

Kewaskum Statesman.

SAURDAY, JUNE 6, 1908.

C. & N. W. RAILWAY TIME TABLE. GOING NORTH. Kewaskum, Campbellport, etc.

LAGONICAL LOCALS.

Mrs. Perry Nigh spent Monday in the Cream City. Leo Zwasschka of Milwaukee spent Sunday in the village. Services in the German M. E. church Sunday evening. Miss Elsie Backhaus is home for a visit with her parents. Oscar Backhaus spent Saturday and Sunday at Milwaukee. Anton Zwasschka closed his school in Jackson last week Friday. John Muehleis delivered a piano at Milwaukee last Saturday. Guaranteed house, barn and roof paints for sale by Nic. Remmel. Miss Iva Wright closed her school in District No. 6 last week Friday. Joseph Schlosser and wife visited at Milwaukee Sunday and Monday. Dr. S. J. Driessel of Milwaukee spent a few days of this week at home. Mrs. Jacob Strass and daughter of Milwaukee are guests at the Eagle Hotel. Miss Edna Schmidt has been seriously ill the past week with appendicitis. Michael Johannes Sr. and wife were at Fond du Lac on business yesterday. A. L. Lindbeck of Winnipeg, Man., called on friends in the village last Thursday. Mrs. Elizabeth Borchert of Campbellport was a village visitor last Thursday. Jake Schlosser and daughter Lilie spent Saturday and Sunday at Milwaukee. Charles Tillmann had the interior of his meat market newly painted by William Metz. FOR SALE—A 4-H. P. steam engine and boiler in good condition, inquire of Nic. Remmel. Miss Clara Kocher of Milwaukee spent over Sunday here with relatives and friends. Mat. Mayer of Pierce county is spending the week here with his sick brother, Nic. Mayer. Peter Kohn and wife of Fond du Lac spent Sunday with relatives and friends in the village. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miritz spent Sunday with Mrs. F. Deutsch and family at West Bend. William Erler of the Erie & Weiss Co. of West Bend was in the village on business Monday. Miss Meta Miller came home from Milwaukee Monday for a few weeks' visit with her parents. August Petermann returned home Tuesday after a few days' visit with relatives at Milwaukee. Baseball tomorrow, Fond du Lac Athletics vs. Kewaskum. Turn out and boost our boys. Mrs. Carl Fleischmann and daughter, Mrs. L. S. Guth, of Lomira, were village visitors Monday. Martin Remmel returned to Milwaukee Sunday to resume work in the Jordan meat market. C. R. Smallwood of Rockfield attended the Royal Neighbors' dance last week Friday evening. William Wessenberg of Bloomer, Wis., is spending a few weeks here with relatives and friends. Mmes. Henry Braun and A. E. Rudolph of Campbellport called on friends in the village Tuesday. A complete line of lawn mowers, garden hose and tools can be found at Nic. Remmel's hardware store. Miss Mary Dengel of Milwaukee spent the forepart of the week here with her sister, Mrs. Ed. Campbell. Gustave Perschbacher of Milwaukee visited here with his brother, Arcey Perschbacher and family Sunday. Mrs. August Buss spent from Saturday to Monday with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Haentze, at Fond du Lac. John Muehleis attended the I. O. O. F. grand lodge convention at Marinette last Tuesday and Wednesday. Do not throw away those old rusty screens, give them a coat of screen enamel. For sale by H. J. Lav. Miss Maggie Pflum left for Fond du Lac Tuesday for a few weeks' visit with her brother August and family. If you are in need of a good lawn mower it will pay you to look over our stock. Prices are right.—H. J. Lav. Union cemetery just now is at its prettiest, and we doubt whether there is a prettier cemetery in the state. Last week a large number of delegates of the Epworth League convention visited the cemetery and all were loud in their praises of the beautiful spot. Mr. Luckow, who has been sexton for thirty eight years, deserves great credit for the work done on the grounds, as do also the officers of the cemetery association. Mr. Luckow says that in all the years that he has been sexton he never handled a prettier lot of flowers than those placed on the H. J. Lav lots last week.—West Bend Pilot.

