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PICK BROTHERS CO.

This store makes Xmas Gift Buying a pleasure. Our Special Xmas Offer enables

You to Save 10 Per Cent

On your entire purchases until Xmas.

Framed Picture for Gift

One Hundred Artistically framed pictures suitable for dining or living room including landscape, fruit studies, etc.,

39c each

New Dainty Exclusive Designs.

Xmas Handkerchiefs.

Chile	lren's	fanc	y colo	red Han	dkerchie	efs1c to 10c
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						to 25c9c
						10c
44			25c	**		20e
44	**	"	50c	***		39c

Annual Christmas Sale of Fancy Lamps and Cut Glass

If you decide on either of these useful presents, this is the place to buy it, we save you just about 25 per nt during this special sale.

	amps	And reported the Co.		6.00
Cut Glas	88	10e	to	5.00

Perfum	es and Toilet Good
Hilberts hi	gh gr'de Perfum's,oz45
Imperial l	Rex Violet, oz1.0
Perfumes	in f'ney cartoons 10c-\$
Sachet Po	wder10
Sachet Er	velopes10

25 Per Cent

Discount

DOLLS

You can save money

if you buy your Dolls HERE.

Special Christmas Rug Offer

A timely purchase enables us to offer these splendid rug values. Noth. ing would please your wife more than a new rug to brighten the room. 9x12 Velvet Rug, new designs,

0.11.00	
regular \$23.00 value	18.50
Daghestan Wilton	5.00
Ventnor Wilton	4.50
Smith Axminster	2.50
27x54 Velvet Rugs	1.35
Smyrna Rugs	95c
9x12 Body Brussels	22 00
9x12 Tapestry Brussels	17.85

XMAS NUTS AND CANDIES BEST AND CHEAPEST HERE

ORANGE WEEK A large consignment or California Oranges will be placed Dec. 15 to 22. on sale during this time. We'll save you money.

1 pound Crown Baking Powder and a beautiful large salad dish. These would be cheap at 50 cents. Special special price.....

Silk Scarfs for Gifts.

Our stock has just been replenished with the newest designs. Silk Scarfs with dots, all colors.. 50c Plain Crepe Silk......75c Fancy and Plain Scarfs, all colors at from......95c to 5.00

Furs for Xmas.

You can buy dependable furs here for less money than stores in the larger cities ask. Get our prices in Mink, Blended Muskrat, Lynx and Wolf Furs.

French Cooney	Scarfs\$1 to \$5
Jap Mink	\$10 to \$25

Ghilds' Grib Blankets and Garriage Robes.

Children's Crib Blankets in pink and blue, variety of designs 750 Special Sale......

White Ast	rachan Carriage	151
Robes.	Special	4.00

Peanuts, best, lb5c
Walnuts, lb12c
" finest, lb 17c
F'ncy Mixed Nuts, lb12c
Large Brazils, lb13c
Shelled Walnuts, lb32c
Xmas Candles, 36 for5c
Hoarhound Stick Candy
lb8e
Penny Candies, 3 for 2c
Elite Mixed Candy, lb7c

Xmas Candles, 36 for5
Hoarhound Stick Candy
lb86
Penny Candies, 3 for 20
Elite Mixed Candy, lb7
20c Cream Mixed Candy
lb16
Cracker Jack, pkg3

Sweet Chocolate......5c Bitter Chocolate......15c Maple Syrup.....25c Comb Honey.....15c Corn Flakes, pkg......8c Holland Herring, kg..69c Blue Ribbon Raisins, a package......8½c Oil Sardines, can.....3c Salmon, can.....9c Sauerkraut, qt......7c Dill Pickles, doz.....10c Sweet Cider, Fancy Apples, Holly.

Grocery Savings Oat Meal, lb.....2c

Tomatoes, can......6½c Currants, pkg7c 10 lbs. Pop Corn for...15c Main Corn, can.....10c Santa Clara Prunes, lb..6c Muscatel Raisins, lb...42c Syrup, 10 lb. pail......32c Catsup, bottle.....7c 1 oz. Vanilla.....7c

Sapolio, bar.....6c

\$1.00 Worth of Toys Free

From now until Christmas we will give \$1.00 worth of Toys free with every \$10.00 worth of goods purchased out of our store. Charge sales excepted.

PICK BROTHERS CO..

WEST BEND, WISCONSIN

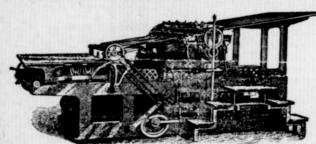
New Equipment Placed in The Statesman Office.

readers has now been nearly ful- the STATESMAN office will be on filled. Much modern newspaper a solid basis, and able to do more machinery has been installed in for its readers than in the past. the office and it will soon be one Delinquent subscribers can now of the best equipped establish- help us better than ever before,

stallation of a Campbell two-rev- direct benefit. ready for delivery, can be much and on short notice. more quickly done, and the result | The success of the STATESMAN will be the publication of news office since it was established has

The promise made some months tions already made and those which ago by the STATESMAN to its are expected in the near future, ments of the kind in the State. so that we may continue the work

olution power press, a modern The addition of a large and varnewspaper and job printing press ied assortment of new type to our and in a few weeks will add a fold- job printing department has also ing machine of the latest kind to the brought that department up to the outfit. This equipment will enable same high standard of perfection us to go to press each week much as the newspaper department and later than usual, as the work of we are now ready to do all kinds printing and folding the issue, of job printing in first class shape



right up to the time of printing. | fully verified our expectations This will add much to the value of Kewaskum is a live town and the the paper to subscribers and make people of the village and the surits weekly visit more welcome than rounding country have shown that

With a typesetting machine which eight months ago the equipment est value to them. The list of our will now be complete in every department. When these contemplated improvements were announced we called upon our constituents for in our undertaking. The number their assistance in a financial way. of delinquent subscribers is too They have responded nobly to the call. A large number of new subscribers has been added to our list, many who were in arrears have settled their accounts and others will undoubtedly do so within a short time. With the good collec- all such accounts settled.

they appreciate the advantage of having a live newspaper and job was installed in the office about office, where it can be of the greatincreasing, which is abundant large, however, and if all settle do more for them in the future.

> We confidently hope that the opening of the new year will see

Passenger Train No. 5, running through here daily excepting Sun-Two men were killed and three in part. men and one woman seriously in

The deaths were caused by one of the strangest accidents in railroad history. The tracks recently had been elevated and as the train whirled by a rail was torn, loose. It shot upward from the track through the bottom of the smoking car and ripped up the entire coach and half of the coach following it, like a terrible buzzsaw, spreading death in its track. The mass of twisted steel then whirled from the train and struck a switch shanty at the side of the tracks, demolishing it.

their way to ice-cutting plants in the district attorneyship." .northern Wisconsin. Stralia's head was nearly torn off by the flying rail, and Luzzo was crushed to a

ed back, scalp wounds and internal office if he is so inclined." injuries. Harriman, the engineer,

dent of the North-Western road, attorney and district attorney. At said Sunday that the wreck was 27 years of age he was nominated caused by running the train too by the Republican state central fast through a switch.

Announcement

Saturday evening, December 18, at association. o'clock. Sunday morning at 9:30 prayer meeting. At 10 o'clock sharp, preaching services, then disupper will be administered.

district superintendent, will offic- ed. iate at these meetings.

It is self understood, that everyattend these meetings.

ever, will be held at West Bend, in all. the G. M. E. church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The members of this conference are earnestly requested to be present.

Milwaukee is being urged to run of New Fane. day afternoons, when running at for Governor of the State, accorda high speed between Chicago and ing to a report in the Evening Campbellsport to the home of his Milwaukee was wrecked Sunday. Wisconsin last Tuesday, which says brother William Saturday, from

> District Attorney Aug. C. Backus at St. John's church at New Fane to enter the gubernatorial race and interment in the congregatwas freely heard about the ion's cemetery. Rev. Gutckunst ofcity hall today. It is understood ficiating. that last week a number of his adherents, drawn from various from abroad were: Mrs. H. C. Bobranches of the Republican party wers and August Brockhaus of visited the district attorney's of- Marion, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Waege fice and put the proposition before and daughter Alice and Henry him with the declaration that he Brockhaus of Hustisford. was the logical candidate."

KEEPS OWN COUNSEL.

been approached on the subject, ter. The surviving relatives have but when and by whom he declines our sympathy. to say. He also refuses to say whether he would consent to make The men killed were Janos D. the race. He intimates that there Stralia and Salvatore Luzzo, Aus- was more likelihood of his entering trian immigrants, who were on the field for a renomination for

"The friends of Mr. Backus consider the time ripe for his announcement inasmuch as he has had an unusually successful term F. A. Blue, the train fireman, as district attorney with excellent sustained a broken leg, a wrench- chances for repeating himself in

"Mr. Backus has been state factsuffered scalp wounds, a broken ory inspector, chairman of the inright shoulder and cuts about the ternational committee of child snow. labor, first assistant district at-William A. Gardner, vice presi- torney, special assistant district committee for state treasurer."

"Mr. Backus is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin's law department and in his graduation Tomorrow, Sunday, the 19th of year he briefed the labor laws for December, the quarterly meeting the department of labor and inwill be held in the German M. E. dustrial statistics. Mr. Backus is church here in the village. The at the present time president of preparation services will be held the Wisconsin District Attorneys

Amusements

Sunday, Dec. 26.-Grand Christrectly after the sermon, the Lord's mas dance at Groeschel's new South fiend, who puts the lightning rod Rev. A. C. Berg of Watertown, orchestra. All are cordially invit- the farmer to put up an eight wire

mas ball in Kohn's hall, New Fane, signs the contract and when the body is most cordially invited to on second Christmas evening. Mu- bill comes in, which it is sure to sic by the Kewaskum Quintette, A do, the deluded farmer finds he The Quarterly Conference, how- cordial invitation is extended to has agreed to pay eight cents per

heimer's.

Wm. Gadow of Barton has installed a dynamo in his mill with which he will light his plant here-

Geo. Engler, president of the Enger-Kress Pocketbook Co., of West Bend left Tuesday for Europe on a pleasure trip.

Sheriff Granlow last week gave We have just completed the in- of improving the paper for their an order to his deputies to confiscate all slot machines found in operation in Dodge county. Peter Wolf of Lomira exchanged

> his ice business known as the Peoples Ice Co., at Fond du Lac for a lumber and fuel yard. The Orchard Grove cheese fac-

> tory in Farmington was sold by Mrs. P. Woog of Boltonville one day last week to Wm. Shinners and Jos. O'Meara of West Bend.

> Albert Meyer and Miss Mary Hurth, both of the city of Hartford were married at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Math. Schneider, in the city of Hartford on the 7th inst.

> At the annual meeting of the Northwestern Band association held at Mayville last week, Byron Barwig was re-elected president of the association. The next convention will be held at Juneau, Wis.

Obituary

ALBERT F. BROCKHAUS.

Albert F. Brockhaus of New Fane, who had been ill for the past 11 months, with a tumor growing in patrons is large and is steadily his head, died at St. Joseph's hospital at Milwaukee last week Friproof that our people are with us day, December 10, 1909, after an operation, aged 45 years, 1 month, and 26 days. Deceased was born in Hohenschoenaw in Pommern, their accounts it will enable us to Germany on Oct. 15, 1864 and came to this country when a boy. He leaves to mourn four brothers and five sisters, namely: William of Campbellsport, Charles, Herman and August of Marion, Mrs. Carl Northwestern Flyer Wrecked A. C. Backus For Governor Marion, Mrs. H. C. Bowers of Osh-Shawano, Mrs. H. C. Bowers of District Attorney A. C. Backus of kosh and Miss Henrietta Brockhaus

> The remains were brought to where the funeral took place at "Talk of a movement to induce 10 A. M. on Tuesday with services

Those who attended the funeral

The pall-bearers were: Herman Fick, Jacob Schrooten, Ph. Haus-"Mr. Backus admits that he has ner, Wm. Klabuhn and John Ket-

JOHN M. MEETH.

John M. Meeth, son of Mrs. J. Meeth, living east of here, near St. Michaels, died at a Milwaukee hospital last Friday. Deceased had been ill with tuberculosis for the past six months. The remains were brought to Kewaskum last Saturday and were buried at St. Michaels on Monday.

High School Notes.

Twenty pupils were absent last Monday on account of the deep

The High School basketball team was defeated by the regulars, score 12 to 6.

The High School pupils are selling Xmas stamps for the purpose of stamping out the white plague,

The Athena society met Tuesday evening and elected the following officers: President, Herman Krueger; vice-president, Adela Dahlke; secretary, Alton Altenhofen; treasurer, William King; arrangement committee, John Schmidt, Nicholas Stoffel and Belinda Backhaus.

Beware of Swindlers

Beware of the barb wire fence

Side hall. Music by the Peerless shark in the rear. He proposes to fence at eight cents per foot. This Sunday, Dec. 26 .- Grand Christ- seems so cheap the farmer usually foot for each wire. When the scheme works he has to surrender -Ribbons and holly for Christ- his farm in part payment and give mas decorations. Cail on L. Rosen- his note for the balance. Hence we say, beware.

"Why do musicians wear long hair?" WISCONSIN HAS

said the barber. "Pshaw, I thought everybody knew that. They wear long hair to protect their ears, of course-

hair to protect their ears, of course-their sensitive ears.

"All depends, with musicians, on the ears, the same as all depends on the eyes with painters. And the ears of musicians are delicate, liable to take cold, liable to aches, inflammations and what not. So they protect them with long hair, and you have no more right to laugh at the mane of a pianist or violinist than the protective shields and pads of your favorite halfback"—Philadelphia Bulletin.

DEFICIENCY OF

ABOUT \$500,000

STATE TREASURY IS EMPTY AND PROBABLY WILL BE UNTIL FIRST OF FEBRUARY.

A GOOD COUGH MIXTURE.

Is Free from Oplates and Harm-

aily break up a cold in twenty-four Governor Is Notified by Treasurer Dahl flours, is easily made by mixing together in a large bottle two ounces of Glycerine, a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and eight ounces of pure Whisky. This mixture NO INCOME UNTIL TAXES ARE DUE. will cure any cough that is curable, and is not expensive, as it makes enough to last the average family an entire year. Virgin Oil of Pine com- -Wisconsin is up against it; it is facing pound pure is prepared only in the a deficiency in the state treasury of a laboratories of the Leach Chemical Co., half million dollars. There will be prac-Cincinnati, Ohio.

Maine Story of a Moving Pumpkin.

A pumpkin was seen to walk across the field by Mrs. Samuel H. Hight of Skow-kegan recently. When she saw it she thought her eyes were deceiving her, but she soon perceived that the pumpkin the soon perceived the soon perceive solved, but the two women did not dare to go nearer to the moving vegetable, but called a man who knocked the pumpkin call

Save This Recipe for Colds.

two ounces of glycerine and add onehalf ounce Concentrated pine compound. The bottle is to be well shaken each time and used in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours." Any druggist has these ingre-dients or he will get them from his hold back all warrants, salaries and wholesale house. This is wonderfully building expenses as far as possible, and

effective. The Concentrated pine is a special pine product and comes only in half ounce bottles each enclosed in an airtight case, but be sure it is labeled "Concentrated."

FASHION HINTS



A very practical dress is the model shown here. It is built on such simple lines that the home dressmaker will find it well within her scope

A new and attractive touch is the lowhung, softly knotted sash.

HABIT'S CHAIN.

Certain Habits Unconsciously Formed and Hard to Break.

An ingenious philosopher estimates that the amount of will power necessary to break a life-long habit would, if it could be transformed, lift a weight of many tons.

It sometimes requires a higher degree of heroism to break the chains of a pernicious habit than to lead a University Law Professor Takes Issue forlorn hope in a bloody battle. A lady writes from an Indiana town:

"From my earliest childhood I was stomach.

a coffee drunkard.

ing coffee for breakfast, although it Postum. I learned to make it proper- many vulgarisms that make up the vo ly according to directions, and now we can hardly do without Postum for great mass of the people. breakfast, and care nothing at all for coffee.

"I am no longer troubled with dyspepsia, do not have spells of suffering Harriman twice nightly in the little graveyard which surrounds the Proteswith my stomach that used to trouble me so when I drank coffee."

Look in pkgs. for the little book,

DEFICIENCY OF

Simple Home-Made Remedy That MAY APPEAL TO THE RAILWAYS.

During January.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 14 .- [Special.] tically no funds for salaries and carrying on of the state's business for the month of January, or until taxes are

furned in another direction. She watched treasurer makes no recommendations to this object for some time and told one of her neighbors. The mystery was

over and found a polecat. The skunk had crawled under the pumpkin and stuck its head into a hole in it and was unable to extricate himself from it and had walked off as best he could with the there is no more to appropriate, and it has a manufacture of the Legislature would not help things, as the taxes for this year have already been levied; it could not make an appropriation since there is no more to appropriate, and it pumpkin on his back.-Lewiston Journal. could not authorize the borrowing of sufficient money since the state is limited in borrowing to the sum of \$100,000. "Mix half pint of good whiskey with treasury of varying amounts, mostly small ones, but these cannot be turned into the general fund.

