those convicted of abandonment and paroled were: Robert Hoffman, Terence McBennet, William F. Schneider, Charles A. Reuss and Charles Tyre. Each is bound to abstain from the use of intoxicants and to treat their wives and children in a manner becoming a father. When confined a sufficient length of time, the governor says, as to free their systems from the effects of inebriation, their better natures asserted themselves and each was anxious to make amends for the wrongs done.

Broadiand, S. Dak., Feb. 23.—Beadle County has never been so worked up as during the last few weeks. Every one is talking of the wonderful case of G. W. Gray of Broadland, the particulars of which are best told in the following statement which Mr. Gray has just published:

"I was dying. I had given up all hope. I was prostrate and as helpless as a little babe. I had been alling with Kidney Trouble for many years and it finally turned to Bright's disease. All raedicine had failed and I was in despair.

"I ordered one box of Dodd's Kidney Pills."

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Pardons to restore to citizenship rights were issued to the following: W. F. Ingles of Rock; William Krim, Ashland; George W. Schafer, Dunn; Douglass H. Tandy, Jefferson; Daniel S. Sullivan, St. Croix; William H. Unke, Milwaukee, and Frank Dekeuster, Green Bay.

Is regarded as little short of a miracle by all who know how very low he was. Dodd's Kidney Pills are certainly a wonderful remedy.

Hotel Porters' Trunk Label Talk.

I have just made a discovery, knowledge of which may be of considerable value to

WILL BOOM PRAIRIE DU CHIEN. Association Formed to Induce Manufacturers to Locate There.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., Feb. 26.—[Special.]—The Prairie du Chien Progressive Association elected the following officers for the ensuing year last night: Henry Otto, president: H. S. Gierhart, vice president: George A. Fairfield, corresponding secretary; Eugene C. Amman, recording secretary; D. F. Horsfall, Charles M. Zeman and W. E. Martuer, trustees. The association which was retrustees. The association which was retrustees. The association which was retrusteed.

FOND DU LAC NEWS.

Sale of Little Wolf Telephone System. The property of the Little Wolf Tele phone Company will be sold at auction a 10 o'clock in the forenoon of April 11 at the office of Giffin & Sutherland. The court has authorized the sale and it will go to the highest bidder, provided it is to the best interests of all concerned. It is expected that the reorganized compa-ny of the Little Wolf and the Wisconsin Telephone Companies will be the only competitors in the bidding.

Nearly Asphyxiated. Charles O'Brien, 109 Fourth street, narrowly escaped from being asphyxiated while repairing a gas main at the residence of P. H. Lee on East Second street Tuesday afternoon. O'Brien was standing in an excavation near the wall of the house and working at the piping and when his fellow workmen discovered him he was unconscious from the escaping he was unconscious from the escaping gas. He was removed to his home and has now fully recovered.

A Traction Arrangement. The Oshkosh-Fond du Lac interurban and the Winnebago Traction Companies have made arrangements by which pas-sengers will hereafter be carried on the interurban from points on the lines and the traction company south of the North-Western railroad crossing in the town of Algoma until the Electric park line is pened this summer.

Dr. Hughes to Make Address. Dr. R. C. Hughes, president of Ripon College, has accepted an invitation of the high school graduating class to deliver the commencement address on the morning of June 5. Attorney J. W. Hiner of Chicago delivered the address a year

Hand Badly Mangled. Lyle Tielton, employed in the Courier printing house as pressman, caught his sleeve in the gearing of the machinery Saturday afternoon and his right arm was drawn into the cog wheels so that the flesh was painfully mangled.

Valuable Silk Train. Fond du Lac, Wis., Feb. 23.- Special. Five carloads of silk, valued at over \$500,000, passed through this city over the Wisconsin Central road en route to New York, Saturday. It was billed from China on January 14 and was supposed to have arrived at its destination by Sunday, which is something abnormal in the way of rapid transit when once the distance covered is considered. The costly freight was loaded into baggage cars at the Pacific coast and routed over the Northern Pacific to St. Paul, where it was picked up by the Central and in turn delivered to the Lake Shore road at Chicago, the entire distance by rail being given special passenger train time, the five cars of silk constituting the enthe five cars of silk constituting the en tire train, with right of track over all others, and there was as little delay as possible from any source. The freight charges on each carload was something over \$1000. This is probably the first consignment of its kind ever handled through this city.

Injured at North Fond du Lac. H. D. Bowars, switchman in the North-Western yards at North Fond du Lae, fell from a boxear this morning and seriously injured his back and right arm. He was brought to his home, 33 East Scott street, and was attended by

Dr. L. A. Bishop. FRESH WHALE AND GREEN PEAS. People of New Bedford, Mass., are Now

Feasting Upon These Dainties.

The good people of New Bedford, Mass., are feasting on whale and canned green peas this winter. Thus history repeats itself. There was a time in Merrie England when whale and green peas were considered a delicacy. In the Fifwere considered a delicacy. In the Fif-teenth century the whale was considera-bly brought into requisition for gastro-nomic purposes. It was found on the English royal table, as well as on that of the lord mayor of London. The cooks either roasted it and served it on the spit, or boiled it and sent it in with the peas; the tongue and the tail were favorite parts. In the works of a famous sur-geon, Ambrose Pare (1579), he tells us that "Being sent by King Charles IX. to cure the Prince of Roche-Sur-Yon, I was an eie-witness how whales are caught; I an eie-witness how whales are caught; also confirmed that which I had former! read, in that excellent and most true his read, in that excellent and most true historic of fishes set forth by Rondeletius. The fish is of no esteem; the tongue only is commendable, for being verie large and verie lax substance it is powdered and by most gentlemen accounted a daintie. The lard is dispersed over manie countries, to be boiled and eaten with fish in time of Lent, that gormandizers may have something to serv them instead of have something to serv them instead of fish, which is then forbidden. The fins that stand forth of their mouths, which are commonly called whaleone, being dried and polished, serv to make busks for women." The whale is eaten by the natives of Australia, New Zealand, the Japanese, and various tribes of Northern Asia and America, by the natives of Vancourar's island, and the Eskinger. couver's island, and the Eskimos. Rochester New York Post-Express.

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f which may be of considerable value to ravelers and tourists. It is that there exists among hotel porters on the conti-nent a system of wireless telegraphy, by which the characteristics of a visitor in the matter of tips are communicate from one hotel to another. The mediu

PLOW WORKS ARE BURNED

Mammoth Factory of J. I. Case Company Partly Destroyed.

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Dr. Gage was born in Bellona, N. Y., in April, 1825. He was a graduate of Geneva Medical College and came to Belloit, Wis., in the '50s, and then to Sparta in the early '60s. He was commissioned surgeon of the Twenty-fifth Wisconsin Regiment and resigned after two years; service on account of poor health. He returned to Sparta, where he had resided and practiced medicine ever since. He was the first superintendent of Monroe county schools and was an active Mason, having served several terms as master of that lodge. He was also high priest of the Royal Arch chapter. Dr. Gage was prominent in politics. He was greatly esteemed by all for his benevolence. For many years he was senior partner of the firm of Gage, Beebe & Sarles. His wife survives. Consumption caused his death.

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Portage, Wis., Feb. 25.—[Special.]—Mrs. Martha A. Dodge, one of the pioneer residents of Columbia county, died at her home in the town of Scott, aged 57 years. She was born in Walworth county in 1845 and came to the town of Scott three years later. She leaves two children, Mrs. M. W. Roberts and Ray Dodge, both of the town of Scott.

Andrew Gissenaas, Pound. Pound, Wis., Feb. 25 .- [Special, 1-Andrew Gissenaas died here yesterday at the age of 85 years. He was the father of Postmaster B. Gissenaas of this place and was one of the early pioneers.

Military Funeral at Tomah. Tomah, Wis., Feb. 25.—[Special.]— Brice McMullen, a Spanish-American war veteran, was buried here Sunday, being given a military burial by Co. K

LOCOMOTIVES COLLIDE. One Fireman is Instantly Killed and His

One Fireman is Instantly Killed and His Companion is Fatally Hurt.

