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SENT TO REFORM SCHOOL

Jackson Boy Sentenced by Justice Foley for Being Incurable.

Upon complaint of John Klein and Louis Kissinger, members of the school board in Joint Dist. No. 9, Jackson and town of Polk, Allen Waechter, of Jackson, was brought before Justice Foley last Monday charged with interrupting and disturbing the school while in session. Olga Laubenheimer, the teacher, and the complainants, were sworn as witnesses and testified as to the above charges. The boy is nearly seventeen years old and a son of Henry Waechter. It was shown that he is incorrigible and that his parents could not do anything with him. After listening to the testimony Justice Foley ordered that he be committed to the Industrial School for Boys at Waukesha, and he was taken there by Deputy Sheriff John Reik. The father seemed to be satisfied with the court's sentence. Dist. Atty. H. A. Sawyer appeared for the State.—Hartford Times.

To Hold Prize Tournaments.

Hereafter prize tournaments will be played at all sessions of the local Skat club. The first is to be played at the Eagle Hotel Tuesday evening, February 22nd, playing to commence at 8 o'clock sharp. Four cash prizes will be awarded at each session as follows:

- 1st prize for the one who has the most number of good games.
 - 2nd prize for the one who has the greatest number of good points.
 - 3rd prize for a solo won against most matadors.
 - 4th prize for a tourney won against the most matadors.
- Club members will be charged 50 cts entrance fee and non-members \$1. All moneys received will be divided into the aforesaid prizes.

New Mileage Book to be Issued.

March 1 a uniform mileage book will be placed on sale good over all the western railroads. These books will be sold at a flat rate of \$40, with 2000 miles. One coupon will be taken for each mile in Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Oklahoma, Northern Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Wisconsin and parts in South Dakota. Five coupons for four miles will be taken in Missouri, Wyoming, Texas, Montana and South Dakota, west of the Missouri river, or at the rate of two and a half cents a mile. In New Mexico three coupons for two miles will be detached.

Beileid.

Indem uns unser Mitbruder Herr Joseph Grittner des ploetzlichen Todes von den Herrn gerufen wurde.

Sei es beschlossen von den hinterbliebenen Mitglieder des St. Franziskus Unterstuetzungs Vereins das sie einem treuen ehrenvollen Mitbruder verloren haben den sie oeffters in Gebete gedenken

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LOW COLONIST RATES TO PACIFIC COAST

Daily from March 1 to April 15 For daily and personally conducted tours, via the Chicago, Union Pacific & North Western Line.

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Celebrate Tin Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wendorf were given a pleasant surprise by a large number of their friends and neighbors last week Tuesday on the occasion of their tenth wedding anniversary. All present had a very delightful time. A bountiful lunch was served during the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Wendorf were the recipients of many useful articles appropriate for the occasion.

Dissolve Partnership.

The firm of Jung & Grittner, who have conducted the Wunderlic meat market for the past year, have dissolved partnership by mutual consent. Mr. Grittner retiring from the business. Isadore Jung will continue the business as before. Jos. Grittner has not decided as to what he intends to do in the future.

LOSE IN BASKET BALL

Village Team Defeated at Campbellsport by a Score of 35 to 14. High School Team Defeated at Oakfield by a Score of 29 to 20.

The village and high school basketball teams both suffered a defeat last Friday evening, the former meeting defeat at Campbellsport, where they played the village team of that place by a score of 35 to 14, and the latter losing to the Oakfield High at Oakfield by a score of 29 to 20.

The game at Campbellsport although one-sided, was very interesting and rough. The only excuse that the home team gave is that they were outclassed by their opponents and besides did not have a regular lineup.

The High School boys were defeated in a very interesting game. It is also reported that the local boys gave the Oakfield boys the best game that they played this season. The game was very exciting from the start to the finish, the score at the end of the first half was 9 to 9, but in the last half the Oakfield lads were a little the stronger and finally won by a score of 29 to 20. It was in this game that King, center for the locals received the name of "Big Chief". He also proved to be the star of the game.

Both teams speak very highly of the treatment they received at the respective places.

The village team will meet the Campbellsport team here in a return game, Friday evening, Feb. 25th, and the Oakfield High will clash with the local Highs in a return game here Friday, March 1.

Threshermen, Attention!

The second annual convention of the Wisconsin Brotherhood of Threshermen will be held in Madison, March 22 and 23, to which all threshermen are invited. Already the Brotherhood has a good working membership, but it is earnestly desired that every thresherman in the state become a member, and help secure a better understanding among each other.

Good roads, better bridges, a uniform price for threshing, a square deal in the use of the highways, and other important matters, will be discussed. Governor Davidson and other prominent persons will be present to help make the meeting a success. A banquet will be served on March 23 to all threshermen who register and secure badges entitling them to all the benefits of the meeting, excepting a voice in the convention, that being confined to members only. Let every thresherman attend and join the Brotherhood. It means much for your future good. For further particulars address the American Thresherman, Madison, Wisconsin.

ASHFORD.

Mike Zehrn spent Thursday at St. Bridgets.

Peter Braun was at Fond du Lac Wednesday on business.

Mike and John Hall were Fond du Lac callers last Monday.

Rev. F. Berg of Lomira called on Rev. F. Toeller last Friday.

Mr and Mrs. B. Maue spent last Sunday at Le Roy with the latter's parents.

John Janous and Mike Weiss spent Thursday at Kewaskum on business.

Math Schill sold a team of horses to Mr. Doblephol of Lomira for the sum of \$350.

John Krudwig is visiting with his daughter Mrs. W. Becker at Hortonsville at present.

Miss Anna Thelen spent a few days at Lomira with her sister Mrs. P. Weyer and family.

Miss Minnie Krudwig returned home this week after a few months stay at Campbellsport with Mrs. S. Bonesho.

Rev. F. Burebach of St. Kilian and Rev. F. Toeller of this place called on Rev. F. Berg at Lomira last Monday.

Mrs. O. Fleischmann of South Milwaukee called on Adam Fleischmann and family last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hahn left Thursday for Prairie du Chien. The former painted the interior of St. Martins church.

McCullough Estate in Probate

Campbellsport Merchant Leaves No Will. Property Valued at \$50,000.

An administration of the estate of James McCullough, a late merchant of the village of Campbellsport, was begun in probate court at Fond du Lac last Tuesday. The estate is estimated to be worth \$50,000 evenly divided as to personal property and real estate. The heirs are two brothers and five sisters. The deceased was unmarried.

The heirs in the McCullough estate have consented to an immediate hearing of the petition for probating. Michael McCullough, brother of the deceased was appointed administrator.

Halley's Comet Coming Fast.

In the course of a few weeks the people of Kewaskum and vicinity will be given an opportunity of seeing Halley's comet which for 2000 years has been steadily minding its own business and rushing around the sun. Its record during the weeks and months to come, for its habits are so regular that one can tell just what it is going to do will no doubt be as follows:

On April 18th it will reach a point 55,000,000 miles distant from the sun. On May 18th, it will pass thru the plane of the earth's orbit, with its tail stretched out to an enormous length directly away from the sun. Just one day later the earth will reach this point and it will then be only 13,000,000 miles from the comet, it will plow directly through the tail. There is a possibility that this will produce a "strange, yellow, phosphorescent glow, according to some astronomers.

Until March 23, the comet will be seen in the evening sky. It will then pass west of the sun, remaining in the morning sky until May 18th. After this date it will again return to the evening sky and run very rapidly eastward. During this time it will be a magnificent object, which by its brightness and speed record proclivities will attract the attention of every observer.

This comet, the first to have its course plotted, is named in honor of Halley, the astronomer friend of Newton, who first described its course. At present it is moving at a rate of 900,000 miles each day, but the wisecracks give assurance that it isn't going to collide with this vale of tears, on this visit at least.

WAYNE.

Four below zero Thursday A. M. John Gales was at Kewaskum on business last Monday.

John Petri left Tuesday with two car loads of live stock for Chicago.

George Kippenhan was busy this week sawing logs for the farmers.

John Petri and A. P. Abel spent Monday afternoon at St. Kilian on business.

Miss Clara Simon spent a few days of this week with friends at Kewaskum.

Wm. Foerster and Wm. Dufring transacted business at St. Kilian last Sunday.

Herman Marosa and Mr. Friks of Knowles were business callers here last Sunday.

George Kibbel spent from Friday until Tuesday with relatives and friends at Milwaukee.

Quite a few young people from here gathered at the John Gales farm Sunday evening.

Gust. Kuehl and Wm. Kippenhan were at Allenton and St. Lawrence Wednesday on business.

G. Bartelt and wife living west of Kohlsville called on the Geo. Kippenhan family one day this week.

William Martin left Tuesday for Bloomer, Wis., after spending two months with his folks and old time friends.

Wm. Arne is on the way to recovery from his illness. We hope that he soon will be able to look after his work again.

Robert Backhaus, the live stock dealer of Kewaskum, in company with John Petri of this place, purchased live stock in this vicinity last week Friday.

A number of friends and neighbors of this vicinity and Elmore, gathered at the home of Mrs. Henry Brandt last Sunday evening to celebrate her birthday anniversary. A good time was had by all.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

—Lenten services will be held in the local churches as follows: Holy Trinity church at 7 o'clock Friday evenings and Ev. Luth. St. Lucas church every Thursday at 10 A. M. and 7 P. M. alternately, the first services were held last Thursday at 10 A. M.

—Next Friday evening, Feb. 25, the Campbellsport Village basketball team will play a return game of basketball with the local village five in Groeschel's hall. Do not miss this game, as a good game is promised, both fives being evenly matched.

—Lent began last week Wednesday and Easter Sunday will fall on March 27 instead of April 11, as it did last year. It will be the second earliest Easter in a quarter of a century, that of March 25, 1893, being the nearest to the vernal equinox in that period.

AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

The Mayville Telephone company has increased its capital stock from \$24,000 to \$60,000.

W. B. Hauser, the station agent at Rubicon, was robbed of \$40 express money and a number of valuable personal papers last week Friday evening.

The common council of Fond du Lac appropriated \$60,000 toward the construction of an addition to the high school and the remodeling of the present building.

The West Bend Woolen Mills company was incorporated this week with a capital of \$60,000. The incorporators are John Geib, F. J. Malley and Minnie Geib.

NEW FANE.

Miss Martha Laubach is seriously ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Andrew Braun had a carpet rag bee Monday afternoon.

Anton Marx and wife spent a few days last week at Milwaukee.

Dr. Morgenroth of Boltonville made a professional call here last Sunday.

Wm. Koepke was busy this week moving his household furniture to Beechwood.

John Schneider and wife from Campbellsport visited John Schiltz and family Friday.

Joseph Schlaeweller, cigar maker, of town Farmington called on his trade here Thursday.

Julius Glander and family from Beechwood visited Sunday with Henry Backhaus and family.

Mrs. Henry Pirks and son Walter went to Milwaukee Saturday to visit her daughter for sometime.

Frank Ehnert and family attended the tin wedding anniversary of Ernest Ehnert at Boltonville last Friday.

Peter Klein of Dakota and the Misses Anna and Katie Klein from Chicago are visiting with S. Klein and wife since last week.

Joseph Uelmen and family and Hubert Pellenz and family from St. Michaels visited with John Schiltz and family Monday morning.

NEW PROSPECT.

SCHOOL NOTES

The school as a whole is showing marked improvement in rapid adding. The score for last week is as follows: Henry Uelmen 42, Verna Romaine 40, Louis Reel 40, Edgar Romaine 36, Alex. Rinzel 16, Emma Kriewald 15, Norbert Uelmen 13, Corral Romaine 13, Walter Jandre 10, Oscar Stern 8, Eva Romaine 8, Goldie Romaine 7, Percy McGoarity 1, Willie Rinzel 1, Penno Stern 1. The spelling contest was won by Eva Romaine.

CARRIER HIT BY TRAIN

T. F. Wicker, rural mail carrier on Route 29 at Campbellsport while crossing the tracks of the North Western road, was struck by a train, but was only slightly hurt. The horse was badly injured and had to be killed. The mail wagon was demolished.

PIONEER OF THE TOWN OF SCOTT DEAD.

Daniel Hoffmann, an old and respected pioneer resident, of the town of Scott, died at his home at Beechwood last Wednesday morning, aged 80 years. The funeral will be held at Beechwood tomorrow, Sunday, at 1 P. M.

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SIX MONTHS.....1.50
ONE YEAR.....3.00

ADVERTISING RATES
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Entered at the Kewaskum Postoffice as Second Class Mail Matter.

CONGRESS IN SESSION.

Senate.

An investigation of the causes of the high prices of the necessities of life was provided on the 9th by the passage of a resolution for that purpose by the Senate. The Senate also passed a bill conferring the rank of rear admiral upon Commander Peary and retiring him with the highest salary paid a rear admiral.

The Senate acted promptly on the 10th on the summons of the district court for the joint committee on printing to appear in the paper award proceedings brought by the Valley Paper company, by instructing the Senate members of the committee to ignore the summons. The Senate denied the right of the courts to interfere with its legislative function. Senator Borah in a speech on the income tax asserted that the fears of Gov. Hughes that the constitutional amendment would make possible the taxing of state and municipal securities were groundless.