Must Practice Economy.

So far as the state treasurer can now see, it may be necessary to practice the possibly to borrow \$100,000, the limit the state can go. Perhaps, too, the ex-pedient may be resorted to of asking the railways to start paying their taxes as soon as possible, although these are not due until February 15, the last Legis-lature having extended the time for such payments five days. It is pointed out as humiliating to the state to eat out of the hands of the railways after belaboring them so hard for the past decade. Treasurer Dahl's letter to Gov. David-

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 13, '09.—Gov. J. O. Davidson, Madison. Wis.—Dear Sir: I deem it my duty to call your attention to the condition of the treasury at this time and to suggest that steps be taken, if possible, to meet the shortage now in sight. There was in the general fund on December 10, 1909, 2573,997 '66, as against 3675 661 '69. There was in the general fund on December 10, 1909, \$253,997.26 as against \$656,661.99 on the same date last year.

The estimated receipts for the balance of this month and January are \$105,365; this amount added to the cash on hand makes a total of \$359,362.26.

Disbursements Exceed Cash.

The estimated expenditures for the bal-ance of this month and January, based on the disbursements of December and Janu-ary of last year (after deducting \$85,000 from the disbursements of January last, being the amount paid to the members of the Legislature for salary and expenses), are \$737,124, or \$377,762 more than the cash on hand and estimated revenues up to February 1. 1910.

hand and estimated revenues up to February 1, 1910.

The total cash in the general fund at this time is not sufficient to take care of the phyroil for January; there will be no funds to take up warrants for all miscellaneous accounts and for the payroil for February unless steps are taken to replenish the general fund until the railroad taxes are collected on February 15 next. I called the attention of the Legislature to the fact that the amount of disbursements was steadly increasing, while the revenues did not increase proportionately, and that unless economy was practiced the general fund of the state would be approximately \$500,000 short by February 15 next.

As far as I know the Legislature passed no measure that will increase the revenues but a bill was passed appropriating \$1,000.000 to be expended for the new capitol this year instead of \$600,000 as theretofore provided by law.

vided by law. Comparison of Years. The following table will show the in

creuse or exbe-	natures in ex	cess of receibts
	Revenues.	Disbursements
1905	\$7,821,581.98	\$7,683,925.7
1906	9,181,142,44	8,705,815.1
1907	9,459,649.82	9,838,987,8
1908	10,417,473,49	9,969,012.4
1909 (gen. fund		
July 1, '08 to		
July 1, '09	6,116,864.78	6,555,621.8
The balance	in the genera	I fund on Janu
ary 1 was as	follows:	· tuna on onne
1906		\$1,205,138.2
1907		1.549.400.0
1:08		409,511.8
1300		320 420 1
I call your	attention to	these condition
in order that	you may take	such steps as t

seem advisable. Very truly yours A. H. DAHL, State Treasurer.

ULIN CENSURES SLANG

with Prof. O'Shea on Use of Idiomatic Vulgarisms.

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 14 .- [Special.] a lover of coffee. Before I was out of -In the introduction to his weekly lecmy teens I was a miserable dyspeptic, ture on property at the state university suffering terribly at times with my law school, Prof. John M. Olin, recognized as one of the leading members of "I was convinced that it was coffee the bar of the state, criticized severely that was causing the trouble and yet the prevalent use of slang by university I could not deny myself a cup for breakfast. At the age of 36 I was in very poor health, indeed. My sister rooms at the University of Wisconsin. told me I was in danger of becoming Prof. Olin's censure of the use of unauthorized word forms came in the nacoffee drunkard. ture of a reply to the hypothesis ad-"But I never could give up drink- vanced by Prof. M. V. O'Shea of the department of education, to the effect that the slang of today is the language kept me constantly ill, until I tried of tomorrow, thus countenancing the cabulary, not only of the university stu-

> Guarding Harriman's Grave. A watchman visits the tomb of E. H.

s a time clock at the grave. A Boy Loses a Farm.

tant Episcopal church at Arden. There

1905. The boy, who was never legally adopted, tried to prove the existence of a deed. The judge found from the evidence that a deed had been drawn by the deceased, leaving the land to the boy but held that no delivery had been made up to the time of the death. In Febru-ary, 1905, Warden sent the boy to get the deed and placed it in the top of his trunk, among other legal papers. It was seen there after his death, but later disappeared, and was not found. The disappeared, and was not found. To make the deed legal, the evidence must not only show its existence, but its complete delivery.

Crown Prince and Princess of Belgium.



Upon the death of King Leopold which is expected at any moment, Prince Albert will succeed his uncle as ruler of gium, wife of Prince Albert, the crown princess, is regarded as the most versatile and cultivated princess in Europe.

She is the daughter of Duka Charles also present. Belgium. Albert is a nephew of the King. Crown Princess Elizabeth of Bel-She is the daughter of Duke Charles Theodore of Bavaria, a famous oculist, whom she accompanied before her marriage on several scientific expeditions. She is also an accomplished violinist, and is acquainted with several languages.



Maj.-Gen. Wood Next Army Chief of Staff.



Maj-Gen. Leonard Wood, now in com mand of the Department of the East, will be the next chief of staff of the army. Secretary Dickinson made this announcement in Washington today. Gen. Wood will succeed Gen. J. Franklin Bell, whose term at the head of the general staff will expire next spring.

NEGRO SHOOTS WOMAN.

Black Slays Victim After Seeking to Overpower Her Daughter at Carmi, Ill.

CARMI, Ill., Dec. 15 .- After seeking to overpower Miss Lee Bolerjack, Tuesday night, and being repulsed, Marshall Rudd, a negro, shot and killed Mrs. Ann

Bolerjack, mother of the girl. It is said the negro broke into the mother's house and rushed into the girl's room pointing a pistol at her. Relatives coming to the girl's assistance, the negro fired, the shot striking and killing the

Sheriff Grissom captured a negro soon afterward and took him to Mount Ver-Feeling is nigh against the He denies his guilt.

ENGINEER IS HURT.

Green Bay Trainman Is Most Seriously to appear here. Injured of Persons Not Killed in Flyer Wreck.

ERIE, Pa., Dec. 15.-Deputy coroners the New York Central lines when three A Boy Loses a Farm.

Archibald H. Warden, an orphan boy, by effect of a decision in circuit court at Pontiac. Mich., loses a \$2500 farm of ninety-four acres in White Lake township. The land was owned by Warden's foster father. Archibald Warden, Sr., whose death occurred in July.

A Boy Loses a Farm.

Archibald H. Warden, an orphan boy, by effect of a decision in circuit court at 2500 farm of how the accident occurred. Of the injured Frank Stock a locomotive engineer of Green Bay, Wis., is in the most serious condition. However, it is believed all will recover.

A Boy Loses a Farm.

Archibald H. Warden, an orphan boy, by effect of a decision in circuit court to of the day and by great throngs at night, when a number of popular early part of the day and by great throngs at night, when a number of popular events were staged. A big feature was the parade of the stock in the amount of a hospital and nurses' training school machines. Three thousand animals for colored people in Columbia.

CREDITORS OF WRECKED BANK FILE CLAIMS

CENTRAL WISCONSIN TRUST COM-PANY OF MADISON IS AP-POINTED TRUSTEE.

TOTAL AGGREGATES \$304,617.

Many Other Claims Are Not Included Among Those Already Filed with Referee.

TRANSFERS PROPERTY, IS CHARGE

MADISON, Wis., Dec. 15 .- [Special.] -Claims aggregating \$304,817.14 were filed in the United States bankrupt court today in the hearing of the bankruptcy proceedings in the case of Phil Allen, convicted of wrecking the First National bank of Mineral Point.

by the bank alone The Central Wisconsin Trust company of Madison was appointed trustee by Referee Lewis, on bonds of \$75,000, after E. C. Fiedler, attorney for the creditors had made an appeal for the appointment of trustees living in Mineral

Point or the vicinity. Fiedler & Fiedler of Mineral Point represented the creditors, Sanborn & Blake of Madison appeared for the re-ceiver and Richmond, Jackson & Swan-

List of Creditors.

The list of creditors follows:

C. L. Williams, receiver of the bank, \$169.894.35; C. L. Williams, receiver of the bank, \$169.894.35; C. L. Williams, receiver of the bank, \$89.549.84; Thomas J. Poynster, Mineral Point, administrator of the estate of William Jacka, \$1,110.70; James Harris, Mineral Point, \$21,121.71; William Jelles, Mineral Point, \$50; Mrs. John Dunn, Mineral Point, \$1000; E. N. Harris, Mineral Point, \$1500; Ann Callow, Mineral Point, \$11.907.10; Richard Venning, Mineral Point, \$400; H. E. Ludden, Mineral Point, \$6; Weidenfeller Brothers, Mineral Point, \$24,95; William Jolliffe, Mineral Point, \$24,95; William Jolliffe, Mineral Point, \$24,95; William Jolliffe, Mineral Point, \$25,10; Mary Jacka, Mineral Point, \$825; J. George & Soa, Mineral Point, \$28.88.

Owes More Than \$100,000 The list of creditors follows:

Owes More Than \$100,000.

The petition in bankruptcy sets forth that Allen owes debts in excess of \$100,-000 and that he went bankrupt October 11, 1909, and that he conveyed to different persons, a large portion of his propand Attorney Fiedler maintained that this property should be returned to the trustees. "feeder." Prof. Jones said that land-owners should figure on expending \$3 per trustees. trustees.

A great many claims have not been included in the above list. Receiver Williams said the affairs are not localized in Mineral Point, but extend to a much wider territory and for that reason, he favored the appointment

of the trust company.

This afternoon Allen was examined before Referee Lewis on other various

WOUND IN RED TAPE.

Widow with Enough Money for Her Purposes Is Held as Pauper by Government.

BELOIT, Wis., Dec. 15 .- [Special.]-Mrs. H. M. Crandon, whose husband was a member of the English Parliament, and who has money in banks in England and the United States, has arrived in Beloit to spend her declining years with her son, W. H. Godfrey, after having been detained two weeks at Ellis island as a pauper immigrant.

Mrs. Crandon was misunderstood by the government official who examined her on her arrival at New York. Mrs. Crandon, who is 86 years old, was advised not to let everybody know that she carried much money on her person and her aunt, Miss Virginia O. Wardlaw, so when the official asked her how much now held, charged with her murder, money she had in her purse she told him she had \$5, as she had a ticket paid to Beloit and needed but little spending

If she had been asked whether she had nore than this elsewhere on her person Mrs. Crandon would have informed the official to that effect. As it was, he at once set her down for a pauper and sent her to Ellis island before she could realize what was happening. It took her son two weeks to unravel the red tape and get his mother out of the hands

ARRANGE AIR CONTEST

San Francisco Promoters Will Post Valuable Prizes to Attract Famous Aviators.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 15 .-Arrangements are being perfected by the Pacific Aero club for an aviation meet in San Francisco the last week in Janvary or the first week in February. Some of the most noted aviators in the world are expected to compete.

A meeting of the club was held Tuesof \$40,000 to \$50,000, and to post prizes which will tempt the leaders in aviation Assurances have been received from James Willard, one of the earliest pupils of Glenn Curtiss, Roy Knabenshue, Linoln Beechy, and other aeronauts, that they will be present, in addition to George Loose, John W. Hudson and Charles O'Brien of San Francisco, who have signified an intention of competing Los Angeles has already raised a large sum for a similar event to be held early in January. Practically all the partici pants in the southern meet are expected

A Great Parade of Stock.

Nine thousand petted, pampered, beand railroad inspectors are making an in- decked beauties, the aristocrats, the novestigation today in connection with the bility of the animal kingdom, were on wreck of the limited passenger train on dress parade at the Union stock yards, at the opening of the International Live were killed, seven seriously injured and Stock exhibition. They were viewed by

marched in line on a carpet of green sawdust. This was followed by competition between saddle horses, driven by women. Then were shown road horses "business" horses for stock yall and other purposes, etc. The last frature was the "joust of th knights." led by Col. G. B. Van Norman as King Arthur.

DRAINAGE BOARD FOR WISCONSIN

PROF. JONES OF STATE UNIVERSITY WOULD REGULATE LARGE UN-PRODUCTIVE TRACTS.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES USELESS

Assemblyman John F. Hughes Says State Should Decide Whether Water Power Should Be Developed.

BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Dec. 14, 1909.-A drainage commission consisting of experts appointed by the governor and invested with powers similar to those of the railroad rate commission, was advoeated by Prof. E. R. Jones, University Many more claims are withheld. Two of Wisconsin, before the legislative com-claims, totalling \$259,444.19 were filed mittee on water powers, forestry and drainage in the Hotel Pfister this morn-

> Prof. Jones said that such a commission is needed to decide the oft-arising question of whether, in a given district, drainage and cultivation or water power development should be the end sought. The proposed drainage commission would employ an engineer to survey the district and submit a report as to whether drainage or water power would be more profitable.

Attorney General a Member. Prof. Jones suggested that the com-mission include in its membership the attorney general and the heads of the hydraulic and soils department of the

state university. "Only 300,000 acres, about one-tenth "Only 300,000 acres, about one-tenth of the marsh land of the state, has been drained." said Prof. Jones. "Only a small percentage of this drained area has been placed under cultivation. The reason for this is that the drainage has

been incomplete and poorly managed. "Drainage is in disrepute in Wisconsin because of the heavy legal expenses often involved before the work can be started. These expenses often total 40 per cent. of the entire expense, I believe that a drainage commission would abviate most of the expense, as the abviate most of the expense, as the landowners would gain confidence in it

and abide by its opinion."

Prof. Jones outlined a system of drainage which he said would produce the results sought. It would consist of a main ditch 8 feet deep into which a system of "feeders" 3 feet deep should empty. He said that the land should be so plowed that the furrows would drain into a "feeder." Prof. Jones said that land-

Would Drain Marsh.

state should step in and decide whether a district's water power should be developed or whether the district should be drained. Mr. Hughes illustrated his Mr. Hughes illustrated his views by the Beaver Dam and Crawfish rivers district. He said that, above Lowell, there are water powers which should be developed, while below Lowell is the Mud Lake district, 300,000 acres of marsh land.

Mr. Hughes advocated draining the Mud lake district and plant it with willow trees. He expressed a belief that in this way the district could be made to furnish fuel for the whole of Dodge

The legislative committee will end its hearings this afternoon.

SEEKS MORE EVIDENCE

Mysterious Snead Case Will Be Held from Grand Jury Until More Facts Are Known

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.-The mysterious case of Mrs. Ocey W. M. Snead. the young woman who was found dead in the bathtub of the house at East Orange, N. J., where she had lived with her aunt, Miss Virginia O. Wardlaw, probably will not, as has been expected. be presented to the grand jury of Essex county, N. J., today, according to the statement of Prosecutor Mott. official said he was anxious to obtain further evidence pending the presentation of the case. A signature of Ocey Snead which the officials are satisfied is authentic and therefore valuable for pur poses of comparison, was unearthed to-day. This new example of the victims writing, it is believed, will aid materially in clearing up the authenticity of the disputed suicide note, which is now generally considered the crux of the case.

ENDORSES ESCH BILLS.

House Committee on Interstate Commerce Agrees to Report Favorably on Badger's Measure.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14 .-The House committee on interstate commerce has agreed to report favorably two bills introduced by Representative Esch of Wisconsin. One is a bill empowering the interstate commerce commission to designate the dimensions of day night at which the plans were dis-cussed. It was proposed to raise a fund railway equipment. The committee will also report favorably a bill by Mr. Esch requiring all common carriers engaged in interstate and foreign commerce to re port fully to the interstate commerce commission all accidents. The bill authorizes the commission to investigate such accidents.

DOESN'T FAVOR CANAL

War Department Says Waterway to Connect Lake Superior and Mississippi Is Possible.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 14,-In a report by the war department to the House today the \$8,000,000 project for a canal to connect Lake Superior and the Mississippi river by way of St. Croix is pronounced commercially impracticable and inadvisable, though practicable from an engineering point of view.

CHANGE IN INGLISH SOCIETY.

Lady St. Heller Describes the Life She Led as a Girl.

Lady St. Heller, who has just published her reminiscences, says of the life of a young lady in the '60s: "Nothing could exceed the simplicity and economy practiced by the young ladies of my time. Our allowance was very limited; £100 a year was considered princely, especially when it was augmented by our parents providing our court dresses.

"The real cause of the lesser cost of our toilettes lay in the fact that amuse-ments were fewer and were generally confined to an occasional afternoon party and a ball, so that only two changes of dress were necessary, even among those who went out a great deal.

who went out a great deal.

"A certain number of people rode in Rotten Row in the morning, but there were no luncheon parties and no evening parties; Hurlingham and Ranelagh were unknown, and girls were hardly ever asked out to dinner.