Baraboo, Wis., Feb. 25.—[Special.]—
As two firemen were comparing watches on a Chicago & North-Western switch engine this morning they were struck by a freight engine and Daniel Donahue, on positive success.

Boxes Free!

While an invalid from Rheumatism, when nothing in the world would even relieve me. I succeeded in combining five rare drugginto a compound, which completely cured me contrary to the predictions of my doc to. I then tried this remedy on my friends and neighbors suffering from rheumatism, when nothing in the world would even relieve me, I succeeded in combining five rare drugginto a compound, which completely cured me contrary to the predictions of my doc to. I then tried this remedy on my friends and neighbors suffering from rheumatism, when nothing in the world would even relieve me, I succeeded in combining five rare drugginto a compound, which completely cured me contrary to the predictions of my doc to. I then tried this remedy on my friends and neighbors suffering from rheumatism, when nothing in the world would even relieve me, I succeeded in combining five rare drugginto a compound, which completely cured me contrary to the predictions of my doc to. I then tried this remedy on my friends and neighbors suffering from rheumatism, when nothing in the world would even relieve me, I succeeded in combining five rare drugginto a compound, which completely cured me contrary to the predictions of my doc to. I then tried this remedy on my friends and neighbors suffering from rheumatism. engine this morning they were struck by a freight engine and Daniel Donahue, on the former engine, was instantly killed the freight engine jumpe

MEDFORD'S PUBLIC LIBRARY. Opened This Week Through Efforts of the W. C. T. U.

Medford, Wis., Feb. 25.—The free public library of Medford opened its rooms to the public for the first time on Monday. Miss Hislop of Portage is librarian. More than 1000 volumes are arrayed on the shelves. The library is located in two rooms on the ground floor of the Temperance hall owned by the W. C. T. U. To the ladies of the W. C. T. U. is largely due the credit of its establishment. They stirred up public interest in the undertaking by offering to fit up and give their rooms, rent free, for the purpose. No funds have been asked of the city council, and the institution relies wholly at present on private subscriptions from the citizens. Liberal gifts of books have been made by citizens, although the largest contributions have come from outlargest contributions have come from outside. A donation of 600 volumes came from the members of John Wanamaker's church in Philadelphia, of which Rev. J. W. Cochran, D. D., a son of Mr. and Mrs. Cochran and brother of Mrs. J. B. Ramsay of this city, is pastor. Presbyterian Church of Madison generously contributed 200 volumes.

SOCIETY PEOPLE GIVE A PLAY. Oshkosh and Neenah Amateurs Present "The Wife" to Packed House.

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Posters, Etc., Etc.

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TOTAL WEALTH OF WISCONSIN.

Still Greatly Underestimated by Tax Commission. Commission's Figures of Farm

Values. They Fall Short of the Census Returns. (Issued in Behalf of Wisconsin Railways.)

Company Partly Destroyed.

LOSS IS ABOUT \$70,000.

Flames Frighten Employes and Men Rush Panic Stricken from Burning Building.

Racine, Wis., Feb. 25.—[Special.]—
The mammont factory of the J. I. Case plow works was partly destroyed by fireflast night. The grinding, polishing, terecting and paint rooms and a large issue the politic politic politic. The firemen after a bitter fight held the flames and stock in other departments destroyed last night are the most important at the works and will cause the company a large loss on account of many orders for appling season goods having to be creeded during the season, work to begin a sayou have been a season when the polishing rooms to the paint rooms was an alarm so the polytopes were panic stricken and s

TAX COMMISSIONER'S VALUATIONS.

TAX COMMISSIONER'S VALUATION
TAX commissioner's valuation of the
acre land of the state and of the
buildings on the said land was in
1900
Increase in value from 1900 to 1902,
it being assumed that country, city,
village lands and buildings have
increased at the same rate.

Total......\$673,734,315
These statements show that the Tax Commission's valuations instead of being nearly as high as the census returns fall short of the latter by \$212,223,907, when the valuations are made to cover the same acreage. A Long Shot. Little Clarence (who reads and ponders)-Pa, who was Pepys?
Mr. Callipers-I don't know, my son-

in fact, I do not know anybody who does know; but I fancy he was the man who invented dyspepsia.—Judge. A New Cure for Rheumatism-50,000

cians had to admit that my remedy was a positive success.

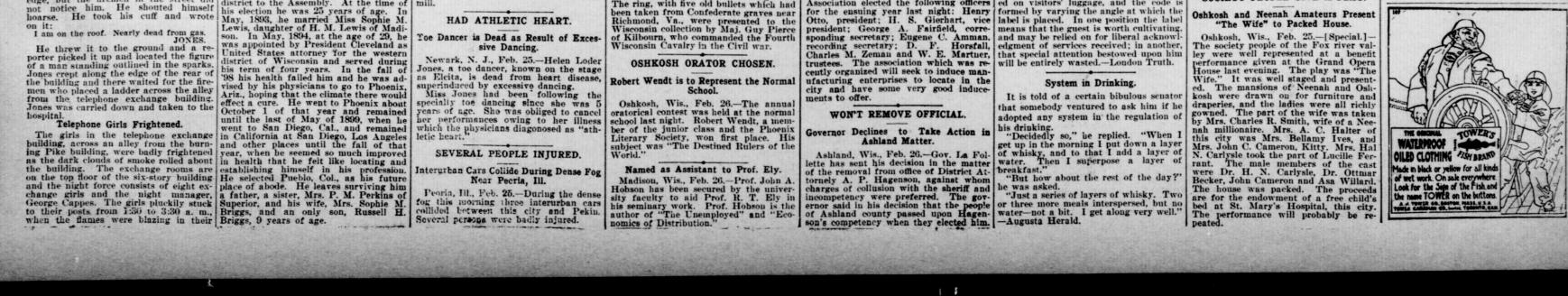
Since then the remedy has cured hundreds of decrepit persons who could neither clothe nor feed themselves, among them persons of 70 and 80 years of age, who had suffered for more than 40 years. So positive am I what this remedy will do, that I have set aside 50,000 Boxes for free distribution so that other unfortunate sufferers may profit by my good luck. It is a wonderful remedy and there is no doubt that it will cure all cases given up by doc-

wonderful remedy and there is no doubt that it will cure all cases given up by doctors and hospitals.

Remember that I ask you no money, simply send your name and address for free box, and should you need more you can have it at a tiffing cost. It is not my intention to accumulate a big fortune out of my discovery, but what I want is to relieve misery and torture. Address JOHN A. SMITH, 106 Germania building, Milwaukee, Wis. Send no money nor stamps. -Robert Samuel Rivers, who is stated -Robert Samuel Rivers, who is stated to have been the first British soldier to do single sentry-go in Sebastopol on Sep-tember 9, 1855, after it was entered by the allies, has died in Beccles, Suffolk.

-An assistant in the congressional liwritten by colored persons. The authors are nearly all mulattoes, the straight blacks having alone almost nothing.

CASTORIA The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Chat H. Witcher.



### CORRESPONDENCE.

\*\*\*\* WAUCOUSTA WHISPERINGS.

Monday. Louis Buslaff went to Eden last the residence formerly occupied by

Wednesday.

T. L. Flanagan and James Murray, of Dundee, were pleasant callers here recovery. Miss Nora Dennert returned home

Lomira. William Larsen and wife went to

Plymouth last Saturday to spend a James Flanagan, Frank and Jake Polzean attended the dance at Beech-

wood last Saturday night. Quite a number from here attended the dance in Guenther's hall at Camp bellsport Monday night. All report having had a good time.

NEW PROSPECT NOTES. John Rinzel was to Fond du La last Saturday.