The Senate passed the Bennett "white slave" bill on the 11th, which had previously passed the House. The Senate changed the measure so to divorce the immigration feature from all others. No senators being prepared to discuss the postal savings bank bill, that measure was laid aside on the 14th for other business. The Senate passed the House bill requiring the census enumerators to include in their reports all the cattle slaughtered in the United States, and incorporated an amendment requiring the collection of statistics regarding national and state irrigation.

Mr. Burckett in a set speech on the 15th contended that the postal savings bank bill is constitutional, and Mr. Crawford said the present high cost of commodities is due to the increase in the gold supply. The Senate passed a number of bills, but no substantial measure to prohibit misrepresentations of the government's guaranty of foods and medicines and regulating hazing at West Point.

House.

The 9th was "calendar day" in the House, and several bills were passed, including one for the creation of an art commission to pass upon various works of art erected by Congress in the District of Columbia.

The House spent the entire day on the 10th in debating whether the House members of the joint printing committee should obey the court summons to appear in the Valley Paper company case. The majority of the judiciary committee favored compliance, but three members, including Chairman Parker, brought in a minority report, taking the view adopted by the Senate. A night session was held and the majority report finally adopted.

The diplomatic consular bill appropriating \$3,700,000 was passed by the House on the 11th. Mr. Harrison and Mr. Fitzgerald of New York charged that the activity of the state department in the interest of American trade resulted in securing without making any important changes. Speaker Cannon, obtaining the floor, gave his approval to the pending bill, incidentally telling the Democrats if they should ever come into control of the House they would realize the necessity of providing methods of procedure that will allow them to transact business, or else by inaction disappoint the people who had placed them in the majority.

The House passed the rivers and harbors bill on the 15th, carrying \$23,000,000, with authorizations for work that will cost \$7,000,000 more.

—Two thousand million microbes are sometimes injected into a person's blood to cure disease.

CLEAR-HEADED.

Head Bookkeeper Must Be Reliable.

The chief bookkeeper in a large business house in one of our great Western cities speaks of the harm coffee did for him:

"My wife and I drank our first cup of Postum a little over two years ago, and we have used it ever since, to the entire exclusion of tea and coffee. It happened in this way:

"About three and a half years ago I had an attack of pneumonia, which left a memento in the shape of dyspepsia, or rather, to speak more correctly, neuralgia of the stomach. My 'cup of cheer' had always been coffee or tea, but I became convinced, after a time, that they aggravated my stomach trouble. I happened to mention the matter to my grocer one day and he suggested that I give Postum a trial.

"Next day it came, but the cook made the mistake of not boiling it sufficiently, and we did not like it much. This was, however, soon remedied, and now we like it so much that we will never change back. Postum, being a food beverage instead of a drug, has been the means of curing my stomach trouble. I verily believe, for I am a well man to-day and have used no other remedy.

"My work as chief bookkeeper in our Co.'s branch house here is of a very confining nature. During my coffee-drinking days I was subject to nervousness and 'the blues' in addition to my sick spells. These have left me since I began using Postum and I can conscientiously recommend it to those whose work confines them to long hours of severe mental exertion."

"There's a Reason."
Look in pkgs. for the little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

VERTREES WANTS GLAVIS CHARGE INVESTIGATED

BALLINGER'S ACCUSER SAYS HE WAS VICTIM OF "FRAME-UP" ON PART OF OFFICIALS.

MISSING PAPERS ARE FOUND.

Documents Which Were Not Turned Over to Successor Discovered in Seattle, Wash.

WITNESS CLEVER ON THE STAND.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 15.—After an executive session of forty minutes in regard to admitting at this time of a report from Seattle giving the details of an alleged discovery of twenty-four letters which had been missing from the official files of the land office there, and were said to have been found in the effects of Louis R. Glavis, chief accuser of Secretary Ballinger, the congressional investigating committee today ordered subpoenas issued for A. Christensen, chief of the field division at Seattle, and also for the assistant custodian of the federal building where the boxes belonging to Glavis were stored. The list of prospective witnesses is increasing daily, indicating that the inquiry will be an extensive one.

Mr. Vertrees questioned Glavis further today about the memorandum Glavis assisted in preparing and on which Assistant Secretary Pierce rendered his opinion in the new coal land law of May, 1908. Glavis testified Monday that this opinion, to his mind, showed Mr. Pierce to be unfit for his office.

The Cunningham Claims.

Mr. Vertrees sought to show that the Cunningham claimants having decided to stand for patents under the old law, were specifically excluded from consideration in the Pierce opinion. The attorney also sought to show that Attorney General Wickersham did not overrule Mr. Pierce, but substantially sustained him in every essential particular.

All Mr. Glavis would admit in this connection was that he certainly did not intend to exclude the Cunningham claimants from consideration, and that while Attorney General Wickersham may have construed the law as Mr. Pierce did, the witness did not think so.

"But you condemn Mr. Pierce on your construction of the law?"
"Yes, sir."
The session had not proceeded far when Mr. Vertrees and the witness had another clash. The attorney wanted direct answers; Glavis wanted to explain every answer by referring to reports, etc.

Mr. Vertrees once arose with: "If your honor please," then he corrected himself by saying, "Mr. Chairman." The committee ruled to let Glavis make as many and as long explanations as he desired.

"I don't think they are relevant," said Chairman Nelson, "but go on."
Mr. Vertrees then took up the accusations of misconduct against Fred Dennett, commissioner of the land office. Glavis had declared that after hearing H. R. Harriman, one of the applicants, make certain admissions relative to a claim, Dennett answered a telegram to Glavis saying none of the claimants had made admissions. Mr. Vertrees brought out the fact that Glavis telegram had been sent more than a year after the Harriman admission and that the witness knew of no other admissions among the 900 claimants.

"Yet you condemn Mr. Dennett as an improper official from this?"
"Not from that alone," replied the witness.

Glavis admitted that an affidavit he made June 29, 1909, as to certain statements which a claimant named McDonald had said he had made to Dennett, may have been too broad. If it was the witness said he was anxious to correct it.

"What else did Dennett do?" asked Mr. Vertrees.
"Well, he wrote those 'funny' letters from Seattle and Portland."
"How did you get copies of those letters?"

"Special Agent Spalding acted as Dennett's stenographer and told me about the letters and I asked him to furnish me with copies."
"You ordered him to do so, didn't you?"

"He was his superior officer."
"He refused and you ordered him?"
"He hesitated. He said the letters were private. But they were mailed under a frank and I thought that made them official."
"You used that argument to Spalding, didn't you?"

"I don't know that I did."
Mr. Vertrees went into the letters in some detail. They were written by Dennett to H. B. Schwartz, chief of the field service, and have heretofore been introduced in evidence.

Glavis fences with the attorneys skillfully, and apparently is a match for all of them. He parries their questions, and when directed an answer "yes" or "no" he always stands upon the right that has been accorded him to follow this up with an explanation which may run on for five or more, and in the course of which he usually takes advantage of the opportunity to say that he was thus convinced "that Mr. Ballinger is unfit for the office he holds, is unfaithful to his trust and not loyal to the interests of the people."

PROMOTING SCANDAL.

The Socialist-Republicans of Belgium Trying to Discredit Monarchy.

The Socialist-Republicans in Belgium are keeping alive the scandal of the late King Leopold and Baroness Vaughan. They are now contending with might and main that the King's elder son by the baroness has the right to occupy the throne. The assumption is that the story of the King's marriage to his favorite is well founded, and elaborate constitutional arguments have been prepared and given wide circulation to show that while ir-

regular marriages are barred by the statute in certain cases the King's heir should not be. The Socialists hope to enlist the sympathy of the baroness (not to mention the wealth the late King left her in this campaign, and a denigration of their number) has gone to wait upon her in exile in France. The baroness de Vaughan, it is believed, will show little favor to the movement until her own position is assured and her fortune secured. As the Socialists want a republic, their object in urging Baroness Vaughan's son for the succession undoubtedly is to bring the monarchy into contempt.

SPEAKER CANNON TELLS HIS HOBBY

WATCHING OTHER PEOPLE'S PECULIARITIES IS UNCLE JOE'S FAVORITE PASTIME.

HAS PRAISE FOR ROOSEVELT.

Says Former President Is Best Press Agent of This or Any Other Time and Did Much Work.

PAYS RESPECTS TO CHAMP CLARK.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—"Unanimous consent" to talk five minutes more was accorded the "gentleman from Illinois" at the National Press club Tuesday night after Speaker Cannon of the House of Representatives had consumed his allotted ten minutes in discussing his "hobby." It was "hobby night" at the club, and Mr. Cannon had followed Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau; Dr. Harvey Wiley of pure food fame; Gifford Pinchot, formerly chief forester of the United States; Commander Robert E. Peary, and Representative Champ Clark of Missouri, each of whom had discussed a pet idea.

The club largely assembled more was thronged with members to whom Speaker Cannon's talk seemed especially striking. He said:

"Now my hobby in my little circle has always been to stand by and watch other people's hobbies.

Pinchot an Able Man.

"Some times scientists and conservation people run wild. Pinchot is an awfully able man. You said, Mr. Chairman, that he is still chief forester. Well, he is chief forester I guess in the estimation of the people, but he is not as popular as he is supposed to be. So is Wiley. Why, Champ (addressing Representative Clark), if in the providence of God you had been president and had a cabinet, and you had had under you two men in subordinate positions like those men, they would have been out of the public service in a holy minute, because they were the whole shooting match, and the secretary had great trouble in being secret."

"Theodore Roosevelt is a great man, the greatest press agent I ever knew. He is the most popular man in the United States in my time save Lincoln and more popular than Lincoln when he was alive. There was more legislation and better legislation during his term of office of a little less than eight years than in any other sixteen years of history save alone the period of the Civil war and that which followed. But suppose we had written into law, Brother Clark, all that he recommended in all his messages. Why, it would amount to Congress annually now. If Pinchot and Wiley and Willis Moore and all those other specialists had their way, and Roosevelt's messages had materialized into law, let me tell you, Champ, the budget would be \$2,000,000,000 every year."

Well Wishes for Successors.

With well wishing for the hobby-riders, Mr. Cannon closed, saying:

"Long may our successors live to take these apostles who, pushing ahead, each one looking through his gimlet hole in the universe, and the universe is to each individual according to the range of his vision. They are splendid servants of 90,000,000 people, but would make infernally poor masters."

FOR CITY COMMISSION.

Eau Claire (Wis.) the First Wisconsin Municipality to Adopt Modern Form of Government.

Eau Claire, Wis., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—By a majority of 900 the commission form of city government received the approval of Eau Claire citizens at the special election Tuesday, thereby making this city the first in the state to adopt this form of municipal management. Despite the bad weather the largest registration in years was polled. The commission idea was fought strenuously by the labor element and by Mayor W. H. Frawley. Both sides brought speakers from other cities to debate the subject in local forums and at the "windup" Monday night the Grand Opera house was the scene of a riotous demonstration when champions of the commission ideas took the stage to counter the arguments of objectors under whose auspices the meeting has been called.

WASHINGTON, Wis., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Because the salaries of the three officials named under a commission form of government could use up thirty per cent of the city budget, the Commercial club and citizens generally have decided not to bring the question of government by commission to a vote, deeming the plan unsuited to a small city.

SLAPS AT FACULTIES.

Speaker at Religious Work Conference Scores Selection of Professors.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 16.—Religious work in state universities is the theme of discussion among representatives of twenty schools of the middle West now in session here. Bishop W. W. Welch of Milwaukee was one of the speakers at a public meeting Tuesday night, at which Prof. Shailer Matthews of Chicago university took occasion to take a slap at the general makeup of university faculties, saying that the members were chosen not particularly with regard to their faith, morality or teaching ability.

"In short," he said, "we have filled our chairs with interrogation points and expect to turn out exclamation points." Prof. Matthews also declared that the denominational colleges were falling behind. He said that they now failed to show up the religious life that they should. In this particular, he said, state universities were far ahead of them, and that where they were at one time looked upon as leaders, they are now becoming rather followers of state institutions in this respect.

PRESIDENT NOT SATISFIED WITH CONGRESS' WORK

TAFT CALLS LEGISLATORS IN CHARGE OF VARIOUS MEASURES TO WHITE HOUSE.

MUST CLEAN UP SMALL BILLS.

Prompt Action Upon Minor Matters Will Clear Way for Some of Larger Subjects.

TO HEAR CONSERVATION PLANS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—The slow progress being made by Congress in disposing of the important measures which the President has specially urged is causing him extreme dissatisfaction, and he is taking measures to let that fact be known. Today he was called upon at the white house, presumably at his own request, by several legislators in charge of the various measures.

