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THE LITTLE TAILOR ON THE HILL.

By Margaret Wildmer.

I asked the little tailor as he sewed upon the hill, "How can the little busy bee the poet's words fulfill? How could that little animal, suppose he had the powers, (Or anybody else) improve already shining hours?"

I asked the little tailor as he sat a-catching flies, "Why was the man who jumped within the briar bush so wise? For leaping into brambles, I would plainly say to you, Is not a thing the average man is very apt to do?"

"Oh, don't you know Why he did so? In that bush was Sapolio!"

"Oh, little tailor," once said I, "I wish you'd tell to me, Why, when I take my walks abroad, so many poor I see; And why they're always dirtier than anyone I've seen, And even have objections to my garments being clean?"

Said he, "They go All dirty so, Because they've no Sapolio!"

I asked the little tailor as he smoked one windy night, "Pray tell me why the little dogs delight to bark and bite, For, though I own a little dog, I do not think that he Has ever barked or bitten at my friends or yet at me!"

"Dogs are a foe To dirt, and so Hercules who hate Sapolio!"

I sat down by the tailor on the hill and asked him this: "Why can you always tell me what the reason for things is? And why are both your wisdom and your scissors always bright, So they light our little village on the very darkest night?"

"Before you go, He said, 'Just know The answer to all's Sapolio!'"

I met the little tailor with my Grecian Histry brook, Said I, "I wish at Hercules you'd give me the how it was cleaned the Augean stables so, By simply turning into them a little river's flow."

"That river's flow, All writers know, Contained," said he, "Sapolio!"

I watched the little stars that shine above the world so high, And I saw them wink and wiggle in all in rows along the sky, Then said I unto the tailor, as I watched each little star: "Now don't you often wonder what those starlets really are?"

"Wonder? Oh, no, Those stars that glow? Are pans'ished with Sapolio!"

I said unto the tailor, "I can't really understand Why Macbeth's wife made all that fuss about her stained hand? They say she used to walk around the basement stairs at night, And wait about her fingers till the house was in a fright!"

He said, "Her woe, You surely know Was lack of Hand Sapolio!"

MILLION A WEEK. Money Order System Increase In Great Demand. That Any Other Business In World There is no business in the world that grows half so fast as our postoffice money order system.

So named because 50 cents produced so heavily that it proceeds built a lovely home. See Salzer's catalogue. Yielded 1008 in Indiana 1903, Ohio 1903, Tennessee 98 bu., and in Michigan 22 bu. per acre. You can beat this record in 1904.

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PEACE PROSPECTS AGAIN BRIGHT.

London Considers Chances of Avoiding War Are More Favorable Than They Have Been for Weeks.

MAY ARBITRATE EASTERN QUESTION.

Vladivostock Wires That News from Japan Has Dispelled the Fears of War—Tokio Expects a Settlement.

MIKADO FIRMS IN HIS DEMANDS.

Paris, Jan. 21.—It has been learned in official quarters that the international peace commission (having its headquarters at Bern), which is an adjunct of The Hague arbitration tribunal, has sent a circular note to the powers asking for the adoption of means to secure a settlement of the Russo-Japanese controversy.

London, Jan. 21.—The Westminster Gazette this afternoon voices official and general opinion on the far eastern crisis, saying: "We believe the chances of peace are at this moment more favorable than they have been for some weeks past."

St. Petersburg, Jan. 21.—A dispatch from Vladivostock says: "The news received here from Japan has dispelled the fears of war, and apparently is assured for a long time to come."

The Associated Press learns that even Lord Lansdowne, who has been consistently pessimistic, yesterday took a hopeful view of the situation and expressed the belief that the present crisis is a pessimistic view, and it was his opinion was based on the conditions outlined in these dispatches yesterday, namely, that Russia is willing to concede practically all Japan's demands, but that she cannot see her way to make a treaty with Japan recognizing in black and white China's sovereignty over Manchuria.

Another Depressing Period Expected. The diplomats here, though differing in views as to the extent to which the dispute is not likely to be settled with another depressing period which is expected to occur when the war party in Japan raises its inevitable objections after the receipt of the pending Russian proposals.

Robbers Looted Express Car on the Sunset Limited of the Southern Pacific. THEY GET \$80,000 IN CASH.

During Absence of Messenger from Car the Strong Box Is Taken.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 21.—Train robbers stole the iron safe from the Sunset Limited, northbound, on the Southern Pacific railway near San Luis Obispo, early this morning, and it is understood the robbers secured a large amount of treasure from the strong boxes, the sum being placed as high as \$80,000. This, however, is denied at the office of Wells, Fargo & Co.

Train No. 9, or the Sunset Limited, was traveling in two sections, and it was ascertained that the robbers were on the second section that the robbery occurred.

Safe Is Stolen. The express messenger, T. Sullivan, had two cars to look after and shortly after the train left San Luis Obispo, while the train was en route, he discovered the loss of the safe. He had been working in the forward express car and as soon as he went to the rear he made the discovery. The safe was found to be wrenched from the corner of the car, where it had been secured by heavy steel bars and carried.

The messenger immediately gave the warning, the train was stopped and word was wired along the line to look out for robbers. The train reached this city today and detectives were at once sent to the scene of the robbery.

Express Officials Retire. At the offices of Wells, Fargo & Co. in this city little information regarding the robbery was obtained, and it was learned that the safe of Messenger T. Sullivan had been taken during his temporary absence from the train. The details of the affair of the officials of the company were reticent. The report that the safe was taken during the robbery was denied, and the statement was made that the contents of the safe were of little value. No definite figures, however, were given.

DOWIE DELAYED BY SUIT. San Francisco Insurance Agent Says Ruler of Zion Owes Him \$62.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 21.—Hugh Craig, insurance agent and former president of the chamber of commerce, applied to the courts to recover \$602 from John Alexander Dowie, Mr. Craig being the petitioner and the officials of the company were reticent. The report that the safe was taken during the robbery was denied, and the statement was made that the contents of the safe were of little value. No definite figures, however, were given.

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STEEL TRUST'S LOSS.

BAD FIRE IN TUBE WORKS AT SHELBY, O. Loss Is Placed at Three Million Dollars—Much Work for Government Is Delayed.