M. L. Peck sold two tons of hav to John Rinzel last Friday.

A. G. Bartelt hauled sawdust fron Beechwood last Thursday.

W. J. Romaine and wife visited the latter's parents last Monday.

T. L. Flanagan of Dundee, was caller in our burg last Sunday. Hubert Rinzel and wife had their

baby boy christened last Sunday. John Ketter was a New Prospect caller last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Farmers in this vicinity are all haul. ing their potatoes to market these L. B, Reed and wife went to Bol-

tonville last Thursday to visit their William Mink called on his daugh-

ter and son-in-law last Tuesday and Wednesday. Raymond, the youngest son of John

Rinzel and wife, was seriously ill the forepart of this week. The East Valley Telephone Com-

pany put in two new 'phones this week, one at Campbellsport for Dr. Russell and another at Dundee for Dr. O'Neil. A farmers' institute will be held a

New Prospect, in John Rinzel's hall, on March 10 and 11. Everybody is invited to come and hear discussions by the best authorities in the line of dairying, horse breeding, sheep and swine husbandry, beef production. small fruits, the silo, poultry, etc. ELMORE ETCHINGS.

Miss Clara and John Kleinhans were Kewaskum callers last Wednes

Miss Clara Gritt was the guest of the Misses Fellenz at Campbellsport last Monday.

Louis Fellenz and Fred Schmidt, of Campbellsport, were callers here last

The pupils of our public school enjoyed a holiday last Monday in hon or of Washington's birthday.

Mrs. John Guenther and daughter Vena, of Lomira, spent several days with Michael Litscher and wife.

The Misses Lena Zuehlke and Alma Klumb spent Monday with Miss Melinda Muehleis at West Bend.

the local Reformed church last Tues-

Miss Lydia Vetsch returned from Fond du Lac last week Thursday where she had been visiting for several weeks.

Miss Katherine Tischhauser returned to Valley Falls, Kansas, last Monday after a two month's visit with relatives here,

Our burg was well represented at the Campbellsport masquerade last Monday evening and all report a

highly enjoyable time. Miss Clara Lohmann, of Menasha Fred and Mary Schmidt, of Camp

bellsport, were the guests of Miss Clara Gritt last Sunday. Mrs. A. Schmidt, Mrs. R. Guggis

berg, Rev. G. Beisser, Ulrich Senn. Wm. Reinhardt and Amandus Scheier mann are on the sick list. Chris. Becker Sr., attended the fun-

eral of Engineer Sensiba at Green Bay last Sunday while his sons, Bartel and Chris., attended the funeral of Brakeman Ducey at Milwaukee on the same day. Both men died at Mr. Becker's house from injuries re ceived in the wreck last week.

The following pupils were perfect in deportment the past week: Rose and Haidee Bartelt; Martha and Edwin Geidel; Louisa and Matt. Gunt ly; Alfred Haessly; Gertie and Emma Kierig; Willie Kleineschay; Willie Klumb; Alvin Kleinhans; Lena Mueller; Georgina, Susie and Clarence Scheid; Susie and Maggie Schill; Joseph Schmidt; Emma Vetsch; Ulrich Zuehlke; Linda Rusch.

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ST. MICHAELS MITES. Gerhard Rodenkirch is on the sick

J. G. Dricken, of West Bend, spent Sunday at his home here. A. Neibler, of Boltonville, was

caller in our burg Sunday. Herman Pochert returned home H. Dennert went to Fond du Lac from Milwaukee last Thursday. J. Ernst, of West Bend, moved into

few days of this week at J. Forsyth's. Eddie, and J. Berres and wife attend- ted us during the sickness. death and Ex-postmaster L. A. Terry and wife ed the silver wedding of P. Fellenz burial of my beloved wife. are very happy over the arrival of a and wife at Beechwood on the 19th

Mat. Thull last week.

Robert Bentley, of Lomira, spent a Miss Maggie Berres, who was ill of Colby, Wis.; Stephen Callahan, of few days of this week with relatives with appendicitis, underwent an op- Wabash, Minn.; Mrs. D Packing-

F. Bethke and wife entertained a number of friends Sunday in honor Sunday from a two week's visit at of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mrs. Mary Callahan which took Volkmann, of Milwaukee. The occasion being Mrs. Volkmann's birth-

> Hubert Schneider sold 120 acres of his farm to Frank Hoerig for \$9,000 and J. Schmidt will reside on the Hoerig farm instead of on the Hausmann farm, the report of last week again was a misunderstanding.

DIED-John Gross died at his home, two and one-half miles north of here, last Monday morning of Bright's parental roof Sunday. disease at the age of 68 years. He was born July 21, 1835, and emigrat- trip to Theresa Monday. ed to this country from Germany in the year 1844. He was married to Maggie Weinart in 1860. Their union was blessed with ten children, four of whom are living, they are: Nic. and Andrew, of St. Michaels: Willie, of Port Washington; Mary, (Mrs. P. Schladweiler) of the town Thursday from the local church with our sympathy to the bereaved widow boy and children.

KOHLSVILLE CORRESPONDENCE. Christ. Frensz had a wood chopping Sunday, bee last Saturday.

William Brockmann lost a valuable horse last Saturday.

William Butter, of Mayville, made a

professional call here last Tuesday. Miss Emily Hiller, of Milwaukee, last Tuesday spent the forepart of the week with her

Hiller was christened last Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Scheid, of Elmore, called on our carpet weaver, Mrs. Geo.

Kohl, last Tuesday. Mr. Eichmann, of Milwaukee, was a few days this week. he guest of the Ernst Kibbel family

or a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. John Rilling visited Byron and Lomira Tuesday. ast Saturday and Sunday with the for-

mer's parents at Hartford. hewing timber in Joseph Marx's woods

for the erection of a new barn. ter Annie, of Addison, spent Sunday with Henry Metzner and family.

town of Wayne, died last Sunday of a few months. heart failure at the advanced age of 80 years, 1 month and 3 days. Deceased was born in Pferdsfeld, Germany, on Monday evening and all report hav-January 19, 1823, and was married to ing had a grand time. Miss Carolina Faber in 1846. In June, 1861, they emigrated to America and came direct to the town of Wayne, where they bought the farm on which

he has since resided. Eight children were born to them, five of whom survive him, viz: Gottlieb and Henry, of Montevideo, Minn.; Philip, of Barron, Wis.; Charles and Lizzie, residing on the homestead. Besides these he leaves

brother, twenty-one grand-children The funeral of Mrs. William Krue- and five great-grand-children. De- a professional call here Monday. ger, of Campbellsport, was held from ceased was a kind and loving father and a devoted husband, loved and re- H. Jung, was sick during the week. pected by all who knew him, and he tist congregation. He had always enjoyed good health until about a week ago when he suddenly fell ill and failed rapidly. His remains were intered in the Baptist cemetery adjoining the church near St. Kilian last Wednesday. Rev. Werneke, of Richfield, and Rev.

> BOLTONVILLE BUDGET. Miss May Row went to Milwaukee on Monday.

Miss Agnes Dettman visited our chools last Monday. Mr. Grace attended the Literary

at Fillmore last Friday. Miss Nellie Brazelton spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Charles Weingartner has sold hi saloon to J. Van Blarcom.

Miss Sophia Kraetsch is on the sick list. May she soon recover. Miss Ella Niebler, of West Bend

spent Sunday at her home here. Miss Jennie McKee has gone to pend some time in the Cream City. Miss Lucy Gonring is spending a

Miss Agnes Murray, of Wayne, spent Washington's birthday at her

Several of our young people at- to drill a well for him. tended the masquerade at Beechwood ast Saturday evening.

Miss Jessie Row very pleasantly entertained a number of young people on Sunday evening. Mrs. F. Enright and Miss Agnes

spent the forepart of this week with with Rev. Werneke, of Richfield, of- Lomira, Wis.

her sister, Mrs. William Albright.

The basket ball boys played a game at Cedarburg on Tuesday evening and this evening they will go to Port Washington.

Mrs, Mary Callahan died at her nome here at 1 p. m. last Saturday after a week's illness with pneumonia. An obituary will appear in next week's issue

CARD OF THANKS. I hereby desire to thank the friends John B. Steen, of Oakfield, spent a Mr. and Mrs. H. Herriges and son and neighbors who so kindly assis-

> CHAS. WEINGARTNER. Mrs. M. Lussenden and son George, eration for the same in a hospital at ham and Miss Julia O'Brien, of Hale's Milwaukee. We wish her a speedy Corners; Mrs. Anna Callahan and daughter Maggie, of Sheboygan; Arthur, Austin and Joseph Murphy, of Milwaukee, attended the funeral of

> > Tuesday. ASHFORD ACTIONS. William Jaeger is in our burg again.

place from St. John's church here last

Miss Agnes Beisbier is on the sick Mrs. Peter Berg is in our midst

Peter Grief is the guest of Martin Thalen this week.