"Evening receptions were rare, and they were generally only attended by older people, girls being usually put to bed at 8 o'clock to sleep until 9:30, when, refreshed and beautified by their rest, they dressed for their balk. "As a rule there was only one ball each night, and, though there were ex-

ceptions, but few people went to two, so that the evening ended not later than 1:30, and if on rare occasions the invariable rule was broken; the event found no favor in the maternal eye.
"It is very difficult after the lapse of

so many years to compare the physique and beauty of English men and women then with those of today. If I were critical I should say that women nowadays are prettier than their grandmothers—stronger, better developed, better set up and certainly more independent and more self-reliant than they were forty years ago; but I do not think that the men are as handsome or physically as strong and as finely developed as their grandfathers."—New York Sun.

AGONIZING ITCHING

Eczema for a Year-Got No Relief Even at Skin Hospital-In Despair

Until Cuticura Cured Him. "I was troubled by a severe itching and dry, scurfy skin on my ankles, feet, arms and scalp. Scratching made it worse. Thousands of small red pimples formed and these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for diseases of the skin. I did so, the chief surgeon saying: 'I never saw such a bad case of eczema.' But I got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair. After suffering agonies for twelve months, I was relieved of the almost unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combined with Cuticura Soap and Pills, and I was completely cured. Henry Searle,

Props. of Cuticura Remedies. Boston.

Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, '07."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole

"The Skin of a Unit." The blunders of children are often due Assemblyman John F. Hughes, Reese to bad teaching. "This," said a teacher to her class of arithmetic. She held up a pencil. "This book is a unit, too," she said, "and these are units." And she showed them a ruler, a flower and an apple. Then she peeled the apple, and holding up the peel, said:
"Now, children, what is this?" Silence.
"Come, you know what it is," she urged. A little hand went up slowly. "Well, William?" said the teacher. "Please, ma'am, the skin of a unit."—Journal of Education.

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Not That Kind of a Jim. The practice of abbreviating words in conversation and speaking of when you mean gymnasium; "gym." saying "hip" instead of hippodrome and "auto" when you should say automo-bile, sometimes leads to ludicrous situa-

The other day a Milwaukee young lady

who practices gymnastics, went into a shoe store to buy a pair of slippers. "I would like a pair of slippers for "gym," said she. The clerk took down several pairs, and, evidently in doubt as to just what size

she desired, finally asked her: "What size does Jim wear?" "Oh!" exclaimed the young lady, with smile, "I am the 'Jim;' I want the slippers for the gymnasium.'

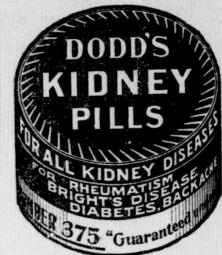
Americans and the Passion Play.

It is expected that the attendance of Americans at the Passion play at Ober-ammergau next summer will be a record one, their number being estimated at from 30,000 to 40,000. About 4000 beds will be placed at the disposal of stran-gers. Each bed will be numbered to correspond with the numbers on the seats for the performances. The prices range from \$4.50 to \$6 a day for bed. board and performance. Parties of Americans in Berlin are already forming

Obeying the Doctor.

to attend the play.

Salesman—Shirt, sir. Will you have a negligee or a stiff bosom? Customer—Negligee, I guess. The doc-tor said I must avoid starchy things.— Boston Transcript.



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Up in the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the provinces that compose Central Canada have such a quantity of land suitable for the growth of small grains, which grow so abundantly, and yield so handsomely that no fear need be feared of a wheat famine on this Continent. The story reproduced below is only one of the hundreds of proofs that could be produced to show the results that may be obtained from cultivation of the lands in these provinces. Almost any section of the country will do as well.

With the country recently opened by the Grand Trunk Pacific, the latest of the great transcontinental lines to enter the field of the development of the Canadian West, there is afforded added ample opportunity to do as was done in the case cited below:

To buy a section of land, break it up and crop it, make \$17,550 out of the yield and \$10,880 out of the increase of value all within the short period of two years, was the record established by James Bailey, a well-known farmer within a few miles of Regina. Mr. Bailey bought the 640 acres of land near Grand Coulee two years ago. He immediately prepared the whole section for crop and this year had 600 acres of wheat and 40 acres of oats. The wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, and the oats yielded 4,750 bushels. The whole of the grain has been marketed and Mr. Bailey is now worth \$17,550 from the grain alone. He bought the land at \$18 an acre, and the other day refused an offer of \$35 an acre, just a \$17 advance from the time of his purchase. The land cost \$11,320 in the first instance. Here are the figures of the case: Land first cost, 640 acres, at \$18, \$11,320. Wheat yielded 19,875 bushels, at 84 cents a bushel, \$16,695. Oats yielded 4,750 bushels, at 28 cents a bushel, \$855. Offered for land, 640 acres at \$35 an acre, \$22,400. Increase value of land, \$10,880. Total earnings of crop, \$17,-550, together with increase in value of land, a total of \$28,540.

It is interesting to note the figures of the yield per acre. The wheat yielded 33.12 bushels to the acre, and oats 118.7 bushels to the acre. The figures are a fair indication of the average throughout the district.

Agent of the Canadian Government in the different cities will be pleased to give you information as to rates,

Feminine Resource.

Mr. D- went to the club, leaving Mrs. D- with a lady friend whose abilities as a scandal-monger and mischief-maker were pre-eminent. When he returned he just poked his head into the drawing room and said, with a sigh of relief: "That old cat's gone, I sup-

For an instant, there was a profound silence, for as he uttered the last word silence, for as he uttered the last word he encountered the stony stare of the lady who had been in his mind. Then his wife came to the rescue. "Oh, yes, dear," she said. "I sent it to the cats' home in a basket this morn-ing."—Tit-Bits.

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December.

There are snowdrifts by the wayside, there is writing on the pane. Where Jack Frost has left a message abou winter come agvin;

There's that tingling in the blood and there are sleighbells in the air, There is coasting down the hills, and slip-ping, sliding, ev'rywhere!

There's a stocking by the chimney hung on Xmas eve because There's a chance you'll have a visit from our old friend Santa Claus.

There's a bright star in the Heavens that proclaimed a wondrous birth.

When the Chosen Child of Children brought his Christmas day to earth.

There are mistletoe and holly in the woods to deck the hall, Here's the Christmas spirit wishing Merry Christmas to you all! -Marguerite Merington in St. Nicholas.

The Lesson Learned.

The snow was falling in soft, fugitive flakes down over the gray land, sifting through the branches of the dark pines on the hillside, slipping from the carved day. We must love Chrrist ever' day. cornices of the old temple in the shadow We must love ever body ever day; but of the pines, drifting into the shrine to Chrrissmus day we show Chrrist we touch the gilded image of Buddha that, for centuries, had looked unmoved on sun and snow alike. For this all hap- and looked at Davy. He had not repened in Japan.

flecked the feathers of the bronze crane, rested on the broad back of the stone turtle, and heaped themselves upon the dwarf cypresses, the miniature hills and dales, and tiny little bridges. Almost as steps near Davy's feet. Near it he unheeded, they fell upon little Davy Brewster, who sat upon the steps overlooking the garden, his elbows on his knees, his chin cuddled into his pink palms. The feathery atoms rested on his yellow curls, on his little black shoulders, his thin black legs, and his shining black shoes. He knew well enough that it was snowing; he even watched, with moody eyes, one huge flake, bigger than all the rest, that sailed on and on, lifting now and then as though it were all though it would float on across to the temple gate, to the golden Buddha itself. Davy knew, too, that it was Christone in his own far-off land. But not to him and to his mother.

He could hear her chair rocking softly backward and forward just inside the door. He knew just how she looked, sitting there in her new black gown. He knew that if he went into speak to her she would draw him close in her arms and whisper: "Oh, Davy, Davyboy!" He knew that if he asked her the same question she would give him the same answer; that if he asked her if Santa Claus was coming tonight she would say tenderly that there could be no Christmas for him or for her, because they were left all alone in the world. He was sure that he could kiss on her cheeks and told her how much he loved her she would stop crying; but he mas was not coming for them.

his father had told him that Christmas the white flakes were flying down from the sky, nestling everywhere upon the ground, but-but it wasn't Christmas, it wasn't Christmas for him. He wondered if it was Christmas in the heaven where his father had gone.

where his father had gone.

The snowflakes fell faster, the gray night slipped over the land. The temple bell boomed heavily down from the shadoward hill and its ways of marger.

But when Christmas winds are whistlin, owed hill, and its waves of magical music rolled across the thatch-roofed village, across the fields, away to the misty horizon. Into the silence that trailed behind the child's blue eyes gazed

whispered: "Davy, Davy-boy!" For just an instant her tears fell on his yellow eurls. Only for that instant, though, did he forget the promise he had made to his father—to be a brave boy. Suddenly mindful of it, he cuddled her cheeks with his hands and kissed the tears from her tivel eyes.

III.

If you don't b'lieve in Santa Claus, like other folks b'lieve, Just wait till Fourth o' July, and forget it's Christmas Eve!

Say: "The children—they just dreamed him, and they think he's true-and-true!" And don't hang up your stocking—for he won't believe in you! whispered: "Davy, Davy-boy!" For just

tears from her tired eyes. The Christmas sun flung down upon the white world a flood of golden light and glory. The branches of the pine trees drooped under their burdens; the temple roof was all smooth and white and undefiled; the lap of the golden Buddha was heaped with snow; the bronze crane stood knee deep in the feathery mass; the stone turtle showed only his' pointed head. Davy, sitting again on the steps that led down into the garden, looked out toward the horizon that was shimmering blue and pink and white, and wondered where Christbronze crane stood knee deep in the and white, and wondered where Christmas did begin, wondered just how near

mas did begin, wondered just how near to him Santa Claus had come.

From the horizon his eyes wandered back across the village of thatched roofs that lay at the foot of the hill. A bright line of vivid color, red and blue and green, was moving slowly along the snow-covered road that led from the village to the hill. Davy knew that it village to the hill. Davy knew that it was the children from the mission school wearing their gayest, brightest kimonos. He watched them as they tumbled along Baby Sister wasn't here over the snow in their high stilted clogs, and wondered where they were going and what they were doing. Then he saw that they were climbing the hill, slipping and sliding, but always climbing. He beard them languing and chattering in heard them laughing and chattering in their high, shrill voices. All at once he their high, shrill voices. All at once he was terribly airaid that they were coming to his house. He had not been down to the mission since his father had gone away; he had not seen any of the children since then, and his only impulse. He was to run into the house and hide. He was to run into the house and hide. He did not move, though, and soon the line did not move, though, and soon the line of boys and girls, looking like giant birds and butterflys of brilliant plumage, filed along the garden path, past the bronze stork, past the turtle's head, past all the tiny little bridges and tiny trees.

Hear the lookieps on the hoor!

Mother's voice says: "Let them in." (Goodness sakes! How long they've been!) Baby, look! The knob is turning—Door is open—candles burning! Full of things for you and me, Look! It's your first Christmas tree! Their faces were grave, their voices were hushed as they looked up at the somber little boy sitting on the steps. They huddled close together, each trying to aide behind his neighbor-all save a Japanese boy called Otoyasan. He was are beginning to grow rather hand-but a few years older than Dayy, and some?" but a few years older than Davy, and had been a constant companion of the small American lad. Otoyasan bowed low and all the line

of his little followers ducked their heads in greeting.

"Good morning!" Davy spoke gravely, pupils.

awkward little bow.

"Mer' Chrrissmus!" cried Otoyasan. The other children tried to echo the strange words.

"It isn't Christmas here, Otoyasan." Davy stood up now and rammed his small clinched fists deep into his tiny pockets, "It can't be Christmas for nuvver and me'

Otovasan looked at him curiously rubbed his hands together and, for a noment, did not speak. "It's Chrissmus for ever'one, Davy-

an," he said at last. "It's Chrrissmus for all the world. Your father, Revera Brewster, said it's Chrrissmus for ever'-

"But not for muvver and me," answered Davy, shaking his head again. 'Cause we're all alone. Christmas ouldn't come to us, 'cause father's died

and we're all alone in Japan." "Revera Brewster said-" Otoyasan stopped. It was hard to remember the words, harder yet to repeat them. "Revera Brewster said," he began again determinedly, "that Chrrist love all the world. He said Chrrist love us ever love him by make ever'body happy. We say 'Mer' Chrrissmus ever'body!' we give presents ever'body." Otovasan paused membered all the words of Rev. David In the pretty garden in front of the Brewster. He had not repeated them little missionary house, the snowflakes even as he remembered them. "We lig you, Davysan," he went on with sudden desperation. "We bring you present." He drew from his long scarlet sleeve a tiny samisen and laid it on the placed a small gray fan. "For her," he murmured, nodding toward the door of the house. "We lig her, too, Davysan."

The orator of the day had spoken. The presentation of his gifts was the signal for which his followers had waited. Now they crowded close about Davy each laying his or her gift for the boy on the step near Otoyasan's samisen, each putting some small article near the fan that was meant for Mrs. Brewster. To Davy they had brought paper fish and unwilling to alight in the toy garden, as animals, wooden trays and boxes, thin rice cakes and colored sugar wafers; to Mrs. Brewster bits of silk and parch ment painted with birds and flowers and mas eve; that, after weeks of weary a great white paper lotus blossom. For waiting, Christmas had come to every little party-colored group of children. Then he turned toward the house.

"Muvver, muvver!" he shouted "Christmas has come to us after all! See, we're not alone any more!" He pointed not to the gifts but to the children. "Muvver, they are our Christ-

For only an instant did Mrs. Brewster hold her hands close pressed against her eyes. Then she knelt down on the veranda.

"Davy, Davyboy," she whispered. "Indeed, it is our Christmas-the dearest Christmas that could be, because-because He sent it to us."

A ray of sunlight slipped through a rift in the temple roof and lay full on her tears away; that if he held his hands the golden Buddha, on the folded hands, on the downcast lids, on the lips that smiled in an eternal peace. In the same knew, oh, yes, he knew very well that what she had said was true—that Christ-It was such a little time ago that his ing close a little Japanese lad in his gay father had been with them, though, that will to men and love eternal," she mursearlet kimono. "Peace on earth, good mured. The lesson had been taught and would come when the snow came. Now learned and taught again.—Kathryn Jarboe in St. Nicholas.

If You Don't B'lieve in Santa Claus.

and the home-lights burnin' dim, He rides away from little folks that don't believe in him!

When the floor is piled with playthings, and the Christmas trumpets blow,
Say no fairy-folk have been there, and that Santa Claus aint so!
When your stockin's lookin' lonesome, then you'll know the reason why:
You'll wish you'd made-believe in him 'fore Santa Claus went by!

VI.

The Tree.

I am six, but baby's none,

Hear the footsteps on the floor

-Julian Street in Everybody's.

A Way We Have at Christmas. She looked at the little man archly. "Hubby." she said, "do you know you

"It's a way I have," he answered, "as Christmas draws near."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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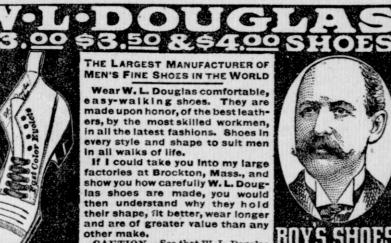
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ST. MICHAELS.

Mrs. Nic. Hahn of Campbellsport visited with her brother, John and wife, the past week.

Louis Habeck returned home from Milwaukee, where he had been employed for several weeks.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. G. Graffwalter at Milwaukee last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Schaeffer of this place are the happy grand

News is rather scarce in this vicinity lately, which is due to the weather, as it is almost impossible for anyone to be out, and no one has anything new to say.

-Have you thought of a clock? It is a most useful and pleasing gift. Get it at Endlich's.

ST. KILIAN.

Andrew Bonlander lost a horse this week.

Kilian Emmer spent Thursday at Campbellsport.

Barthol Strobel of Lomira transacted business here Wednesday. John Rosbeck who worked near

Le Roy last summer is now home Plenty of snow and everybody

is taking advantage of the fine Geo. German Jr. of Milwaukee is home since Tuesday, being laid up

with a sore foot. Frank Brunke and William Butt-

er of Mayville transacted business here last Saturday. Miss Theresa Flasch daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. John Flasch is laid up with an attack of la grippe. -Fine and up to date line of

Portland cutters, Large assortment | Tuesday. at A. A. Perschbacher's.

WEW FANE.

The auction of the Marx estate last Wednesday was well attended. August Ebert bought 40 acres of land from Fred Haach for \$600 this

Mr. and Mrs. August Stangen had their infant boy christened last

The marriage of Wm. Kleinke to a few days. today, Saturday.

The funeral of Albert Brockhaus here Tuesday. was held last Tuesday from the St. John's church. Rev. Gutekunst of- Martin Krahn were business call- worried the victim, all the time mewficiating.

week with Mr. and Mrs. Theodore pect last Saturday. Dworschak.

mas dance to be held in Kohn's on business Monday. hall, second Christmas evening, December 26, music by the Kewaskum Quintette.