The necessity for prompt action, at least upon some of the minor matters of legislation, was strongly discussed by the President. One of the callers was Senator Beveridge, chairman of the committee on territories, who is looking after the Alaska territorial bill. Others were Senator Carter, who is fathering the postal savings bank bill, Senator Borah, who has distinguished himself by his active opposition to some of the features of the latter measure, and Representative Hayes, ranked as an insurgent, whose aid might be helpful in the united Senate committee on public lands, to be composed of Senators Smoot, chairman; Clark of Wyoming, Dixon, Chamberlain and Hughes. Hearings will be given.

Clean Up Small Bills.

It is believed the President desires that such measures as the Arizona and New Mexico statehood bill, the Alaskan territorial bill, and others of comparatively minor importance be acted upon at once in order to clear the way for some of the larger subjects, at least those likely to give rise to prolonged discussion and controversy.

The President will continue his personal interviews with the various leaders in the Senate and House and if this course does not avail, it is entirely possible that he may feel called upon to send a special message to Congress saying where the responsibility belongs.

All of the administration bills providing for the conservation of natural resources will be considered by a subcommittee of the Senate committee on public lands, to be composed of Senators Smoot, chairman; Clark of Wyoming, Dixon, Chamberlain and Hughes. Hearings will be given.

ELKINS' NIECE TRIES TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

Agnes Elkins, 25 Years Old, Shoots Herself in Room of Hotel in Kansas City, Mo.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Miss Agnes Elkins, a niece of United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, shot herself today at her room in a local hotel. The bullet passed through her body below the heart. The physicians believe she has a chance for life.

A note found on the dressing table read:

"I am tired of life and have no home or friends."
Miss Elkins is 25 years old. Her mother died about a year ago, and shortly afterward she went to New York against the wishes of relatives in this city, to apply for an engagement on the stage. Senator Elkins induced her to visit him at Elkins, W. Va., but could not change her determination to become an actress. She returned two weeks ago to prosecute a damage suit against the Metropolitan Street Railway company for \$25,000 for injuries received a year ago, but the case was postponed.

Why Miss Elkins tried to end her life is not known. She bought a revolver yesterday, later wrote several letters to her mother and then she entertained friends in her apartment and told them jokingly that she was considering suicide. They laughed at her. After the revolver was returned to Mrs. Elkins was found lying across the bed.

TIDE CARRIES LETTERS.

Inhabitants of Magdalen Islands Resort to Ancient Way of Transmitting Messages and Mail.

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia, Feb. 16.—Because the cable between the Magdalen island and Cape North is broken and will not be repaired until warm weather sets in, the inhabitants of the islands have resorted to the ancient way of transmitting messages and mail.

A heavy barrel containing thirty and forty letters sealed in cans was picked up on the Cape Breton coast by persons living near the shore. The letters were received by the postoffice authorities today and duly sent to their respective addresses.

The tides had carried the barrel sixty miles across the Gulf of St. Lawrence in ten days.

TRAINS IN COLLISION.

North-Western Passenger and Freight Meet—Fireman Killed and Engineer Fatally Hurt.

MASON CITY, Ia., Feb. 16.—In a head-on collision between a Chicago & North-Western passenger train and a freight train at Blue Earth, Minn., Tuesday night, Fireman Erickson was killed and Engineer Fyson fatally injured. Several passengers were slightly hurt. The passenger train, northbound, after striking the freight train rolled down an embankment.

A Real English Dining Room.
Mr. and Mrs. Marsden J. Perry, of Newport and Providence, R. I., are having an immense dining room, copied from a castle in England, added to their estate, Bleak house, on Ocean drive. The room measures 24 by 40 feet and faces the sea. From the table each guest can watch yacht races. One hundred guests can be seated at the table.

The Old Maid Mark.

Is an unmarried woman an "old maid" at 28? Decidedly not, according to Mrs. Henry Jaffray, who addressed the West

Side Coeducational club, 2858 Washington boulevard. "An unmarried woman of 28 is an important factor in social and business life," she said, "and she probably is better looking at that age than any other. At one period of our civilization she might have been an 'old maid.' But that time has passed. She doesn't have to marry now unless she wants to. She can go into business, take up a profession, and do many other things—but she is not an 'old maid.'" A large audience of women applauded the sentiment of the speaker.—Chicago Tribune.

ORDERED HERBS FOR THE SWOPES

DR. JORDAN, BROUGHT UP BY NEGRO, TELLS HOW HE PRESCRIBED MEDICINES.

TASTED THEM TO FIND POISON.

Received Between \$10,000 and \$20,000 During Seven or Eight Years of This Treatment.

THREE INQUIRIES UNDER WAY.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 16.—Three legal proceedings were scheduled for today to obtain testimony bearing on the Swope mystery.

The grand jury resumed its inquiry; the taking of depositions in the office of Frank P. Walsh in the suit for damages brought by Dr. B. C. Hyde was to be continued in Kansas City, Mo., and the deposition of Dr. C. H. C. Jordan, a physician who prescribed medicine for the Swope family, was taken in Kansas City, Kan. Miss Pearl Kellar, the Swope nurse, who was the sole witness before the grand jury Tuesday, was recalled.

Holding that a witness subpoenaed for the grand jury is subject to the grand jury summons until excused or until that body adjourns, attorneys for the Swope estate assert that the plan of Attorney Walsh to subpoena all the witnesses who appeared before the grand jury has been balked temporarily. It is said that the witnesses who testify at the grand jury hearing will not be finally excused until the hearing is adjourned, probably ten days hence.

Gives Herbs to Swopes.

In the course of a deposition given Dr. C. H. C. Jordan in Kansas City, Kan., told of having treated the members of the Swope family for a period covering seven or eight years, up to the present time. He had, he said, sent to the Swope home medicines prepared by himself, the formula of which no one but himself knew. The medicines were, he declared, composed entirely of herbs.

"But how could you tell whether these herbs were poisonous or not?" Attorney Walsh asked.

"I'd chew them," the doctor replied. "I'd chew them. If they did not hurt me—dandelions, sarsaparilla and mandrakes."

This medicine, the witness testified, had been administered by Mrs. Logan O. Swope to Miss Margaret Swope to the late Christian Swope and also to Thomas Swope, Jr. For such services Dr. Jordan said he had received from the Swope family between \$10,000 and \$20,000.

In answer to questions Dr. Jordan said he was born near Valparaiso, Chile, but that he was raised from childhood by a colored man named Eli Jordan and whose name he took.

"REFORM" IS DEFEATED.

Independents Receive Hard Blow in Municipal Elections in Philadelphia Tuesday.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 16.—Reform, which has many times gone down to defeat only to come up again for another fight, received its hardest blow in the municipal election here Tuesday, when the Republican organization swept the city. Not one reformer was elected to city councils or to the board of magistrates.

The greatest feat of the organization was the election of men the leaders had selected for minority representation on the magisterial board. Fourteen magistrates were elected, but under the law no elector could vote for more than nine, thus giving the majority parties a chance to choose the other five.

The Republican organization elected its own nine men by big majorities, and threw out enough votes to give other candidates a chance to be elected under the title of "workingmen's league" to also elect them and to defeat the Democratic and reform candidates. Three of the men on the "workingmen's" ticket are Democratic and had the assistance of the Democratic organization.

The Republicans re-elected Hugh Black as receiver of taxes by a majority of 102,000 over the reform candidate.

TAKE TROUT TO AFRICA.

Fisheries Bureau's Experts Take American Fish—To Bring Back Sturgeon from the Danube.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Two experts appointed by Commissioner Bowers of the department of fisheries at Washington are now on their way to Africa to meet Col. Roosevelt and place an abundance of brook trout fry in the streams of Africa. Col. Roosevelt intimated recently to a number of friends in the United States that a great service would be done if the brooks and smaller streams of interior Africa were stocked with American trout. The experts are instructed by Commissioner Bowers to return by way of Roumania and to bring from the Danube the fry and eggs of the sturgeon and also an abundant supply of young or eggs of the starlet. The caviar of sturgeon caught in the Danube is of unusual size and it is possible to obtain as much as 500 pounds from one fish. And yet the demand for this delicacy is so great that the caviar sells for \$7 a pound. These fish will be planted in eastern rivers.

RAILROADER LOSES LEGS.

Switch Engine Runs Over Omaha Employee, Who May Die.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—Charles Schaefer, aged 24, of Altona, a railroad employee, was run over by an Omaha switch engine at Altona this morning. Both legs were cut off. He was taken to the Eau Claire hospital and may die.

SENATE WON'T ACCEPT ROOT POSTAL BILL

SAVINGS BANK MEASURE DOOMED TO DEFEAT IF AMENDMENT IS NOT MODIFIED.

THE CRISIS IS NOW IMMINENT.

Senator's Proposal Would Require Investment of Deposits in United States Bonds.

FRIENDS OF TAFT'S PLAN TALK.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—Unless Senator Root can be induced to withdraw or materially modify his amendment to the postal savings bank bill, requiring the investment of postal deposits in United States bonds, that measure probably will be defeated in the Senate. The friends of the bill practically admit that this is the situation and they consider the crisis very imminent.

The situation developed suddenly soon after the Senate met today, and came in connection with a peculiar parliamentary rangle. Senator Beveridge, in charge of the Alaska legislative council measure, undertook to get it out of the way for the postal bill, by agreeing to have the first named legislation displaced as the unfinished business; but under the Senate rules this cannot be done without unanimous consent until 2 o'clock. Senator Heyburn refused to acquiesce and as there was no other business to be done, Senator Carter was forced to move an executive session, which at 1:10 p. m. resulted in adjournment for the day.

Some Support Root.

While the executive session was proceeding a number of the friends of the original postal savings bank bill got together and upon comparing notes, found themselves unalterably opposed to the Root amendment. On the other hand, there are many senators who are staunchly supporting the Root provision, and unless a compromise can be reached the doom of the postal savings bill is admittedly sealed.

The statement of the President in his Lincoln day New York speech that if the Root amendment should prevail, the funds would be invested in the 2 per cent bonds, which have failed to find a market, has had the effect of rendering the antagonism to the amendment far more intense than it was. The opponents of the amendment take this position that the revised statutes relating to the postal deposits should be deposited in the local banks and concentrated in the United States treasury or any other one depository.

May Modify Measure.

On the other hand, it is contended that the government could not afford to permit the funds to be invested in banks over which the United States would not have supervision. There is some hope of obtaining a modification of the Root amendment, but until this is accepted there will be no effort to get a vote on the bill.

ABOLISH CAVEATS SYSTEM.

Kustermann Bill Relating to Patents Applied for Recommended.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 16.—[Special.]—The committee on patents today ordered a favorable report on Representative Kustermann's bill, which provides for the repeal of section 48 of the revised statutes relating to caveats. The object of Mr. Kustermann's bill is to do away entirely with the caveats system in so far as it relates to patents. He has found that this privilege, which has been greatly abused and his measure further has the endorsement of the commissioner of patents.

ROOSEVELT NEARS GONDOKORO, SUDAN.

Colonel and Son Leave Trail for Day's Hunting Upon Invitation of Belgian Authorities.

GONDOKORO, Sunday, on the Upper Nile, Feb. 16.—The Smithsonian African scientific expedition is expected here at 10 a. m. tomorrow. Definite news as to the hour of arrival was brought by a special runner who reached here today.

Col. Roosevelt and Kermit Roosevelt have left the expedition's trail for a day's hunting of elephants and giant clams at Rojaf on the Congo side of the Bar-el-Jebel. Rojaf is a few miles to the south and west of this place, and the hunters have invaded the territory upon the special and eagerly accepted invitation of the Belgian authorities. But for this departure from the programme of travel, the expedition would have arrived here today.

Col. Roosevelt and Kermit are accompanied in the Congo by E. B. Hadzoi, the British district commissioner stationed at Mpum, Uganda. Commissioner Haddon met the expedition at Kiriba camp, sixteen miles to the south of Gondokoro.

A commodities brick house here has been placed at the disposal of Mr. Roosevelt. Nine runners in the van of the expedition have arrived here.

MILLIONS FOR TRACKS.

Canadian Northern Railway Will Build in Western Canada This Year on Prairies.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, Feb. 16.—The Canadian Northern railway announced today that the company will spend \$8,000,000 for construction in western Canada this year, principally on prairie work, although a good start will be made on the line through the Rocky mountains to the Pacific coast. The line building north of Lake Superior has been further postponed.

How Pat Was Impressed.

"Was the sermon today to y'r liking, Pat?"
"Troth, y'r reverence, it was a grand sermon intirely."
"What seemed to take hold of ye?"
"Well, now as ye are for axin' me, begorra, I'll tell ye. What took hold of me most was y'r reverence's perseverence—the way ye went over the same thing again and agin and agin."—Ladies' Home Journal.

—The period of deepest sleep varies from 2 to 5 o'clock.

A FOOLISH FROLIC.

By the Author of "The Wild Geese," "A Democratic Duchess," Etc.

CHAPTER VII.—(Continued.)

"Denzilia Lavenham?" repeated Mr. Wilson. "What should I know about Denzilia Lavenham, if you mean the American heiress there has been such a fuss about?"

"I do mean the American heiress," returned Montresor, fixing his eyes sternly on the other's face, kindly face.