Joseph and Mat. Bernklay and two gentlemen friends from Milwaukee spent Sunday here with relatives and friends. Conrad Bier Sr. moved into the residence on West street last Wednesday which he recently bought of Henry Hartmann. Henry Hartmann and mother moved to Port Washington on last Wednesday where they will make their future home. FOUND—A black and tan dog, sheared across the back, came to my place Monday, owner please call at my place.—P. D. Nigh. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Krahn attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Guth at Milwaukee last Sunday. Mrs. Joseph Smith and daughter, Mrs. Harrington, of New Prospect, left from here last Thursday for an extended visit in Illinois. Miss Jennie Oppenorth returned home from Milwaukee Tuesday for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oppenorth. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schoenemann of Waukegan visited with Jacob Schaeffer and family in Auburn from Saturday to Thursday. Miss Tillie Scholls closed a successful term of school in the Schaeffer district last week Wednesday with a picnic in the August Schaurr orchard. Have your eyes examined free of charge by Leisinger, the well-known optician of Milwaukee, who will be at the Eagle Hotel next Wednesday, June 10th. Rev. P. P. Schaeffer of Oklahoma arrived here last Monday for a few weeks' visit with his father, Jacob Schaeffer, of Auburn, and other relatives and friends. Drunkenness is almost unknown in communities where the people prefer and use beer in place of ardent spirits. Lithia beer contains about 3 per cent of alcohol. The Village Board let the contract for furnishing iron stringers and another foot bridge for the Main street bridge to the Milwaukee Bridge & Iron Co., for \$1,080. Julius Dreier left for Eden last Monday to take charge of the C. & N. W. R'y section to succeed Conrad Bier, who moved into his father's farm south of Kewaskum. The south-bound freight train No. 284 was derailed at Jackson last Saturday night and ten cars from the middle of the train were derailed. Fortunately no one was injured. William Leisinger, the optician from Milwaukee, will make his regular visit here at the Eagle Hotel next Wednesday, June 10th. This is Mr. Leisinger's eighth visit to Kewaskum. Charles Raether and wife, Edw. Miller and wife, Joseph Schoofs and wife, Rev. P. J. Vogt and Miss Tillie Vogt attended the Mueller-Schaeffer wedding at Campbellport Tuesday. At the joint meeting of the village fire department held on Wednesday evening it was decided not to attend the Badger firemen's tournament at West Bend on June 14th in a body. The dance held by the Royal Neighbors last week Friday evening was well attended considering the rainy weather. About forty couples braved the weather and enjoyed a very pleasant time. Permit the unrestricted sale of pure beer, with its exceedingly small percentage of alcohol, and drunkenness and hypocrisy will be reduced to a minimum. Order a case of Lithia beer for your home. J. B. Day left for Milwaukee yesterday where he will join his wife in a trip to New York. Mr. Day expects to stay in the east for about a week, while Mrs. Day will remain for a few months with her sister there. The ball game advertised for last Sunday between the Fond du Lac Athletics and Kewaskum was postponed on account of wet ground. The big game will take place tomorrow (Sunday) at 3 p. m. Don't fail to see it. The commencement exercises of Kewaskum High School were held at the South Side Park Hall last night. The class play on Thursday evening was very largely attended and everybody was highly pleased with the entertainment. W. O. Melahn returned home from Schlesingerville on last Wednesday where he had been engaged as principal of the public school. The school closed with graduating exercises last Saturday. The Schlesingerville school board has re-engaged Mr. Melahn for the next term. Under the twenty fifth annual readjustment of salaries announced by the postmaster general, ninety-two Wisconsin postmasters will get an increase of salaries during the coming fiscal year. Kewaskum is among the number receiving an increase of \$100 per year. Campbellport gets an increase of \$200. Union cemetery just now is at its prettiest, and we doubt whether there is a prettier cemetery in the state. Last week a large number of delegates of the Epworth League convention visited the cemetery and all were loud in their praises of the beautiful spot. Mr. Luckow, who has been sexton for thirty eight years, deserves great credit for the work done on the grounds, as do also the officers of the cemetery association. Mr. Luckow says that in all the years that he has been sexton he never handled a prettier lot of flowers than those placed on the H. J. Lav lots last week.—West Bend Pilot.