-Xmas presents of all kinds can be bought at Geo. H. Schmidt's book store.

BOLTONVILLE.

Walter Eisentraut is at present employed at Beechwood.

Miss Cordelia Marshman is learning dress making at Mrs. Schmel's since Monday.

Miss Golda Backhaus returned to her home in Kewaskum after learning the dress making trade at Mrs.

Miss Loraine Marshman who visited the past week with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Eisentraut, returned to her home Wednesday evening.

Report has it that sleighing is very good at present compared with other winters, and the merry sound of sleigh bells can be heard far and near.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weiss and son Leo left Tuesday for Stratford. Wis., to remain during the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. J. Schneider and family.

KOHLSVILLE.

Did you give Santa Claus your orders?

at West Bend,

Henry Menger of Wayne was a caller in our burg last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. John Illian visited play the harmonium?" relatives at Milwaukee the forepart of the week.

Charles Roecker of the town of Addison will work for Henry L. Kohl the coming summer.

Walter Hamm and Miss Clifford of Mayville visited Monday and Tuesday with the Albert Hamm fa-

Messrs, Carl Illian, Carl Groeschel and Doc. Hartmann of West Bend spent Thursday with the John Illian family.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eberle of Milwaukee are visiting with the Philip and John Schellinger families here since Wednesday.

BEECHWOOD.

E. F. U. meeting tonight.

Fresh bulk oysters at Koch's. Alex Lubach is sporting a new

Koch Bros. sold 23 Litter carriers

A. J. Koch sold a wind mill to John Pesch Tuesday.

William Janssen was to Adell last Tuesday on business. J. H. Reysen took a load of Xmas

trees to Adell Monday. R. Ludwig of Batavia was a business caller here Tuesday.

Art. Dubbin is at present employed at A. L. O'Connell's.

are employed by Ed. Stahl. Richard Dettman had the fur

buyer here Tuesday evening. Mrs. Deiner spent Sunday even-

ing with Otto Arndt and family. J. D. Reinke and Fred Backhaus were New Fane callers Saturday.

Ernst Bremser was the guest of Herm. Heisler and family Sunday. Dr. K. T. Bauer went to Adell Tuesday to perform an operation. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kell-

ing a bouncing baby boy Saturday. Fred Dettman of Milwaukee is visiting relatives and friends here.

business caller here in last Friday. Peter Fellenz celebrated his 27th birthday anniversary last Sunday. Frank Vetter of the town line, was a business caller here Tues-

August Heise and wife were to New Prospect on business last Fri-

Mrs. John Krautkramer spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Koch and ti-ti."

A. G. Bartelt of Forest Lake was a business caller here last

J H. Janssen cut feed for Jacob known to fail.-New York Post. Horning and A. C. Hoffmann last Saturday.

Henry Becker and Adolph Claus were business callers at Plymouth Saturday.

Frank Held is moving his housethis week.

Wiss Amanda Brockhaus took place Jos. Grittner and son Jos. of touched the throat, the usual place of

Kewaskum were business callers

ers here Saturday. Miss Veronica Laubach returned Herman Heisler sold a new cutthome Monday after spending a er to Herman Jandry of New Pros-

Ed. Lang, collector for the West Don't forget the grand Christ- Bend Brewing company was here

William Dubbin of Alva, Oklahoma is visiting friends and relatives here at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Deiner and family spent Tuesday with the former's mother Mrs. Deiner.

Oscar Koch and Jac. Becker put up a Litter carrier for John Kohn the destruction of the beasts to feed at New Fane last Saturday.

Albert Sauter and wife spent Sunday with the former's parents

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sauter. Chas. Arndt, real estate man, of

Plymouth was a business caller in our village last week Friday. J. H. Reysen and sister Flora and

Mrs. Mary Koch were to Sheboygan Wednesday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hoffmann

returned from Milwaukee Saturday after a two weeks visit with reia-

Rob. Mayer, a prosperous and up out breaking their formation." to date cheese maker of the town line, had his gun repaired at Nic. Remmel's last Tuesday.

Walter Engelman of Oconomwoc moved his household goods and stage money. On one of these occafamily here onto the farm which sions it seemed too much for a certain he has leased of Wm. Deckenleiber. person in the audience, for a voice

His Best.

England's most celebrated musicians and composers, was once staying in a small Swiss village, and the English Henry Kohl Sr. spent Saturday clergyman was on the outlook for a musician to assist at the service. Stainer was in the office of the hotel when the clergyman found him and started the conversation with "Do you

"A little," was the reply of the former organist of St. Paul's cathedral. "Will you, then, be good enough to help us out of our difficulty on Sunday? We will read the Psalms, and the hymns shall be the simplest I can se-

lect," added the delighted parson. "I will do my best," said Stainer, with a smile. The service proceeded satisfactorily,

but the congregation at the close listened to a brilliant recital. When the parson heard the name of his assistant he asked him to dinner. "Do you s,ring Chickens, dressed...... smoke?" he asked at the close.

"I will do my best," responded Stainer, and the ensuing laughter was the prologue of an entertaining exchange of Oxford reminiscences.

A Scholarly Child.

Boston has for long enjoyed the reputation of having exceedingly learned children who are able, so it is said, to dispute on subjects far above the heads of their elders of other regions. But Boston is not unique. In a book entitled "The Scot of the Eighteenth Century" Ian Maclaren describes a similar characteristic of the Cale-

It is the inevitable tendency of the Scot's mind to follow out every line to its terminus, even if it be over a precipice, and to divide every hair till infinity is touched.

It is not only in church courts, but in market places and in railway stations, in humble cottages as well as in university societies, that the Scot is disputing, in every spare moment of John Smith and William Goser his time, from morning till night. The story goes that a minister over-

> as it supped its porridge, after the day's work was done. "What," said this austere mother, "is the true relation between kirk and

state, according to the principles of

heard a mother questioning her child

the Free church?" And the favored child promptly replied, "Co-ordinate jurisdiction with mutual subordination."-Youth's Com-

Posted on Music. In one of the large music publishers' establishments on Broadway there is a man whose employment it is to become acquainted with all the music of the day, both classical and "popular." P. H. Slattery of Parnell was a When prospective purchasers are unable to enlighten the other clerks of the place as to what they want to buy, they are referred to him as a court of last appeal.

"I wish to get a piece that has been running through my head ever since I heard it," says the distracted customer, "but the trouble is I don't know the title or the composer's name."

"How does it go?" inquires the specialist sweetly. "Something like this: Tum-ti-ti, tum-

"Ah, yes; you will get it at the second counter to your right. Ask for the 'Pink Waves Waltz,' by Straws." And the remarkable thing about it is that he has seldom, if ever, been

Teaching Cubs to Kill. Have you ever seen a cat catch a mouse and hand it over to her kittens to teach them how to kill? Well, a tiger is merely a big cat, and she teaches her cubs almost in the same hold goods and family to Batavia way, only not with mice. An East Indian officer witnessed a scene of this kind. An old bull bison had been the Mrs. Edw. Koch went to Milwau- victim, and the tigress had disabled kee Tuesday to visit relatives for him by breaking one of his forelegs just below the knee. She never the disabled animal. The eyewitness relates that the cubs acted exactly like A. W. Butzke, Frank Held and kittens, advanced and retreated and ing and snarling, while the tigress sat near by, watching their antics and occasionally giving the bison a blow with her paw when he showed undue ac-

Lianos of Venezuela.

Venezuela received its musical name from the early Spanish residents, who saw a resemblance to Venice in the sites of the inland cities. The llanos, or bleak plains, on which the llaneros live a precarious life, have largely changed their character since Humboldt saw them. Then these great plains of grass supported innumerable herds of cattle, but civil war led to the insurgents. The llanos are now rapidly becoming a potential source of

A Road Made of Ants.

Of the ants in Venezuela Professor Hilram Bingham says: "At one place on the sandy trail the ants had formed a living causeway over the fine sand of the path in order to facilitate the great speed at which the majority wished to travel. The causeway was over two inches wide and from one to three ants deep. So firmly did the 'bridgeites' hold together, I lifted the causeway four inches from the ground by thrusting a stick underneath with-

Too Great a Strain.

Every once in awhile the actor while taking the part of a dude in a play would spend large sums of his rang shrill and clear through the house, "Hey, Bill, how about that five The late Sir John Stainer, one of you owe me?"-Exchange.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

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GOING SOUTH Daily. * Daily except Sunday. 1 Sund

********** LOCAL HAPPENINGS

-Christmas one week from

-Mrs. Aug. Buss visited at du Lac Thursday.

-Edwin Kuehl was a Camp

sport caller Saturday. -Jos. Honeck was a Camy sport visitor Sunday.

-Edward Heise has been on sick list the past week. -Dr. S.J. Driessel of Bartor

a village visitor Sunday. -Henry Mc Laughlin spent

urday at Campbellsport. -Elmer Miller visited at Mil

kee Saturday and Sunday. -Val. Peters visited with

tives at West Bend Sunday. -L. D. Guth transacted busi at Fond du Lac Wednesday.

-Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Henry s Sunday at Port Washington. -Wm. Schultz transacted 1

ness at Milwaukee Saturday. -Andrew Kapfer of Barton

a village visitor Wednesday. -N. J. Mertes transacted b ness at Fond du Lac Monday.

-Miss Lena Schoofs spent urday and Sunday at Milwauke

-Jacob Schaeffer and wife v West Bend visitors Wednesday -Mrs. Jacob Schmidt has t quite seriously ill the past wee

-Moritz Rosenheimer transac business at Milwaukee Monda -R. S. Demarest shipped a of furs to New York Wednesda -The Ev. Peace congregat

held their annual meeting Mond -M. F. Schwinn of West B was a business caller here Fric -Wm. Schultz and Robert Day

-Columbia phonographs, disc cylinder records for sale by H. Meilahn.

-John Gales of Wayne boar the train here for West Bend

Saturday. -The greatest Christmas val

shown in the county at L. Ros heimer's.

-Born to Mr. and Mrs. Her: Eichstad last week Thursday baby boy.

-John and Ben Volm vis with relatives at Fond du Lac Saturday.

-John Miller of Milwaukees Sunday here visiting the S. E. zig family.

-Postmaster A. G. Koch tr. acted business at Milwaukee Wednesday.

-Miss Anna Schield spent urday and Sunday with her par at Newburg.

-Miss Adaline Strupp retu: home Tuesday from a weeks at Milwaukee.

-Nic. Buero of Grafton sper few days this week with the J: Roden family.

-John W. Schaefer and wife ited with Herman Butzlaff and last Wednesday.

-William Schoofs left for waukee Monday to work for Gridley Milk Co.

-All next week fifteen per discount on ladies cloaks and f -L. Rosenheimer.

-Rev. Burelbach of St. Ki boarded the train here for waukee Thursday.

-Miss Susan Schoofs of Newb spent Saturday and Sunday ur the parental roof.

-Mrs. Peter Jansen of West F visited her mother, Mrs. S. Sch der, here Saturday.

-The Misses Emma and C. Strobel left for Milwaukee T day to visit relatives.

-Mrs. Laura Schaefer spent past week with the Harter fami in the town of Auburn.

-Wm. Muckerheide and wife tended the funeral of a relative Fond du Lac Thursday.

-A fine line of rockers suita for Xmas presents can be fou at Meilahn's furniture store.

-Jos. Strachota and wife sp the forepart of the week w their children at Milwaukee.

-Herman Belger returned home from Milwaukee Thursday for a visit until after the holidays.

-Several bob coasters left, an excellent sleigh for the boys for Christmas.-A. A. Perschbacher.

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-The G .U. G. met Monday and nominated officers to be elected at their next meeting, December 27. -Simon Hoerig and wife of West Bend spent Monday here with his

brother J. F. Hoerig and family. -William Schoofs of Milwaukee visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schoofs, here Sunday.

-Aug. Schroeder of Milwaukee visited relatives and friends here between trains last Wednesday.

FOR SALE .- A large round oak heating stove cheap. Inquire at this office.

-Mrs. S. E. Witzig visited her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Smith at North Fond du Lac Sunday and Monday.

-Mrs. Henry Ramthun spent last Monday with her brother, Edw. Backhaus and wife at West Bend. -Erwin Smith is spending the

bell-

1 was

week with his brother-in-law, Andrew Straub and family in Ashford. -Albert and Wm. Opgenorth are

doing some mason work for the West Bend Brewing Co. at present. woman that will meet with her

visited with her daughter, Mrs. it at Endlich's. Adolph Backhaus, here this week. rela--Looking for a Fountain pen? Don't fail to see us, for we have both of Auburn, will take place at

Endlich. -Miss Laura Schnurr spent a few urday, December 18. pent days the forepart of the week as pusi

Wendorf. Jacob Gonring of Cedar Lake spent from Knowles, where they visited

best bowler among the ladies last tral hotel at 2 P. M. tomorrow, Sun-

vere being 145. FOR SALE.-A good coal stove used but two winters, will be sold at a bargain. Inquire of Frank eted

Zwaschka. those bob coasters at A. A. Persch- medicine as the best on the markbacher's. Something for the boys, et. For sale by S. E. Witzig. very strong.

with a scarf pin or a pair of cuff Saturday night and Sunday, roads lay. links. Inspect our large variety.- throughout the country were badties Mrs. K. Endlich.

or lenz spent Saturday and Sunday hours late. with the Misses Theresa and Amanda Raether. -Miss Theresa Raether who has

West Bend for a few weeks returned home Sunday -Michael Keller, the millwright, at 7:30 sharp.

of Milwaukee is doing some work for the L. Rosenheimer Malt & Grain Co. this week.

ited handy dust pans at L. Rosenhei- be closed the 25th and 26th. Launlast mer's. They give them away ab- dry will not be received later than solutely free of charge.

-John Roden returned home Vit- Monday from a few days visit with Mutual Fire Insurance company his uncle and aunt, John Krueger held their final meeting for the and wife, at Milwaukee.

last -Peter Roden and Math Thullen of Casselton, N. D., arrived here Thursday to spend a few months with relatives and friends.

-Our ladies and mens shoes for dresswear are made on the very latest last and all styles, in both button and lace.-M. Heindl.

-Ernst Ramthun of New Fance (cob was granted a patent on a new washing machine at the patent office at Washington this week.

vife. -Hugh Clifford, who a few years ago was employed in J. Schlosser's barber shop, was married at Culbertson, Montana, on Dec. 6th.

-Look over our large assortment of signet and stone rings, they must be seen to be admired. You will find them at Endlich's. lian

-A 25c size of "Eagle Cream" Milung purchase of a pair of our \$3.00, guests departed for their homes. der \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes.-M. Heind).

-Jacob Schaefer and wife of Milwaukee spent from Saturday to tives.

ara -Wm. Pohlman, representative of the Stolzer Granite and Marble Works of Portage, Wis, was a business caller here a few days this lies

-Remember all your acquaintances Xmas and New Year by sending them a postal card. A large variety to pick from at Geo. Feace church, will leave for Brill-H. Schmidt's book store.

nd the medical college at Milwaukee for Merten, Wis., where they will ent returned home Saturday, suffering spend until Monday with her parth with a bad cold, which has now ents before going to their future developed into pneumonia.

-Special discount on ladies furs and garments at L. Rosenheimer's. -Do not forget to get one of

those bob coasters at A. A. Perschbacher's. Something for the boys, very strong.

-There is no other more appropriate article for a Christmas present than a nice piece of furniture. A complete line can be found at H.

W. Meilahn's furniture store. -Gottlieb Blum was taken to the County Poor farm last Thursday by Supervisor John Muehleis. Mr. Blum was in poor health and had

no means of supporting himself. -If you have as yet not received one of those Standard Patterns free at Geo. H. Schmidt's book store, better call there before next

Thursday when the big sale closes. -At the Royal Neighbor meeting Thursday evening, Miss Clara Mertes and Mrs. John Muehleis were initiated as new members, after the meeting a lunch was ser-

-Mrs. Wm. Krahn of Fond du Lac returned home Saturday after visiting some time here with her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Backhaus who was very ill with blood-poi-

-A Bracelet, La Vallier, Brooch or simply a neck chain with locket. These are gifts for a young -Mrs. Wm Krahn of Lamartine hearty approval, don't fail to get

-The marriage of Miss Amanda Brockhaus and William E. Kleinke, a large stock of them .- Mrs. K. the St. John's Lutheran church at New Fane at 3 o'clock today, Sat-

-Misses Mary and Alma Moos the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William of Scott spent several days of last week here with the H. W. Schnurr -Mrs. Winiger and daughter and family while on their way home

Thursday with Albert Opgenorth with Geo. Petri and family. NOTICE.-The Kewaskum Old -Mrs. William Schultz was the Settler's club will meet at the Cen-Tuesday evening, her highest score day, December 19, to arrange for

holding their annual Sylvester ball.