The kindly face now assumed an expression of compassion.

"May I ask, sir," said Mr. Wilson very gently, "if you are a friend of that unfortunate young lady?"

"He thinks I am mad," thought Montresor; "or he pretends to think I have gone mad. Now, is it better to run the risk of making a fool of myself or to run the risk of missing a possible clue? I had better make a fool of myself, if necessary. This amiable gentleman may be a villain, after all!"

These thoughts passed through Montresor's mind during the few seconds that Mr. Wilson continued to look at him with pity and perplexity.

"No," replied Montresor, "I am not personally acquainted with Miss Lavenham. I am only an honest English gentleman who will not sit idly at home while a defenseless girl is robbed and bullied."

"I can assure you, my dear sir," answered Mr. Wilson in a soothing tone, "I have had no hand in robbing and bullying Denzilia Lavenham."

Montresor, with an ever-increasing conviction that he was making a fool of himself, drew forth Denzilia's letter.

Mr. Thomas Wilson took the letter and read it through. Then he looked fixedly at Montresor.

"It is clear to me that you are either a knave or a fool!" he said, with sudden solemnity. "Some one has been hoaxing you, or you, for purposes of your own, are trying to hoax some one else."

"It looks like it," said Montresor simply.

"If it were not so utterly ridiculous," continued Mr. Wilson, "I should be very angry." He again scrutinized Montresor's face closely. "I believe you have been hoaxed," he added. "Come up to luncheon with me, and I will show you into every hole and corner of the house, and you will see how utterly impossible it is that I can be harboring Miss Lavenham on my premises."

"I begin to see that already," muttered Montresor ruefully.

"Nevertheless, come!" insisted Mr. Wilson. He turned to the group of children who were waiting with ill-concealed impatience while their father held this conversation with a stranger. "I am going to take this gentleman with me in the dog-cart," he said, "so you must all go in the wagonette."

"Now, look here," observed Mr. Wilson, "when they were fairly off—"I don't wish to be impertinently curious, but as somebody has been making so free with my name, I should like to hear all you are willing to tell me about this hoax that has been played upon you."

Montresor considered this a very reasonable desire, and said so. He explained to Mr. Wilson the whole facts of the case, omitting merely his own romantic attraction for the face he had seen at Marlingham.

But his determination to spare Langrishe all he could was frustrated by the sight of Langrishe himself standing on the steps of Thomas Wilson's house as they drove up.

"Who is that?" remarked Mr. Wilson, when he saw the unfamiliar figure of the American.

He was not addressing Montresor. He was merely soliloquizing aloud. But Montresor not unnaturally took the question as put to himself.

"That is," he stammered, "a—friend of mine. If you will allow me, I will speak to him."

Without waiting for the permission he asked, he sprang from the dog-cart before it was well pulled up.

"For Heaven's sake, get out of this!" he exclaimed in a hurried undertone. "We have made frightful fools of ourselves!"

Langrishe looked at him with his superior smile a little more accentuated than usual, although he could not conceal a slight sensation of surprise which mingled with his superciliousness.

"You may have made a fool of yourself, my dear fellow," he said composedly. "It is not for me to contradict you if you say so; but I, on the contrary, have been wiser than usual." Then, advancing towards Mr. Wilson, he went on: "May I beg the favor of a few minutes' private conversation with you? I do not contemplate excluding you from the interview," he added in a mock aside to Montresor.

"Are you also come to demand Denzilia Lavenham at my hands?" asked Mr. Wilson, half angry, half amused.

"No, Mr. Wilson, replied Langrishe imperturbably. "I am well aware that you know nothing about Miss Lavenham, but I have accidentally made a somewhat important discovery, and you, as a magistrate, are in a position to help me."

"I will give you any help you wish," replied Mr. Wilson; "only, if you don't mind, we will have luncheon first."

Accordingly the two young men were introduced to Mrs. Wilson, who expressed a lively interest when she heard they had come down in search of the heiress whose disappearance had been discussed through the length and breadth of the land, and they were regaled with an excellent luncheon. After this they adjourned to Mr. Wilson's study, where Langrishe gave the following account of his discovery:

On his arrival at Carleshope he had gone straight to the inn, in order to make what inquiries he could concerning Mr. Thomas Wilson. These inquiries soon convinced him that as far as Mr. Wilson was concerned they were on a wrong scent altogether. Finding that he had an hour to wait before he could get a train back to town he went for a stroll in the village. He had not gone far along the street before he was arrested by the sight, in a pawnbroker's window, of a very peculiar ring—a ring he recognized at once as one he had often seen Miss Lavenham wear. He had gone in and questioned the owner as to where he had got the ring. The man had replied readily enough that it had been pawned two days before by an old

gentleman wearing a big cloak and a souch nat.

When he was asked if he had not thought it odd that a person of that description should want to pawn a ring the pawnbroker had said that the gentleman had explained that he had lost his purse and had not enough money to take him back to London, but that he would send and redeem the ring in a day or two.

"The old gentleman must have been the same who bribed the gardener at Marlingham to put Miss Lavenham's clothes on the river bank," remarked Montresor.

But no one heard him. Langrishe and Wilson were engaged in discussing a scheme for watching the pawnbroker's shop, and promptly arresting any person who came to redeem the ring. Wilson promised to do his part in carrying out this scheme, and by the time the discussion was ended it was found that the two young men had only just time to catch their train back to town.

Langrishe and Montresor were both very silent on the return journey. It was not till they parted at the London terminus that Langrishe said, not quite so coolly as usual:

"We have got to keep our eye on Mr. Denzil Caterhouse. He is either mad or—"

"I can't make it out!" exclaimed Montresor. "If he pawned the ring why on earth should he send us to a place where we might see it?"

"We must learn to understand that," returned Langrishe. "In the meantime, as he declines to see me, you must watch him very cautiously. You will go now and report to him of the non-success of our expedition. Not a word about the ring."

Montresor hailed a hansom. He proposed to himself to go straight to Gramham street and, then, when he had performed the duty of interviewing Mr. Caterhouse, to go and have a glimpse of Miss Anselm.

To his intense surprise, the first person he saw when he alighted on the pavement before Mr. Caterhouse's little house was Miss Anselm herself.

Montresor was not a suspicious man, but he could not help fancying that his betrothed looked singularly disconcerted at his appearance.

"You!" she cried, with an air of great surprise. "What are you doing here?"

"What are you doing here?" he retorted. "I have business with Mr. Denzil Caterhouse. But you—You never told me you knew him."

"I ought to know him," she said calmly, "seeing that he is my uncle."

"Your uncle?" exclaimed Montresor. "Why did you never tell me?"

"Ah!" she murmured. "Until today I had no reason to confide my private affairs to you. Now I want you to know them all. But you were in such a hurry this morning to go to the rescue of my cousin, Denzilia—"

"Your cousin, Denzilia?" he cried again.

"Why not," she asked, "inasmuch as Mr. Caterhouse is my uncle? Denzilia Lavenham is the daughter of his eldest sister, and Denzilia Anselm, at your service, is the daughter of his youngest sister."

"Denzilia! Denzilia!" he repeated, bewildered. "But why has no one ever known of this?"

"Why should I confide to strangers that I was any relation of the American heiress? My rich cousin Denzilia has never taken the least notice of me. I prefer to forget that she is my cousin. As for Uncle Denzil, I am not proud of my relationship with him. He has never done anything for me; but I went today because I thought that, as my mother's brother, he had a right to know that I contemplated changing my name. I might have spared myself the trouble, the girl added bitterly. "He said he did not care two straws what I contemplated doing. Well, sir," she added, "do you expect the door will open of itself that you don't ring the bell?"

Montresor, thus admonished, slowly pulled the bell-handle. He was dismayed at the revelation that had been so suddenly made him.

The girl perceived his abstracted manner.

"Are you angry with me?" she murmured softly, coming a little closer to him and surreptitiously touching his hand. "Why are you angry?"

"Angry! My darling! Oh, no! How could I ever be angry with you? But—" He stopped.

Before he could find something suitable to say the door was opened.

"Will you wait while I go in and see Mr. Caterhouse," he asked, "and then I could see you home?"

"Mr. Caterhouse will not see any more visitors today," observed the maid who had opened the door.

"I thought as much," remarked Denzilia Anselm. "I knew he would be in a vile temper after seeing me."

"I think nevertheless that he will see me," said Montresor. "Will you tell him," he added to the maid, "that I have come on the business of which I spoke to him yesterday."

There was in the maid's eyes the same twinkle of suppressed amusement that Montresor had noticed once before, but she went submissively to do his bidding. She returned in a moment.

"Mr. Caterhouse is not well enough to see anyone tonight on any business whatever," she said.

he exclusively mine—your—well, not perhaps your love, but your interest."

"My darling!" he said tenderly. "You know very well that I give nothing to your cousin, Denzilia, who is, after all, but a phantom as far as I am concerned, that should belong to you. But here we are. May I come in or is it too late?"

"Come in for half an hour. I want you to tell me all that you did today."

Nothing loth he followed her up the steep, stone stairs. Arrived in her little kitchen she threw off her hat, and, seating herself in the armchair, she bade him sit near her and begin.

He obeyed her and told his story conscientiously from the moment that he had seen the Carleshope train steaming out of the station.

"So Mr. Langrishe went alone!" she remarked at that point.

"But I soon followed him," said Montresor, pursuing his story with vigor. She listened very attentively till he reached the stage where Mr. Thomas Wilson was revealed. Here she seemed a little startled, and when he proceeded to relate how Mr. Thomas Wilson had evidently taken the inquirer after Denzilia Lavenham for a dangerous lunatic, and had spoken to him in a humoring and soothing manner, she threw herself back in her chair and burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter.

"Aubrey, dearest," she exclaimed, as well as she could for laughing "I am not laughing at you; I am not indeed, but it is so very funny, somehow!"

When he reached the episode of the ring she seemed to awake to a sense of the importance of the situation. She sat up with a startled expression on her face.

"Tell me that again!" she exclaimed. "Mr. Langrishe was sure it was a ring that he had seen Denzilia Lavenham wear?"

Montresor repeated that such was the case.

"Fancy his recognizing it," she murmured. "I suppose he is very much in love with her!"

Denzilia laughed no more. She listened with an attention which was not assumed to the remainder of the story.

When Montresor bid her "Good-bye" she murmured sorrowfully—

"Poor Denzilia! Poor Denzilia! I do hope nothing has really happened to her."

Montresor went away well pleased that his betrothed showed at last a true womanly pity for her cousin.

Two or three days passed and nothing more transpired. The ring remained in the pawnbroker's shop at Carleshope. No one had come to redeem it. It was not till two days after his visit to Mr. Thomas Wilson that Montresor succeeded in accomplishing his interview with Denzil Caterhouse.

The old gentleman, when he did finally admit him, seemed in worse health and in a worse temper than usual. The room was almost pitch dark, and Mr. Caterhouse's voice was so husky that the young man could hardly make out at times what he was saying.

He gathered, however, that Denzilia's uncle repudiated the idea of the ring in the pawnbroker's shop belonging to his missing niece.

At the close of the conversation, which Mr. Caterhouse insisted should be a short one, Montresor tried to make some allusion to the other Denzilia. It seemed to him that she ought to have some relative of whom he could demand her, and to whom he could explain his study of proving in every way worthy of her. But Mr. Denzil Caterhouse cut him short.

"Denzilia Anselm is of age," he said. "Even if she were not I am not responsible for her. She may marry anybody she likes. I suppose you have nothing in the world to keep a wife on? But that is a trifle. I merely mention it to let you know that when you are both starving you need not come to me for help."

"I should not dream of doing so," said Montresor, and took his leave without further ceremony.

As he reached the door the old man called him back.

"Look here," he said, "I have made up my mind to double the reward! The fellow who finds Denzilia Lavenham will get ten thousand pounds, always supposing she does not refuse to pay it when she is found."

The old gentleman turned back to his armchair chuckling, and Montresor left the room.

A couple of days later he mentioned the fact of the increased reward to his Denzilia, as he now began to call her.

"Yes," she said, "I saw it in the paper. Aubrey—" she sidled up a little closer to him, "if you were to find my cousin you would get £10,000. The interest of that, added to what you have got, and my little pittance, would enable us to marry at once."

(To Be Continued.)

TURKEY IN TEXAS.

Sportsmen Are Surfeited with the Wild Fowl.

Wild turkeys are so numerous in the Leona river district of Texas that they are complained of as a nuisance by some of the deer hunters. The Leona is less than seventy-five miles long. Notwithstanding the fact that great numbers of wild turkeys are killed along the Leona river each season, they seem to multiply rapidly. One morning while a was walking through the river bottom hunting deer I saw not less than a thousand wild turkeys," said Henry Resdell of San Antonio. "There were nine droves of these turkeys. I could not resist taking a few snap shots at them, getting my full quota under the law, but what I objected to was that they kept me from seeing a deer. Every one in camp was tired of wild turkey meat, and it was dead that we were after."

Caught 120 Pounds Cod.