Miss Emma Grab visited under the Bernhard Mauel made a

Mat. Jaeger, of Campbellsport, called in our burg last Saturday. John and Anton Dreikosen left for

Marathon City last week Friday. Miss Francis Thalen, of Fond du Lac, called on her parents Sunday. Rev. M. Schmidt attended the Kirof Trenton. The funeral was held mess at Allenton last week Thursday. Michael Fleischmann and wife are Rev. Muenzer officiating. Weextend rejoicing over the arrival of a baby

> Miss Annie Petersick, of St. Kilian, visited with the Janous family last John Fleischmann and sister Mary

called on friends at Campbellsport Saturday. Mat. Schill sold his span of mules

to Chris. Becker, of Campbellsport Miss Rosalia Engle, of Waukesha, is visiting relatives and friends here

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter for a few weeks. Miss Annie Hitzler left last Satur day for Charlesburg to visit her sis-

Mrs. John Boegel, of St. Kilian, visited relatives and friends here for

The Misses Lizzie Krudwig, Clara Monday Knarr and Agatha Leisses visited at

ed the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. | Thursday. George Guthjahr and crew are busy Joseph Strobel last week Thursday. Mrs. George Weisner and Barbara Mrs. William Kuhaupt and daugh- of Mr. and Mrs. Mat. Schill Sunday. music for the occasion. Frank and William Jaeger returned home last Saturday from the Cream and wife died immediately after its Henry Jung, an old resident of the City where they had been staving for birth Wednesday and was intered in

> Quite a number from here attended forenoon, the mask ball at Campbellsport last

Miss Aggie Hall called on her parents last Sunday. We were glad to see Aggie around again and looking so well after her illness.

WAYNE WAFTINGS.

at Kewaskum Sunday. Wm. Martin, of Kohlsville, spent Sunday with his parents here. Geo. Brandt, of Kewaskum, made

Clarence, son of Mr. and Mrs, Phil. John Petri spent Saturday and Sun- liberal hospitality and dancing which was also an active member of the Bap- day with relatives at Campbellsport. was kept up to seven o'clock the next on the leather trade here Wednesday. Aug. Kirchner, of Kohlsville, visited his son-in-law, William Petri, Sun-

with his brother William at Kewas- Kodol Dyspepsia Cure strengthens and Rngelmann, a Baptist missionary, performed the last sad rites. May he rest kum.

Henry Spoerl and wife, of Camp-Sunday.

sawing around town last Tuesday with his machine Miss Johanna Menger, of Fond du dol, I concluded to try it. The first bot

William Foerster did some wood

family over Sunday. Frank Van Epps, of Kewaskum, was here on Tuesday putting up posters for the sale of their farm.

Raymond Juneau, of Kaukauna, visited the William Kippenhan and and inactive livers, by arousing the Philip Eckel families Monday

den around again for the first time ach, liver and bowels that the cause of last Tuesday after his siege of illness. Philip Jung, of Barron, Wis., and ew weeks with friends in Milwaukee. Gottlieb and Henry Jung, of Minne-their use is contained their use is contained their use is contained their use is contained to the trouble sota, came home to attend the fun- All druggists. Morbes returned to Milwaukee on eral of their father.

> Strube & Foerster finished drilling a well for Wm. Foerster last Wednesday. They will go from here to August Becker's place near Kohlsville the village of Kewaskum, is for sale

Henry Jung, aged 80 years, living south of here, died last Sunday of general debility. Deceased leaves five waskum, with good buildings and out the inflammation and heals and children, viz: Gottlieb and Henry, of improvements. Inquire of Aug. Rawe, soothes the affected parts. One Minute Montevideo, Minn.; Philip, of Bar- Kewaskum, Wis. ron, Wis.; Charles L. and Elizabeth, who live at home. The funeral took shop, house, barns and 1 acre of land, never failing cure in all curable cases stand from the Bartist church north. place from the Baptist church, north miles north-east of the village. For ute Cough Cure is pleasant to take,

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Sundav

Frank Bartelt and Philip Illian while driving home to Kohlsville last Wednesday evening at about 5 o'clock, had both their buggies badly smashed by colliding. Bartelt was trying to pass Illian on the road near Zimmermann's place, one and onehalf miles south of here, when the wheel caught Illian's rig. The occupants of the rigs escaped injuries ex cepting Charles Meinhardt, who was riding with Illian, had one side his face slightly bruised.

ST. KILIAN SHARPS. Miss Theresa Hawig, of Wayne, was a caller here Wednesday.

Rev. P. Burlbach assisted Rev. Eggers at St. Mathias Tuesday. Miss Barbara Wiesner is learing

dress-making at Emmer & Kahut's

Miss Anna Peterschick was visiting with the Janous family at Ashford

Robert Meyer, of Kohlsville, called in our burg Sunday and also on neighboring friends. Albert Weber, of Nenno, was a cal.

ler here Sunday evening (and of course ou know why.) Peter Reimar and sisters Katie and Theresa, Sundaved with the Wenzel

Zwaschka family Jacob Felix and family went to Milwaukee last Friday to visit with

relatives for a few days. Peter and Barbara Wiesner, George Wiesuer and family Sundayed with the Math. Schill family at Ashford. Miss Ursala Straub, who was stay ing with her sister, Mis. John Tiss

Mrs. Catherine Emmer, who was visiting her brother, Joseph Kahut, Quite a number from here attend- at Spring Valley, Wis., returned on

at Kewaskum the past week, returned

Weber-Miller wedding near Nenno, Weisner, of St. Kilian, were guests and Schmitt brothers furnished the The infant child of Anton Richard

Miss Theresa Schedlo attended the

the Catholic cemetery here Friday A surprise party was given to the Misses Katie and Julia Melzer at the Thanking my friends and patrons for past fav home of Frank Melzer Monday even- Fine Watch and Jeweling. A large crowd attended and all I

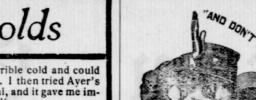
reported a good time. The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Strobel was celebrated at their home last Thursday with about William Kippenhan called on friends two hundred guests present. Those from abroad were: John Budde and wife, Joseph Budde and wife, John Meyer, wife and children, Mary Budde, Angeline Gallers, of Beaver Dam; Mrs. Jacob Schlaefer, the Misses Anna, Katie, Mary and Clara Schlaefer, of Campbellsport. The event was duly celebrated and all enjoyed the William Butter, of Mayville, called morning. The guests all left bidding Mr. and Mrs. Strobel farewell and expecting to receive invitations to

their golden wedding in twenty-five A Weak Stomach Andrew Martin Jr., spent Sunday Causes a weak body and invites disease cures the stomach, and wards off and overcomes disease J. B. Taylor, prominent merchant of Chriesman bellsport, visited his parents here Tex., savs: "I could not eat because o a weak stomach. I lost all strength and run down in weight. All that money could do was done, but all hope of re covery vanished. Hearing of some vonderful cures effected by use of Ko Lac, was the guest of the Menger bottles I am fully restored to my usual tle benefitted me, and after taking four

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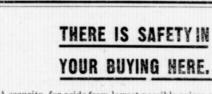
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A freight going north from Kewaskum at 9:42 a.m. carries passengers, also. Rewissum 12:19 2:25 ... 7:50 11: West Bend 9:53 12:24 2:30 6:12 7:55 11: Jackson 10:03 12:36 2:45 8:06 11 Rockfield 12:44 2:55 8:14 11 A freight train going south at 11:10 a. m. car-

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LACONICAL LOCALS. -Village board meeting next Mon-

-Stock fair last Wednesday was

well attended. -R. S. Demerest was at Chicago

-Theodore Schoofs went to Milwaukee yesterday.

-Fred Schulz, wife and baby are all sick with the grip,

-Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Smith, a boy on Sunday.

-Frank Smith transacted business of our public school. at Milwaukee Wednesday.