SHELBY, O., Jan. 21.—The United States Steel corporation sustained a \$3,000,000 loss by fire last night at the plant of the Shelby Steel Tube company. The fire started in one of the smaller rooms from a defective electric wire and spread to the large stock rooms, completely destroying all of them. The product of the entire plant for the past six months was destroyed within an hour, consisting of 800,000 tons, making in all 25,000,000 feet of finished product, and valued at \$3,000,000.

The works officials say that a portion of the finished product can be worked out, but it will require the entire capacity of the plant and will delay the mills on old orders. The stock consisted mostly of locomotive boiler flues and other government work of various kinds. The fire was caused by a short circuit in the electric wiring. The tubular manufacturing by the Shelby plant is used by the government for government boiler flues in United States war vessels.

The demand of the government alone is said to be sufficient to keep a good-sized plant running continuously the year around. The United States government has been the best customer of the local plant. The plant was erected in 1890, and has made gigantic strides forward since that time, covering nearly ten acres of ground.

DR. J. R. COMMONS CALLED. Noted Authority on Economic Questions May Become Member of University of Wisconsin Faculty.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 21.—[Special.]—Dr. John R. Commons, one of the foremost authorities on economics in the country and especially on "labor questions," may be induced to come to the University of Wisconsin, if negotiations now in progress are successful. The board of regents acted favorably on the proposition, having provided that if Dr. Commons accepts the call, the new chair will carry a salary of \$3000.

Dr. Commons is a Johns Hopkins man, and has held chairs in the University of Indiana and Syracuse. He is now connected with the National Civic Federation with headquarters in New York.

THIBETANS WILL APPEAL TO RUSSIA FOR AID. British Expedition Is Meeting with Opposition and a Fight Is Likely.

Calcutta, Jan. 21.—Reports from the British expedition to Tibet indicate that the Thibetans are likely to show fight. The native priests declare they will appeal to Russia if the advance continues.

MAY CENSURE THE KAISER. German Government Fears Vote on the Russian Spy Question.

Berlin, Jan. 21.—The debate in the Reichstag over the Russian spy question was suspended today. The German government fears a vote on the Russian spy question.

THREE PERSONS ARE DEAD. Twelve Guests Injured, of Which Two Will Die—Outer Walls of Building Blown Out.

RESCUERS KEPT BACK BY THE GAS. Marion, Ind., Jan. 21.—Three people have been burned to death and ten badly injured in a hotel building here. The cause was a gas explosion. The building was destroyed.

FOR STAMPED MATTER ONLY. General Use of Rural Mail Boxes Is Proposed.

LANCASTER, Wis., Jan. 21.—The post-office department has issued a formal warning that those persons will be prosecuted for an infringement of the laws who use rural mail boxes as repositories for newspapers, unless proper stamps are affixed to the boxes.

TINY YOUNGSTER IS BORN. Indiana Farmer's Wife Gives Birth to Infant Weighing Only Half Ounce.

WABASH, Ind., Jan. 21.—What is believed to be the smallest child ever born in northern Indiana came into the world at Wabash, Ind., on Tuesday. The tiny youngster weighed only half an ounce.

TRIAL OF "PARISAL" SUIT SET. Action for Libel Brought by New York Director Against Berlin Writers.

Berlin, Jan. 21.—Action for libel brought by Heinrich Court, director of the Metropolitan Opera house of New York, against Conrad, a writer of Munich, will come up for trial on February 10th.

PLOW JUMPED THE TRACK. Lines out of Racine Not in Operation.

RACINE, Wis., Jan. 21.—[Special.]—It is claimed, at the local street car barn, that all the interurban cars are in, the last having arrived from Kenosha an hour ago.

COLOMBIA ARRESTS. Feeling in Bogota That War Proved Disastrous.

PANAMA, Jan. 21.—Mail articles received from Bogota indicate that the war feeling in Colombia is dying out and there is a general desire to allow the Panama session to pass without a disastrous war.

ICE SHUTS PHILADELPHIA PORT. Many Big Steamers Unable to Force Way Through the Heavy Floes.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 21.—The port of Philadelphia is virtually closed to shipping. Not a vessel succeeded in fighting its way through the ice of the harbor.

Abandon Black River Falls Extension. The La Crosse, Wis., Jan. 21.—The directors of the La Crosse & Black River railroad have decided to abandon extending the railroad to Black River Falls this year.

SLOT MACHINES TO GO. NOT GOING TO FAIR.

MAYOR OF SOUTH MILWAUKEE MAKES UP HIS MIND. After Securing Much Advice He Acts—Fire Protection for Schools—To Build a City Hall.

SOUTH MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—Mayor Franke at Tuesday night's meeting of the common council ordered slot machines out of the saloons. In issuing the order the mayor admitted that he made a mistake in referring the petition of the citizens to a committee of the council.

MANY MAY BE DEAD. Of the Fifty Men in the Plant When Accident Occurred.

IMMENSE BUILDING DEMOLISHED. Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 21.—One man is dead, three will probably die and several others were seriously injured as the result of this morning's explosion at the Cambria Steel company.

BULK OF ESTATE TO GO TO METHODISM. Will of Late W. W. Cooper Probated—Beneficiaries to Take Care of Widow and Daughter.

KENOSHA, Wis., Jan. 20.—The entire estate of the late Willis W. Cooper, estimated at \$100,000, with the exception of small legacies, one of \$500 to Henry S. Cooper, another of a like amount to his deceased brother, Charles E. Cooper, and one of \$100,000 to the Young Men's Christian association of Kenosha, will be equally divided between Lawrence university at Appleton and the Methodist society of the Methodist Episcopal church of New York.

REGENTS ESTABLISH GRADUATE SCHOOL. New Department Taken at University of Wisconsin Calculated to Attract Advanced Students.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 20.—The graduate work at the university is to be conducted at a separate department hereafter, to be known as the "graduate school," according to the action taken by the board of regents last night.

ARREST AT ASHLAND. First One Charged with Being Implicated in Coal Stealing Conspiracy Taken Into Custody.

ASHLAND, Wis., Jan. 20.—Walter Hill, weighmaster at the Reiss coal dock, was arrested today for being implicated in a coal-stealing conspiracy.