When the fishing schooner Athena, Capt. Edward Forbes, docked yesterday at the wharf a monster cod was unloaded. The cod was caught off the Middle banks Tuesday and when pulled aboard the Athena tipped the scales at 120 pounds.

The fish was captured by Capt. Forbes and dory mate and put up to fight. An ordinary cod hook was used in catching the fish.

This fish is the largest that has been brought in to wharf for several months. The head was as large as the head of a full grown Newfoundland dog and the extended jaws measured 9 inches from tip to base.—Boston Post.

—In England a dog used to guide a blind person is exempt from taxation.

MILWAUKEE SOON TO GREET LAYMEN

ARRANGEMENTS NEARLY COMPLETED FOR ENTERTAINMENT OF MISSIONARY WORKERS.

EXPECT 1500 DELEGATES HERE.

Many Churches Will Participate in Movement for World Evangelization by Missions.

NOTED FOREIGN WORKERS COMING.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 15, 1910.—Arrangements are under way for the Wisconsin convention of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, to be held here April 5 to 7.

It is expected that at least 1500 men, representing practically all the churches in the state will be at the convention, which will be given to the discussion of world evangelization.

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FOND DU LAC NEWS.

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BISHOP'S BOOK OUT.

"A Journey Godward of a Servant of Jesus Christ" is the title of the personal reminiscences of Bishop C. C. Grafton, which has just been issued. The work savors to some extent of Bishop Grafton's golden jubilee as many of his chapters are devoted to the addresses delivered on that occasion. The ninth chapter dealing with "My Life in Christ" is especially strong, while the twelfth chapter, entitled, "An Instruction," indicates the potent strength of the bishop's ministry. The divine visit in Russia in the interests of a reunion and his advocacy of the Polish Catholic Bishop Kozlowski are among the important subjects touched upon in the work.

BURIES BABE; WIFE DIES.

While returning from the funeral of his infant daughter, G. L. Walker of Sheboygan was notified that his wife, who was formerly Miss Jessie Russell of Lamartine, was dying. He reached her bedside just before she died. The body was brought here this morning and interment will take place in Lamartine. Mrs. Walker is survived by two sisters, her parents and one brother.

OLD CONSTABLE DIES.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Feb. 12.—[Special.]—Constable William Wallace Howe, who claimed he was the oldest paid officer in the state in point of service, died at his home here today, aged 82 years. Constable Howe was born in Plattsville, N. Y., in 1828 and has resided in Fond du Lac for seventy years, of which he served forty-three years as constable. He also drove a stage between Fond du Lac and Sheboygan and between Fond du Lac and Fox Lake. He was the oldest resident in the city. One son and daughter survive him. Mr. Howe, while celebrating his last birthday, said on that occasion that he did not expect to live another year, and that he would "go to hell or Texas."

MUS TANSWER CHARGE.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Feb. 14.—[Special.]—When Frank Schaub, a former member of the Fond du Lac baseball team, was arraigned in police court this morning for alleged perjury, he was discharged owing to the fact that the complaint alleged the offense had been committed January 22, 1909, and the warrant made it January 22, 1910. Before Schaub could leave the room he was rearrested by Sheriff Seave. Schaub's attorneys alleged the offense had been committed because Schaub was held on a defective warrant. The defendant is alleged to have perjured in testimony he gave during the trial of a divorce action he brought against his wife Gertrude, which recently was set aside by the court. His present wife has also brought a divorce action against him.

TRAIN A HOODOO?

Freight train No. 22 on the Soo road appears to be under the influence of a hoodoo. On Thursday evening the train was wrecked on the St. Paul crossing a short distance from Waukesha, and Friday night the train derailed with an extra freight train at Kolze. The engine of No. 22 was turned over by the force of the collision and the caboose of the extra freight was demolished. Trainmen consider it peculiar that a man who was in the caboose of the extra freight at the time of the collision escaped injury.

GET CLASS HONORS.

Principal I. O. Hubbard of the high school announced

CITY OF THE INSANE.

Happy and Honored "Guests" of the Inhabitants of Gheel.

One of the most remarkable places in Europe, of which no tourist on pleasure bent ever takes notice, says a writer in a Berlin paper, is the "City of the Insane," by which name Gheel, near Antwerp, has been known for generations. About 1,500 men and women afflicted with insanity in all its forms live there and have a happy being as the "guests" of the inhabitants, who know by experience how to treat the unfortunate ones. In the streets, in the places of amusement, the cafes and workshops these patients may be found, and nowhere is there the remotest suggestion of restraint apparent. The board ranges from 240 to 2,400 marks a year, and, no matter how small the amount may be, the patient is always the favored member of the family. He has the first right to the most comfortable chair, and the head of the table belongs to him. He receives the most attention, and this he learns to appreciate and to endeavor to maintain by living down his illness. Even the children know how to treat the demented people. The dangerous ones are sent to another settlement and to institutions. It is wonderful how considerate, careful and kind the simple people are toward their charges, and a peep into the community would probably terrify physicians who had never heard of and could not appreciate the good which is being done in this "City of the Insane."

A RACE ON ICE.

The Skates That Got Away and Those That Were Recovered.

Thackeray once asked one of the men who let out skates on the Serpentine whether he had ever lost a pair through the omission to exact a deposit, and he replied that he had never done so, except on one occasion, when the circumstances made it almost pardonable.

A well dressed young fellow was having his second skate fastened on when he suddenly broke away from the man's hands and dashed to the ice. The next instant a thickset, powerful man was clamoring for another pair.

He was a detective in pursuit of his prey, and a very animating sight it was to watch the chase. He was, as he had boasted, a first rate skater, and it became presently obvious that he was running down his man.

Then the young fellow determined to run a desperate risk of liberty. The ice, as usual, under the bridge was marked "Dangerous," and he made for it at headlong speed. The ice bent beneath his weight, but he got safely through.

The sheriff's officer followed with equal pluck; but, being a heavier man, broke through and was drowned.

"His skates," said the narrator of the incident, "I got back after the inquest, but those the young gentleman had on I never saw again."—London Telegraph.

The Salt Sea Legend.

There is a legend in the Norse scalds which explains why the sea is salt. The "bountiful Frodl," whose mythical reign was a golden age indeed, possessed a quern, or hand mill, which ground out gold and peace, but which would grind out stores of anything desired by its owner. Two giant maidens, ruled over by Frodl, were the grinders. In an evil day a sea rover came upon the scene, slew Frodl and carried off the quern and the two giant maidens who worked it. When the sea rover's vessel was right out at sea he ordered the maidens to grind salt. At midnight they asked if they had not ground enough. The sea rover, angry at being awakened from his sleep, commanded them to grind until morning. Now, the giant maidens naturally enough worked very quickly, so as they went on grinding the load of salt grew so heavy that it sank the ship, and now the sea will continue salt forever.

Looked Too Far.

There was an English farmer, a Somersetshire man, who once owned a telescope. The old man remarked to a friend at a local race meeting that the gentry nowadays had glasses for both eyes and added that he "had had one once for one eye, a right good one it was, but now it was no use at all—no, not to nobody."

"Why not?" asked the friend. "Well," he said, "it were a good one. I could see miles w'en. I could see plain the steeple of the church five miles off. But missus' son John, he borrowed en, and he tried to see the steeple of t'other church, ten miles off—and tried and tried and couldn't. And that strained it, and it were never of no use any more—no, not to nobody."

A Troublesome Mirror.

"Mamma," said Flossie, "this old looking glass isn't any good." "Why, what's the matter with it, dear?" asked her mother. "Every time I try to look in it," explained Flossie, "my face gets in the way."

As a Corollary.

"Are marriages made in heaven?" "As to that I can't say, but I do know this much." "What's that, Peleg?" "There's lots of courting done in church."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Didn't Get a Chance.

She—What did papa say when you asked him for my hand? He—Why, he couldn't say a word. "He couldn't?" "No, your mother was there!"—Yeekers Statesman.

WINTER WOOD.

It Makes the Best and Most Lasting Kind of Timber.

It has long been known that winter was the best time of the year for cutting down trees for their timber, but until the American bureau of forestry published the results of some experiments no one was sure why. The bureau of forestry selected four pine trees of the same age and of equal vigor, growing in the same soil, and felled them, the first at the end of December, the second at the end of January, the third at the end of February and the fourth at the end of March. They were hewn into logs of the same size and dried at the same place. Then the logs were tested.

The December log resisted a flexile strain twice as strong as that which the March log resisted. It furnished plies which were still perfect and undecayed sixteen years later, while the plies made from the March log had rotted within three or four years.

Wood that is felled in December is less porous than that cut at other times. It has been proved that oak felled in the spring allowed water to percolate through it in from two to three hours, while similar wood cut in December was seemingly impermeable.

There is a very simple method of ascertaining the quality of wood cut in winter or in spring. The former contains tannin particles, which turn blue when tincture of iodine is poured upon them. The latter preserves its natural tint or merely becomes a little darker at the contact of iodine.—New York World.

COPIED NAPOLEON.

South American Dictators Who Imitated the French Despot.

The dictatorship of Castro in Venezuela has been compared with that of President Francia, who terrorized Paraguay for over thirty years. Francia was a worshiper of Napoleon, whom he endeavored to imitate in every possible way. He possesses only one portrait of his idol, a German caricature, which depicted the emperor wearing an exaggerated version of the famous gray overcoat. Francia took this picture seriously and for many years paraded the streets of Asuncion clad in a gray dressing gown and a cocked hat, which he fondly believed to be the habitual garb of the French despot.

Castro's most distinguished predecessor was also a Napoleon devotee, but Bolivar had seen his idol and could thus imitate him more faithfully. He managed to acquire the emperor's brusque speech and other mannerisms, pulled people's ears when in a good humor and dictated dispatches to several secretaries at once. He founded an order closely modeled on the Legion of Honor; surrounded himself with a guard of negroes from Haiti, after the style of Napoleon's mamlukes, and endeavored to codify the laws of his country. When he returned to America after witnessing Napoleon's coronation Bolivar entered Caracas standing in a Roman chariot drawn by twelve maidens belonging to the first families of the town.—London Chronicle.

A Narrow Escape.

When Mr. Hartman returned an hour later than usual, Mrs. Hartman asked him the reason, and his good natured face was solemn as he answered her. "I had had one narrow escape from drowning, Katchen," he said.

"How was that happen?" asked his wife as she helped him unwind the knitted scarf from his neck. "Tell me it at once, Hans."

"It was at the ferry that I came late," said Mr. Hartman, "from the blocked cars, and the boat she was just starting. A man he called me out, 'Joomp, joomp!' and for one moment I thought to make as he said. But I reminded myself to be cautious and wait, and in one minute more, Katchen, came a great patch of water showing! Then I took bolt of the post whereby I stood and said to myself, 'Hans, you were the wise man that you jumped not at first when that man advised.'—Youth's Companion.

Cracked Furniture.

Ugly marks caused by splits or cracked places in furniture are easily filled in with beeswax, and the mark is never detected. In fact, this is how furniture dealers cover such blemishes. First slightly soften the beeswax until it is like putty, then press firmly into the cracks and smooth evenly with a thin knife. Sandpaper over the surrounding wood and work the dust into the beeswax. This gives a wood finish or color, and when the furniture is varnished you will look in vain for the blemishes. It is better than putty, since putty soon dries, crumbles and falls out, while beeswax will remain forever just where it is placed.

They Needed Prayers.

A member of parliament tells a good story of an out of the way country clergyman who did not keep up to date in what was going on in the world. One Sunday he asked his sexton: "Is the prayer for parliament to be used today? Is parliament still sitting?"

The sexton's reply came promptly. "Well, sir, I don't know; but, anyhow, better pray for them, for they're a precious bad lot!"—London Standard.

Truthful.

He—Give me a kiss. She (decidedly)—I won't. He—You shouldn't say "won't" to me; you should say, "I prefer not." She—But that wouldn't be true.

The greatest firmness is the greatest mercy.—Longfellow.

WAUCOUSTA.

James Flanagan of Cascade was a caller here Friday.

L. Buelaff made a business trip to Campbelleport Tuesday.

Rolland Pieper made a business trip to Fond du Lac Monday.

H. F. Sackett held a meeting at the Eureka cheese factory Saturday.

W. B. Hatch will start making cheese for H. F. Sackett next Monday.

R. Rahling had a bee hauling wood and grain to Campbelleport last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Marquardt celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage last Sunday.

Otto Marquardt returned to Minnesota Tuesday after spending a week with his parents here.

Miss Carrie Buslaff was agreeably surprised by a number of her friends last Tuesday evening and all had a pleasant time.

A Real John Doe.

"There goes a man who would be justified in changing his name," said the city salesman. "His name is really Doe, and John in the bargain—John Doe. Moreover, he has a sister Jane. I wonder what kind of joke their parents were trying to perpetrate on those helpless mortals. Doe as a surname was bad enough without adding to the offense by tacking on John and Jane. When I first met John Doe I didn't take his name seriously. I thought the man who introduced us was enjoying a little pleasantry at my expense or maybe at the expense of John Doe. I smiled. John Doe did not smile.