-J. H. Martin and wife spent Sur day with relatives at Barton.

-Lehman Rosenheimer made business trip to Chicago Monday. -Wm. Hillenberg left last Wednes-

day evening for a visit in Minnesota. -A farmers' institute will be held at West Bend on March 12 and 13. -J. P. Klein bought a span of mules of Chris. Becker last Wednes-

-Adolph Rosenheimer left Tuesday for Iron Mountain, Mich., on busi-

-H. J. Lay had his new warehouse -Albert Stark, of Milwaukee, called

on relatives and friends in the village -Mrs. J. J. Altenhofen and children

returned home to Milwaukee last -George F. Brandt made a pro-

fessional call at Campbellsport last

called on his brother Jacob and fami--Miss Miller, of Appleton, was the

part of the week.

visit with relatives. -James J. O'Connell, of Plymouth,

the village this week. -Mrs. H. W. Wittenberg, of Dun-

he village Thursday. -John Schmidt, of Milwaukee.

spent Sunday with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Joseph Schmidt. -Miss Emma Armge returned to

Milwaukee Monday after a week's isit here with her parents. -The C. D. Gage farm in the town

f Auburn, was sold last Tuesday to dward Ferber for \$17.500. -J. H. Martin has two fine deer

ads which he has had mounted. le offers one of them for sale. -Mrs Teske and children, of Strat

rd, Wis., are visiting with Fred chulz and wife for a few weeks. -Byron Rosenheimer, who is tak-

g a course in a commercial college Milwaukee, spent Sunday at home -Mrs. Butcher, of Boyd, Wis., has en visiting here with her sister. rs. M. Rosenheimer, since Thursday. -Philip Meinhardt and family visit-Sunday with the Chris. Haug and seph Volz families in the town of

-Melchior Schmidt, trombopist th the Kewaskum brass band, reved a new Jaubert slide tro nbone

-Mrs. A. F. Backhaus and daugh- Bogus Priests as Canvassers. Thecla, of Marshfield, visited rela es and friends here from Saturday

The young people of the village d a party at the Temperance Hall t Saturday evening which was en-

-Frank Strube sold a 6-H. P. Badportable gasoline engine to Au- and poorly bound. t Schaefer, in company with John

cher, this week. -Mrs. Chris. Kippenhan, of Greenes and friends here and vicinity prospective buyer asked one of the

last Wednesday. Mrs. Albert Glander and daugh-Augusta, of Milwaukee, spent a days of this week with relatives

friends in the village, James Mulvaney Jr., who is now graph operator at Richfield, called riends here Monday and took in

masquerade in the evening.

-William Stagy drove to Cascade ast Monday to take his sister, Mrs.

kee Tuesday to work in the trimming adapted for that purpose having a in Marblehead. department of the Blumenfeld, Loch- number of small ponds on it which er & Brown Co., wholesale millinery were formerly the finest trout ponds here last Sunday.

-Frank Foote sold his cheese fact- cleaned out and devoted to the raisory last Wednesday to Glaser & Er- ing of frogs of all kinds. hardt, of Chicago. The firm will commence operating the same early this viable reputation all over the coun-

-August Kroening and wife, of Cecil, Wis., returned home Wednesday after a week's visit with his brother-in-law, John Kocher Jr. and

-The directors of the Kewaskum Percheron Draft Horse Association met here in the village last Tuesday to make arrangements for the com--A train made up of the wreck

honor of their (Crystal) 15th wedding anniversary.

-There will be a declamatory contest held at Ziegler's hall on Friday evening, March 6th, between the stu-

-John Andrea and wife spent a working for the M. & St. P. Railway ness to cater especially to this trade. Evanston, Ill., called here last Tues-

Company as brakeman. -J. F. Cavanaugh, principal of our public school, was taken sick with grippe last Thursday; therefore the pupils of the high school were dis-

missed Friday morning. with relatives and friends. They also and later moved on a farm in the London before returning.

painted this week by Casper Brand- Herman Tesch, of Boltonville, died bought the twenty acre farm now

-Miss Susan Altenhofen, of Milwaukee, visited friends in the village about five years ago. The funeral week Wednesday. for a few days this week while on her took place at Beechwood vesterday had been for the past three weeks.

-Services w ll be held at the M. E. -Dr. F. H. Russell, of Campbells. (Sunday) and Sunday school at 9:30 port, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. port, was a caller in the village last a. m. Services will be held at Ash- John Schultz, of the town of Auburn, ford at 2:30 p. m. on the same date. died at her home last Saturday at 1

Monday to look over his farm pro- cigar factory. J. M. Schroeder, who vears. She leaves to mourn her early for the past twenty years was em- demise her husband, a 16-months-old ployed by Seliger & Luckow, has de- daughter, her parents, two sisters breaking on the C. & N. W. Railway cided to engage in business for him- and three brothers. The funeral took spent Sunday with his mother here.

-The following from this place atguest of Miss Mathilda Lay the fore tended the old settlers' meeting at West Bend on the 23d inst.: Mr. and -Miss Emma Stark went to Mil- Mrs. H. J. Lav and daughter Mathwaukee Thursday for a few week's Ilda, Miss Belinda Rosenheimer, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Colvin.

-The mask ball held by William delivered his orders for portraits in Ziegler in his hall last Monday evenng was largely attended. There were dee, called on relatives and friends in nevertheless those that were there were very good and furnished plenty of amusement for the spectators.

all repaired to their homes pronounc- sided over that congregation.

ing Miss Witzig an excellent hostess. -The inquest over the remains of Engineer George Sensiba, Green Bay;

Complaints are being made by Catholic p. iests that book agents, representing themselves to be priests and students for the priesthood in need of aid. are canvassing through their parishes and imposing upon the piety of their parishoners by selling them cheap books, poorly printed ried life.

According to one priest, several of the canvassers wear Roman collars and pass as priests, saying that they od, has been visiting with rela- are sent around by the bishop. A canvassers to call again and was told that "the bishop did not want

Another buyer met "the priest" going to the theater one night dressed in the height or fashion with a female companion, also attired in the latest. mencing at 9 a. m., Henry Joost will In an editorial on the subject the sell at auction on the C. D. Gage Catholic Citizen warns its readers to farm, 21/2 miles north of Kewaskum, John Perschbacher, who was liv-beware of the oily tongued agents, the following live stock: 7 good work-

To Raise Frogs at Lomira.

John Burger, of Lomira, has leased Charles Buss, home after she had his 1,000 acre farm there to E. R. been visiting her mother here for a Neuenfeldt, of Oshkosh, who will convert it into the greatest frog preserve -Miss Rose Witzig left for Milwau- in the North-west. The farm is well in the state. The ponds will be

> Mr. Neuenfeldt has gained an entry as king of the frog industry, and this year he will proceed to raise them on a greater scale than ever before. Commencing in a small way as pur- ited here last Monday. veyor of bait in his capacity of news agent on the Wisconsin Central rail- Oshkosh last Monday. road, Mr. Neuenfeldt has gradually increased his business until now he supplies not only most of the bait used in Milwaukee, Chicago, and other large cities in the west, but also nearly all the frogs' legs to butcher

shops, fish markets, and to the largwhich occured four miles north of er hotels. Mr. Neuenfeldt by no Kewaskum last week, passed through means intends to confine himself to here Thursday afternoon for the Mil- the frog industry, as he has planned to raise horned toads by wholesale. last Monday on business. -Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brandt en- The horned toad has usually been tertained a number of their friends at considered an adornment for a curitheir home last Monday evening in osity cabinet, but Mr. Neuenfeldt has discovered a practical use for this pro-

duct of the desert. He will also raise all kinds of tur tles, crawfish, mussels, edible snails. insects and worms, to be kept to supdents of the high school department ply the growing demand for educational institutions throughout the few days of this week with relatives feature of the industry, as there is kee. and friends. Mr. Andrea is now nowhere any one conducting a busi-

Deaths.