MANITOWOC COUNTY RELEASED FROM CLAIMS. Architects Who Presented Claim for \$300 for Courthouse Plans Are Defeated in Court.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—The United States district court at Milwaukee, a decision has been handed down releasing Manitowoc county from a claim for a claim of \$300 made by Kinney & Detweiler, Minneapolis architects, on plans furnished a special committee of the county board for a proposed new courthouse.

OSHKOSH WANTS THE STATE CONVENTION. Makes Effort to Secure Meeting of Republicans—Eber Simpson Working for It.

OSHKOSH, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—The Northwestern says Eber Simpson, today sent letters to other members asking them to meet in Oshkosh for the purpose of holding a state convention.

LA BELLE DIES IN FIRE. Evangelist, Aged About 30, Burned to Death at Colburn—Logger's Residence Is Destroyed.

CHIPPewa Falls, Wis., Jan. 20.—Evangelist LaBelle, aged about 30, was burned to death at Colburn Monday night, after he had been in the residence of Joseph Bernier, a logger, whose loss is about \$200.

TO HAVE A BIG TELESCOPE. Observatory at Williams Bay Expects Important Results.

WILLIAMS BAY, Wis., Jan. 20.—The telescope for the Williams Bay observatory, a new and important adjunct to the Yerkes observatory, has just been completed and is being moved to Williams Bay.

LAWRENCE RECEIVES LEGACY. Check for \$500 Comes from Fruit Estate—Deceased Two Years.

APPLETON, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—A check for \$500 was received yesterday by the trustees of the Lawrence observatory, which was due two years ago. It was from the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Lawrence, who died in 1902.

SPRINKLER SYSTEM FROZE UP. Kimberly Paper Mill Is Required to Make Costly Change.

APPLETON, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—Because insurance men found that the Kimberly paper mill froze up during the cold weather, the company has been ordered by the court to install a protection system, which will necessitate a change costing thousands of dollars.

RIPON STUDENTS TO ACT. Seniors to Give "School for Scandal"—Sophomores, a Greek Play.

RIPON, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—The senior class of Ripon college will give an elaborate production of Sheridan's "School for Scandal," during commencement week. The sophomore class will present a Greek play during the same week.

FORESTERS TO GIVE FAREWELL. Appleton, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—The foresters of this city and Green Bay will give a farewell to Bishop Green on February 5 at Turner hall, Green Bay.

FOND DU LAC NEWS.

May Establish Beet Sugar Plant. Fond du Lac, Wis., Jan. 19.—[Special.]—A number of business men from this city, with several practical farmers, will go to Minneapolis, Mich., to look over a beet sugar plant, that they may be aided in deciding whether to assist in the establishment of a factory of a similar kind by Fond du Lac. A meeting was held Monday afternoon in the Fond du Lac National bank to meet and consider a proposition which was presented to call attention to, in promoting the installing of a factory. President C. L. Hastings of the Advance association was chairman. Mr. Hanks gave a description of the sugar industry, the cost of establishing a plant and the number of acres of land needed on which to raise beets. It is estimated that from 4000 to 6000 acres will be required. Fond du Lac county has a sugar industry, a bed of the beets having been raised here successfully some time ago.

Killed by Interurban Car. While walking on the tracks about 7 o'clock last evening, William Mease was struck by an interurban car and received injuries from which he died about fifteen minutes later. Mease was about 40 years old, and was known to the police as a laborer at the Central plant. He has no relatives and it is not known where he was born. A coroner's jury was held and found that he was suffering from a fractured skull and ribs and arm and that the cause of death was an injury before Coroner Simons.

Sells Interest in Grocery. A half interest in the Five Point grocery store has been purchased by A. T. Curtis of Mrs. Anna Karstens, mother of late W. E. Karstens, who was killed on the ice. The business will be conducted under the firm name of A. T. Curtis & Co. Mr. Curtis has resigned a position on the road for the Badger Sewing company.

Said to Have Confessed. William Bernhagen, already in jail on a charge of stealing over \$50 from a saw-lum, it is said, confessed to the theft, as well as that of \$7 and a key from the house of William Klitz, who resides on the east side of Fond du Lac. Bernhagen has been arrested at one time for stealing \$15 in Wauwaton, his father's freighting firm.

Taycheedah Man Dies. R. W. Watson of Taycheedah, this county, died at the morning of the morning of Saturday and his death is thought to have been due to heart failure. He was 83 years old and had been in the county from Calumet a year ago.

Used Oil to Start Fire. While attempting to start a fire with coal oil, Mrs. John Branton was badly burned about the face and arms by an explosion of the gases.

Wreck Near Fond du Lac. Fond du Lac, Wis., Jan. 20.—[Special.]—A wreck which occurred early this morning, on the Central road, resulted in the wrecking of a switch engine and freight train which started from Fond du Lac for Appleton. The accident happened at the water tank. The engine was taking a supply of water. An extra freight train, bound north, in charge of Peter Martin, engineer, was coming at a rapid rate and failed to stop in time to avert the collision. Both engines were demolished and several freight cars were wrecked. Henning was crushed under the thigh and otherwise bruised, but he will recover.

Masons Conduct Funeral. The Masonic lodge No. 25 had charge today of the funeral of George W. Seitz, who died Sunday afternoon after a year's illness. The funeral was held from the house at 2 o'clock. The lodge to which he belonged was in charge of the entire ceremony and conducted the services to Rest. Daring chapter, R. A. M., of the city, also had a share in the funeral. The deceased was a native of Fond du Lac and was 70 years of age. He was survived by two daughters, Alma and May Seitz, and two sisters, Mrs. Will Seitz, this city and Mrs. Metzger.

Officers of Canning Company. The election of officers for the Fond du Lac Canning company has been made and is as follows: President, J. C. Fuhrman; vice president, M. T. Simmons; directors, D. D. Schneider and J. W. Metzger.

County Fair Dates Set. The Fond du Lac county fair this year will be held September 13, 14, 15 and 16. The time was selected after it became known that the state fair at Milwaukee will be held, thus avoiding conflicting dates.