WAYNE WAFTINGS. Joseph Weinert of Alenton called here on business Monday. Mrs. Otto Bartelt of New Prospect spent this week with her folks. George Petri spent last week Friday at Milwaukee on business. Michael Schmidt of Alenton spent last week Thursday here on business. Otto Brandt of Milwaukee spent Saturday and Sunday with his folks. George F. Brandt and Chris. Frenz of Kewaskum called here Tuesday on friends. Arthur Martin of West Bend spent Saturday and Sunday under the parental roof. Frank Jonas of Milwaukee spent part of last week with the F. Menger family. Karl Ohrmund and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with his brother Otto at Lomira. Albert Hangartner of Campbellport called here on the John Petri family last week Friday. Mmes. George Petri, William Petri and William Abel were at Kewaskum last Saturday on business. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Martin and son Marvin of Kewaskum called on the former's folks here Monday. Philip Schellinger from Kohlsville passed through here with his engine last Saturday on his way to Campbellport. Don't fail to attend the concert and dance in John Galles' Hall next Monday evening, June 8th. All come and have a good time. Mrs. Jacob Kippenhan and daughter, Mrs. Otto Bartelt, spent Monday and Tuesday with her children at Schlesingerville. Andrew Diels and wife of Horicon and Mrs. Philip Faber from the West Island spent Saturday afternoon with A. Martin and wife. William Ratie of Fond du Lac, general agent for the Buffalo-Pitts Threshing Machine Company, called on William Foerster, the Petri's and Gust. Kuehl on business. Mrs. Dr. William Hausmann and son William of West Bend, Mmes. H. J. Lay and Adolph Rosenheimer of Kewaskum called on their brothers here last Monday. E. D. Foltz says that the merchants of Campbellport are making great preparations to make Home-coming on next Wednesday, June 10th, the greatest celebration ever held there. Married. The marriage of Miss Regina Mueller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mueller of the town of Ashford, and John S. Schaeffer, son of Jacob Schaeffer of Auburn, took place at the St. Matthew's church at Campbellport at 9:30 a. m. last Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. P. Schaeffer, brother of the groom, of El Reno, Okla., and was assisted by Rev. Ph. J. Vogt of Kewaskum and Father Joseph Thuille, O. S. B. Miss Mary Mueller, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Miss Rose Schaeffer, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid. The groom was attended by Edward Mueller, brother of the bride, and Nic. Schoenmann. The bride's gown was cream colored net and carried a bouquet of roses. Her maid wore light green mull and carried roses and the bridesmaid wore a gown of tan silk and carried carnations. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents where a reception was held to entertain relatives and friends. THE STATESMAN joins with their many friends in wishing the young couple a long and happy life. ST. MICHAELS MITES. Miss Hattie Schiller is at Milwaukee this week. Mrs. P. Dricken left Tuesday for Milwaukee to visit with her children. Mrs. Nic. Uelmen left Wednesday for her home in Cecil after spending a week here with relatives. Joe Moldenhauer and wife of Theresa visited with H. Brenner Sr. and wife Sunday, who are sick. Charles Brenner lost a horse Sunday morning, while Schiller's dog committed suicide Saturday night by hanging himself in the shed. The following marriages were announced in church Sunday: Gregor Meyer of Milwaukee to Miss Katie Marx, Oscar Ball of Milwaukee to Miss Hattie Schiller, John Fuestle of West Bend to Miss Clara Herriges. Albert Rodenkirch of this place, who purchased the Fulweiler livery the past winter, sold out again. He now intends to help his father, Joe Rodenkirch, the latter of whom purchased the Reilly farm near St. John's church, now occupied by Charles H. Hecker. CARD OF THANKS. We desire to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who by sympathy and kindness assisted us during the death and burial of our beloved husband and father, and to all who showed their respects for him by attending the funeral. MRS. JOE FELLEZZ & CHILDREN. Many ministers of the country are becoming advocates of the plan of bringing about temperance by the encouragement of the use of beer instead of the really alcoholic drinks. Lithia beer contains but 3 per cent alcohol. Are you thinking of painting this spring? Let us show you the latest style and color combinations.—H. J. Lav. FOR SALE—Cedar fence posts, various sizes at prices that are right can now be had at my place.—Michael Johannes Jr. 1-4-f