"You don't believe it," he said, "but unfortunately it is true. I am the famous Doe."

"Later I met his sister Jane and the rest of that particular Doe family. They assured me that there are a number of Does in town. I presume there are, but I trust that in most cases the old folks had sense enough not to christen their offspring John and Jane."—New York Press.

The Moor and His Horse.

The horsemanship of the Moors is primitive and entirely successful. A Moor never walks when he can ride and never by any chance gets off to ease his beast. How a Moorish pony would have chuckled at the weary walks enforced on tired men by well meaning cavalry colonels in South Africa! He would have said to himself: "I don't think much of animals that can't carry fifteen stone fifteen hours a day. I must be a really superior kind of beast." The Moorish (and Goumler) horse always spends his nights in the open. He is never groomed or clipped. His youth is passed wandering untended over the vast fields. When in work he gets all the barley he wants at night and a drink before his feed in the evening. From 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. he expects to work and to work hard without bite or sup. His saddle is a wooden tree superimposed on at least half a dozen folded blankets, the thickness of which often reaches six inches, and he never gets a sore back.—London Spectator.

Ho Got the Ticket.

"Seamen's return" tickets are issued by most British railways at seaport towns to sailors at reduced rates. A rather well groomed young man demanded one to Birmingham; the booking clerk at Hull demurred.

"Seamen's returns" are only issued to sailors," he snapped.

"Well, I'm a sailor," was the reply. "I have only your word for that," said the clerk. "How am I to know it is correct?"

"How are you to know?" came the answer. "Why, you leather necked, swivel eyed son of a sea cook, if you feel my starboard boom running foul of your headlights you'll know I've been doing more than sit on a stool bleating all my life, and you'll haul in your jaw tackle a bit."

"Give him the ticket," said the passenger superintendent, who had overheard the dialogue; "he's a sailor, right enough."—London Scraps.

Seeing and Thinking.

Most people see an object when they think of it. They can see before their eyes a geometrical drawing or the figures on a chessboard when they think of them. In order to think at all most men make use of images, though they may be of different kinds. Thus one man when he thinks of "Italy" sees just the printed word; another sees the country's outline on a map; another may see the country spread out before him, with its villages and towns. Psychologists are beginning to classify the different aids or images of which men make use. Some, for example, hear the words of their thought within themselves; others read them, as if the words were written generally in black on a white ground.—London Post.

To Pluck Them.

Lord Justice Mathew once tried a case in which a money lender sued a youth who had fallen into his hands. The plaintiff demurred at counsel's referring to him constantly as a "money lender" and protested that he was something in addition to that.

"What is the addition?" inquired the judge.

"Well, I'm—well, a dealer in—er—birds." "Certainly—pigeons?" quietly asked the judge.—London Telegraph.

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GOING NORTH	Kewaskum	Campbellsport
No. 5	3:25 p. m.	3:35 p. m.
No. 3	12:15 p. m.	12:25 p. m.
No. 23	9:15 a. m.	9:31 a. m.
No. 17	8:25 p. m.	8:35 p. m.
No. 291	6:34 p. m.	6:48 p. m.
No. 231	8:50 a. m.	9:06 a. m.
GOING SOUTH	Kewaskum	Campbellsport
No. 10	9:42 a. m.	9:51 a. m.
No. 12	12:18 p. m.	12:04 p. m.
No. 14	2:32 p. m.	2:22 p. m.
No. 116	6:06 p. m.	6:31 a. m.
No. 18	7:40 a. m.	7:28 a. m.
No. 104	10:52 p. m.	10:42 p. m.
No. 20	7:26 p. m.	7:15 p. m.
No. 16	5:20 p. m.	5:10 p. m.

Daily. * Daily except Sunday. † Sunday only.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—Basketball next Friday evening.

—Tuesday is Washington's birthday anniversary.

—Miss Olive Sommers left Monday for Milwaukee.

—F. C. Gottsleben was a Fond du Lac caller Saturday.

—Elmer Jacobitz was a Milwaukee visitor Monday.

—Byron Rosenheimer was a Milwaukee caller Sunday.

—Mrs. William Ziegler visited at West Bend Wednesday.

—Conrad Bier Sr. and wife visited at West Bend Sunday.

—John Etta spent Monday at Fond du Lac on business.

—Robert Davies of St. Cloud was a village visitor Sunday.

—Jos. Eberle and wife were Milwaukee visitors Monday.

—Frank Zwazchka and family visited at Barton Sunday.

—The finest line of spring footwear at L. Rosenheimer's.

—Mrs. John M. Ockenfels was a West Bend visitor Wednesday.

—A. G. Koch and wife visited at Milwaukee Sunday and Monday.

—L. P. Rosenheimer was at Milwaukee on business Wednesday.

—John Brunner was a business caller at Milwaukee Wednesday.

—Jos. Straub of Campbellsport was a business caller here Saturday.

—C. C. Henry of West Bend was a business caller here Wednesday.

—John Lorenz of Milwaukee was a pleasant village caller Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westerman were West Bend visitors Thursday.

—Fred Falk is now making his home here with his son August and wife.

—Miss Lenora Andrae of Milwaukee spent Thursday here with her mother.

—Phil. Mc Laughlin had the misfortune of spraining his ankle last Friday.

—Rev. Stupfel of West Bend visited Wednesday here with Rev. Ph. J. Vogt.

—A. M. Wagner of West Bend transacted business in the village Tuesday.

—Jos. Opgenorth visited with Dr. Syl. Driessel at Barton Monday morning.

—Chas. Raether and Edw. Miller transacted business at West Bend Saturday.

—Jos. Muckerheide of Wausau visited relatives and friends here Wednesday.

—John Wenzel Jr. of Campbellsport was in the village on business Wednesday.

—Peter Kohn of North Fond du Lac called on friends and relatives here Monday.

—John Engel of Nebraska is visiting here with the Nic. Marx family at present.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Wendorf were guests of H. W. Schnurr and family Sunday.

—Mrs. John Bassel spent the past few weeks with friends and relatives at Chicago.

—Herman Opgenorth and son Albert were at Fond du Lac on business Wednesday.

—Mrs. Wm. F. Backhaus was laid up with the La Grippe the forepart of the week.

—Arthur Stark and wife spent the week with relatives at Milwaukee and Jackson.

—FOR SALE.—A good as new (West Bend) H. P. cheap. Inquire of H. W. Ramthun.

—The Bank of Kewaskum pays 3 per cent interest on deposits if left 3 months or over.

—Hugo Klumb of the Madison University spent the forepart of the week at home.

—J. W. Schaefer and wife visited with Christ Hall and wife at Campbellsport Monday.

—Miss Alvina Opgenorth returned home Sunday, after a weeks visit in the Cream City.

—Thomas Manning spent Saturday and Sunday under the parental roof at Thompson.

—Mrs. Daub of Milwaukee was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Muehleis over Sunday.

—Eugene Klotz of Milwaukee was in the village on business last Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Strachota of Fond du Lac visited with the former's parents here Sunday.

—Marvin, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Martin, was quite ill with bronchitis.

—Ernst Ramthun, the merchant, of New Fane boarded the train here Monday for Milwaukee.

—Mat Mahlberg of Braunell, Neb., is visiting with the Nic. Remmel and Harter families this week.

—Mrs. Casper Straub of St. Kilian was the guest of the John Tiss family the forepart of the week.

—Louis Klumb is again able to be around, after being laid up with the La Grippe for a week.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Klein of Wayne were pleasant callers at the home of George Rauch Sunday.

—Three per cent interest will be paid by the Citizen's State Bank on deposits if left 3 months or over.

—Mrs. Christian Schmidt had the misfortune of dislocating one of her shoulders Thursday morning.

—For clover, timothy and all other kinds of seed for spring seeding call on L. Rosenheimer.

—Erwin Miritz of Fond du Lac visited his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miritz here Saturday.

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

—Frank Theisen of St. Michaels boarded the train here Monday for Marshfield to visit his sister there.

—The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mattes has been seriously ill the latter part of this week.

FOUND.—A silver watch open case, on Fond du Lac Ave. Owner please call for same at this office.

—H. W. Schnurr who has been confined to his home on account of illness for several weeks is improving.

—Village Treasurer Wm. Schultz transacted business with the County Treasurer at West Bend Saturday.

—Erwin Smith visited his sister Mrs. Andrew Straub and family in the town of Ashford the past week.

—Peter Gonring and Mat. Fox from Cedar Lake spent Wednesday here with Albert Opgenorth and family.

—Frank Helmes a member of the Milwaukee Fire Department visited with the Endlich family Wednesday.

—Mrs. Ida Ramthun left Monday for West Bend to spend the week with her daughter Mrs. Richard Kanies.

—The local G. U. G. lodge held regular meeting Monday. Ten new members were proposed at this meeting.

—Mrs. Welsch and daughter of Milwaukee spent a few days here with her sister Mrs. Fred Schultz and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yoost and daughter Ella of West Bend are visiting here with Robert Yoost and family.

—The Misses Lilly Schlosser and Lorinda Guth visited with the And. Straub family in the town of Ashford Saturday.

—Our n. w. lines of men's socks, neckwear and collars are strictly up to date. Let us convince you.

—L. Rosenheimer.

—Wm. Becker and Frank Wallweber of Milwaukee spent Sunday with the former's brother, Jacob Becker and family.

—Mrs. S. E. Witzig spent a few days the forepart of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Smith, at North Fond du Lac.

—Ben Janssen left for Louisville, Minn., Tuesday evening, where he will be employed as a farm hand the coming summer.

—Chas. Muckerheide, who is employed in the Soo machine shops at North Fond du Lac, spent Sunday under the parental roof.

—William Klein and family who have been visiting here for a week left for Pittsville, Wis., Wednesday for a visit with relatives.

—Jacob Meinhardt Jr. and brother Fred of Kohlsville were guests of the Aug. Kirchner and George Metzger families Sunday.

—Henry Seefe'd returned to his home at Eden Saturday after visiting a few days the latter part of last week here with relatives.

—Mrs. A. Rosenheimer was at Milwaukee Sunday on account of the serious illness of the little daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Landman.

—Newton Rosenheimer was to Spring Valley, Wis., last Saturday in the interest of the Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

—Jacob Bruessel and family and John H. Martin and family were guests of Christ. Klumb and family in the town of Barton Sunday.

—Mrs. John Ockenfels returned home Monday after a few weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Nic. Braun and family at Reedsburg.

—Miss Amanda Remmel returned home Tuesday, after spending a few weeks with friends and relatives at Jackson and Milwaukee.

FOR SALE.—An S. Lange concertina, as good as new, will be sold cheap. Inquire at this office or of Jos. Honeck.

FOR SALE.—The Louis Klumb residence property on Fond du Lac avenue. Inquire at the property or at this office.

NOTICE.—The Kohn cheese factory, located two miles west of Kewaskum, will open on March 1st.—Sam Grossen, Proprietor.

—Mrs. Christ. Kippenhan of Loyol, Wis., and Mrs. Meier of Seattle, Washington, spent the forepart of the week with Jacob Bruessel and family.

—Miss Alma Habeck of Milwaukee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Habeck of West Bend is seriously ill at the Lake Side Hospital in Milwaukee.

—Know a Bank by the men behind it. Your attention is called to the officers, directors and stockholders of the Bank of Kewaskum.

—Gottlieb Zielicke of Esdaile, Pierce county, Wis., arrived here last week Friday to visit relatives and friends in this vicinity for a few weeks.

—A farewell party was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Schaezner last week Friday evening by a number of their friends at the home of Peter Fellenz.

—Mrs. Wm. Muckerheide returned home Wednesday after spending a week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Muckerheide, at Milwaukee, who is seriously ill.

—L. P. Rosenheimer and wife and Otto E. Lay attended the dedication of the new Masonic lodge rooms above Boerner Bros. store at West Bend Thursday evening.

NOTICE.—A cheese meeting will be held at the Geo. Metzger factory on Saturday, February 19th at 7:30 P. M. All patrons are requested to be present.

NOTICE.—All those interested in the organization of a brass band are requested to attend a meeting, which will be held at Krahn's tailor shop, Monday evening, February 21st, at 7:30 o'clock.

NOTICE.—A cheese meeting will be held at the cheese factory one mile north of St. Michaels on Wednesday evening, February 23rd, at 7:30 P. M. All interested please attend.—Marx & Heberer.

LOST.—An individual trip ticket West Bend to Milwaukee with about 20 rides left. Honest finder please return to this office or to owner whose name appears on ticket and receive reward.

FOR SALE.—40 acres of land in Section 1, town of Kewaskum, with first class buildings, good spring and also a good drilled well. Inquire of Math. Thullen, Kewaskum, Wis., R. R. 5.

—Rev. F. Mohrre of Woodman, Wis., the new pastor of the Ev. Peace church, arrived here with his family last Tuesday evening. Rev. Mohrre will preach his first sermon to-morrow, Sunday, at 10 A. M.

