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## AUCTION SALES

Beginning at 9:30 A. M. sharp, on Monday, April 6, 1914, the undersigned will sell at public auction on the Chas. Brussel farm better known as the former John Klessig farm in Fillmore, Wis., 8 miles east of Kewaskum and 6 miles northwest of Fredonia, the following personal property, to-wit:

2 heavy working horses 4 and 5 years old weighing 1400 lbs., one heavy working horse 5 years old weighing 1300 lbs., 3 mitch cows, 13 hogs, 100 chickens, two set double working harnesses, one set single harness, grain binder, corn binder, hay rake, hay tedder, two horse riding corn cultivator, corn planter, manure spreader, a H. P. gasoline engine mounted on truck with sawing attachment, 1 sulky plow, three walking plows, lumber wagon, truck wagon, milk wagon, single top buggy, new Van Brunt seeder, bob sleigh, hay rack, hog rack, 150 bushels of choice oats, 1/2 interest in corn shredder, two gal. tank, 10 tons of hay, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms made known on day of sale.

The farm consisting of 90 acres of land together with buildings, silo and improvements will also be offered for sale.

A. L. Rosenheimer & J. B. Day, Owners.  
Geo. F. Brandt, Auctioneer.

Beginning at one o'clock sharp on Monday, April 6, 1914, the undersigned will sell at public auction on his farm located two miles northwest of Beechwood, the following described personal property, to-wit:

One bay team, 5 and 6 years old, one binder, one mower, one hay rake, two walking plows, one seeder, one drag, good as new, two corn cultivators, one horse corn drill, one single rig, one double buggy, one milk wagon, fifty chickens, five geese, four ducks, 3000 feet lumber and some timber one heavy double harness, one single harness, one cook stove, one heater, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms made known on day of sale.

Henry Vetter, Prop.  
John Laux, Auctioneer.

## Local Paper Discussed

Two farmers were not long since discussing their local paper. One thought it had too many advertisements in it. The other replied "in my opinion the advertisements are far from being the least valuable part of it. I look them over carefully and save at least five times the cost of the paper each week, through the business advantages I got from them." The other said: "I believe you are right—I know that they pay me well and rather think it is not good taste to find fault with the advertisements after all." "Those men have the right idea of the matter. It pays any man with a family to take a good local paper for the sake of the advertisements, if nothing more. And if business men fail to give farmers a chance to read advertisements in the local paper, they are blind to their own interests, to say the least of it. "You never trade with me," said a business man to a prosperous farmer. "You have never invited me to your place of business and I never go where I am not invited; I might not be welcome," was his reply.—Weyauwega Chronicle.

## The Income Tax

The total net income tax collected in Washington county this year amounted to \$18,248.49, exclusive of the personal property tax offset. The total paid in cash to the county is \$5,474.52, the state receiving \$1,824.54 and the county \$3,649.68. The total amount retained by each tax district, 70 per cent, amounted to \$12,773.85.

## Found a Rattlesnake

While unpacking a bunch of bananas at the Frank Klapsinski store, 439 Madison street, a live rattlesnake dropped from the grass that is used for packing the fruit for shipment and threw a scare into the people at the store that will not soon be forgotten. The reptile was a young one, about two feet long, and had one rattle at the end of its tail.—Beaver Dam Citizen.

—A copy of the Statesman sent to an absent friend is better than a weekly letter. Subscribe for it.

## FOX LAKE MAN HAS FATAL ACCIDENT

Herman Kringle of Milwaukee, 40 years of age and caretaker of the Robert Heider cottage at Fox Lake, was found dead in a field near the cottage last Friday morning. He had been in Fox Lake the evening before and in driving to the cottage he left the highway and took a short cut across the field. It is supposed that he fell asleep and in that way got out of the road and onto a plowed field, which caused the buggy to tip over, throwing him to the ground. When found the body was frozen stiff and the neck was broken.—Juneau Independent.

## Nominated Town Ticket.

At the town caucus held in Groeschel's hall last week Saturday the following ticket was nominated for the town of Kewaskum:

Chairman—Emil Backhaus  
Supervisors—Frank Van Epps and Gerhardt Fellenz  
Clerk—Louis Backhaus  
Treasurer—Albert Koehler  
Assessor—August Schaefer  
Justice of the Peace (1 year)—Frank Van Epps, Louis Backhaus and Aug. Schnurr  
Constable—Wm. Muckerheide and Chas. Bremser

Caucus Committee for ensuing year—Aug. F. Kirchner, Hubert Fellenz and John Oppenorth.  
The only opposition at the caucus was for supervisor and treasurer. A. B. Ramthun and Emil Siegel were the defeated nominees for supervisor, while Albert Koehler defeated August F. Kirchner for treasurer. The vote was very light.