CAMPBELLSPORT. Mrs. Kuchno of Oshkosh called here Sunday. Sam Grossen was a Fond du Lac caller Monday. C. R. Van De Zande spent Saturday at Plymouth. Helen Brevman of Milwaukee is visiting relatives here. Mrs. E. F. Roethke was a Milwaukee visitor Monday. Dr. J. J. O'Neill of Dundee was here on business Monday. Tony Zwasschka of Kewaskum was a caller here Monday. Andrew Senn Jr. returned to Oshkosh Sunday evening. A. J. Guepe was a business caller at Milwaukee Monday. L. Seefeld of Milwaukee was a business caller here Monday. Miss Nellie Katen of Eden spent the forepart of the week here. Ed. McDonald took in the sights at Eden Saturday evening. Max Glass of Milwaukee visited relatives here over Sunday. Oscar Bonesho of Milwaukee called on friends here over Sunday. E. P. Crane of Fond du Lac was a business caller here Monday. Mrs. William Wedde has returned home from a visit at Chicago. Mrs. A. L. Smith and children spent Saturday and Sunday at Omro. Miss Tillie Theusch of Milwaukee is visiting here with her parents. Principal John Ritter spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Oshkosh. George W. Marshall of Fond du Lac was here on business Monday. Lov Goss of Chicago was the guest of relatives and friends here Saturday. Mrs. I. Klotz and daughter Irene were Fond du Lac visitors last Friday. A. Schlichting and wife of Sheboygan Falls visited here on Memorial Day. Mrs. Andrew Senn Sr. and daughter Miss Lydia spent Friday at Fond du Lac. Home-comers remember that E. F. Martin & Co. handle a fine line of postals. Adolph Heberer was a pleasant caller at the Terlinden home last Sunday. Robert A. Backhaus, assessor of the town of Auburn, began his duties Monday. If in need of a good windmill get the Arimotor for sale by George L. Foerster. Miss Laura Ebert returned home Saturday from a visit at Sauk Center, Minn. Mrs. A. P. Ward moved into the Martin house on West Main street Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor of Chicago visited here on Saturday with the J. Goss family. Mrs. Farrell of Gurnee, Ill., was the guest of the M. Farrell family here over Sunday. Mrs. Leroy Herbert of Spencer, Wis., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Bump. Miss Clarissa Williams of Fond du Lac called on friends and relatives here Saturday. Rivets for all kinds of mower sections for sale at M. R. Boeckler's hardware store. Ed. Haessly and Ed. Hebert will participate in the water-fight at Schmidt's Grove. Miss Florence Orvis was called to Oakfield Monday on account of the death of her aunt. L. M. Kohn and wife have returned to Milwaukee after a few days' visit with relatives here. Sessions ice cream, the best ice cream made, sold at E. F. Martin & Co.'s restaurant. Try it. Rev. B. Joly, who has been seriously ill for the past several months, is again able to be out. Mrs. M. Schneider of Appleton spent the forepart of the week here with relatives and friends. J. P. Naughton, supervisor, attended county board meeting at Fond du Lac the present week. Miss Mary Dengel returned to Milwaukee Monday after a short visit here with her parents. H. Loehen and wife of West Bend were guests at the J. Dengel home Saturday and Sunday. Miss Katherine Housner of Oakfield is visiting here at present with her brother Philip and wife. John Flynn, a student of Marquette University at Milwaukee, spent Sunday here with his parents. D. Dyer and wife of Fond du Lac were guests of Platt Durand and wife last Saturday and Sunday. The Epworth League will hold public installation in the M. E. church parlors next Sunday evening. Max Luedke, Fred Polhman and Frank Ruzens visited at their homes in Fond du Lac over Sunday. Kilian Strobel and wife of Milwaukee visited here with relatives and friends Saturday and Sunday. Paul Tillack of Fond du Lac is at present employed by M. R. Boeckler to help during the rush season. Miss Emma Vetch left on Tuesday for North Fond du Lac to visit relatives the remainder of the week. Jacob Terlinden of Fond du Lac came home Thursday to spend his summer vacation with his parents. William Rauch and wife and Miss M. Pesch of New Fane spent Saturday here with relatives and friends.