Weight as an Indicator of Health. In children at the "growing period," it is assured by a recent medical writer, weight is quite the most important factor in a child's general health that we can have. The importance of keeping a careful and systematic record of weight in children is exaggerated. Such observations, taken say, at intervals of two weeks apart, will give the physician in furnishing information regarding the child's real condition of health. A growing child who weighs 5, about a pound for every inch of his height, is in the best condition of health. A child who weighs about two pounds an inch of growth, or a little more. When weight ceases to increase, the child's health is not otherwise—Success.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

ELMORE ETCHINGS.
Jacob Hassinger lost a valuable horse last Wednesday.

John Struebing is spending a week with relatives at Wayne.

Jacob Hassinger drove to Schlei- ingerville yesterday to visit relatives.

Miss Johanna Gantenbein, of Fond du Lac, is visiting with her parents for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin, of Campbellsport, visited Sunday with Rev. Beisser and wife.

Miss Andrae, of Kewaskum, visited a few days last week with the Martin Haessly family.

Jacob Rothenberger and daughter Maggie, attended the wedding of a relative near Allenton Tuesday.

Miss Minnie Engler returned to her home last week after spending a few weeks with relatives at Milwaukee.

DUNDEE DOINGS.
George Kilocoyne spent Sunday at Eden.

John Martin called on the barber trade here Monday.

Grandma Bartlett is ill and under the care of Dr. J. J. O'Neill.

Henry Gahagan made a business trip to Plymouth Tuesday.

Miss Gussie Flood, of Eden, is spending the week at T. L. Flanagan's.

William Koepke and wife made a business trip to Kewaskum Monday.

Herman Gatzke, of East Mitchell, visited his son John, here on Tuesday.

Mr. Hahn, of New Cassel, visited with Mat. Berres and family for a few days.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wussow last week. We congratulate.

Miss Ida Schiller left Wednesday for West Bend to do housework for Dr. Lynch.

John Junk, who has been quite sick the past six weeks, is now able to be around again.

Nic. Stockhausen returned home from the northern part of the state after a few months' stay there.

Mr. Springbok, of Milwaukee, who is canvassing for the Excelsior newspaper, called on its patrons in this burg.

Miss Clara Herriges gave a farewell party at her home on Thursday evening with a large crowd in attendance. Everyone enjoyed a good time.

The following young people enjoyed a sleighing party to William Bretzlaff's place in the town of Barton last Sunday evening: The Misses Katherine and Emma Habek, May Campbell, Marie M. Dricken, Nettie Schaefer, Rosa Herriges, and Messrs. Adolph and Louis Habek, Edward J. and Andrew A. Dricken, Ignatz Schiller, Frank Franke, Hilliard Herriges, Adam Roden and wife and Paul Moldenhauer, of New Fane.

ASHFORD ACTIONS.
John Rosbach spent Sunday at his home in St. Kilian.

Mrs. M. Thelen has moved into the house on her farm.

J. Ruseh, of Waupun, spent a few days with friends here.

J. J. Altenhofen, of Milwaukee, called on our village last week.

John Weber attended the Leap year dance at Brownsville Tuesday evening.

A number from here spent Sunday at Casper St-raub's home near St. Kilian.

A number from here attended the dance in Campbellsport Wednesday evening.

A large number attended the dance given by John Hitzler on Wednesday evening.

Miss Mary Lehner, of Theresa, spent Sunday with William Dreikosen and family.

Mrs. John Hilbert returned home from Anawa where she was a guest at her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Weber, daughters Cornelia and Alexia, and son Corny, were callers in our village Sunday.

George Fleischmann returned to Milwaukee after spending a few weeks with his parents and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleischmann and Mr. and Mrs. H. Perrett and family spent Sunday with P. Schooler and family.

While enroute through here William Berg, William Schultz and Louis Schultz, on their way to St. Kilian, Elmore and Campbellsport, stopped off here and had a pleasant game of schafkopf.

A number of the friends of Miss Agatha Leisses gathered at her home Sunday evening and gave her a very pleasant surprise. Music and games was the diversion of the evening. The evening is one which will long be remembered by those who were there.

Just One Minute.
One Minute Cough Cure gives relief in one minute, because it kills the microbe which tickles the mucous membrane, causing the cough, and at the same time clears the phlegm, draws out the inflammation and heals and soothes the affected parts. One Minute Cough Cure strengthens the lungs, wards off pneumonia and is a harmless and never failing cure in all curable cases of Coughs, Colds and Croup. One Minute Cough Cure is pleasant to take, harmless and good alike for young and old. Sold by all druggists.

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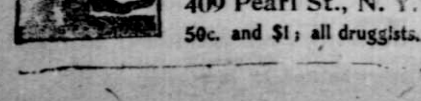
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Be sure that this picture is the form of a fish in the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., N. Y. 50c. and \$1. all druggists.



NEW FANE NEWS.

Miss Mary Ebert is seriously ill. William Klein is drilling a well for Frank Ehnert.

Mrs. William Fiek had a quilting bee last Friday.

J. M. Marx spent Tuesday at Milwaukee on business.

Joseph Wiesler spent last Sunday with friends at New Prospect.

Henry Wiese, of Milwaukee, is visiting with Mrs. F. Wiese and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brockhaus celebrated their glass wedding last Sunday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller was christened last Sunday.

The dance held in Dehm's hall last Sunday evening was quite well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Math. Schladweiler spent a few days with relatives at Neosho.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keller, of Kewaskum, spent last Sunday with relatives here.

J. A. Welsch, agent for the Barwig Brother's liquor house of Mayville, was a business caller here Tuesday.

ST. MICHAELS MITES.
The Catholic Aid society, met on Sunday.

Miss Clara Herriges left Saturday for Milwaukee.

Nicholas Grass, who was quite sick, is now slowly recovering.

Miss Alma Berres left for the Cream City to remain some time.

Frank Otter was a guest of John Berres and family on Sunday.

John Schmitt, of the town of Wayne, visited his son John, here on Tuesday.

Mr. Hahn, of New Cassel, visited with Mat. Berres and family for a few days.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wussow last week. We congratulate.

Miss Ida Schiller left Wednesday for West Bend to do housework for Dr. Lynch.