## WAYNE

C. S. Schaefer transacted business at Kewaskum Monday.

George Petri and Frank Wietor visited at Milwaukee last Friday. Chas. Brussel of Fillmore called here on business one day last week.

Wm. Kuehl and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents at St. Anthony.

Edward Miller and Geo. F. Brandt of Kewaskum called here on business last week Friday.

Math. Beisbier and Nic. Mertes of Kewaskum were business callers here one day last week.

Ralph Petri returned home last week Friday after visiting two months with relatives and friends at Milwaukee and Chicago.

John and Byron Brandt of Wabeno, Wis., spent last week with their parents and many friends here. They bought a team of horses to take back to Wabeno, where they bought a farm.

Miss Theresa Hawig, spent several days of last week, with relatives and friends at St. Anthony, Allenton and Milwaukee.

A large number from the surrounding towns attended the auction, held on the Aug. Becker farm Tuesday.

Mrs. Otto Bartelt, and daughter returned to their home at Schellingville, after spending a week with relatives and friends here.

The town board met here Tuesday.

Mrs. Jossey and children of Milwaukee are spending several weeks with the former's parents, and other relatives and friends here.

Louis Petri of Campbellsport and his sister, Mrs. H. Wendel of Omaha, Neb., called on the Petri and Werner families, here Wednesday.

Alfred Ramthun of Kewaskum, is employed for Andrew Knoebel for the coming season.

Mrs. John Spoerl and daughter, spent Tuesday with the former's parents.

Wenzel Sukowaty and sister, Frances, spent Tuesday with relatives and friends at Kewaskum.

Edwin Muehlus and sister, Lydia, spent Tuesday with their brother, Louis and family, south of here.

Byron Rosenheimer of Kewaskum was a business caller here Tuesday.

—The lecture course given under the auspice of the Woman's Club, of this village, the past season, was a financial as well as a social success. The total amount of money realized above all expenses was \$36.00, which amount will go towards the benefit of the library. The Woman's Club is to be congratulated upon their success.

## OF INTEREST TO FARMERS Alfalfa Worth Over \$80 Per Acre.

George McKerrrow, who, besides being for a quarter of a century the leader in farmers' institute work in this state, is a high grade farmer, states that his alfalfa crops are worth more than \$80 per acre per year. Every successful alfalfa grower in the state will agree with this statement. It is not, then, better to urge the farmers to grow alfalfa than to paint dismal pictures of agricultural conditions? The fact is that the Wisconsin farmers are the most prosperous people in the whole country—and the question at issue should be to increase prosperity. The extension of alfalfa is one of the ways to increase prosperity. Another way is to get and keep better cows, and still another to systematize and standardize farm crops. When we have won the battle for standardization, we will be ready for the packaging and marketing problem—not until then.

## 1914 a Wisconsin Year

The prophesy made some time ago by the Wisconsin Advancement association that 1914 would be the biggest year yet seen in the settlement of the northern counties is already an assured fact. For the first time in the history of that portion of the state people are coming on their own initiative in quest of land on which to establish homes. All the surrounding states are contributing their portion.

## Scoffing That Doesn't Pay

There is a tendency upon the part of some to scoff at the work of the specialists who are attempting to better agricultural conditions—and to say that the leaders of thought should be the farmers themselves. This is a narrow view of the situation—in fact the good farmers are the leaders of thought, and the specialists are the conveyors of that good thought. A man in farming or any other line of work may be a success in developing new methods and possess no faculty for conveying that information to the public. Publicity is a special work, and it requires painstaking effort. It is true that there are fakery in that work as well as in all others, but it is only the hardworkers who last. Don't scoff but digest.

## ST. KILIAN

Election next Tuesday.

Miss Geneva Flaseh left Monday for St. Louis, Mo., to remain for some time.

Miss Emma Grab of Chippewa Falls is visiting here with her parents since Saturday.

James Heisler, aged 62 years, one of town Ashford's most prominent citizens, passed away at his home two miles north of this village last Monday, March 30th at 2:30 P. M., after only a two days illness with pneumonia, although the unfortunate suffered with rheumatism for the past thirteen years. Mr. Heisler leaves to mourn his loss his wife and seven children, namely, Mary, Mrs. Clem Funke, and Louis of Milwaukee; Leo, Peter, Minnie and Margaret at home, one brother, Geo. Heisler of Hartford and three sisters, Mary, Mrs. Math Beisbier of Kewaskum, Catherine, Mrs. John Steichen of Hartford and Margaret, Mrs. Sam Hawig of Wayne.