Several Things. There are several things to be considered in selecting your bank. 1st. Strength—financial strength. 2nd. The care with which the bank is managed. 3rd. The courtesy and spirit of accommodation displayed by the officers and employees. 4th. The Banking experience of its officers. 5th. The ability of the Bank to properly and promptly handle your business. To those wishing desirable banking relations, we offer our service as a permanent, conservative and accommodating bank, promising courteous treatment and careful attention to all business entrusted to our care. BANK OF KEWASKUM, Kewaskum, Wisconsin. Miss Estella Klotz celebrated her birthday last Saturday by entertaining a number of her friends Saturday evening. Krohn's Hungarian Orchestra will render a number of selections during the picnic at Schmidt's Grove next Wednesday. Hon. Peter Schroeten of Auburn was again re-elected chairman of the county board at Fond du Lac Tuesday evening. Lewis J. Fellenz and party of friends from Fort Atkinson arrived here on Saturday to spend Home-coming with relatives. The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church met at the home of Mrs. Philip Guenther last Thursday afternoon. Full blooded White Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, 15 for 75 cents.—Mrs. P. Schmitt, Box 17, R. F. D. 31, Campbellport, Wis. 3-21-3m. Scraph Weiss and wife of Empire, Mr. and Mrs. William Schroeder and son Emil of West Bend were guests of E. F. Martin and family Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend the first annual Home coming and carnival of fun on Wednesday, June 10th. Dance in the evening. All night trains stop. NOTICE—All members of the M. W. A. and Royal Neighbors should meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 1 o'clock p. m. June 7th, to observe M. W. A. and Royal Neighbors Memorial Day. NOTICE—Mr. Shinner, proprietor of the Star Hotel, wishes to inform the public in general that he will be prepared to serve meals for 100 people at a time on Home-coming Day. Mrs. Brill of Neosha, William Rempel and wife of Theresa, Mr. and Mrs. Kissinger, Mrs. Bagley and Mrs. Brown of Milwaukee were guests of John Rempel and wife Saturday and Sunday. Memorial Day was duly observed here last Saturday. The Isaac Hendricks Post G. A. R. and the school children formed a parade to the cemetery where appropriate ceremonies were held. The Campbellport band and Forester team of the M. W. A. escorted the school pupils to the I. O. O. F. Hall where a program was rendered by the schools of this village and also the Dundee and New Prospect schools. The oration of the day was delivered by Rev. J. D. Cole. Mrs. Katherine Hall (nee Wagner) wife of Bertram Hall, died Monday evening at 6 o'clock at her home in the village aged 52 years, 9 months and 21 days. She is survived by her husband and seven children namely: W. J. and Anna of Milwaukee, Leonard, Mathias, Michael, Marie and Tillie of this place. She also leaves an aged father, 7 brothers and 4 sisters. The funeral took place Thursday morning from St. Matthew's church with interment in Union cemetery. CARD OF THANKS. We sincerely thank our many friends who kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement, the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Kathryn Hall. BERTRAM HALL & FAMILY. NEW PROSPECT NOTES. August G. Bartelt was to Fond du Lac on business last Monday. John Uelmen Jr. improved his place with a chicken coop last week. Our cheese factory is receiving about 7,000 pounds of milk daily now. August Bartelt Jr. is adding some new phones to his line at Random Lake this week. J. B. Barnes improved his house with a new roof and some interior changes this week. The Misses Pearl and Ruby Romaine closed their schools last Tuesday and came home Wednesday. Mrs. Otto Bartelt drove to Wayne last Saturday to visit her folks for a few days. She returned home on Wednesday. A grand dance will be held in John Rinzel's Hall on Sunday evening, June 14th. Good music will be in attendance. Everybody is cordially invited to participate. A bunch of Kewaskum sportsmen are out at Martin Hausner's lake camping today and tomorrow and are having a good time. Hausner certainly has a number one lake park for any club or crowd of people to go out and have a dandy time. \$4.50 TO CHICAGO AND RETURN. Excursion rates via the Chicago & North-Western R'y account Republican National Convention. Tickets on sale at above rate from this station daily from June 12 to 17. Return limit June 30. Ask ticket agent for particulars.