William Stephen, one of the first settlers of the village of Kewaskum, died last Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Koch, at Beechwood, after a short illness, aged 78 -Frank Foote and wife went to years. Mr. Stephen conducted one Fond du Luclast Saturday for a visit of the first taverns here in the village intend to visit at Appleton and New town of Ashford where he lived for Sunday. many years. After he sold that farm -Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. he came to Kewaskum again and Louis Fellenz, of Oshkosh, spent Sun-Chilton furnished the music. Sunday. The funeral took place from owned by Fred Marquardt. He lived the Ev. St. Lucas church here in the there up to eight years ago when he pect, is learning dress-making with joved by all. The Random Lake orsold same and went to Beechwood the Glass sisters. with his wife to live with their daughter. His wife preceeded him in death ly, of Glidden, returned home last ses Margaret Stokes and Emma Mc-

at 1 p. m. nurch here at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow of William Krueger, of Campbells-Augusta Krueger, (nee Schultz) wife -West Bend is to have another p. m., after a week's illness, aged 24 place last Tuesday forenoon with in-

Rev. Moldenhauer Honored.

Rev. S. Moldenhauer was agree- ets sold. ably surprised at his home, two miles north-east of here, last Saturday moved his family and household o'clock supper was served after which essary to complete a styevening by the members of his con- goods here into the McCullough build- the guests departed for their respecbut few masqueraders present but gregation on the occasion of his fifty- ing last Tuesday. fifth birthday anniversary. It was a complete surprise to the pastor and shop to William Jaeger last Tuesday Lena, Emma, Katie, Willie and Alma, the hearty welcome the guests re- for \$1,600. The latter will take posceived from him showed that Mr. -Another freight train on the C. Moldenhauer was highly pleased with & N. W. R'y was wrecked at West the honor. The evening was very Bend last Wednesday morning when plea antly spent in converse, singing four cars were derailed and one com- etc., and at 10 p. m. a fine supper was pletely demolished. Traffic was not served. It was after midnight before delayed much as the wreck happened all had departed for their respective near the depot and trains were able homes wishing their beloved pastor mira, called on Philip Guenther and many happy returns of the day. Rev. family here last Monday and took -Miss Rose Witzig gave a farewell Moldenhauer was presented with a in the mask ball in the evening. party to her friends at her home last fine steel range by the members of Gregor Hoffmann, who attends a Sunday evening which was a very his congregation and besides received medical college at Milwaukee, spent enjoyable affair. The evening was other presents from individuals. By Sunday and Monday with his parspent in playing games and music, the 19th of next June it will be thirty ents, Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Hoffmann. and after a delicious lunch was served years that Mr. Moldenhauer has pre-

## Matrimony.

Henry Ramthum and Miss Emma Fireman Henry Vander Brook, Green Backhaus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bay, and Brakeman W. J. Ducey, Mil- Fred Backhaus, were united in marwaukee, who came to their death in riage at the Ev. Peace church here The winners of the Eucher game were the railroad wreck on the 18th, was last Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o. Mrs Joseph Meixensperger, first prize held at Campbellsport Saturday. The clock; Rev, Erber officiating. The and Miss Isabella McCullough, boo- is spending the week here. verdict is that the men "died from in- bride was attended by the Misses by prize. juries received in a railroad wreck, Augusta Glander, Mathilda Kanies Mrs. William Krueger, aged twenthe cause of the wreck, in our opinion, and Elsie Backhaus while William ty-four years, died at her home here being a broken tire on the left front Backhaus, Arthur Koch and Adolph in the village last Saturday at 1 p. Backhaus acted as the groomsmen, m. after a week's illness. The funer-After the ceremony the wedding par- al took place on Tuesday at 9:30 a. ty repaired to the home of the bride's m. with interment at Elmore. Deparents where a reception was held ceased leaves a husband and one child bett's. with near relatives and friends in at sixteen months old. tendance. Mr. and Mrs. Ramthum will make their home at the Kewaskum House which the groom has recently purchased. We extend congratulations to them and wish them cuit Court, commencing March 17. much joy and happiness in their mar-

Auctions. On Tuesday, March 10th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the 160 acre farm of the late Abram Van Epps, located 21/2 miles south of the village of Kewaskum on the Fond du Lac road, will be sold at auction to the him running to houses three or four highest bidder. Terms will be made known on day of sale,

On Thursday, March 12th, com-

CAMPBELLSPORT CULLINGS. Frank Scheid went to Kansas last

C. E. Broughton called at Kewas

kum Tuesday. Fred Nast spent Sunday at his home

Milo Scheid, of Fond du Lac, called

Ed. Miller, of Kewaskum, called here last Monday. Mrs. E. Flanagan went to Milwaukee last Sunday Chris, Becker and Nic. Klotz spent

Sunday at Green Bay. Arnold Bannon, of Milwaukee, vis-

H. N. Bacon visited at his home John Baumhardt was a county seat caller Wednesday.

H. A. Wrucke was at Fond du Lac on business Wednesday. Miss Gertrude Flanagan, of Eden, called here last Monday.

Joseph Rodler, of Fond du Lac

visited here last Monday. E. F. Martin went to Fond du La Herman Prehn, of Omro, visited

here a few days this week, Otto Firks is now working for Jak Kleinhans as a blacksmith.

Henry Schimmelpfennig moved o his residence last Tuesday. G. W. Johnston, of Chicago, called on his family here last Sunday.

Bartelt and Chris. Becker Jr., spent country. This will be a valuable a few days with relatives at Milwau A. I. Paul and daughter Lulu, of

> Frank Fitzpatrick returned home Monday after a week's stay at Fond

Buck, the tailor of Fond du Lac, was in town Tuesday taking orders Mrs. John Litscher, of North Fond

du Lac, visited her parents here last Henry Fellenz, of Fond du Lac, and

Miss Clara Krueger, of New Pros-

F. D. Hubbard and Eugene Haess-

call here Wednesday. Miss Gertrude Goss visited her sis- resident of this place for the past ten ter at North Fond du Lac last week vears but formerly of Kewaskum, New Friday and Saturday.

N. J. Mertes, proprietor of the Cenral Hotel at Kewaskum, was a business caller here Monday. Edward Flanagan, who is now

Henry Scholler Sr., and son Nic. tives have the sympathy of the comterment at Elmore; Rev. Beiser offi- and family, of Ashford, spent Tuesciating. The bereaved relatives have day with H. C. Scholler and family.

The mask ball held by Mr. Guenther last Monday was very largely attended, there being 220 dance tick- bors on the occasion of the twenty-

Henry Spoerl sold his blacksmith session some time next week. William Jaeger and Frank Jaeger,

who went to Milwaukee a few weeks ago, have returned home again. They say there is no place like home.

Henry Yankow, of Milwaukee spent a few days of this week with pox. his folks here. Henry is employed in the Cream City as a motor-man on

The Sweet Clover Club met at the

Jury List. The following is the list of petit

jurors for the spring term of the Cir-Trenton-Geo. McCormack, Chas. Quade, John Molling. Town Hartford-Henry Held, Dennis Foote, John White.

Wayne-Peter Benedum, John Rill-Schleisingerville-John Buch Jr John Rosenheimer Jr., Fred Kletti. Richfield-John Loew, Fred Marsh- Wheat. City West Bend-Peter Berres, Fred

Schuler, Albert Story, Aug. Fuge Jr. Erin-John Buckley, Thos. Toner. Eggs Germantown-William Hayes, Geo. Washed wool Kewaskum-Theo. Schoofs, John Martin, Louis Backhaus, H. J. Lay. Polk-John Bruessel, Frank Heppe, Adam Spuhler, John Wolf, Peter Bies.

BEECHWOOD BEAMLETS.

Mrs. H. Glass has a severe attack of grippe.

Ed. Kreutzinger was a Lima visit-

Hon. G. W. Koch spent a few days

with his family here. Mike McBride transacted business

n Sheboygan Tuesday. Miss Emma McDonald is enjoying week's vacation at home.

Herman Krahn, of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with his parents here. Nic. Pesch and wife attended serrices at St. Mathia's church Sunday. Oscar Koch arrived home from Mil-

Monday to attend the wedding of

Mrs. Maria Stahl, of Silver Creek, spent the past week with the Stahl

guest of her brother, Dr. E. P. Peake, Saturday and Sunday.