—Jos. Schaezner and wife returned to their home at Wabeno Saturday, after spending a few weeks here with relatives and friends. They were accompanied by Mr. Peter Fellenz, who will spend a few weeks with them.

—J. O. Nigh of Auburn rented his farm to John Haug for a term of a year. Mr. Haug took possession of the farm this week. John Hartner who had his farm rented to Mr. Haug last year has rented his farm to Christ. Hall.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—The mill property, known as Schrauth's pond, near Elmore, Wis., including 15 acres of land and all buildings. Inquire of or write to John A. Schrauth, Campbellsport, Wis., R. F. D. No. 31.

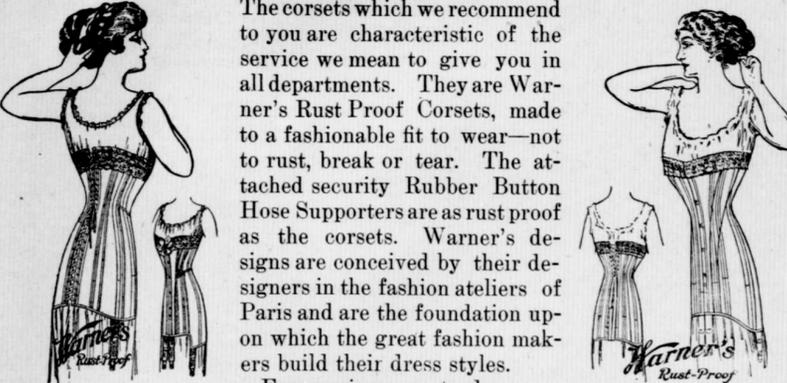
—The girl who can put a good square patch on a pair of pantaloons or command a regiment of pots and kettles, may not in the eyes of ten per cent of the aristocracy, seem as accomplished as the girl who can embroider and work a worsted dog on blue ground or hum the "Sweet Bye and Bye," but the working girl in every day battles of life, is worth a ten acre field full of the other kind.

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Our line of lenten groceries is more complete than ever. Just received a lot of canned goods consisting of Salmon, Sardines, Baked Beans, Lobster, etc. All high grade goods. We also have at all times a good supply of Fresh and Smoked Fish. Our Groceries are Always Fresh.

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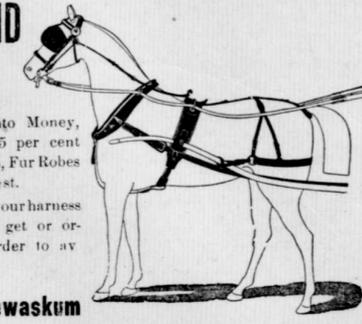
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wisely directed, will cause her to give to her little ones only the most wholesome and beneficial remedies and only when actually needed, and the well-informed mother uses only the pleasant and gentle laxative remedy—Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna—when a laxative is required, as it is wholly free from all objectionable substances. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Described.

Robert W. Chambers was congratulated at the Century club in New York on the success of his last novel.

"Directness," said Mr. Chambers, "is a factor in a novelist's success. Every novelist before launching into ten pages on a sunset should remember the man whose little boy said:

"Papa, what is descriptive writing?"

"Descriptive writing," the father replied, "is that part of the story which every one skips."—Washington Star.

Knee to Ankle a Mass of Humor.

About seven years ago a small abrasion appeared on my right leg just above my ankle. It irritated me so that I began to scratch it and it began to spread until my leg from my ankle to the knee was one solid scale like a scab. The irritation was always worse at night and would not allow me to sleep, or my wife either, and it was completely undermining our health. I lost fifty pounds in weight and was almost out of my mind with pain and chagrin as no matter where the irritation came, at work, on the street or in the presence of company, I would have to scratch it until I had the blood running down into my shoe. I simply cannot describe my suffering during those seven years. The pain, mortification, loss of sleep, both to myself and wife is simply indescribable on paper and one has to experience it to know what it is.

"I tried all kinds of doctors and remedies but I might as well have thrown my money down a sewer. They would dry up for a little while and fill me with hope only to break out again just as bad if not worse. I had given up hope of ever being cured when I was induced by my wife to give the Cuticura Remedies a trial. After taking the Cuticura Remedies for a little while I began to see a change, and after taking a dozen bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, in conjunction with the Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, the trouble had entirely disappeared and my leg was as fine as the day I was born. Now after a lapse of six months with no signs of a recurrence I feel perfectly safe in extending to you my heartfelt thanks for the good the Cuticura Remedies have done for me. I shall always recommend them to my friends. W. H. White, 212 E. Cabot St., Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 4 and Apr. 13, 1909."

EXPOSURE TO COLD

and was the first step to Pneumonia. Take Perry Davis' Pain-Expeller and the danger is averted. It is equal for colds, sore throats, quinsy, etc., etc., etc.

—Last year's American cotton crop was valued at \$638,000,000 and, if the value of the seed be added, the aggregate revenue from the crop was very close up to \$800,000,000.

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IGNORED SIGNALS.

Death of Spencer Trask Due to Carelessness.

Evidence placing the responsibility for the wreck on the New York Central railroad, upon the engineer of the freight which crashed into the passenger train was produced by officials of the road before the New York public service commission. Tower men and signal operators testified positively that the signals were operating properly and that the engineer of the freight must have passed two danger signals, set to warn him not to enter the block. The flagman at the crossing before which the passenger train stopped, swore that he spoke to the trainman twice before he started back with the signals.

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THOUSANDS WEEP AT SIMMONS BIER

FUNERAL OF KENOSHA'S "GRAND OLD MAN" IS ATTENDED BY THE ENTIRE CITY.

SPECIAL SERVICE FOR G. A. R.

Employs Form Long Line and File Past Casket for Over Two Hours.

"TAPS" ARE SOUNDED AT GRAVE.

KENOSHA Wis., Feb. 14.—[Special.]—All that was mortal of Zaimon G. Simmons was laid to rest in the Kenosha city cemetery this afternoon and during the two hours that the simple services of the funeral were in progress all Kenosha stood still, factories were closed, business was suspended and the city as one man mourned the loss of its greatest and best beloved citizen.

Hundreds of persons came from other cities to attend the funeral and Grand Army posts in all parts of Wisconsin and northern Illinois were represented. The first service of the funeral occurred at 11 o'clock when more than 200 of the members of the Grand Army, headed by several of the national officers, marched to the Simmons home.

Wrapped in Flag.

There the simple and impressive service of the Grand Army was carried out and taps were sounded. Wrapped in the flag he had loved so well, the remains of Mr. Simmons were then taken to the Gilbert M. Simmons church, the members of the Grand Army acting as a guard of honor.

Great crowds of people had already gathered at the church and for the next two hours, while the remains of Mr. Simmons lay in state, hundreds and even thousands of people filed past the bier and paid a tribute of affection.

It was silent throughout, but the faces of the men and women in the long line made that silence eloquent. Many wiped tears from their eyes as they took their last look at the face of their former employer and friend. A solid line of people continued to file past the remains until the casket was closed with the opening of the formal funeral service.

Service Is Simple.

In keeping with the wishes of Mr. Simmons the service was a very simple one. It was in charge of Rev. Florence Buck, and opened with the singing of "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," by the choir. Rev. Jenkin Lloyd Jones, pastor of All Soul's church in Chicago, read the passage from the scriptures, after which Rev. Florence Buck delivered the memorial address. She paid a great tribute to Mr. Simmons as a man, a manufacturer and an organizer, and told of his benevolence to this and other cities.

Following the address Bishop Fallows of Chicago offered prayer and the service closed with the choir singing "Abide With Me." At the grave the simple service of committing the body to earth provided by the Unitarian church was read.

FAIRBANKS IN BERLIN.

Former Vice President and His Wife Dine with Hills After a Sight-Seeing Trip in the City.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—Former Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks arrived in Berlin today. The presence of the former vice president was made known to Emperor William by the American ambassador through the usual official channels, and it is presumed that his majesty will invite Mr. Fairbanks to call upon him.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks spent the day in making calls and sight-seeing, and dined with American ambassadors and Mrs. Hill. Among the twenty-four guests at the dinner were Dr. Frederick von Moltke, Prussian minister of the interior, and his wife; Dr. Bessler, Prussian minister of justice, and the latter's wife and daughter; Baron Chinda, Japanese ambassador to Germany; Baron Von Dem Busche-Haddenhausen and his countess; Von Groeben, mother of Count Von Wedell, counselor and first secretary of the German embassy at Washington.

Others who came in during the music that followed the dinner included Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister to the United States, who is returning home by way of Berlin, Dresden, Vienna and St. Petersburg. Ambassador Hill will give a luncheon for Mr. Fairbanks on Wednesday, which invitations have been accepted by Chancellor Von Bethmann-Holweg, the presidents of the Reichstag and the Prussian House of Lords and other distinguished statesmen. A series of receptions in honor of Mrs. Fairbanks is being arranged.

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LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 16.

EGG AND DAIRY MARKETS.

BUTTER—Extras, easy; local price, extra creamery, 28c; prints, 24c; 25c; extra, 26c; process, 21c; dairy, fancy, 22c; lines, 20c; packing stock, 18c; 19c. **EGGS**—American, full cream, new made, twins, 10c; Young America, 10c; daisies, 17c; longhorns, 16c; Limburger, new make, 15c; 16c; 17c; grades, 12c; brick, 10c; 11c; 12c; Swiss, 27c; block new, 17c; 18c; round dairies, 19c; 20c.

CHEESE—The produce board's official market for strictly fresh laid as received, cases returned, 22c; 24c; recanted, fancy extras, 22c; 27c; storage, April, 25c; 26c; seconds and thirds, 13c; 14c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Firm on top grades. Receipts, 5716. Creamery specials, 30c; extras, 28c; third to first, 25c; 26c; state dairy, common to fine, 22c; 28c; process, first to special, 24c; 20c; western factory, 21c; 23c; western limitation creamery, 24c; 25c. **CHESSE**—Firm, unchanged. Receipts, 372. Eggs—Steady, unchanged. Receipts, 12,435.

MILWAUKEE STOCKYARDS REPORT.

HOGS—5c lower; prime butchers and heavy, 9.10c; 9.15c; shipping, 1.00 to 2.00 lbs, 9.00c; 9.05c; fair to best lights, 8.75c; 8.85c; fair 2.00c mixed, 8.50c; 8.55c; 8.60c; 8.65c; 8.70c; 8.75c; 8.80c; 8.85c; 8.90c; 8.95c; 9.00c; 9.05c; 9.10c; 9.15c; 9.20c; 9.25c; 9.30c; 9.35c; 9.40c; 9.45c; 9.50c; 9.55c; 9.60c; 9.65c; 9.70c; 9.75c; 9.80c; 9.85c; 9.90c; 9.95c; 10.00c; 10.05c; 10.10c; 10.15c; 10.20c; 10.25c; 10.30c; 10.35c; 10.40c; 10.45c; 10.50c; 10.55c; 10.60c; 10.65c; 10.70c; 10.75c; 10.80c; 10.85c; 10.90c; 10.95c; 11.00c; 11.05c; 11.10c; 11.15c; 11.20c; 11.25c; 11.30c; 11.35c; 11.40c; 11.45c; 11.50c; 11.55c; 11.60c; 11.65c; 11.70c; 11.75c; 11.80c; 11.85c; 11.90c; 11.95c; 12.00c; 12.05c; 12.10c; 12.15c; 12.20c; 12.25c; 12.30c; 12.35c; 12.40c; 12.45c; 12.50c; 12.55c; 12.60c; 12.65c; 12.70c; 12.75c; 12.80c; 12.85c; 12.90c; 12.95c; 13.00c; 13.05c; 13.10c; 13.15c; 13.20c; 13.25c; 13.30c; 13.35c; 13.40c; 13.45c; 13.50c; 13.55c; 13.60c; 13.65c; 13.70c; 13.75c; 13.80c; 13.85c; 13.90c; 13.95c; 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Mr. John Burroughs, the well-known author, Naturalist and bosom-friend of Theodore Roosevelt, says it is the most delicious pie berry he ever tasted, and a marvelous cropper.

A Director of the New York Agricultural Experiment Station says it fruits abundantly even in pure sand. In the short season of Northwestern Canada it is a godsend, and fruits long after frost has killed most garden truck.

D. S. Hill, Wichita, Kan., says thirty people grew it there last season with perfect satisfaction.

K. S. Enoch, Hammond, La., says it yields \$250 worth of fruit per acre with him. Mrs. J. H. Powers, 4732 Kenwood avenue, Chicago, raised enough berries on a space 4x10 feet to supply herself and friends.

J. P. Swallow, Kenton, Ohio, says its equal for all purposes does not exist.

Rev. H. B. Sheldon, Pacific Grove, Cal., says he likes the berries served in any and every way.

W. T. Davis, Enon, Va., says it is true to description in every way, and fruits in three months from seed.

Judge Morrow, of U. S. Circuit Court, says the Wonderberry is simply delicious raw or cooked.

Mr. Childs exhibited one plant five months old bearing 10,375 berries which measured about eight quarts.