Advance Sale of Men's and Boys' Spring Clothing. 1907 and 1908 Styles Reduced One-Half Regular Price. Do not fail to look at the suits. Elegant values for little money. L. ROSENHEIMER, KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN.

June Price Reductions. We are going to make this month a month of Bargains. We are going to clean up our entire stock of Summer Merchandise—every department in the store will contribute its share of bargains. There will be unheard-of price reductions and we want you to make this store your store for every day of this month so that you will not miss any of the good things we have in store for you. Pick Brothers & Co., WEST BEND, WISCONSIN.

BOERNER'S June Clothing Sale. 4.95 Special close out lot of men's and young men's suits, ranging in price up to 12.00, sizes 30 to 38, no larger. Every suit in this lot a big bargain. 14.95 Plain and fancy blue Serges, worth 20.00. 1.45 Lot one—This lot consists of boys' knee suits, sizes 3 to 12. Odd suits that sold for from 2.00 to 4.00. Every one a big bargain. 8.95 This lot consists of odd suits that sold for 12.00 to 18.00, including H. S. & M. and Kirschbaum makes. Bargain extraordinary. 1.95 Lot two consists of boys' fancy knee suits, Norfolk, Russian and other styles. Xtra value. Regular prices 4.00 to 6.50. Sizes 3 to 12. 9.95 for men's up-to-date top coats, regular price 12.50. 6.95 for men's cravenette rain coats. Extra quality for the money, worth 8.50. 9.95 This lot consists of cassimeres, worsteds and serges for men and young men. Cuff and plain sleeves. Regular value 12.00 and 12.50. 11.95 This lot contains the newest and noblest goods of the season, including fancy serges, black Tibets, Washington clays and fancy cassimeres. 15.00 values, June price 11.95. 13.95 This lot consists of fancy worsteds, Kirschbaum make. Regular prices up to 16.50 and 18.00. Our entire stock of knee pants and suits at Special June Prices.

Big June Bargains all over the Store. BOERNER BROTHERS MERCANTILE CO., WEST BEND, WIS.

Pay Your Bills by Check. BECAUSE—Paying your bills by check is the simplest and most convenient way. Your check becomes a receipt for the debt it pays. A bank account helps and encourages you to save. Your bank book is a record of your business. WE FURNISH CHECK BOOK, ETC., FREE OF CHARGE. CITIZENS STATE BANK KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN.