John Junk, who has been quite sick the past six weeks, is now able to be around again.

Nic. Stockhausen returned home from the northern part of the state after a few months' stay there.

Mr. Springbok, of Milwaukee, who is canvassing for the Excelsior newspaper, called on its patrons in this burg.

Miss Clara Herriges gave a farewell party at her home on Thursday evening with a large crowd in attendance. Everyone enjoyed a good time.

The following young people enjoyed a sleighing party to William Bretzlaff's place in the town of Barton last Sunday evening: The Misses Katherine and Emma Habek, May Campbell, Marie M. Dricken, Nettie Schaefer, Rosa Herriges, and Messrs. Adolph and Louis Habek, Edward J. and Andrew A. Dricken, Ignatz Schiller, Frank Franke, Hilliard Herriges, Adam Roden and wife and Paul Moldenhauer, of New Fane.

ASHFORD ACTIONS.
John Rosbach spent Sunday at his home in St. Kilian.

Mrs. M. Thelen has moved into the house on her farm.

J. Ruseh, of Waupun, spent a few days with friends here.

J. J. Altenhofen, of Milwaukee, called on our village last week.

John Weber attended the Leap year dance at Brownsville Tuesday evening.

A number from here spent Sunday at Casper St-raub's home near St. Kilian.

A number from here attended the dance in Campbellsport Wednesday evening.

A large number attended the dance given by John Hitzler on Wednesday evening.

Miss Mary Lehner, of Theresa, spent Sunday with William Dreikosen and family.

Mrs. John Hilbert returned home from Anawa where she was a guest at her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Weber, daughters Cornelia and Alexia, and son Corny, were callers in our village Sunday.

George Fleischmann returned to Milwaukee after spending a few weeks with his parents and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Fleischmann and Mr. and Mrs. H. Perrett and family spent Sunday with P. Schooler and family.

While enroute through here William Berg, William Schultz and Louis Schultz, on their way to St. Kilian, Elmore and Campbellsport, stopped off here and had a pleasant game of schafkopf.

A number of the friends of Miss Agatha Leisses gathered at her home Sunday evening and gave her a very pleasant surprise. Music and games was the diversion of the evening. The evening is one which will long be remembered by those who were there.

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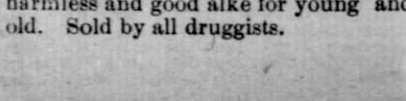
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WAYNE WAFTINGS.

Peter Kohn is working for John Petri this week cutting wood.

Mrs. Muckerheide, of Hilbert, spent Tuesday with the Hawig family.

Charles Kuechler visited with his brother Nic, at Allenton Sunday.

J. J. Altenhofen, of Milwaukee, called on the liquor trade here Tuesday.

William Butter, of Mayville, called on the leather trade here Monday.

Frank Melius spent Sunday with his son Louis, south of this village.

Albert Kurth, of Milwaukee, called on the grocery trade here Wednesday.

Several of our young ladies visited the school in District No. 5 Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Muehleis and daughter Melinda, called on friends here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Guenther visited with Henry Schneider at Kewaskum last Sunday.

Joseph Hamm, Philip Schelinger and Henry Metzger, of Kohlsville, called here Sunday.

Louis Petri and wife entertained a party of young people at their home last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Philip Eckel and Wm. Dupre attended the funeral of Carl Dupre at Allenton last week Thursday.

William and Philip Arnet went to Minnesota last Sunday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Strupp.

Michael Schmidt, of Allenton, and his brother-in-law, Jno. Emmer, called on Philip Eckel and family Sunday.

The Guenther sisters, of Campbellsport, spent a few days the latter part of last week with their uncle, John Guenther.

Miss Lucy Schmidt, of this place, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. H. Marose, at Knowles for the past ten days.

Henry Rosenkranz, of Oakfield, transacted business here for the Theresa Mutual Fire Insurance company Wednesday.

Rev. Erber and the young people's society of the Ev. Peck congregation of Kewaskum, enjoyed a sleigh ride here last Monday evening and spent a few hours with Charles Schaefer and family.

BOLFONVILLE BUDGET.
The ice harvest is over.

J. Kraetsch spent Saturday at West Bend.

Robert Reul recently purchased a new horse.

N. Weingartner is spending the week in Chicago.

Joseph Schaefer is now employed by Nic. Gross.

Alfred Goerler left last week for the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Laatsch, who has been ill for some time, is again able to be out.

Miss Jennie Bankleman spent Sunday with the Jacob Marshman family.

Emanuel Haentze had the misfortune to get his knee out of joint last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Merkel entertained several of the young folks on Sunday evening.

The literary met on Friday evening of this week. A good program was rendered.

Farmers are making good use of the fine sleighing by hauling logs to the saw mill.

It is reported that J. Lussenden has sold his farm to a Mr. Gessner, of Silver Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Tesch and Minnie Vocks, of Sleepy Hollow, took a sleigh ride last Sunday.

Mrs. C. White, of Kewaskum, is at present visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Marshman.

Thomas Bruders and Miss Martha Riley, of Holland, were guests of relatives here last week.

Miss Melinda Muehleis, of Kewaskum, was the guest of Miss Mary Dullea one day last week.

Miss Ella Niebler and John Hoppe, of West Bend, were guests of the J. Niebler family on Sunday.

Claude Smith, of Campbellsport, was the guest of Ben, and Arthur Woog the forepart of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wussow are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl. We extend congratulations.

Mrs. Meisner returned from Milwaukee last Wednesday accompanied by her son Raymond and daughter Mary.

Wonder if that farmer who went to Kewaskum to the mill and drove to the town of Wayne to turn around ever found his way home. How about it, John?

Among those from elsewhere who attended the funeral of the late John Enright we noticed the following: Mrs. Foley and son, of Newburg; Mr. Bruders and Miss Martha Riley, of Holland; John Enright and wife, of Campbellsport; Edw. Lynch and wife, James and Mike Kenney, Will Conway and Mr. Mulvanny, of Milwaukee; Will Enright, Mrs. Edw. Riley Sr., George Riley and wife, Edward Riley and wife, of West Bend. Members of the C. O. F. of Random Lake and West Bend of which the deceased was a member also attended the funeral in a body.