Washington's birthday. John Held and wife, the Messrs. Wierman and Fellenz spent Thursday

Mrs. Koenig was summoned to the bedside of her father, Mr. Stephen,

N. W. Railway Tuesday morning no mail was received here from the south. The Messrs. Bill and Julius Reinke and Herman Geiss are hunting and trapping through the northern part

the mask ball and spend a few days

ing home Sunday.

A number from here attended the

The masquerade ball at Koch's hall

Donald and Edward McDonald were Veterinary Surgeon, G. F. Brandt, guests of A. L. and Miss Margaret of Kewaskum, made a professional O'Connell Sunday.

Mr. Stephen, an old and passed to his final reward Tuesday afternoon after a short illness at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Koch. The funeral was held Thurs-Rev. Gruenwald performing the last Special lot of four dozen sad rites. Interment in the Beech- Ladies'black mercerized wood cemetery. The bereaved rela- Sateen Waists .....

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Fellenz were Men's surprised on Thursday, February 19 by a number of relatives and neighfifth anniversary of their wedding. Wallace Hendricks, of Fond du Lac. They enjoyed it very much and at 10 They are absolutely nective homes. Their marriage was who were all present. The following relatives and neighbors who attended were: John Berres and wife, Hil. Herriges, wife and son Eddie, of St. Michaels; Henry Fellenz, wife and sons Peter and Jacob, Frank Ehnard, wife and son Milton, August Staege and William Backhaus, of Scott. They all departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Fellenz many happy returns of

Miss Mollie Brown is on the

The electric light plant is running

John Naughton, of Campbellsport, Wool Crepes, a yard....... Se spending the week here.

Miss Tessie Kilcoyne closed her term of school in Forest last week. Albert Hurtchen, of Pierce county, Beautiful white figured and fancy pat spent the past two weeks at C. Cor-

of school in the Bast district at Round Lake Tuesday

he is to build soon. Garrett Romaine and wife visited relatives and friends in Campbells-

port a couple days last week. LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Unwashed wool

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Herring, Milker, per keg .... Herring, Holland, per keg ... Herring, Holland, choice, per

Fire Fish, choice stock.

Frosted Cookies, per lb.

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waukee Sunday, much improved in B. C. Hicken went to Waukesha

Miss Peake, of Oshkosh, was the

The Stars and Stripes waved over he village Sunday in observance of the village Sunday in observance of

evening with the O'Connell's.

Sunday who was seriously ill. Owing to the wreck on the C. &

trapping through the northern part Miss Clara Krautkramer came up from Milwaukee Saturday to attend

among friends. Miss Sadie Allman, of Sheboygan Falls, spent Friday and Saturday with the Kreutzinger family, return-

oall at John Dowling's Monday evening. Gibson-Gate's harp orchestra of

chestra furnished the music.

DUNDEE DOINGS.

Miss Annie Corbett has the sma

Robert Gilboy is spending this week

Mrs. A. Brown, who has been quite | Sail Cloth.

The carpenters are at work again on P. W. Gallagher's house.

Miss Jessie Bump closed her term

P. W. Gallagher is hauling stone for the foundation of his barn which Fine plain colored Fabric in white an

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.85c Tomatoes, Kinsdle Brand, per White Fish, choice, per \( \frac{1}{2} \) bbl. \( \frac{1}{2} \) Tomatoes, Kinsdle Brand, per Fresh Pickeral and Perch every
Fox River Early Corn, pr can.10c day. Choice smoked Trout. Gold Medal Baked Beans, per

Dried Fruits. Choice Peaches, per can.... Dried Peaches, per lb.. Dried Apricots, per lb......121 Choice Prunes, per lb. pkg....10c Breakfast Foods. Choice Prunes, per lb. pkg....086

Raisins, seeded, per pkg ......12c Kern's Success Oat Meal, per Raisins, seeded, per 1b. Currants, per 1b. .. 10c Oat Meal, per lb. Monogram Mince Meat, per Grape Nuts, per box.. 10c Shredded Wheat, per box.....14c Cookies. Wheat Food, per 2lb box ..... 14c

Feimo, per box.

Lemon Snaps, Pan=Cake Flour. Ginger Graham Crackers, 10c Fresh Buckwheat Flour, per Vienna Prints, 10c 13lb pkg. 10c Corn Meal, fresh, per lb......02½c Ginger Wafers.

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beware of the oily tongued agents, and points out that priests and ding horses, three 3-year-old and two inity students never canvass. The men, they say, represent an outside firm.

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### A MADCAP MARRIAGE.

CHAPTER I.

It was a glorious day in early autumn nd beneath the trees of the orchard of leathcote Farm, the branches of which ent and creaked beneath their heavy loads of golden fruit, paced a fair maiden of rare beauty, the delicate curves of hose slight but well rounded figure gave romise of a glorious womanhood.

Minnie Merton had only just entered er 20th year, and yet on the morrow he was to be a bride; nay, more even than that, ere twenty-four hours had passed, she would not only be a wife, but

She could not realize it, she felt it must e a delightful dream, and that she would on awake and find it all an idle chimera of the brain

Yet her little love-story was simplicity She was the only daughter, only child, in fact, of John Merton, of Heathcote, who, on the death of his wife whom he almost worshipped, transferred all the affection he had borne her to the pretty, flaxed-haired, little prattler she Every wish, every whim of the child

as gratified, and for some years she was irtually despot of the little household at Heathcote. The neighboring farmers' wives shook their heads, and prognosti cated all sorts of evil things for the child, but as Minnie grew up, she proved them false prophets; for a sweeter, more lov ble nature it would have been impos ble to find. And as the farmer looked at her, and noticed the budding beauties of both mind and body, his breast swelled with pride, and although a comparatively poor man, he determined that no expens hould be spared in giving her an eduation worthy of the gifts she had al-

ready been endowed with by Nature. Accordingly, a highly accomplished governess was brought down from Lonon, who was as familiar with several Continental languages as she was with English; and as she was as painstaking as she was conscientious, Minnie soon became an accomplished linguist.

The organist of Cranleigh parisi nurch was pressed into the service as nusic teacher, and the curate guided her timid footsteps along the intricate paths of mathematics. So that at the age of 18 Minnie Merton, the yeoman farmer's daughter, was as accomplished and well read as any of the highest born in the

Then came the romance of her life old Earl of Langdale died childless nd the title and estates descended to his nephew, a young man of 30 years of age, who had spent the last ten years He was a man of almost Herculean stature, with an austere, stern expression on his dark-huel face. But when he first saw Minnie, which he did on the occasion of his calling upon Farmer Merton, respecting the renewal of the lease of two meadows, which the farmer rented for additional pasturage, as his own holding was mostly under crops; when he saw Minnie, all his austerity, all his sternness melted away as snow from a rock under the midsummer sun, and he was astonished at his own gaiety and liveliness.

That night he had little.

He was a man of almost Herculean the back of a rustic seat placed beneath the shadow of the old pear-tree; but for that, she would have sunk to the earth. "You here, Cousin Roderick?" she cried in unaffected surprise. "I thought you were out in South Africa with the C. I. V.?"

"So I was, my dear Minnie," replied Roderick Crowther, with a plainly perceptible sneer in his tone. "But even a year must come to an end, and, our time having expired, we returned last week to receive our country's thanks and—a dinner."

"And Eustace, has he come has the formand for all grades of creamery. Creamery, per lb, 27c; prints, 27½c; firsts, 23½24c; esconds, 17c; June creamery, 18½24c; esconds, 17c; June creamery, 18½24c; extra agang dairy, 19c; lines, 14½16c; roll, 14½15c; whey, 10c; packing stock, 13c; demand is rather light and stock is moving slowly; of the country of the country perceptible sneer in his tone. "And Eustace, has he come has a country per long the renewal of the case of the country perceptible sneer in his tone. "But even a year must come to an end, and, our time having expired, we returned last week to receive our country's thanks and—a dinner."

"And Eustace, has he come has a rustic seat placed beneath the earth. "You here, Cousin Roderick?" she cried in unaffected surprise, "I thought you dult and not wanted. Strictly fresh, cases Included, 14½c; fresh, cases returned, 14½c; fancy storage, 10@11c. Receipts were 605 cases.