Mrs. Hattie Vincent, Hayden, New Mexico, says it stands long, hard droughts of that climate and fruits abundantly all summer.

It is certainly the most satisfactory garden fruit and the greatest Novelty ever introduced.

The Salvationists Win.

Harry B. Miller, counsel for the Salvation Army, received a copy of the decision of the appellate court of New York, which reverses a ruling of a trial court denying the organization a writ of injunction forbidding the American Salvation Army from using the name "Salvation Army" and from using the name "War Cry" for its publication. Mr. Miller says that he soon will begin similar proceedings in the local courts in an effort to oust the rival organization, which he condemns in strong terms.—Chicago Examiner.

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BURIAL OF MODJESKA.

Translation of the Oration Delivered by Michel Tarasiewicz.

At the funeral of Mmc. Helena Modjeska, which was held at Cracow, there were many persons present who attended the funeral of Victor Hugo and who pronounced the ceremonies at the funeral of the famous actress as being even more impressive. Among those present was a fellow artist, Michel Tarasiewicz, who just before her casket was lowered into the grave read an oration written by himself. It is here given as translated and taught by the daughter-in-law of Mmc. Modjeska, Felice Modjeska.

"Hail to thee upon thy return to the country the earth of which is to be thy last resting place. Welcome thou, who might say of thyself as did Countess de Montfort 'I am here a passing angel. I have let thee see the lightning and disappeared upon the firmament of the sky.' Welcome, thou! for passing like an angel upon the Polish firmament of art and genius, thou hast left the lightning of it to both hemispheres. Be blessed for thy unbounded heart, for thy sweetness, goodness, charm, and grace; for having carried generations to the highest summits of thy art, for thy constant work, for thy ideal, for thy constant work, for thy ideal and that, in perfecting thy soul, thou hast been perfecting the soul of humanity—be blessed. Depart in the name of those who cannot see thee again—in the name of the throng thirsting for beauty not satiated, the hungry not to be nourished, and in the name of the thankful and sincere, the golden dream, ineffable in the memory of those who had the happiness of seeing thee and those who, never having seen thee, will know of thee by tradition. I say thy art, for thy constant work, for thy ideal, for thy constant work, for thy ideal and that, in perfecting thy soul, thou hast been perfecting the soul of humanity—be blessed. Depart in the name of those who cannot see thee again—in the name of the throng thirsting for beauty not satiated, the hungry not to be nourished, and in the name of the thankful and sincere, the golden dream, ineffable in the memory of those who had the happiness of seeing thee and those who, never having seen thee, will know of thee by tradition. 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CAMPBELLSPORT.

H. F. Sackett was a Fond du Lac caller Friday.

Joe Straub was a West Bend caller Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Senn spent Monday at Fond du Lac.

Ray Sackett was a Fond du Lac visitor Saturday.

A Farmers' Institute will be held here March 1 and 2.

W. C. Oviatt was at Oakfield on business Wednesday.

Ed. Burckardt was a caller at Milwaukee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kloke were in Fond du Lac Friday.

John Wenzel was at Kewaskum on business Wednesday.

C. D. Smith of Fond du Lac was a village caller Friday.

Jack Klein of Milwaukee was here on business Sunday.

Miss Mildred Straud spent Sunday at her home in Oshkosh.

Frank Flanagan called on friends in Ireland Sunday afternoon.

Nathan Haessly of Theresa was a pleasant caller here Monday.

Joseph Straub and Wallace Ward were callers at Elmore Sunday.

C. R. Van de Zande was a business caller at Plymouth Friday.

The Odd Fellows held a meeting at their hall Saturday evening.

Wm. O'Brien of Fond du Lac visited last Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Carey returned home Saturday from a visit at Milwaukee.

Christ Rothenberger spent a few days visiting relatives at Mayville.

Andrew Senn of Oshkosh called on his parents here Tuesday evening.

Walter Mack of Lomira was the guest of friends here Sunday evening.

Miss Maud Salter of Eden was a visitor at the L. Klotz home Sunday.

Miss Wiggins of Appleton was the guest of Myrtle Knickel over Sunday.

Reinhardt Spielman of Lomira spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Miss Lydia Senn of Lomira was the guest of her parents here over Sunday.

Tonight, Saturday, three prizes will be awarded at Boeckler's roller rink.

Miss Hattie Burkardt called on West Bend relatives and friends on Saturday.

H. Opgenorth and son Albert of Kewaskum were here on business Wednesday.

Henry and Ernest Kloke spent Sunday at Fond du Lac with their sister Frieda.

Ignatius Klotz Jr. and Miss Maud Salter were Fond du Lac callers on Sunday evening.

Frank Cole and Miss Olive Klotz took in the show at Fond du Lac Sunday evening.

John Miller of Lomira spent last Sunday evening with the Wm. Campbell family.

Miss Mary Haessly of Fond du Lac was the guest of Mrs. Barbara Cole for a few days.

The North Western Railway has put up a new shed here for the storage of oil and coal.

The Kewaskum basket ball team met defeat here last Friday evening by a score of 36 to 14.

Next Tuesday Old Settlers' meeting will be held at the I. O. O. F. Hall, Washington's birthday.

Olaf Anderson from Green Bay spent Sunday and Monday here with the J. Bonesho family.

Chas. Hartsook of Des Plaines, Ill., visited at the Wm. Katen home Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Sadie Katen of North Ashford was the guest of Miss Lilly Harder Saturday and Sunday.

A sleigh load of young people from here spent a very pleasant Sunday evening at Kewaskum.

Miss Gertrude Katen, who teaches school at Friendship, visited her parents here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Carey returned to her home at Elorado after a ten days visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. Bonesho and daughter Miss Josephine, and son, Willie, drove to St. Kilian Saturday to visit relatives.

Miss Irene Ward, who attends school at the Oshkosh Normal visited Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

And Senn Jr. returned to Oshkosh Wednesday morning to resume his duties with the Oshkosh Fuel Company.

Emmet Flood, a student of the

Marquette College, Milwaukee, was the guest of James E. Ward and family Sunday.

A party of friends surprised Miss Alice Borcharl last Tuesday evening. A good time was enjoyed by all in attendance.

Mrs. T. Manion and sons, Ward and Emmet, of Fond du Lac were guests of J. E. Ward and family Saturday and Sunday.

Jacob Gapenthuler, who has been the guest of relatives here for three weeks returned to his home in Beaver Dam Monday.

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Sackett last Friday evening by the members of the M. E. church, and all present had a very good time.

Miss Sedonia Mrs. W. who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at Milwaukee, returned home Sunday evening. We are all glad to see her and hope she will soon be entirely well.

One of the largest funerals ever held in Campbellsport was that of the late James Mc Cullough who died suddenly at his home last week Monday. The funeral was held at the St. Matthews church at 10 o'clock last Thursday morning.

Rev. Father July officiating. The pall bearers were Messrs. J. Paas, Ed. Lyons, J. Mc Crary, J. Stack, P. C. Hoey, E. J. Arimond, M. Farrell and J. Mc Enroe. The floral offerings from friends were profuse. All business was suspended during the morning in honor of his memory.

The relatives and friends who attended the funeral from out of town were: Rev. Father Mc Farland of Eden, Rev. Father Vogt of Kewaskum, M. Miles, Mayor of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Dr. S. Stack, J. T. Kelly, City Attorney of Milwaukee, Ed. Mc Cullough, J. B. Day of Hartford; P. C. Hoey of Chicago; P. H. O'Brien of Wausau, Senator and Mrs. Ed. Lyons, J. Mc Crary, F. F. Duffy, J. E. Sullivan, J. J. Carberry, Mrs. J. Mc Ginty, Miss May Mc Ginty, M. K. Reilly, Mrs. F. Sanders and Mrs. J. Neville of Fond du Lac; T. A. Coleman of Madison, F. J. Barber of Oshkosh; Mr. and Mrs. John Mc Cullough of Empire; Mr. and Mrs. James Mc Cullough, Wm. Mc Cullough, M. J. Mc Cullough, Miss Fannie Mc Cullough and Mrs. J. Coulihan all of Byron; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Arimond, Miss Mayme Flynn and John Flynn of Milwaukee; also a large delegation of friends from Eden, Byron, Osceola, Ashford and Auburn.

ELMORE.

Gottlieb Zielicke of Pierce county is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Geidel visited at the Dickman home at Campbellsport Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Struebing visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Struebing at Wayne.

Miss Susan Schill is at present employed as clerk in C. A. Thresher's store at New Cassel.

Mrs. Otto Backhaus and little son visited with relatives at Milwaukee for a few days this week.

Mike Gantenbein and wife and Mrs. William Senn spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Reinhardt and family.

Fred Schultz of Kewaskum and Mrs. James Walsh and daughter, Alice, visited relatives here last Wednesday.

Kleinhans & Boegel delivered 2 Sharpless Cream separators this week, one to Mr. Breseman and one to Jacob Hassinger.

Mike Kohn and family left for their new home at Freedom Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Struebing accompanied them as far as Fond du Lac, where they visited friends.

ST. KILIAN.

James Emmer of Merrill is at present staying at home.

Barthol Strobel of Lomira transacted business here Thursday.

And. Strachota transacted business at Milwaukee Wednesday.

Edward Byrnes of Milwaukee is spending a week visiting with his folk here.

Miss Theresa Boegel is visiting relatives at Milwaukee since last week Friday.

Mrs. C. Straub visited with the John Tiss family at Kewaskum the forepart of the week.

Miss Balbina Strobel left Wednesday for Lomira to visit her sister, Mrs. John Weber and family.

Frank Klockenbush who spent several weeks at home returned to Plymouth last week Friday to resume his position as farmhand.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Kneif of La Crosse visited with the And. Flasch family last week. They are on their honeymoon trip. The latter is well known here, her maiden name being Johanna Knar.

DUNDEE.

Dan Calvey and family spent Sunday with relatives at Rathburn.

Mrs. Foley and daughters will entertain the euchre club Friday evening.

Miss Anna Corbett spent several days of this week at P. King's as seamstress.

Miss Julia O'Connor of Mitchell was a pleasant caller in town last Wednesday.

Pat Gariety of Fond du Lac was about the village this week shaking hands with old time friends.

Jacob Hurtgen of Hartland and George Dahke of Duplainville arrived Friday for a visit with their relatives Chas. Corbett and family.

Christ. Brockmeyer and friend, Miss Mack, of Lomira came Tuesday and remained until Wednesday as the guests of Mrs. P. W. Gallagher.

Our teacher, Thomas Jordan, and pupils will give an entertainment Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, to which all the patrons of the school are cordially invited.

BOLTONVILLE.

Mrs. Schimmel had a wood bee last Friday and Saturday.

Ben Woog and family Sunday with his mother, Mrs. P. Woog.

Al. Rodenkirch made a business trip to Fredonia on Wednesday.

Miss Vera Witt of Fredonia is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Woog.

Rev. Reichert of Batavia called on the J. Frohman family last Saturday.

Wm. Groeschel and Ed. Rowe are cutting wood on the Fuller farm this week.

William Row and sister Edna visited friends at Waldo and Plymouth last week.

Mrs. Augusta Schimmel entertained the Frauenverein last week Thursday afternoon.

Miss Leta Frohman returned last Saturday from a visit with her sisters at Fond du Lac.

Miss Edna Row went to Milwaukee this week to undergo an operation on one of her eyes.

The Misses May and Edna Row, William Row and Ed. Melius spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Smith.

Prin. Hy. Hauschild and Miss Assmann are at West Bend to-day, Saturday, attending the teachers meeting. The former will outline a lesson in upper form geography and how to prepare it.

KOHLVILLE.

Henry and William Becker visited friends at Allenton on Monday.

Mrs. George W. Basler is on the sick list. We hope for a speedy recovery.

William P. Becker of Milwaukee is visiting with his parents here since Sunday.

Fred Metzner of Germantown visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Metzner, here.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Guntly was christened on Sunday, receiving the name of Eleanora.

Adam Kohl returned from Milwaukee on Monday, while his wife remained in the city owing to the sickness of her brother-in-law, Max Wenit.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Barley	65¢70
Wheat	90¢1.00
Red winter	90
Bye, No. 1	68¢77
Oats	40¢45
Butter	23
Eggs	23
Unwashed wool	26¢28
Potatoes	13¢25
Beans	2.00¢2.25
Hay	5.00¢10.00
Hides	11¢12
Honey	08
Apples	40¢1.00
Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs.	9.00¢13.00
White	9.00¢15.00
Alsayke	9.00¢15.00
Hickory Nuts	per bu. 1.25¢1.50

DRESSED POULTRY.

Spring Chickens, dressed	12
Hens	11
Old Roosters	08
Fesee, dressed	14
Dressed Ducks	16
Dressed Turkeys	20

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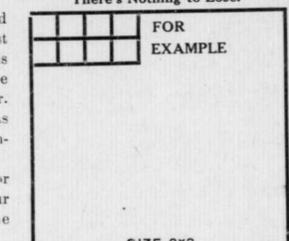
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