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SATURDAY, JAN. 28, 1904.

C. & N.-W. RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Table with columns for station names (Milwaukee, Graysville, Rockfield, Jackson, West Bend, Barton, Kewaskum, Campbellsport, Eden, Fond du Lac) and times for various train services.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Table showing train schedules for southbound routes from Milwaukee to Fond du Lac.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Table showing train schedules for northbound routes from Fond du Lac to Milwaukee.

LAGONICAL LOCALS.

Joseph Schlosser spent Monday at Milwaukee.

John Tiss called at Campbellsport last Monday.

Frank Strube was at Milwaukee on business Monday.

Mrs. P. J. Smith has been seriously ill the past few days.

Otto Stark was on the sick list for a few days this week.

Lehman Rosenheimer visited in Milwaukee over Sunday.

Nic. Braun spent Saturday and Sunday in the Cream City.

H. J. Lay and wife visited Sunday with relatives at Wayne.

Michael Johannes Sr. was at West Bend on business Thursday.

Miss Minnie Weinand, of West Bend, was a village caller yesterday.

Henry Joost, of Milwaukee, called on friends in the village Wednesday.

Architect Robert Messmer, of Milwaukee, was in the village Tuesday.

Mmes. Jacob Becker and Charles Geidel called on friends at West Bend Tuesday.

Miss Selma Guenther, of Campbellsport, visited with friends here Thursday.

Adolph Rosenheimer spent a few days of this week at Marshfield and Green Bay.

Philip McLaughlin has been on the sick list during the week with the grippe.

Jake Bath, of North Fond du Lac, spent the past few days here with his parents.

Henry Schoofs and wife, of West Bend, called on relatives and friends here Sunday.

Charles J. Fleischmann sold a horse to Dr. Hausmann last Saturday for \$130.

Deputy Sheriff Fred Schnurr, of West Bend, called in the village on business Tuesday.

Attorney G. A. Kuechenmeister, of West Bend, was in the village on business Tuesday.

Gustave Klug and wife attended the funeral of a relative at Milwaukee last Saturday.

Carl Meinhardt and wife, of Kohlsville, spent Sunday with Philip Meinhardt and family.

Mrs. Nic. Klumb, of the town of Barton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Martin, this week.

A sleighing party from St. Michaels spent Saturday evening with Simon Sommers and family.

Nic. Kemmel shipped one of his drilling machines to T. L. Becker at Kenosha, Wis., last Monday.

Alfred Miritz was at Menominee Falls last Monday to look after the marketing of his sugar beets.

John J. Altenhofen and family, of Milwaukee, spent part of the week with relatives and friends here.

Rev. Erber was at Milwaukee Sunday and conducted services for Rev. Kupfer there in the evening.

William T. Leins and Vincent O'Meara, of West Bend, were among the Sunday visitors in the village.

Henry Backhaus Jr. and wife visited with Charles Hagner and family at Farmington Wednesday evening.

Lost—A fur robe, between Kewaskum and St. Kilian last week Saturday, finder will please leave it at this office and receive reward.

Fred Stork, of the Schmidt & Stork company of West Bend, was a business caller in the village Thursday.

Mrs. Joseph Gritzer and her daughter, Mrs. William Ziegler, spent over Sunday with relatives at Hartford.

Mmes. H. J. Lay and Adolph Rosenheimer called on their sister, Mrs. William Hausmann, at West Bend Monday.

S. Yahr, the raiser of nursery stock and small fruits of West Bend, called in the village on business last Wednesday.

Rev. Erber and wife and the juvenile society of the Ev. Pence church, enjoyed a sleigh ride party to Wayne last Monday evening.

John Botzkovis returned Thursday from North Fond du Lac where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. E. Hanke, for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Guth, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Guth and William Guth attended the Guth-Engelger wedding at Kohlsville last Tuesday.

Mrs. Groeschel, mother of Mrs. N. J. Mertes, went to Port Washington last Saturday on account of the serious illness of her brother-in-law, Fred Groeschel.

Notice—If hereby notify all not to give my son John any credit on my account hereafter, as I will not settle any more debts made by him.

JOHN HABECK SR.

BECHWOOD BEAMLETS.

H. Kreutzinger was a Cascade visitor Saturday.

James Stokes had a bee sawing wood Tuesday.

Miss Ella Clifford entertained a company of friends Sunday.

George Lindsay Sr., of Parnell, was a business caller here Tuesday.

May and Andrew McDonnell were callers at O'Connell's Monday.

Thomas Phalen, of Parnell, called on friends here Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stokes Sunday with John Mauley and family.

John Corbett, of Dundee, is doing wood sawing in this neighborhood.

John Clifford and sister Ella, were guests of W. Dickleber Friday evening.

Messrs and Mmes. J. Engleman and John Gatzke drove to Elkhart Friday to visit friends and relatives. They returned Tuesday.

The Quaker Medicine company, who gave a series of entertainments in this village, left for New Prospect Monday where they will show this week.

Mrs. Dickliver was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends last Sunday evening it being the anniversary of her birth. All had a very enjoyable time.

The young men belonging to the cinch club are to give a retaliation party at Parnell Friday evening, January 29th. Gibson's harp orchestra of Plymouth will furnish the music.

DIED—John Diener, one of our most highly respected townsmen, died last Saturday, January 16, aged 72 years. Deceased was born in Germany on June 29, 1831, and came to America in 1856, locating in Rockfield where he resided ten years before moving to the town of Scott. The funeral took place last Monday under the auspices of the G. A. R. Post of which he was an active member.

An Adventure With a Bear.