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That night he had little sleep, for he seemed to be haunted by a fairy-like form, with large liquid, violet eyes, outing ruby lips, and a wealth of wavy,

his modesty, had anticipated; for, not unnaturally, when she first beheld him Minnie's heart went straight out to the stammered, "and I am sure dad will be

was besieging, and with all the ardor of a man desperately in carnest, he determined upon an immediate assault.

But Minnie was not to be so easily won. At the very moment, carried away by his enthusiastic fervor, she was about to confess his love was returned and that she was wholly his, her natural maiden reserve and a modest pride asserted themselves. She remembered the difference in their social positions, and felt this happiness was not for her.

In firm but gentle tones, for the words seemed to tear her heart-strings as she

straight-forwardly asked the farmer's nsent to the marriage.

John Merton was staggered, for a though he had expected Minnie to make what is vulgarly called "a good match," in his wildest flights of ambition he had never hoped for such a dazzling future

At the same time the same objections that had presented themselves to Minnie ow arose before her father's mental vision, and he was of too honestly proud a nature to give his consent to the union until he had urged all these upon the earl with a rugged but sincere eloquence.

The earl listened respectfully, but the father's arguments had no more effect I than the daugnter's, and at last, seeing nothing would turn the earl from his urpose, he gave his consent, though not

without very serious misgivings. And now, as Minnie walked over the en, velvety sward, her thoughts carried her back to that day three months ago, and she found herself gravely asking the question, whether she had done right in giving her consent so readily, and whether she had not acted selfishly eonsidering her own happiness before the future career of the man she loved, even though he had persuaded her to do

It was too late now, howeer, to reco sider the matter, for even now the earl was in London making all the final arrangements, and she could not hope to him again until they met beneath the porch of Cranleigh church on the morrow. Suddenly she was aroused from her reverie by the noise of the little wicketgate that opened from the farmyarl swinging on its hinges, and, turning round, she saw in the bright sunlight the tall figure of a man approaching.

He was dressed in black, and wore the orthodox frock coat and silk hat of town society, but there was an irregularity in his stride, and a slouching, uneasy movement of the shoulderrs that sadly detracted from any effect his personal aparance might have had upon a stranger. His face was not unhandsome for the eatures were regular and well proporned, and the eyes were large, dark, and of a lustrous brightness, but all was marred by the upward curve of the corers of the mouth, which, added to the upward twirl of the black mustache, gave e whole countenance a sinister, Mephis-

As Minnie gazed at her approaching visitor, a sudden feeling of faintness almost overcame ber, and she gladly availed herself of the support afforded by

ner."

"And Eustace, has he come home too?" she asked.

"He has not. Eidently he likes campaigning better than I do, for he joined one of the innumerable regiments of irregular horse being raised in Cape Town.

But you do not say you are glad to see

conclusion that he was desperacy, love; and not only that, he determined that he would leave no stone unturned to become the possessor of the love of Minnie in return.

This was an easier matter than he, in his modesty, had anticipated; for, not in modesty, had anticipated; for, not in modesty, had anticipated; for, not in modesty, had anticipated; for modesty requires saying, she in the modesty in the modesty of the modesty in the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty of the modesty of the matter than he, in the modesty of the modesty

Minnie's heart went straight out to the bronzed soldier, who had been willing to separate himself from all the attractions and allurements of civilization and sacrifice himself on the altar of duty.

The young soldier was not long in perfect the weakness of the fortress he in the house. You must come to him at once. I know he is in the house."

"No, Minnie," he said firmly. "I do not wish to see him until I have had a few words with you alone. Tell me, is it true that you are engaged to the Earl of true that you are engaged to the Earl of \$250 to 300 lbs, 7.15@7.35; pigs, 80 to 110 lbs, \$6.95@7.25; selected heavy, \$250 to 300 lbs, 7.15@7.35; pigs, 80 to 110 lbs, \$6.95@7.25; pigs, 80 t

seemed to tear her heart-strings as she uttered them, she pointed out the difference in their rank, the shortness of their cheerless Transvaal, at the bivouae, on edge of that society of which he was so important a member.

"No, no. it can never be," she said, striving bravely to suppress all signs of ber own emotion—a task which was momentarily becoming more difficult. "The striving bravely to suppress all signs of marry no one but me. Listen! When the bivouac, on guard, or doing lone ly sentry-go, you were ever with me, and now, when I am able to ask ou to be my wife, you tell me you are about to marry another. No, Minnie Merton, you shall marry no one but me. Listen! When the bivouac, on 11.50@12.25; No. 1 timothy, dull; carlots, choice timothy, 11.50@11.75. No. 2 timothy, 9.50@10.50; clover and clover nived, 9.00@10.00. Prairie hay steady; choice Kansas, 11.50 @12.00; No. 1 Kansas, 11.00@11.25; No. 2 timothy, steady. must take your place in the world as the ago, of my love, I had few or no pros-Earl of Langlade, the proud descendant pects in life, but I felt that this condiof a long line of warriors and statesmen, the would alter. I told you who have helped to make England what I should yet have a chance, and my the is—queen of the world. It must be prophecy was correct. Coming home, I made the acquaintance of a rich diamond

ugh on her lips, and caused her to stag ger back in dismay.
"You may laugh now," he said sternly ne, you will be convinced your merri

nent is rather premature. Did I not love ou as I do, I might have let you com mit this felonious act, and afterwards used my knowledge for my own puroses. But my sincere love for you forbids me acting in such a manner, and on the contrary. I come forward to rescue you even on the very brink of the abyss into which you would have plunged." "For heaven's sake, speak more plain-' she cried. "You have said either too

nuch or too little. What do you mean coupling bigamy with my name?" "It seems to me you don't know your own name, or you are a marvelously clever actress," he snarled. "Are you really ignorant of the fact that you are Eustace Crowther, lawfully mar ried to my brother by the law of Scot-

"You must be mad, Roderick," she said feeling certain now that his brain had lost its balance, and fervently wishing she was safe in the farmhouse again. "No, I am not mad, Mrs. Crowther, e said calmly. "Let me explain the Scottish law of marriage to you-at least, the point that concerns us. It is to the effect that, when a man and woman declare themselves husband and wife before witnesses, they are from that moment as certainly married as though they had been united by the Archbisho of Canterbury. You can easily consult a lawyer who is well up in Scotch law and you will find I am right. I do not

wish to impose upon you."

Minnie's face had now turned of eathly whiteness, and she swayed to and fro like a slender willow in a heavy gale of wind, for, as if like a revelation, certain scene that she had taken part in wo years before presented itself to her mental vision. TO BE CONTINUED.

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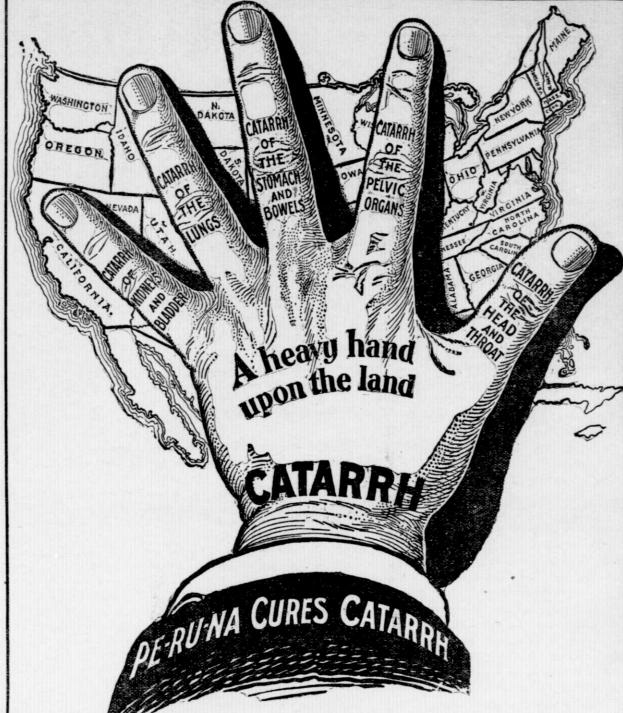
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