PREACHER LENT A HAND.

Made Most of the Concrete Blocks for a Big New Church. Rev. W. V. DeWitt and his congregation of St. Paul's, Ill., have just finished a large and unusual stunt in the line of church work. The labor unions may get after the pastor and call for his union card, but it will be too late. The pastor has done the job.

USED PIPE FOR A GUN

FOND DU LAC MURDERER SAW BRIAR AND SURRENDERED. Farmer Brought Capture About Cleverly—Funeral of Victim Is Held at Oakfield.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., June 2.—[Special.]—If Grant Poole who shot and killed Mrs. E. H. Orvis in the vestibule of the Methodist church at Oakfield Sunday morning had not mistaken a briar pipe for a revolver, he might not be in the county jail now.

When Poole was seen by William Braatz near Ladoga Sunday evening, Braatz pulled a briar pipe from his pocket and pointed the stem at the fugitive ordered him to throw up his hands. Poole immediately complied, saying that he would surrender if Braatz would promise not to shoot him. He then threw down his revolver and gave himself up.

Many attended the funeral of Mrs. Orvis, which was held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon from her late residence in Oakfield. The services were conducted by Rev. Sabin Halsey, who was in the church when she was shot and was knelt by her side and delivered a prayer as she died.

SERVICE IS REWARDED.

St. Paul Business Men Give Ex-Mayor Smith \$11,000, Who Was Nearly Penniless.

ST. PAUL, Minn., June 2.—A few minutes after Robert A. Smith had retired from the office of mayor of St. Paul today, he was handed an envelope containing a draft for \$11,000. This amount has been contributed by eighty-one business men of St. Paul as an appreciation of the venerable ex-mayor's services to the city.

TO DISTRIBUTE SPEECH.

Senator La Follette Will Have His Record-Breaking Argument Printed in Pamphlet Form.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 2.—Senator La Follette was engaged today in reading and revising his notable speech in opposition to the currency bill. He intends to have it printed in pamphlet form for distribution.

RECALL DARIUS GREEN.

Author of Comic Poem Takes Special Interest Now in Experiments of Aeroplanists.

ARLINGTON, Mass., June 2.—Confidence by the Wright brothers, A. M. Herring and others that aerial navigation is no longer experimental, brings particular interest in the prophecy written by John T. Rowbridge more than forty years ago in the popular poem of "Darius Green and His Flying Machine." Happily Mr. Rowbridge has lived to see the serious fulfillment of what he described in the verse of lighter vein.

PLUNGES OVER COPING.

Boards Cut Off from Escape from Fire, One Jumps from Roof and Is Killed.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Fire, starting in the basement of Mrs. Mary Mooney's boarding house in West Third Street, early today completely cut off the escape of Mrs. Mooney's twenty boarders. As the first fire company gullied up Miss Mooney, in her night clothing, appeared on the roof and plunged over the coping. One of her feet caught in the half-open shutters and for an instant the woman's body dangled in space. Then she fell on her head to the street and was killed.

SHIP BREAKS IN TWO.

Peter Rickmers a Total Wreck and Much of Her Cargo of Oil Is Swept Out to Sea.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The Peter Rickmers, a German full-rigged ship, which ran ashore on the Long Island coast several weeks ago, broke in two late last night, and the remainder of her cargo of oil was swept out to sea. Only a part of the ship's bow is now visible. The incoming tide brought in many cases of oil and beach combes made a profitable haul yesterday. They were so numerous that the crew of wreckers had difficulty in saving the remnants of the cargo. Deputy sheriff's two men guarding salvaged oil at \$25,000. Frustrated on shore, the beach combes sailed out beyond the three-mile limit and caught many drifting cases of oil.

STORK EXPECTED IN MADRID.

Arrival of Queen Victoria at End of June.