John Harter, of the town of Auburn, received a letter from his son Johnny, from British Columbia this week enclosing a clipping taken out of the Kewaskum, North Dakota, Times, giving the account of an adventure he and two other young men from Kewaskum had with a bear in British Columbia. Following is the account which appeared in the Kewaskum Times:

"Word was received here of an exciting encounter three Kewaskum boys had with a bear away up in British Columbia a short time ago in which one of them nearly lost his life. It seems that the three young men, Harry Hause, John S. Johnson and John Harter, in looking over the country with a view of taking up claims, discovered and took possession of an old log house a considerable distance back from civilization where they decided to make their home during the winter. One morning John Harter from the house for a pail of water and was gone but a short time until the other boys were alarmed by his lusty yells. Hastily seizing their guns they ran towards the spring and were almost paralyzed at beholding a huge cinnamon bear walking off on his hind legs with their comrade hugged tightly to his breast. They ran forward, however, and Harry Hause sent a rifle ball crashing through the animal's head, while Johnson made a sure job of it by blowing a hole in his side with a shot gun. John Harter escaped with the loss of part of one ear and considered himself lucky at that. He said the bear was lying in some bushes by the side of the path and rushed upon and seized him before he had a chance to run or defend himself."

Obituary.

Mrs. John Remmel passed away in death at her home in Campbellsport Wednesday evening, January 20th, 1904, at about 11 o'clock in the evening, aged 51 years. Mrs. Remmel had been sick only a few days and her illness had not been considered serious so her death was unexpected and came as a shock to her relatives and to the community in which she had resided for so many years, and where she was universally loved and respected. Mrs. Remmel was born in the town of Ashford on January 5, 1853, her maiden name being Jennie Strobel. She married John Strobel in 1863, who preceded her in death in 1889. Their union was blessed with nine children, seven boys and two daughters, who are all living except one daughter. The names of the surviving children are: Kilian, of Wausau; Andrew, of St. Kilian; Peter, of Stratford; Simon, of St. Kilian; Wenzel, of Theresa; Benjamin, John and Theresa, of St. Kilian. On November 12, 1898, she married John Remmel. They resided here on a farm in the town of Kewaskum for about one year after their marriage and then moved to Campbellsport. Deceased leaves besides her children, a sorrow-stricken husband, six brothers and three sisters. The names of the brothers and sisters are: Kilian Strobel, of St. Kilian; John Strobel, of Kewaskum; Simon Strobel, of St. Cloud, Minn.; Joseph, Philip and Andrew Strobel, of St. Kilian; Mrs. Peter Berg, of Ashford; Mrs. L. Klockenbusch and Mrs. Wenzel Beisler, of St. Kilian. Mrs. Remmel was well known here and to the surrounding country and was highly esteemed for her Christian character, charitable deeds and cheerful disposition. The funeral takes place at 10 a. m. today (Saturday) at St. Kilian with Rev. Burlbach officiating. We extend to the bereaved relatives our heartfelt sympathy.

Wanted Bids.

The building committee of the St. Kilian's church, St. Kilian, Wis., will receive sealed bids until February 1, 1904, for the erection of a new parsonage. Carpenters will figure on all work and material excepting painting and plumbing, bids for painting will be received separately. Plans and specifications can be seen at old parsonage St. Kilian, Wis.

THE COMMITTEE.

Supposing you're busted—haven't a dime. Getting poor isn't a serious crime; Put on a bold front, work with all your might. You're sure to win by taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Miller & Son.

CAMPBELLSPORT CULLINGS.

Peter Glass left Sunday for Milwaukee.

John Foerster went to Milwaukee Tuesday.

James Farrel spent Saturday at Fond du Lac.

John Tiss, of Kewaskum, called in the village Monday.

Farrel & Meixensperger shipped live stock Wednesday.

Quite a lot of potatoes are being marketed here now days.

Fred Martin, of Fond du Lac, spent Sunday with his parents.

David Wenzel, of Milwaukee, spent Sunday with his family here.

J. S. Thompson and daughter Alma, spent Tuesday at Fond du Lac.

Claude Smith, of North Fond du Lac, spent Sunday in the village.

Hon. James Bannan spent Wednesday at Fond du Lac on business.

Emil Siegel and Fred Van Epps, of Kewaskum, called here Tuesday.

Miss A. Flanagan, of Eden, spent the forepart of the week at home.

Frank Enfeld is now working for A. E. Richter as a harness-maker.

F. Pohlman, of Fond du Lac, called on relatives and friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Philip Damm and son Arthur, visited at Fond du Lac last Sunday.

Miss Annie Roessler spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Oshkosh.

John Braun, of Kewaskum, was here Tuesday canvassing for nursery stock.

Mr. Engel, the soda manufacturer of Fond du Lac was here on business Tuesday.

Philip Damm and Ed. Hundertmark were at Milwaukee on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Beisser at Elmore.

Rosa and Johnny Emmer, of St. Kilian, spent Sunday with the Bonsho family.

Mrs. Clara Wheeler, of Plymouth, visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Spoerl, over Sunday.

J. A. Pesch was over to New Fane last Tuesday to see his mother who is critically ill.

The Brittingham & Hixon Lumber company received two car loads of soft coal this week.

L. C. Kohler and wife spent Sunday at St. Kilian to see the former's brother, who is very sick.

L. Flanagan returned home from Valpariso, Ind., this week where he finished his term in college.

Joseph Mack, of Lomira, and Leopold Mack, of Minnesota, were guests of the Kohler family Sunday.

Mrs. George Klotz, of Chicago, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wedde, this week.

William Ebert made a business trip to Lomira last Tuesday to call on the glove and mitten trade there.

George Burkhardt, the flagman at the railroad crossing here, spent Sunday with his family at Rockfield.

Ed. Vandergrinden is hauling stone for the building of a foundation for his new residence which he will erect shortly.

Freaman Borchert has the contract to cut the ice on the mill pond this year. He is now supplying our saloon keepers and butchers.

Mrs. J. A. Pesch and her brother, Mat. Theisen, returned home Wednesday after a week's visit with relatives at Allenton and Hartford.

A sleigh load of young people from the village enjoyed a sleigh ride out to Casper Straub's place last Sunday evening. All enjoyed a very pleasant time.

The Campbellsport young men's advancement society held a meeting last Monday evening and took in four new members. They closed their charter at this meeting.

H. A. Wruke spent a few days of this week at Green Bay adjusting the loss the Campbellsport Mutual Fire Insurance company sustained in the Krueger harness factory fire.

Rev. July visited the members of his congregation in the village to find out their sentiment regarding the building of a new church. He found most all of them in favor of building.

NEW PROSPECT NOTES.

Mr. Welsch called here on the liquor trade last Tuesday.