All are requested to attend. -Kotvis Bros, animal toner and system regulator, poultry powder and worm powder, recognized by -Do not forget to get one of the best authorities on veterinary

-As a result of the snow storm -You can always please a man that held this vicinity in its grasp ly blockaded on Monday. Trains -The Misses Rose and Helen Fel- were from 15 minutes to 1 and 2

ATTENTION.-All skat members of the local skat club are urgently requested to be present at the been working for Mrs. Strube at next meeting, which will be held at N. J. Mertes' place Tuesday evening. Skat playing will commence

-On account of Christmas being on Saturday our barbers will comply with the Sunday closing law, -Get one of those useful and therefore shops in the village will 3:20 P. M. Tuesday.

> -The directors of the Kewaskum year, Tuesday evening, at their office. After the meeting they were given an oyster supper by their secretary Joseph Schmidt.

> -Wm. Martin, who has been in the northern part of the state for some time, returned last Saturday to spend the winter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. And. Martin of Wayne. William visited his brother John here last Monday.

> -The members of the local M. E. church shipped a lot of clothing and other articles to the German Methodist Orphans' home in Berea, O., this week. The members of the church wish to thank all those who so willingly donated.

-Miss Amanda Backhaus was agreeably surprised at her home last week Friday evening by a number of her friends in honor of her birthday anniversary. At 11 o'clock shoe polish given free with each supper was served, after which the All reported having had a good

-Otto Groeschel, son of Mr. and Tuesday here with his brother Mrs. John Groeschel, of this place John and family and other rela- who has been holding the position as station agent for the C. & N. W. Ry. Co., at Stambaugh, Michigan, If you can't call write for one. We has accepted a position as cashier carry a good stock of patterns. of the Commerical Bank of Stambaugh. We congratulate you Otto and wish you success.

-Rev. Erber shipped his household goods to Brillion, Wis. Wednesday. Rev. Erber, who resigned his position as pastor of the Ev. ion by the first of the year. Mrs. -Alvin Backus, who is attending Erber and children left Thursday home at Brillion.

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If you can teach some one you love to save money, you have

Could any words be more positive? Do you save? If not, now is a good time to begin. The first of the year is not far off. Make yourself the present of a bank account and see how good it will look this time next year. Get one of these new home banks.

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DOINGS OF CONGRESS.

IN THE SENATE.

More than 350 bills and resolutions were introduced on the 10th. A resolution presented by Senator Rayner authorizes President Taft to cause President Zelaya of Nicaragua to be apprehended as a common criminal for murdering two Americans. Adjourned until Monday.

The Senate held a short session on the 13th, during which Senator Rayner of Maryland, in a lengthy speech, fiercely assailed President Zelaya of Nicaragua. "Outlaw," "murderer," "usurper," "highwayman," "fiend," "assassin," "desperado" and "impostor" were some of the invectives applied to the president of the little republic bordering the Panama canal zone. He concluded by offering a resolution asking the President to have Zelaya apprehended, brought to the United States and tried for murder. The resolution was referred to the foreign relations committee. The Senate adjourned to Thursday. 13th, during which Senator Rayner of relations committee. journed to Thursday.

There was no session of the Senate on the 14th.

IN THE HOUSE.

Many bills were introduced on the 10th, including one by Mr. Lundin of Illinois for a \$2,000,000 postoffice on the west side in Chicago; one by Mr. Sabath of Illinois providing a jury trial for persons accused of contempt of court, and a resolution by Mr. Sabath providing for an investigation of sugar frauds. Mr. Moxley of Illinois was seated. Mr. Kustermann of Wisconsin denied his interest in German shipping made him antagonize American ship subsidies. Adjourned until Monday.

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The President's annual message was referred and distributed among the various committees on the 14th after Mr. Payne and Mr. Fitzgerald of New York Payne and Mr. Fitzgerald of New York had clashed over a statement by the former commending the President's recommendations for economy in government departments. Mr. Hobson of Alabama gave warning of the nation's unpreparedness for war in a speech in favor of a more liberal naval policy. Mr. Richardson of Alabama spoke for a liberal water way policy. Mr. McDermott of Illinois advocated free wood pulp. The District of Columbia appropriation bill was reported. The House agreed to adjourn from next Tuesday over the holidays, refrom next Tuesday over the holidays, re-convening January 4. At 2:47 p. m. the House adjourned until Wednesday.

SWITCHMEN

FEDERATION OF LABOR ORDERS CONFERENCE IN ST. PAUL.

All of Allied Trades Represented in Amalgation Will Support the Strikers.

by President Samuel Gompers, will be held in St. Paul Saturday morning, to take such action as is necessary in view of the switchmen's strike.

bring to the support of the switchmen all of the allied railroad trades represented in the American Federation of Labor.

As supporting their statements that the switchmen's strike is broken, the railroads have begun to publish large display advertisements in the local papers in which they give the "status of the switchmen's strike," in a table of comparisons between the business done in the terminals last year at this time and also for their entire system.

This advertisement also gives a de-tailed statement showing where each car of each merchandise coal and grain was moved in both the St. Paul and Min-neapolis yards together with the exact at which trains were made up and moved out of the various yards.

Gov. Eberhart will make an investi-

gation of the strike condition, and if he finds that traffic is generally tied up he will make overtures to both sides

Between twenty and thirty switchmen and trainmen who have been out on a strike with the switchmen returned to work today. Fifteen of these resumed their places on the Chicago, Milwankee & St. Paul road and the others were scattered among the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, and Omaha roads. Some were members of the strikers' grievance committee.

QUARREL STARTS FIRE: SEVEN LIVES ARE LOST

Cincinnati Tenants Upset Lamps and Fifty Have Narrow Escapes in Blaze Which Follows.

CINCINNATI, O., Dec. 14. - Seven persons lost their lives, seven others were injured, two probably fatally, and fifty others had narrow escapes from instant death in a fire which early today destroyed a four-story tenement at Third street and Sycamore.

The fire started on the second floor of the building, and was due to the upsetting of a kerosene lamp during a quarrel between tenants. The flames spread rapidly to the stairways and halls, cut-

ting off escape.

When the sleeping inmates awoke, many rushed to the windows and others to the roof. The firemen and policemen rescued many, but other inmates were too frightened to heed the cries of rescuers, and threw themselves from the windows. Some of these were caught in blankets held below, but others jumped

to the sidewalk. On one of the upper floors of the building Mrs. J. Henderson was found dead, clasping her 12-year-old daughter, Ruth, also dead. The woman's two other children were discovered dead in an adjoining room. The mother and daughter were almost totally incinerated.

The property loss was \$5000.

EMBANKMENT: TEN ARE KILLED

FOUR REAR CARS ON SOUTHERN THE CITY OF RAILWAY DASHED FROM HIGH

THIRTY-FIVE ARE INJURED.

George Gould, New York Millionaire, Has Nairow Escape from

ACCIDENT OCCURS IN DARKNESS.

REIDSVILLE, N. C., Dec. 15 .- Before most of the passengers in two sleeping cars had been awakened today and while the occupants of two passenger coaches were just beginning to stir after a night's ride, the four rear cars of train No. 11 of the Southern railway were dashed down a 50-foot embankment from Reedy Fort trestle, ten miles from here and twelve miles north of Greensboro, killing ten men aud injuring thirtyfive other passengers.

Cars Land in Creek.

The cars that left the track landed in the small creek that flowed beneath the trestle. The wildest scene of panic prevailed as the sleeping passengers at-tempted to escape from the cars amid-the scene of death.

John A. Broadnax, Greensboro, N. C. V. E. Halcomb, Mount Airy, N. C. Edward Sexton, Denton, N. C. Frank W. Kilby, Portsmouth, Va. A. P. Cone, superintendent of the Richmond division of the Southern railway. D. C. Lolan, Pullman conductor. C. H. White, traveling auditor of the Southern railway.

Those reported killed were:

Southern railway.

A flagman, name not ascertained.

Two unknown.

Gould Escapes Death.

George Gould, the New York million-ire and his son were passengers in one of the sleeping cars bound from Norfolk to Thomasville, N. C.

They were slightly injured. Flagman Charles Bagby of Manchester, Va., died while being removed to the hospital at Greensboro.

The Richmond Pullman car was to-tally demolished in its plunge down the embankment and the wreckage lies now in the water of Reedy Fork creek. Un-der this wreckage it is said that there are a number of bodies of passengers who were unable to extricate themselves and were drowned in the water of the creek. Practically all the passengers in the rear coaches of the train were hurt.

Many of the injured, it is believed, will die. Another train carrying injured passengers to Greensboro, have left the scene of the wreck

scene of the wreck.

The wrecked train was operated local ly between Richmond and Atlanta, Ga., and carried sleepers from Richmond to Charlotte and from Norfolk to Charlotte. At the Reedy Creek trestle, after the engine and the mail and three baggage cars had passed over the trestle in safety the two coaches and two sleepers left the rails owing to some defect, the na-ture of which has not been ascertained.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 14.—A meeting of the railway department of the American Federation of Labor, called by President Samuel Company will be a seried of which has not been ascertained. The injured passengers and trainmen were taken to St. Luke's hospital, Greenboro, N. C. Flagman Bagby of Richmond, one of those injured, will probably die.

Sixteen Reported Dead.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 15.— This afternoon a report reached here from Reidsville that sixteen people were The announcement came by telegraph from Chicago and was confirmed by Vice President D. A. Harsbarger. This will mond sleeper which was totally demol-

ished and under water.
George Gould, the New York million aire, and his son Jay Gould, reached here on the train bringing the wounded. The Goulds sustained only slight inju-Robert Russell of New York, a prominent journalist and companion o Mr. Gould, was badly injured in his back and shoulder and is in the hospital here.
Two train loads of injured passengers have been brought here and taken to the St. Luke's hospital.

Entire Train Wrecked.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 15 .- An entire train, No. 7, west-bound, on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, left the tracks two miles east of Bayard, Ia., early today. The train was com-posed of the engine, tender, baggage and mail cars, two coaches and two sleepers.

arbitration. If he finds that freight is being moved and that the public is not suffering he will not attempt to do the company, but none seriously. The tender trucks were the first to leave the tender the tender trucks were the first to leave the tender trucks were the tender trucks were the tender trucks were the tender track, and for that reason it is be lieved a broken wheel may have been the cause. No. 7 is the Sioux City and Des Moines local out of Chicago, and carried passengers for those cities,

FLYNN'S RELEASE SOLD.

Pittsburg Gets Former Milwaukee First Baseman-"Cozy" Dolan Goes to Denver.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Some minor deals were concluded at the meeting of the national commission today. Cincinnati sold Player Cozy Dolan to Denver. Pittsburg purchased from the Milwaukee club the release of Player Jack Flynn. The Boston National club has released Player Al Shaw.

While the National league directors were considering the recent transfer of the Philadelphia club ownership, Hor ace Fogel, the club's new manager, is sued a statement in which he gave the club. These, he said, are Harry P. Sauers, a millionaire brewer of Philaclub. Sauers, a millionaire brewer of Finia-delphia; A. S. L. Shields, a prominent corporation attorney of the same city and Grant Lafferty, of the Orpheum Stock company. These are the men Fogel said, who bought the club, and put him in centrol of it.

Italy Has Balance of Power.

An Italian staff officer has made a significant comparison of the combined land and sea forces of the triple alliance, Italy, Austria, and Germany, with those of the triple entente, composed of Enghand, France, and Russia. The army of the triple alliance numbers 4,550,000 men and 9544 cannon. Its navies number 411 ships, including torpedo boats and submarines, with 1,217,757 tons of displacement and 4202 naval guns. The corresponding figures of the united

navies have 1005 ships, with 2,888,322 tons displacement, and 8635 guns. Italy is the weakest of the six powers, but if she forsook the triplice and joined the entente then the Austro-German com-bination army of 3,750,000 men and 7864 guns and navies of 246 ships of 86,475 tons and 2,892 guns would face the quadruple entente's 4,885,000 soldiers, 10,652 guns and 1160 ships of 3,3241,322

RACINE SUFFERS \$600,000 FIRE

BIG PLANT OF RACINE MANUFAC-TURING CO. IS DESTROYED BY BLAZE.

MILWAUKEE SENDS AN ENGINE

Members of Chief Clancy's Force Relay Racine Firemen and Suffer from Blizzard and Blaze.

FAMILIES FLEE IN NIGHTCLOTHES.

RACINE, Wis., Dec. 13.-Fire early Sunday morning destroyed the plant of several adjacent buildings, entailing a loss of \$600,000. Frozen fire plugs and inadequate water supply contributed to make the fire the most disastrous experienced by the city in many years. Engines were sent from Milwaukee and Kenosha, the firemen lending welcome relief to the local force.

For a while the fire seemed certain to destroy the big plants of the J. L. Case Plow company, the Mitchell-Lewis Wagon company and the Klinkert brewery, together with nearby buildings. As it was, the Danish Brotherhood hall, the Peter Zinnin block, a saloon, boarding house and the warehouse of the Mitchell-Lewis company were burned, while four-teen residences in the vicinity were dam-aged to from \$100 to \$1200.

Origin Not Ascertained.

The fire, of unknown origin, started in the millroom of the Racine Manufacturing company and spread quickly to the other five buildings comprising the plant, in which were made piano stools and automobile bodies. On their arrival the firemen found the nearest hydrant frozen solidly. When connections were made finally with other hydrants the water

Pressure proved inadequate.

Fire Marshal Cape's call for aid was responded to by Engine company No. 19 and ten men under Capt. William Trotter, who came from Milwaukee on a specific capt. cial train over the North-Western road On their arrival there were not sufficient hydrants to which to attach hose so the apparatus was not unloaded, but the men helped the Racine firemen until 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Racine Manufacturing company employed 1200 workmen, all of whom in all

employed 1200 workmen, all lost their tools, worth from \$50 to \$75 per set. Most of the residences damaged were owned by this company an occupied by its employes. This com-pany's loss is\$600,000, with \$250,000 insurance. The main building was six stories high, the others being four stories high.

Firemen Suffer Much.

No lives were lost. The firemen suffered greatly from exposure in the blizzard which was raging, and many had faces burned and blistered from the fierce heat, which cast a glare so strong that a newspaper could be read ten blocks

Destroyed in the manufacturing plant were 20,000 piano stools and 8000 auto-mobile tops. The loss of the latter will greatly discommode a number of eastern and Chicago automobile plants, which utilize this part of the concern's output. The Sixth street viaduct was so badly The Sixth street viaduct was so badly burned it will be out of commission for some time, and hundreds of telephones and electric lights are useless because of melted wires. The heavy snowfall doubtless saved many residences when blazing embers were blown upon the roofs. As it was, families fled in their nightclothes for fear of being caught in the fire

Strike Was Considered?

Some of the employes say there was to be a strike at the factory this morning, they having been refused an advance in wages, but a grievance committee was to be appointed today to meet the officers of the company.

The Racine Manufacturing company

has had a remarkable growth and it was organized in 1902 with a capital of \$28. 000 under the name of the Racine Novelty company. A year ago the company amended its articles of incorporation, increased the capital stock to \$500,000 and began the erection of four, five and sixstory buildings.

It soon became the leading factory of the country in the manufacture of automobile bodies.

All patterns and designs of the com-pany have been destroyed by the fire, as well as books and records, as there was no opportunity to save any property. Whether the company will rebuild its plant is unknown, but it is believed it will. The company has spent \$20,000 within three months in the purchase of property on which to erect factory build-ings.

TO AVERT KEY STRIKE.

Knapp and Neill Act as Mediators Between Telegraphers and the Railway Companies.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 13.-Martin A. Knapp, chairman of the interstate com-merce commission, and Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill took up the part of mediators here today. Telegraphers employed by the Illinois Central railway sued a statement in which he gave the formed one party to the controversy, names of the men who now control the the officials of the railroad the other party. The telegraphers, all of whom are affiliated with the Order of Railway Telegraphers, had demanded a 10 per cent, increase in wages. The demand was denied. Representatives of the employes and the company met the arbitra-tors and explained the position each

> Coincident with the meeting of the me-diators in the telegraphers' dispute, a conference committee from local switch-men's organizations met the committee of general managers of railroads on which demands for increased pay have been made by the employes. The switchbeen made by the employes. The switchmen are seeking an increase of 6 percent. in wages, and also ask modification of some working rules.
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> Expectation of a peaceful solution of the differences has been pressed by the sailway officials.

railway officials.

-Irvine King of Grovetown, Ga., has a turkey gobbler sitting on about five Advertising Pays. Try R. | armies of England, France, and Russia | dozen eggs, three dozen of which are are 4,085,000 men and 8972 guine. The | guinea eggs.

LABOR BEGINS WAR ON STEEL

FEDERATION LEADERS ISSUE DEC-LARATION AFTER LONG CON-FERENCE IN PITTSBURG.

WILL APPEAL TO PRESIDENT.

Statement Alleges That Profits of \$600 Yearly Are Made Off Workmen Who Make Less Than \$500.