HELPFUL ADVICE

KEHLOR HEAD OF ELKS. KENOSHA MAN ELECTED AT RACINE CONVENTION. Next Meeting Will Be Held in June at Portage—Barr Chosen Chaplain.

RACINE, Wis., June 4.—[Special.]—The seventh annual state convention of the Beneficial and Protective Order of Elks came to a close this morning after Portage had been selected as the next convocation city. Officers were also elected as follows:

President, J. M. Kehlor, Kenosha; first vice president, W. J. Teckewyer, Madison; second vice president, William H. Pahl, Racine; secretary, H. M. E. Walker, Racine; treasurer, F. A. Bullock, Oshkosh; chaplain, Edward Barr, Milwaukee; trustees, F. H. Hoffman, Madison; Fred F. Dorbell, Portage; Edward Grassler, Milwaukee; Orlis L. Tremay, Kenosha; and E. A. Gorteland, Racine.

The date for the next convention is the first Tuesday in June, 1909. The ladies of the visiting Elks were given an automobile ride around the city this morning.

MURDER IS SUSPECTED.

Appleton District Attorney Believes That Mrs. Minnie Krause Met with Foul Play.

APPLETON, Wis., June 4.—[Special.]—That Mrs. Minnie Krause, who was found dead in the belief of District Attorney Rooney, a rigid investigation will be made at the request at which the state's attorney hopes to hold a suspect to explain what he knows of the case.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Ayer.

Fisherman Caught Beer. When John Starr, an old Gloucester, Mass., fisherman, made the last haul of his gill net to day, he found it very hard work, with all the means of his gear present. Sure that he had caught a big fish or some other valuable asset, he anchored off shore and began to haul in his net.

TEACHER IS HYPNOTIST.

Fond du Lac Pupils Is Placed Under Her Influence and Sings to Amuse the School.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., June 4.—[Special.]—Arthur Zacher, a pupil at the school of Miss Kite, principal, and Miss Kite Evans, assistant principal, at an ice cream cone during school hours yesterday afternoon as the result of being placed under a hypnotic spell by Miss Perkins, principal.

KEPT JEWELS IN JAIL.

After Being Released from Lockup Janesville Woman Gives Police Missing Diamond Rings.

JANESVILLE, Wis., June 4.—[Special.]—Three weeks ago, Mrs. F. Larson of Janesville, a woman, went into the North-Western railway's wash room here and left two diamond rings, valued at \$250 each, on the wash stand. She took the train for Chicago and did not miss the rings until several stations away. The rings were found when the station agent was notified and the police advertised the loss in the newspaper.

FEAR SERIOUS FLOOD.

Mississippi River Continues to Rise at La Crosse and Compels Many to Move.

LA CROSSE, Wis., June 4.—[Special.]—The steady rise of the Mississippi river is causing a serious situation here. Large districts in North La Crosse are under water, compelling the residents to move. Factories have been flooded and bridges are in danger of going out. With a few inches more rise, communication between La Crosse and the northern part of the county will be cut and the weather bureau predicted today that the rise would continue for several days longer.

TRAINMEN NAME CHIEF.

John H. Baker, Brooklyn, N. Y., Is Elected Grand Guide of Locomotive Engineers.

COLUMBUS, O., June 2.—John H. Baker of Columbus, O., was elected grand guide of the International Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the contest being between him and E. A. Tucker of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has held the position for two years. Grand Chaplain George W. Boston was re-elected. He has held the position for twenty years.

MILTON TO GRADUATE FIVE.

Commencement Exercises at College Will Be Held June 18.

MILTON, Wis., June 2.—[Special.]—Commencement day at Milton college will be June 18. Five will graduate from the college, six from the school of music and thirteen from the academy. One of the principal events of commencement week will be the Shakespearean play, "Hamlet," by the students. Among the speakers of the day are Sup. Newell D. Gilbert of De Kalb, Ill., and Prof. Charles B. Clark of Alfred university, New York.

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