F. A. Luttwie was a New Prospect caller last Thursday.

John Mertes was a New Prospect caller last Thursday.

Miss Katie Uelmen is working for John Rinzal this week.

Mrs. John Rinzal visited at Charles Spradlow's last Sunday.

John Thoenes hired out to W. Mattes for a short time.

Nick Volz and John Mertes called here last Tuesday night.

August Rave's house was destroyed by fire last week. Loss \$1200.

Peter Uelmen and daughter Meta, came home from Oshkosh Tuesday.

John Rinzal made a trip to Campbellsport and Kewaskum last Saturday on business.

The Quaker Concert company is here this week and is drawing big crowds. Sunday night, the last night, will be a big event for on that night a big double show will be given. They will also have a pig race and a beautiful diamond ring will be given to the most popular lady. Everybody come. Admission 10 and 15 cents. They will be in Braun's hall in Campbellsport next week and will give a free dance after the show on Wednesday and Friday nights.

Annual Statement.

Following is the fourth annual statement of the Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance company of Kewaskum, County of Washington, State of Wisconsin, for the year ending December 31, 1903, organized August 7, 1901, and commenced business October 26, 1901:

Table showing financial details: Amt of net ledger assets December 31st of previous year, \$4,822.92; Cash received for premiums, \$4,922.92; Total income during year, \$4,642.92; Disbursements during year, \$4,579.76; Balance, \$63.16.

Table showing disbursements: Amount paid for losses, \$1,304.20; Paid for salaries, \$106.65; Paid for directors, \$20.00; Paid for local taxes, \$33.40; Paid for license, \$20.00; Stationery, \$11.52; Printing, \$11.52; Big losses, \$24.00; Assessments on Mutual, \$30.50; Underwriters' Association, \$4.00; Examining books, \$4.00; Desk and typewriter, \$18.00; Total disbursements, \$1,579.76.

Table showing ledger assets: Cash in hands of treasurer, \$8,816.05; Agent's debit balance, \$68.29; Total, \$8,884.34; Deduct ledger liabilities, \$180.28; Total net ledger assets, \$8,704.06.

Table showing non-ledger assets: Safe, \$145.00; Typewriter, \$125.00; Supplies, \$50.00; Total non-ledger assets, \$320.00; Gross assets, \$9,024.06; Deduct assets not admitted, \$414.65; Total admitted assets, \$8,609.41.

Table showing liabilities: Amt due for salaries and com., \$23.24; Total liabilities, \$23.24; Reserves, \$897,867.64; Total, \$897,890.88.

Table showing business of the company: COUNTY, AM'T AT RISK, LOSSES FOR YEAR; Brown, \$10,312.50; Calumet, 1,200.00; Clark, 1,200.00; Columbia, 2,500.00; Crawford, 2,500.00; Dane, 14,825.25; Dodge, 10,415.00; Fond du Lac, 50,320.00; Iowa, 2,100.00; Juneau, 2,500.00; Kenosha, 2,500.00; Langlade, 2,500.00; Manitowish, 21,771.00; Marathon, 2,000.00; Marinette, 2,500.00; Marquette, 2,500.00; Milwaukee, 12,400.00; Monroe, 80.00; Oconto, 1,625.00; Oshkosh, 2,500.00; Outagamie, 4,800.00; Rock, 2,500.00; Shawano, 1,500.00; Sheboygan, 91,252.50; Sauk, 2,500.00; Washburn, 20,000.00; Waushara, 12,700.00; Winnebago, 1,500.00; Wisconsin, 1,500.00; Wood, 2,500.00; Totals, \$402,265.14.

The past year, as our annual statement shows set forth shows, has been a fairly fortunate one for this company. The losses amounted to about 1/2% of the gross premium receipts, which, in view of the fact that our premiums are based upon a very low ratio. The loss ratio is, however, not the only important factor in the successful operation of mutual insurance companies. The expense ratio is equally important and should carry great weight with property owners in search of cheap and reliable insurance. Unless the affairs of a mutual company, doing business on a sound basis, are conducted economically and upon business principles, it will be unable to exist without levying assessments. An examination of above report shows that we have kept both losses and expenses within reasonable limits; hence the interests of the policy holders have been carefully guarded.

The directors, officers and policy holders of the company have, I think, just reason to congratulate themselves upon the success thus far obtained, and in behalf of the directors and officers of the company I desire to state that no effort on their part will be spared to make the Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance company one deserving the respect and confidence of its patrons.

All the old officers were re-elected viz: Board of Directors, A. L. Rosenheimer, David Rosenheimer, N. J. Mertes, A. G. Koch, John Tiss, Joseph Schmidt and Henry Oppenheimer; Officers, viz: President, A. L. Rosenheimer; Vice-President, A. G. Koch; Treasurer, David Rosenheimer; Secretary, Joseph Schmidt, Sec'y.

WAUCOUSTA WHISPERINGS.

Miss Hattie Buslaff spent Monday in Fond du Lac.

F. Hogan, of Dundee, spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Eva Allen was a caller at Campbellsport Monday.

T. E. Johnson made a business trip to Campbellsport Tuesday.

Frank Polzean and Fred Buslaff were Fond du Lac callers last Monday.

Miss Linda Pieper went to Juneau last Wednesday to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. C. Indermal.

Miss Dora Buslaff returned to her home here Sunday after spending a few weeks in Fond du Lac with her aunt, Mrs. C. Schaefer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Rahn were pleasantly surprised last Friday evening by a number of their friends, it being the fifth anniversary of their marriage.

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LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for commodity names and prices: Barley, 54¢; Wheat, 80¢; Red winter, 78¢; Rye, No. 1, 53¢; Oats, 35¢; Butter, 16¢; Eggs, 22¢; Washed wool, 28¢; Hides, 18¢; Potatoes, New, 64¢; Beans, 1.00¢; Hay, 5.00¢; Honey, .06¢; Apples, 75¢; Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs., 8.00¢; White Clover seed, 8.00¢; Alfalfa, 8.00¢.

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Table with columns for poultry types and prices: Geese, 13¢; Ducks, 15¢; Chickens, 18¢; Turkeys, 18¢.

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