GOVERNORS ARE ASKED FOR AID.

PITTSBURG Dec. 15.-Labor lead ers in conference in the Monongahela house Tuesday afternoon declared war on the United States Steel corporation. There were forty-five of the most influlentia llabor leaders in the meeting, and their decision that the big steel corporation must be curbed and forced to recog nize the rights of the workmen is country wide.

The men in the conference represent every big labor union in the country, and they call upon the federal government the governors of states, officials of counties and municipalities to take steps to the Racine Manufacturing company and bring the big corporation to realize that the condition of the workmen in its plants must be alleviated. A committee will be appointed to call upon the governors and other government officials and lay the grievance of the workmen before

HOGS—10c lower; prime butchersad heavy, 8.25@8.55; shipping, 190 to 2008, 8.20@8.25; fair to best lights, 7.9020; fair to best mixed, 8.05@8.35; fair test packers, 8.10@8.40; pigs, 100 to 125 lb.25@7.60; government and throwouts, 0@5.50. No. Ave. Price. No. Ave. ce. 92. 194 \$8.25 52. 142 0 78. 200 8.30 81. 201 5 53. 241 8.35 91. 188 5 92. 203 8.30 86. 203 0 57. 210 8.29 46. 184 9 103. 185 8.25 71. 202 5 10. 118 7.60 66. 269 15 90. 198 8.30 74. 251 10 CATTLE—10e lower; butchers' ers, good to choice, 5.50@6.25; medium tood, 4.75@5.50; heifers, choice to prime,75@5.50; common to fair, 3.50@4.56; ws. prime, 4.50@5.00; good to choice, 3.7.50. fair to medium, 3.25@3.60; cutters55@3.00; canners, 2.25@2.50; bologna bulfair to good, 3.40@3.65; common light, 3.0(.25; Funds are also asked to aid the move ment, and John Williams of the Amalgamated association at Pittsburg been named as treasurer, to whom all moneys should be sent. It is pledged that all money received will be used in waging war on the American Sheet and Tin Plate company, whose workmen have been striking in the Pittsburg dis-trict since June 30 last.

Statement in Part.

A statement given out in part follows:
A crisis in the affairs of labor has come
The gigantic trust—the United States Steel
corporation—has used and is using its great
wealth and power in an effort to rob the
tollers not only of a livelihood, but their
right, American manhood, and of the opportunity to resist its further encroachments.

The United States Steel corporation has declared war on labor. In its secret coun-cils this corporation has decreed that the only obstacle to its complete sway-organ-ized labor-shall be crushed. This soulless corporation represents nothing but dollars. knowing neither body nor soul. Its god is the almighty dollar. Its profits amount to \$600 yearly from each employe, said emmaking less than \$500 yearly in

wages.
We urge that an earnest, systematic effort be made thoroughly and completely to organize all employes in the iron, steel and timplate industry and subsidiary correlated

Urge Special Committees. We further urge and recommend that

in all places where mills are located the central labor organization appoint special committees with instructions to co-operate n this work.

average 209 at 8.25; 63 hogs, avera 216 at 8.35; 40 hogs, average 335 at 8 51 hogs, average 294 at 8.45; 66 hogs, rage 224 at 8.40; 62 hogs, average 296 s.55; 78 hogs, average 185 at 8.25; 72 hogsverage 164 at 8.15; 63 hogs, average 4 at 8.30; 76 hogs, average 176 at 8.20; 89gs, average 155 at 8.10; 92 hogs, avera 144 at 8.00. We recommend that the executive coun-ch of the American Federation of Labor prepire and issue at stated periods a cir-cular to all international, national, central and local unions of America, an appeal for financial contributions to aid the striking at 8.00.
CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 15.—Cattle—Ripts estimated at 25,000; market weak, 10ower; beeves, 3.90@8.25; Texas steers, 80@4.65; western steers, 4.00@8.30; stockand feeders, 3.00@5.10; cows and heifers00@5.40; calves, 7.25@9.75. Hogs—Receij estimated at 45,000; market 10c lowerght, 7.90@8.40; mixed, 8.10@8.50; heavy, 15@8.55; rough, 8.15@8.30; good to choice avy, 8.30@8.55; pigs, 6.90@7.85; bulk of tles, 8.30@8.45. Sheep—Receipts estima at 20,000; market weak; native, 3.55.50; western, 3.75@5.40; yearlings, 6.21.30; lambs, native, 3.50@8.25; western, 5.78.25. ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 15.—Catt-Receipts, 5500; steady to 10c lower; tive beef steers, 3.75@7.90; cows and fers, 2.90@6.50; stockers and feeders, 3.65.50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; 5@10c lowernackers, 8.20@8.45; butchers and best avy, 8.25@8.90. Sheep—Receipts, 3500; ady; native muttons, 3.55@5.50; lambs, 50@ 8.00.

iron, steel and tin workers. Will Wait on Taft.

In view of the great wrongs perpetrated by the United States Steel corporation not only against the workers but the whole only against the workers but the whole public generally, we recommend that a committee be appointed by this conference to wait upon the President of the United States, the president of the United States, the president of the United States Senate and the speaker of the House of Representatives, and such members of either house of Congress as may be deemed advisable, for the purpose of laying before them the grievances from which labor suffers at the hands of this corporation; and that the committee herein provided demand a thorough investigation as to the legality of the actions and the existence under the law of the United States Steel corporation.

Call Upon Governors. We therefore recommend that committees be appointed by this conference to wait upon the governors of states and such other official representatives of counties and multiplicatives. official representatives of counties and mannelipalities as are in control where the United States Steel corporation has plants located, for the purpose of presenting to these officials the great wrongs inflicted upon the people of these communities, and that the committees demand an investigation of the complaints made and, where charges are substantiated by evidence, the officers responsible therefor be removed and the wrongs righted. Respectfully,

JAMES O'CONNELL,
T. L. LEWIS,
W. D. MAHON,
GEORGE W. PERKINS,
J. W. HAYS,
FRANK M. RYAN,
T. HEALY,
SAMUEL GOMPERS,
P. J. M'ARDLE,
CHARLES F. LAWYER,
Committee

TRY TO KIDNAP CHILD.

Los Angeles Police Looking for Three Fashionably Dressed Women in Mysterious Case.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 15 .- The police of the city are convinced that an attempt was made Tuesday to kidnap S-year-old Helen Wallscheid, adopted daughter of a shoemaker who came here from Chicago two years ago. Efforts are being made to locate three fashionably dressed women who drove to the Twentieth street school in an automobile and demanded the child be allowed to go with them.
Principal Yodler refused and tele-

phoned to Wallscheid who arrived at the school just as the women drove away. Wallscheid says that the child is the daughter of Mrs. William Herron, wife of a Chicago broker, and that its father is a titled German who has recently died and left a large estate.

When he adopted the child seven years ago, the mother was known as Gertrude Holbrooks. She consented to the adop-tion of the child by him but since then. he asserts, she has made attempts to

tion of the child by him but since then, he asserts, she has made attempts to regain possession, and he believes that one of the women who came to the school was Mrs. Herron.

Ireland's Opportunity Is at Hand.

John Redmond, leaders of the Irish Nationalists in the English Parliament, recently sent the following cablegram to T. P. O'Connor, who is in the United States in the interest of the Irish cause: "The die is cast. The greatest constitutional struggle in England for upward of 200 years has commenced. No such opportunity has been offered Ireland to strike for liberty since Gratton moved for the declaration of independence. Accept my heartiest congratulations on the splendid success of your mission so far. and convey to our countrymen and friends in America our deepest gratitude

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friends in America our deepest gratitude | at 6.10.

for their abounding sympathy and at If the Irish Nationalists abroad and home act unitedly in this supreme he a glorious victory is assured." M O'Connor says that he has been able o'Connor says that he has been able send Mr. Redmond \$20,000 in cash a that \$20,000 to \$30,000 more had be pledged. "The House of Lords has igned its death warrant, so far as present power and the present constitution is concerned," he declares. "I a firmly convinced that after the next eletion the House of Lords will no long have the power to do more than postnot.

SAYS INVESTIGATOR. have the power to do more than postpo. home rule for a few months, or perha a year or two.'

EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS. MILWAUKEE-BUTTER-Extras, high

MILWAUKEE STOCKYARDS REPT.

-HOGS .-

to good, 3.40@3.65; common light, 3.06.25 feeders, 3.75@4.50; stockers, 3.00@3.71

Milkers and springers lower, commodd for canners; good, 30.00@40.00; choic0.00 @55.00.

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lings, good to choice, 5.50\(\alpha \)5.50; comm to fair, 4.50\(\alpha \)5.25; ewes, good to choice50\(\alpha \)7.00\(\alpha \)8.00; common to fair, 5.50\(\alpha \)6.75ear-

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CUDAHY, Wis., Dec. 15.—Receipt2000
hogs. Market 10c lower. Mixed ping,
8.15@8.35; poor to good heavy packits.25
@8.45; medium and butchers, 8.33.45;
se ect packing and shipping, 8.38.55;
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KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 15.—Cat—Receipts, 9000; steady to 10c lower; ative steers, 4.75@7.50; native cows and fers, 2.50@6.50; stockers and feeders, 3.25.25; western steers, 3.75@6.00; westerrows, 2.75@4.75. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; irket 5@10c lower; bulk of saies, 8.68.35. Sheep—Receipts, 6000; steady; ntons, 4.25@5.75; lambs, 6.00@7.80.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 15.—Cattle—Rapts, 5000; market slow; weak; native stet 3.75@7.70; cows and heifers, 3.00@5.25; item steers, 3.25@6.20; stockers and feede 2.75.

@5.15. Hogs—Receipts, 8800; market slow; weak; native stet 3.75.

(65.15) Hogs-Receipts, 8800; market@10c lower; bulk, 8.65/48.10. Sheep-Repts, 5200; market strong to 10c higher; eep, 5.25/46.85; lambs, 6.50/27.55.

MILWAUKEE HAY MARKET

Choice timothy, 17.00a17.50; No. 1, 50@ 16.00; No. 2, 14.00a14.50; clover and mixed, 11.50a13.00; choice Kansas, 50@ 13.00; No. 1 Kansas, 11.50a12.00; Insas marsh, 7.00a7.50; pack, 5.50a6.00 rye straw, 9.00a9.50; oat straw, 6.00a6.50

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Flour quotations in carlots are: New hard spring wheat patents, in wood, 45@ 5.65; straights, in wood, 4.70@4.80; eort, patents, in sacks, 4.00@4.20; first cle, in sacks, 4.70@4.80; rye, in wood, 3.951.05; country, 3.30@3.45; sacks, Kansas, in ood, 5.20

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 15.-Close-Wat-

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 15.—Close—Wat—Easier; No. 1 northern, on track, 146-1.15; No. 2 northern, on track, 1.13.14. Corn—Steady; No. 3 on track, 65½c.Oats—Easier; standard, 44½c/44½c; No. 3 hite, on track, 43½c/44c. Barley—Dull; stalard, 70½c. Rye—Higher; No. 1 on track, c. CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 15.—Decided stugth today displaced the weakness of the heat today displaced the weakness of the heat today displaced the veakness of the heat today displaced the weakness of the heat today displaced the veakness of the heat today.

market yesterday. Ope ling quotions were unchanged to %c higher conared with the previous close. The chare in sentiment was due chiefly to an acance of 340 146 in the price of wheat at iverpool. Commission houses in generawere active bidders and, although offeringwere liberal on the bulge prices were wellbaln-

tained. December opened at 1.13£13½, and May at 1.10%@1.11½. Duringearly trading December held within the ening range, but May sold off to 1.10%@1.1½.

The market became quite weak folwing the publication of the government op report, which was generally considered bear-

port, which was generally considere bear-ish. December sold off to 1.12 and ay to 1.00%. The close was weak with ecem-ber ½ lower at 1.12½. May was don 180

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 15.—Receipts Flour.

JUNGLE" EXISTS IN STOCKYARDS

GIVES PERSONAL EXPERIENCES.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS Upton Sinclair's Successor Reveals Shocking Conditions Existing Where Gov-MILWAUKEE, Dec. 15. ernment Made Investigation.

FEMININE WORKERS DESPERATE.

Elgin price of extra creamery is 34c; lo price, extra creamery, 34c; prints, 3 tirsts, 31½@32c; seconds, 27@29c; process, @27c; dairy fancy, 29c; lines, 25@27c; psing stock, 22@23c. @27c; dairy fancy, 29c; lines, 25@27c; psing stock, 22@23c.

CHEESC-Steady; American full createw make, twins, 15@15½c; Young American full createw make, twins, 15@15½c; Young American, 15½@16c; daisies, 15½@16c; longho 15½@1tic; limburger, new make, 14½@16c; ported Swiss, 27c; block, new, 16½@16c; ported Swiss, 27c; block, new, 16½@1cound daisys, 18c.

EGGS-Firm, the produce board's ficial market for strictly fresh laid as ceived, cases returned, 30@31c; recanfancy extras, 33@34c; storage, April, 27c; fresh seconds and dirties, 16@18c.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Butter-Firm, changed; receipts, 3384. Cheese-Firm, GREENWICH, Conn., Dec. 15 .- That he forcing of women workers into immoral relations with foremen and superintendents is the rule rather than the exception, was in effect what Mrs. Katherine Blood, state superintendent of women industry for the Connecticut State Suffragette association, told an audience of society women, gathered at "The Maples" here Tuesday under the NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Butter—Firm, changed; receipts, 3384. Cheese—Firm, changed; receipts, 1370. Eggs—Firm; ceipts, 6282; refrigerators, 20@24½c, SHEBOYGAN, Wis., Dec. 14.—Ty-seven factories offered 1966 boxes chr. which sold as follows: 164 squares, 1: 135 twins, 15¾c; 727 daisies, 16¾c; 44 horns, 15¾c; 116 at 16c; 45 passed; 3 Americas, 15%c. auspices of the Greenwich Equal Franchise league. A great factor in the amelioration of this state of things would be the right of suffrage for women, Mrs.

Blood said. Blood said.

Mrs. Blood had been sent by Upton Sinclair to take his place during the government investigation which followed the publication of "The Jungle," and recently she had been sent by a New York newspaper to investigate conditions in the stock yards. During both investiga-tions (the report of the latter investigation not having been published yet) she found the extent to which immorality was forced upon women by their superi-

ors most alarming.

When she applied for work at one of the Chicago beef establishments, the man who was doing the hiring told her, she said, that he could not tell until the

she said, that he could not tell until the next day whether or not she was taken on, and then proposed that she meet him in the evening. This she did. He then proposed that they go out for a good time. She put him off with excuses, she says, and got away from him.

That succumbing to immoral relations was frequently a condition both of obtaining work and of keeping it, Mrs. Blood made quite plain. Later she obtained work in a factory where she was working ten hours a day, standing on her feet at a wage of 85 cents a day. The women, she said, were worked to a condition of mind and body where they did not care what happened to them.

ROBBERS SEVER WIRES

No. Ave Price. No. Avelce:
1. 630 \$2.40 1 bull. 1.54075
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CALVES—Steady; choice. 8.00@9.5fair to good, 7.00@7.50; light, 5.50@6.50; ownuts. 4.50@5.00.
SHEEP—Steady; tamps, good, to ice. After Cutting of Communication by Telephone or Telegraph, Bandits Blow Bank and Escape.

> ARIMORE, Okla., Dec. 15 .- After utting all telegraph and telephone wires entering the town of Paoli, Okla., robbers early today dynamited the state bank of Paoli, securing \$3800 in cash, and escaped. A posse started in pur-

BISHOP DODGES BOMB.

On Anniversary of Revolt of the Seminarists Missile Is Thrown at

Braganza Prelate. LISBON, Dec. 15 .- Today, the anniversary of the revolt of the seminarists, was marked by the throwing of a bomb at the bishop of Braganza. The bishop was not injured. No particular political significance is attached to the

STOVAINE FAILS TO DEADEN. Anesthetic Abandoned During Operation and Ether Is Used

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 15 .- Dr. Thomas Jonnesco Tuesday gave a suc-cessful demonstration in two cases at a clinic in the University hospital of his method of administering a mixture of stovaine and strychnine to produce insensibility to pain in a patient undergoing major operations.

In a third case, an operation to remove tumor from the breast of a woman, the demonstration was generally considered by the physicians present to be of but doubtful value. In this case a severe test was imposed upon the Rou-manian's new anaesthetic.

It was the only case in the three in which the operation lay in the upper region of the body and in which an injec-tion of the pain deadener had to be made at a point high in the spinal column. Much to the disappointment of the spec-tators, it was found necessary an hour after the operation had started to abandon the stovaine-strychnine analgestic and fall back on ether. The operation then was continued to a successful con-

MAY BAG DINOSAURUS. Roosevelt Has Chance at Mammoth Seen in Rhodesia.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—A dispatch from Capetown says Col. Roosevelt may have a chance to bag a specimen of the supposedly extinct dinosaurus before he leaves Africa. It is reported that one of these monsters actually inhabits of these monsters actually inhabits a lake in the interior of Rhodesia. The mammoth has been seen by natives who confirm the description of it as appearing in a recent book by Hagenbeck, the great German animal collector. Pub-lished descriptions of the dinosaurus say that it has head and tail like a crocodile, horus like a rhinoeros, neck like a python and the body of a hippopotamus.

PRAIRIE LEAVES FOR COLON.

Vessel Is Laden with Field Pieces and 500,000 Rounds of Ammunition. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 15.

Laden with rapid firing field pieces, 500, 000 rounds of ammunition, and clothing and provisions enough to last the men two months, the auxiliary cruiser Prairie today prepared to make a second attempt to correct two later in and attempt to convey two battalions of marines to Colon, Panama. The vessel is expected to weigh anchor about 3:30 this afternoon.

Millions for Foreign Missions.

The bequests of the New York millionaire, John Stuart Kennedy, to the Presbyterian board of foreign missions will amount to \$5,000,000 instead of \$1,000,-000. This announcement was made at the Laymen's Missionary convention in Harrisburg, Pa., by Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York.

-The railway station of Bragulia, Servia. is so infested with snakes that spe-cial precautions are taken when trains stop there to prevent the reptiles from entering the compartments.

LITTLE AINE OLIVER.

CHAPTER III.-Continued. "Don't be an ass, Germayne!" resped his companion shortly. Not for we would he have revealed his sudden ognition of Miss Brown-Holland's itity. Her poor little secret shoule safe with him at any rate. "The gis. nothing more than any other girl asr

as I'm concerned. You know that,t. she seems quiet and respectable enouyou said yourself you thought sheis a lady—and I don't see why she is be victimized and made sport of by at beast Evans just because she is in inferior position to himself and, she evidently thinks, fair 'game for hin-

He turned away to end the discun. It was so plainly Anne's wish to ccal her identity that he felt it woulde cruel to claim acquaintance with 'in the present circumstances, at anyte.

He had intended to make some rerk that showed the girl she was recored when he fetched her her coffee, buthe sudden waxen pallor of the unuxed part of the face when he drew ear made him fear she was about to int, and in kindness to her he drew be at

"Upon my word, she's a pluckyttle the children to shore ir the dinghy with creature, though. Hadn't money augh me. to give the children a holiday, I suose, and hit upon this way of makingore. tions, as he smoked a big cigarreditatively on deck before the rest the party emerged from the deckhou "I and come now. You must indeed!" wonder how it pays? They all lo un-commonly fit, I must say. We this job will stand them in a fiver, any rate. All the same, though, if eddy and his pals begin to get uproams it won't do for the girl and those jungsters to stay on board late. I shehave to wait and see the thing out, sup-

Having arrived at that comsion Roger dismissed his own yacht's nghy, which was waiting for him, withrders to return to the Firefly again two

CHAPTER IV.

"I think we really ought to sa'Good night' now, Lord Germayne. It; getting so late for the children," sa Anne timidly. She was endeavoring valy to attract the attention of her ho, who was just now absorbed in keepin score of an exciting march of "Bob terry," hands tied tightly behind theirbacks, mouths the fruit depending in unches from a long line stretched acrs the

pany had taken it on themselve to supants had borrowed Gerry's Injo and saloon. thumped out a cake-walk, in ie chorus and steps of which most of he party a farmyard.

August afternoon had give place to a would-be jaunty air. star-spangled, violet twiligh The yachts "What was that te and boats lying in the harbe showed red and green lights at their mst heads.

On shore the long row oflamps along the esplanade gleamed like glow worms, ending in a sudden jeweled hain of colored globes marking the ouline of the Sandbeach pier. Within the deck-house usually at 8 o'clock.

There were shouts of merrinent on the deck, where some absurd gaze had been

"Time's up, ladies and gentlemen!

Madge Ashwell came up aughing, her lips stained with cherry juice, pulled Gerry towards her, and sail-

"Tell your sister you're not ready to go home vet."

Poor Gerry, tired and worn out with excitement, said-

"Let us stay, Anne. We must!" "Here's another young 'in who's ready for supper, I'll bet, aren's you, sonny?" chimed in Dale Evans, suddenly seizing Phil by his slight shoulders and swaying the boy violently backwards and for-

wards.

"How did you like the farmyard show, eh, my lad? Never thought your fiddle could make such queer noises as that be-

fore, did you?"
"I should be sorry to put it to such a use, sir. I could do better on the comb." replied Phil bluntly, wresting himself free from his tormentor's grasp, and catching up the comb and paper with which Madge Ashwell had been performquisite burst of whistling in imitation and Gerry, catching the last words,

of a blackbird's note. A round of applause followed this impromptu performance. To most of those you like the wolf in Red Riding Hood?" present it was far more acceptable than she added pertly. "Only Nan hasn't any gavottes and dance-music so admirably cakes in a basket." rendered by the child a while ago. Dale Evans pressed close to Anne, seizing the

| berg, of the Frivolity, about him when I get back to town-great pal of mine. Take any one on my recommendation," he whispered, with a leer that sent a wave of color into the girl's pale face.

"Come in to supper everybody!" in-terposed Germaine boisterously. He motioned the women to pass in front of him into the deck-house, but Anne shrank back.

She had an intuitive feeling that she ought to press her point and go, yet hardly knew how to assert herself. Dale Evans' determined advances annoyed and frightened her, and even her unsophisticated eyes told her that both her host and most of his friends were all in a more or less elevated condition.

A pang of regret that she had not been bold enough to claim Sir Roger Gresham's acquaintance when he came board, and thus secure herself a friend in case of need, shot through her mind. She had been so exultant at first to find herself, as she supposed, unrecognized, yet now she would have given worlds to speak to him.

To her surprise and relief, however, he proceeded to save her the trouble. 'Î must go ashore now myself, Germayne," he said decidedly. "My boat is here alongside, and I've an appointment once, and allowed Mr. Dale Evar of I must keep to meet a man at the club ficiously hovering in the backgrou to at 10. It's past 9 o'clock now. If Miss minister to her wants.

Brown-Holland likes I can take her and

"Oh, thank you-thank you so very much!" exclaimed poor Anne gratefully I remember I told her to take th to before Lord Germayne could put in a the sea by hook or by crook, anshe's word. "It is so late already, and my done it!" Such were Sir Roger's flec- little sister is not strong. Gerry darling, you must say 'Good night' to Lord Germayne, and thank him for his kindness,

"Well, I do call that a swindle; Roger, you always were a spoil-sport!" exclaimed the host with tipsy gravity. "Why can't you leave the little girl alone, eh? But of course if Miss Brown-Holland insists-

A chorus of laughter, male and female, at his evident embarrassment of speech drowned the end of the sentence. . Under cover of it Anne turned quickly to Roger. "We're quite ready. Can we go now?"

she asked with evident anxiety.
"All right! Come along!" he answered, moving towards the gangway, but unluckily Phil here created a diver-

"Oh, Nan! Your new gloves! You left them down below in the saloon."

"Yes, I remember," said Anne, after a pause-"when I tried the other piano. Wait, I know where they are!" She dived down the steps leading below before Gresham could stop her. To leave a pair in which the ladies of the part their of one-and-elevenpenny white gloves, new on that afternoon, behind her was no were wildly jumping to catch their part of poor little Anne's notions of

by Mr. Richard Dale Evans and friend, who each held an end of the strg.

The fun on board the yachtvas, as usual, waxing fast and furious, he com-With suspicious alacrity Mr. Dale turned away. A recollection of what plement the second portion of the Germayne had said about a bet on mak-Brown-Holland entertainment thereby ing Anne remove her mask flashed across somewhat altering the charact of the his mind, and he at once resolved to show. One of the young nav lieuten- follow the girl and her tormentor to the

The lights in the large saloon had not been turned up, and only a dim obscurvigorously joined. Mr. De Evans ity reigned there. As Gresham entered claimed Anne's services as arompanist he heard a scuffle at the further end of to a coster song; this perforance was the room; a smothered cry followed, then followed by a duet on a com and a tin the sound of something upset, and a tray from Madge Ashwell at Kit Tre- masculine exclamation. He switched on velyan, while a young nava man from the light instantly, flooding the place the Thetis caught up Phil cherished with a brilliant glare. It revealed Anne fiddle, and proceeded to drw from it vainly attempting to free herself from the most hideous sounds, upposed to Dale Evans' encircling arm; a vase of represent the crowing of cass, clucking flowers which had been overturned in the of hens, and other noises neidental to struggle lay on the carpet at her feet.

With a clumsy laugh Evans released Overhead, the golden sulight of the the girl and approached Roger with a

"What was that term our friend Germayne tried to fasten on you just now Gresham? Spoil-sport, eh? It strikes me it's rather applicable d'you know?" he remarked insolently, strolling out of the saloon with his hands in his pockets. Roger, with immense difficulty, re-

strained his inclination to kick the man of the Firefly a brilliant illumination of there and then; he knew how detrimental electric light showed preparaions for an to little Anne it would be to involve her elaborate cold collation, ordeed by Ger- name in any sort of quarrel. Meanmayne in place of the diner served while she flew up to him, regardless now whether he recognized her or not-her mask pushed aside her face white.

"Oh, how could he? It was too bad!" in progress, and then Lord Germayne she cried passionately. "Of course you know me now, and I did so hope no one would ever find out. I only did it be-Oh, nonsense, Miss Brown-Hilland! You cause I wanted to make money for the can't go yet, never heard f such a children, and there was no other way, thing-we're just going to have some and now-now-" She broke off, her voice perilously full of tears. Roger, at His lordship seemed to consider the his wits' end what to do, gently drew question settled, and Anne paused ir- the girl's little black mask into position resolutely, hardly knowing low to insist again, and patted her on the shoulder as

he might a child. "Now you pull yourself together at once, Miss Oliver," he said firmly. "Don't think any more of that-that brute. He shall suffer for his insolence later on, but the best plan is for you to keep quiet now. Don't stop to explain. understand it all very clearly, and

think you're a-a brick! He hurried her up on deck where, amidst a tumult of noisy leave-takings, the two children, laden with sweets and fruit lavished on them by the assembled

company, awaited her. Five minuets later saw them all safely landed on the harbor steps. Under the flickering lamplight on the quay little

Anne looked up at her companion with pleading eyes. "I can't thank you enough, and-and

you'll keep my secret, won't you?" she said earnestly.

"Rather!" He glanced down at the delicate, wistful face with a strange mixture of pity and sudden longing stirring ing. From these promptly issued a in his breast. "I won't keep you now, faithful copy of the cries of sundry fa- but I want to hear all about it. You'll miliar birds and beasts, including the let me call and see you and the children, yelping and Mauling of cats and dogs. Won't you tell me where you live?" he The entertainment ended with an exasked in a kindly tone. She hesitated,

> cried-"We live with Granny Burns. Aren't

"Hasn't she? Well I'll be a good, kind

tle Anne as she hurried the children

The days following the concert on board the Firefly fled away rapidly.

Considerably to the relief of little

Anne, Lord Germayne's yacht left Sandbeach for the west early on the morning after the party, so that she had no fur-

ther encounter with any of the guests.

A note, delivered by hand from the racht club during the day, contained a heck from Germayne for ten pounds nstead of the promised five. The communication was characteristic

of the writer. It was -"Dear Miss Hallond: You and the kids were ripping yesterday, though I am afraid we all played the fool a bit at

the last. Truly yours, GERMAYNE."
"Oh, he is kind! Fancy, ten pounds!
Why, it's a fortune! I don't think we ought to take so much, only I don't know how to send it back:" exclaimed Anne, her pale cheeks flushing.

Sir Roger, sitting opposite her in the green little parlor at Fuchsia cottage, where he had made his appearance early in the afternoon, decided that in his own mind that ten pounds was well spent to produce such radiant happiness in the recipients, and felt distinctly jealous of

Germayne's privilege in presenting it.
"I came to ask if you and the children would come for a bit of a sail to Smugglers' cove this afternoon?" he said. "There's a fair wind, and we could get there and back in a couple of hours and have tea on board. Don't look as if you were going to say no," he added, seeing that the girl hesitated.

"I'm not sure. Yes, I suppose we might," she began in rather a doubtful tone. "Only, we're only workers, you see, Sir Roger. We have our living to get. We can't really afford to idle like rich people. I'm only Lady Chilcote's governess, and Phil, poor child, will have to be an errand boy when we get home, and Gerry will go to school when she's strong enough. We're not like you and your friends a bit. It doesn't seem worth in Managua were confirmed by a tele while to be equal for a little while, does gram received today at the state depart it? It makes it so hard to go back again," said Anne, who was growing this dispatch it appears that said the demonstrants were arrested by govrather desperate.

"I don't know who wants to go back; I'm sure I don't. You're a great deal nicer than any one I ever saw before; and as to earning your living, I admire you for it-every one isn't born to be rich and idle," exclaimed Roger, turning extremely red with the earnestness of his feelings.

Just at the moment Phil and Gerry came tumbling into the room from the beach. They accepted the invitation on board the yacht with acclamations, amidst which their elder eister's feeble ocests were drown . There was nothing left for little Anne but to fetch her sailor hat and trot off to the harbor with the rest of the party.

The sail to Smugglers' cove was the beginning of many such little expeditions during the days that followed, but Anne was resolute in not foregoing their usual morning and evening entertainment on the sea front. No persuasions on Sir Roger's part would induce her to break through her original plan, but Gresham's evident delight in their enjoy-ment made the habit once established, almost impossible to break through.

During those sunny afternoons, while the children, under the charge of the mate or one other of the crew, fished over the side of the yacht for whatever they could catch with the new rods Roger had bought for them, and Anne and her Plaintiff Indicted in Suit Against Platt host sat under the red-and-white awning on the deck, chattering or silent as their mood prompted them, the gay prosperous young man of the world learnt for the first time in his thirty years of life what the companionship of an unspoilt, refined, pure-minded woman could really mean.

His experience of the sex had hitherto only child with no near family connections, and losing both father and mother Platt. before he left Eton, Roger had been launched into society when a mere boy of 20, heir to an old baronetcy with an ample fortune, a fine old place in Sussex

and a London house, and a host of aristocratic acquaintances. Unlike most of his compeers, the feminine adulation he received had not the effect of increasing his self-esteem. On the contrary, he was pursued by a haunting dread that he was made much of, not for himself, but for the worldly advantages he was able to bestow, and this fact, coupled with a nature not especially susceptible to women, caused him to hold so far aloof from them that by the time he was 30 most London mothers came to regard him as too shy a bird to waste time upon, and therefore left him

TO BE CONTINUED.

His Threat to a Conductor.

Some time ago a man at Ypsilanti, Mich., became crazed on the subject of hypnotism and was sent on a Michigan Central train to an asylum. When the conductor asked for tickets the crazy man began telling of his hypnotic

powers. "I'll hypnotize you," he said. "Fire away," replied the conductor. The man made several passes before the conductor's face.

"Now you are hypnotized," he said. The conductor looked the part as best he could.
"You're a conductor," the hypnotist "That's right," replied his victim.

"You're a good conductor," went on the hypnotist. "Right again," said the conductor. "You don't smoke, drink or swear at passengers. You are honest. You turn in

all tickets and money you collect from passengers. In fact, you do not steal a "That's right," asserted the con-

The hypnotist eyed him a moment, then

A Change of Costume.

A little girl, aged 3, had been left in the nursery by herself, and her brother arrived to find the door closed. The following conversation took place:

"I wants to tum in, Cissie."
"But you tan't tum in, Tom."
"But I wants to." "Well, I'se in my nightie gown, an' nurse says little boys mustn't see little

girls in their nightie gowns."

After an astonished and reflective si-

KNOX REQUESTS SENATE TO WAIT

WANTS INVESTIGATION OF NICA-RAGUAN AFFAIRS POSTPONED FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

MORE DISORDER IN MANAGUA

Free Fight Among Government and Anti-Government Elements in Capital.

TWENTY ARRESTS ARE MADE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15 .- Sec retary of State Knox has requested the Senate committee on foreign relations to postpone the suggested investigation of the Nicaraguan situation until such time as things shall have eventuated so as to enable him to give to the committee a clear understanding of Central American

The committee was called together today by Chairman Cullom with the idea of having Secretary Knox make some statement, which would acquaint the members with the exact situation in Nicaragua. The secretary asked for a post ponement of the meeting for a week or more and the committee acquiesced.

Because of the request by Secretary Knox the resolution introduced by Sen-ator Rayner in connection with the ex-ecution by order of President Zelaya of the two Americans, Cannon and Groce was not taken up.

Rebels Are Arrested. Tuesday dispatches containing an acount of the anti-Zelayan demonstration ment from Vice Consul Caldera. Fron this dispatch it appears that some of

ernment authorities. The telegram says that Zelaya has published a statement promising to re-sign the presidency of Nicaragua in favor of Madriz, who, as Zelaya's candidate, is not ethhcoice of the people there.

Mr. Caldera in speaking of the demonstration the night before says that large crowds surrounded the American lega-tion cheering the government and peo-ple of the United States.

Discredit Battle Rumor.

In the absence of specific information, the state department officials discredit reports of important engagements between the government and revolutionary forces at Rama resulting in defeat of the revolutionary army. Should Zelaya carry out his purpose of resigning and installing Madriz in his place as President, there is reason to believe that the Estrada faction would continue activities with even greater vigor than against Zelaya. It is known that Madriz's selec-tion would not be satisfactory to the government of the United States.

Disorder in Managua. CORINTO, Nicaragua, Dec. 15 .- There made a speech denouncing Madriz and favoring the revolution. The speech was greeted with cheers and hooting. A free fight among the government and anti-government elements followed. Two pis-tol shots were fired. The row extended to the street. Twenty arrests were made.

MISS WOOD IN TOMBS

on Forgery Charge Surrenders Herself for Trial.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Mae C. Wood appeared unexpectedly in the court of general sessions today and announced that she was ready to stand trial under the indictment charging her with forgery been the reverse of fortunate, for, an and prejudice in her breach of promise suit against former Senator Thomas C. She was placed under arrest on the motion of the surety company which furnished her \$5000 but which today announced that it desired to surrender her. Although the court reduced her bail to \$1000, Miss Wood was unable to secure a new bond and was sent to the

Miss Wood arrived here Tuesday night from Julesburg, Colo. Her case has been postponed from time to time on account of the illness of Senator Platt.

TAFT IN WASHINGTON President Arrives in Capital from New

Haven, Where Train Is Held for Him. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15 .-

President Taft, returning from a twodays' visit to New York and New Haven, Conn., arrived in Washington at 10:50 a. m., today.

The train was more than an hour behind schedule. The train was held ten minutes at New Haven last night to await the President, who was late in reaching the station from the banquet of the New Haven Chamber of Commerce. There was a further delay outside of New Haven caused by the breakage of a had been attached.

The President went direct from the Union station to the white house.

HEAVY MAIL ARRIVES.

Largest Consignment That Ever Crossed Atlantic Reaches New York on the Oceanic

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- The largest Christmas mail ever brought to America by a transatlantic steamer-in fact the largest mail that ever crossed the Atlantic-arrived here today in the White Star said:
"What an awful fix you'd be in if I in 5156 sacks, and when the New 10rk left you in this condition!"—Kansas City postoffice employes saw it they realized that the annual holiday rush had begun.

> Believed to Be Petrosino's Murderer. Ignazio Lupo, known as "The Wolf,"

for years suspected of being the leader "Black Hand" and counterfeiting band was recently arrested in New York city. The police declare that he is in all probability the slayer of Detective Joseph Petrosino, who was shot to death in Palermo nine months ago. Lupe was apprehended on a chorge of extorting \$7000 from Salvatore Manzela, but it is Evans pressed close to Anne, seizing the opportunity to lay his hand on her arm.

"Make his fortune at a music hall, the boy would. Eh? Speak to Von Aren
"It's Fuchsia cottage, then—just beyond the quay. Good night!" replied lit
"You tan tum in now, Tom; I tooked it off!"—Greensburg Argus.

After an astonished and reflective silence on Tom's side of the door the miniature Eve announced, triumphantly:

"You tan tum in now, Tom; I tooked it off!"—Greensburg Argus.

"Hash t she! Well I'l be a good, kind to good point the case is disposed to the door the miniature Eve announced, triumphantly:

"You tan tum in now, Tom; I tooked it off!"—Greensburg Argus. elieved that before the case is disposed

Groceries, Flour and Feed.

White Daisy and Best on Record Flours.

NIC. MARX

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

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FOND DU LAC, Wis., Dec. 11 .-Louis Kastorff, a former resident of this city and a brother of Fred Kastorff, woman jockey of this city. They eloped manager of the band, narrowly escaped to Menominee, Mich., because of objecmanager of the band, narrowly escaped

PASTORS CHANGE PULPITS. Rev. I. L. Greurer of Manitowoc has accepted the pastorate of the Friedens

new pastor will take charge in January.

A badly battered freight car in which a dynamite explosion occurred this week at Hamilton has been brought to the Soo shops here for repairs. It appears that a piece of dynamite was placed in the car for the purpose of thawing it out. The car was filled with lime and in some unknown manner the action of the lime caused the dynamite to explode. The top of the car was blown off by the

DIRT WAS BURNING. What appeared to be a peculiar freak

MORE SOCIETY ELECTIONS.

The Spanish War Veterans have elect-

B. A. Berghandler. Masonic lodge No. 140 has elected officers as follows: W. M., J. B. Bartlett: S. W., C. J. Breitzman; J. W., W. F. Taylor; trustee, W. De Steese; treas-urer, Dr. L. A. Bishop; secretary, W. D.

The new officers of the Eastern Star follow: Matron. Mrs. A. J. McCreery; patron, P. A. Friess; associate matron, Mrs. J. Thomsen; secretary, Miss Lou Gibson; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Morse; conductress, Mrs. Emma Beyer; asso-

last January should not be set aside The case will be held Wednesday, December 22. According to the papers filed today, Schaub is alleged to have obtained his divorce through fraud and misrepre-sentation of facts. The attorney who appeared for Schaub at the time of the action announced that if it is found that the allegations were true, he will withdraw from the case. Shortly after the divorce was granted Schaub was married to Miss Matthews, a young

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

Edward Revor, a prominent young man of this city, has been arrested on the charge of stealing a gold watch and fob from Miss Maud Goodyear.

OCCUPY NEW CHURCH.

For the first time since September 25, 1908, the Congregationalists occupied a church of their own on Sunday. The social and Sunday school departments of the new edifice, which replaced the one destroyed by fire a year ago, were opened Sunday. Special services were held in honor of the occasion. At the Sunday school meeting addresses were delivered by W. W. Collins, D. D. Sutherland and Rev. L. H. Keller.

ICE IS DANGEROUS.

Although the lake is frozen several miles out from shore, Jarve Jewson, harbor master, says that the ice is too thin to permit iceboating or skating and warns everyone to keep off the lake for a week or two. The harbor master has also requested the ice companies and other persons cutting ice this season to place fences, not less than four feet high, around all openings in the city. He also says that signs should be placed some distance from the fences calling atten-

SHERIFF NOTIFIES PARENTS.

tion to the openings in the ice.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Dec. 14.-Sheriff W. J. Seeve has sent out 208 notices to county residents requesting them to send their children to school. All notices are in registered letters, so that parents cannot deny the receipt of them. The sheriff says that in most cases the mere request will be sufficient.

STORM DELAYS TRAFFIC.

Blockaded roads throughout the country and delayed traffic on railroad lines are the results of the snow storm that held the city and vicinity in its grasp for hours Saturday night and Sunday. Trains on all the roads were from fifteen minutes to one or two hours late and many freight trains were even later. The street car company had to press its large electric sweeper into service in order to keep the tracks clear and as a result the city schedule was not hampered to any extent.

THE DIVORCE MAY BE VOID.
FOND DU LAC., Wis., Dec. 13.—
[Special.]—Frank Schaub, a former member of the league baseball team here, has been cited to appear in county court on an order to show cause why the divorce he had obtained from his first wife

APPLETON—The special committee acting for the city and officials of the North-Western road have come to an agreement in the matter of building two subways under the company's tracks and this agreement probably means that John I. Beggs will next spring order the commencement of the work of extending the local car line so as to take in the fair ground and the northern limits of the city, making an extension of nearly two miles of car lines.

MRS. K. ENDLICH. Carpet Weaver. KEWASKUM, WIS. Two Rivers, Wis.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE. tions on the part of the girl's parents. death in a fire that destroyed his lodg-ing house in San Francisco. Kastorff escaped in his night clothes but his roommate was burned to death.

kirche of this city to succeed Rev. H. A Gammert, who goes to Milwankee.

DYNAMITE EXPLODES.

force of the blast.

of nature startled Marr street residents this week when they discovered a large pile of dirt burning. The blaze from the pile shot up for nearly a foot at intervals and for a time the cause of the phenomenon could not be ascertained. It was finally discovered, however, that brake beam on the forward sleeper of the train to which the President's car main had penetrated the dirt and been

ignited by the flame of a lantern.

ed the following officers: Commander, H. B. Scherzinger; senior vice commander, C. H. Graham; junior vice commander, S. H. Longdin; officer of the day, A. Janke: officer of the guard, W. Hallwanz; chaplain, C. Jaeger; trustee, W. J. Seeve: installing officer, S. D. Boreham; adjutant, P. Corbeille; quarter master,

ciate conductress, Mrs. E. E. Smith.

CAMPBELLSPORT.

Rev. July was a Barton visitor Friday.

How did you like the weather Sunday?

M. Lochem of West Bend spent L. Trinwith of West Bend called

here Tuesday.

Lloyd Goss of Milwaukee spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. T. Curran Sr. was at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Joe Honeck of Kewaskum was a caller here Sunday. I. Klotz Jr. called on friends a:

Eden Sunday evening. Lloyd Romaine returned to Fond

du Lac Sunday evening. Geo. Mc Evoy spent Saturday and

Sunday at Fond du Lac.

Alfred Howard and wife spent Tuesday at Fond du Lac. Chas, Litscher spent Sunday with

his family at West Bend. Ernst Rusch and children spent Saturday at Fond du Lac.

R. A. Fuller of Green Bay was here on business Monday.

James Gilboy spent Monday and Tuesday at Parnell on business.

Fred Jung of Theresa transacted business in the village Tuesday.

Mrs. Jos. Schlosser of Kewaskum was a village caller last Friday. T. Dieringer returned home last

Saturday from a trip to Texas. Nic. Gautner of Eden renewed acquaintances here over Sunday.

Dr. C. Senn of Adell was the guest of his brother Ed. Sunday. O. Schmalz of Theresa was in the village for a few days this week.

Miss Mary Roeseler is now employed at Knickel & Straub's store. day. Miss Alice Borkardt was the guest of Elmore relatives over

Sunday. Miss Lillian Ward was the guest of Milwaukee friends Saturday and

Bernard Schleif of Milwaukee was the guest of his parents here Sunday.

Miss Florence Smith and friend of Fond du Lac visited here last

E. F. Roethke and family returned home Sunday from a visit at er at Barton and West Bend last entertained the euchre club last

Miss Mildred Stroud spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Oshkosh.

Mrs. H. Spoerl was at Fond du Lac and Oshkosh the forepart of the week.

Mrs. Wm. Warden returned home ion. Saturday evening from a visit at West Bend.

H. A. Wrucke spent from Wednesday until Friday at Tomahawk on business.

Miss Ofive Rusch spent the week at Fond du Lac with her sister at

the hospital. W. Piehl and Miss Louisa Guntly were Fond du Lac visitors Friday

and Saturday. The new store of Knickel & Straub was opened for business

last Wednesday, The Misses Irene Klotz and Gladys Wenzel were Fond du Lac

visitors Saturday. The U.S. mail carriers on the routes had a hard time of making their trip Monday.

Miss Agnes Johnson returned home Saturday evening from a visit at Milwaukee.

Ray Hendricks returned home Saturday from a visit at Milwaukee and Waukesha,

Clarence Hendricks of Milwaukee called on relatives and friends in the village Tuesday.

Miss Irene Budahn was the guest of her parents at Fond du Laclast Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Katie Becker returned home Monday from a weeks visit with relatives in Milwaukee.

The Woodman card party held last Wednesday evening proved to be a very social affair.

Miss Myrtle Knickel and friend Miss Anna Weigen of Appleton spent over Sunday here.

John Flynn who is attending the Marquette University at Milwau-

kee spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Cobler of Omro were the guests of Mrs, Clara Foote Saturday and Sunday.

Don't forget to attend the Xmas exercises at our high school next Friday afternoon, December 24.

Mrs. E. Rusch returned Tuesday from Fond du Lac, where she had been staving with her daughter.

Miss Kathryn Scheid of North Ashford was the guest of Miss Emma Vetsch Saturday afternoon.

A basket ball team was organized here. The team held their first practice in Boeckler's hall Wed-

The officers of the Campbellsport Mutual Fire Insurance company met at their office Monday

Bert Johnson and wife who were

sited with relatives here Monday and Tuesday. Don't fail to visit Schlaefer Bros. store when selecting your Xmas gifts. Many suitable articles can

be found there. Mrs. Thos. Mullen returned to her home in Fond du Lac Saturday after a visit here with her daughter Mrs. J. S. Succaro.

The Cantatta Jerusalem given by the Baptist church last Saturday evening was well attended in spite of the inclement weather.

The opening of the roller rink | here Tuesday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd. Hoffman's

The remains of Albert Brockhaus who died in a Milwaukee hospital thy, strong, vigorous animal may where he had been operated on, was brought here last Tuesday and tent. taken to New Fane for burial.

WAYNE.

We had a terrible snow storm in our burg Sunday.

Geo. Petri transacted business at Milwaukee last week Friday.

John Gales transacted business at West Bend last week Saturday. Jos. Wahling of St. Kilian transacted business in our burg Satur-

Mr. Beisbier of St. Kilian was a

ness at Kewaskum last week Fri- last week.

some painting on his house this last Wednesday. Wm. Kippenhan put in a light- two weeks with her sister, Mrs.

ing system for Gust. Kuehl last Wm. Matthieu at Elmore.

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Thursday.

sleighing was good. FARMERS.-If you want to buy a nice gas light, call on Wm. Foerter. He also has some on exhibit-

William Martin of Bloomer, Wis is visiting with his parents and brothers and other friends for a Holland turkey toms, inquire of

few weeks. Mrs. Andrew Martin Sr. spent from Wednesday until Friday with her sons, John and family at Kewaskum and George and family at

West Bend. William, Lena and Linda Terlin- Dealer in Furniture, Pianos, Organs den returned home Thursday evening, after visiting a few weeks with their sister, Mrs. Jac. Knoebel at Dasmith, South Dakota.

NOTICE.

We, the undersigned, forbid hunting or tresspassing on our farms and anyone caught doing so will be prosecuted according to the law.—Frank Bruesewitz, Jake AGENT FOR GOLUMBIA PHONOGRAPHS Theusch, Peter Schaeffer, Jacob Stahler, Mrs. David Naumann, Aug. Bruesewitz, John Kludt and Mrs. Geo. Aupperle.

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Tuberculosis In Cattle

Tuberculosis or Consumption in cattle is an infectious and communicable disease known by the formation in the glands and other parts of the body of small bunches called tubercles. It is from married at Chilton last Friday vi- these tubercles that the disease receives its name, Tuberculosis. The germs of tuberculosis enter the body by way of the nostrils in the air breathed, or by way of the mouth or digestive tract in feed. As soon as the germs enter the body they begin to multiply, slowly but surely, until the entire body of the animal becomes affected; such animals spread the disease to cther animals stabled with them and calves or pigs consuming milk from a tuberculous cow are liable to become affected as are human

All germ diseases and especially tuberculosis, are more liable to affect animals that are in a run down Silver orchestra furnished the mu- condition, such as cows afflicted with infectious abortion or retain-Miss Anna Kleinschay of Elmore ed afterbirth, than those that are called on friends in the village in a strong, healthy condition, for Tuesday, while on her way to Ste- the reason that the animal that wart, Wis., where she will visit her lacks vitality acts as a het bed for the germs of diseases to propagate and multiply, while the healward off the disease to some ex-

Tuberculosis being largely a house or stable disease due to artificial life such as being housed or stabled, every possible precaution should be taken to prevent disease. One tuberculosis cow in a close, foul, hot, badly ventilated stable is liable to infect all other cattle in the barn. To prevent and guard against disease, it is necessary to maintain absolute cleanliness.

DUNDEE.

Joe Browne made a business trip business caller in our burg Satur- to Campbellsport Monday morning. Marion Gilboy visited his brother C. C. Schaefer transacted busi- John in Milwaukee several days of

H. Cook and Miss Annie White Gust. Kuehl had painters doing made a business trip to Kewaskum

Miss Anna Corbett spent the past

Geo. Benson and Wm. Mc Donald Gust, Kuehl and Louis Petri were returned to Chicago Friday. They business callers at Theresa this were called here by the death of their grandmother, Mrs. Ross.

John Schmidt was a business call- Mrs. Allie Foley and daughters Friday evening. Mrs. Chas. Jan-Mr. Mill of Milwaukee called on dry and Jacob Schenk took first Geo. Petri Thursday and says that prizes and Miss Annie White and Wm. Hennings received the consolation prizes.

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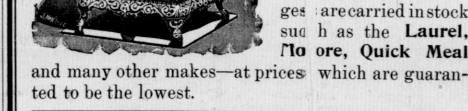
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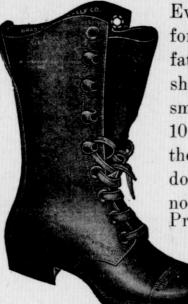
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