The deceased was very well liked by all who knew him. He was a very kind, loving and faithful husband and father and a good christian. He was a member of the local branch of the Catholic Knights. The funeral, which was very largely attended was held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock with services in the local Catholic church, interment was made in the congregations cemetery, Rev. Borebach officiated. Several members of the Catholic Knights from Kewaskum and Lomira and the full membership of the Ashford branch were in attendance. The pall bearers were: Andrew Strachota, Joe Bolander, Jos. C. Straub, Anton Weisner, Andrew and Philip Beisbier. To the bereaved family the Statesman together with its many readers extend their deep heartfelt sympathy.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We hereby desire to express our sincere thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us during our late bereavement, the illness, death and burial of our beloved husband and father, James Heisler, and to all those who paid their last respect by attending the funeral.

Mrs. James Heisler and children.

## FRED C. KLEBS FOUND GUILTY

Former Oakfield Publisher is sentenced to ninety days in Jail or Pay \$25 Fine for pointing revolver.

## WILL APPEAL THE CASE

Claims That He Used Gun for Protection on his Own Property

After being found guilty by a justice court jury on the charge of pointing a revolver at J. A. Zielke, F. C. Klebs was fined \$25 with the alternative of ninety days in jail by Justice F. L. Cowles of Oakfield on Monday. Klebs filed notice of appeal.

Klebs is alleged to have pointed a revolver at J. A. Zielke, after the latter had been authorized to levy on a gasoline engine in part payment of the taxes alleged to be due from Klebs.

According to Zielke he was acting in the capacity of a mechanic in removing the engine from the Klebs's shop and was sent there by W. E. Bristol, village treasurer. While he was working on the machinery, Klebs entered and said to have at first threatened to strike Zielke with an iron bar if he would not leave the place. Zielke refused and then the defendant, it is said, went to the front of the store and picked up a revolver. He is alleged to have then walked towards Zielke and said "If you don't get out of here I'll fill you full of holes." Zielke left the place.

Klebs testified that he pointed the gun towards Zielke in protection of his own property. Attorney James Murray of Waupun appeared for the defendant while District Attorney Downs appeared for the state.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

## AMUSEMENTS.

April 13—Grand Easter Dance in Groeschel's hall. Music by the Kewaskum Quintette. Refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Monday, April 13—Grand Easter Ball in Schrauth's hall Schrauth's Pond. Music by the Kewaskum Concertina band. A good time is in store for all.

## BEECHWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. William Koepke sold their place to Charles Bleck last week and will make their home with their daughter, Mrs. William Mattes at Dundee.

Ed. Klein while cutting feed at Oscar Muench's place last week Friday, had two of his fingers cut partly off by getting them in the feed cutter gears, he is getting along nicely.

FOR SALE.—3 Chick Brooder, 1-200 size and 2 each 100 size. Inquire or write to A. C. Hoffmann, Address Kewaskum, R. D. 1.

At the town caucus held Saturday afternoon the following officers were nominated: Chairman, J. W. Liebenstein; Supervisor, J. H. Reysen and Frank Deiner; Clerk, Oscar A. Koch; Treasurer, William Moos; Assessor, Chas. Weingartner; Justice of the Peace, O. A. Koch; Constable, Art Woog; Frank Schroeder and John Sauter; Pond Masters Ed. Kreutzinger, H. A. Backhaus, Geo. Warden, August Bruesewitz and Frank Deiner.

Jake Horning had an addition built to his barn. Martin Bassil and crew of Kewaskum did the work.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Gatzke a baby boy. Congratulations.

The town board met at the town clerk's office, Tuesday.

Oscar Muench was a business caller at Ward Prospect, Monday.

Martin Warden spent Saturday with John Eidelbusch.

## BOLTONVILLE

John Balthazard of Milwaukee is visiting relatives here.

Peter Geib and family spent last Saturday at Random Lake.

Mrs. J. Fickler is spending a few weeks with her daughter at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Wm. Brazelton entertained her lady friends at a rag-bee last Friday afternoon.

Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Lenten services will be held at St. John's church, south of this village.

## Official Notice.

County of Washington,  
Village of Kewaskum.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Village Election at which the following officers are to be elected: A President, three Trustees, a Treasurer, and Assessor, a Constable and a Justice of the Peace for two years, will be held in the Village Hall in said Village on the seventh day of April next, and that the polls of said election will be open at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and closing at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon on the same day.

Edw. C. Miller,  
Village Clerk.

Dated at Kewaskum, Wis., this 20th day of March, A. D., 1914.

Name of Applicant,  
Chas. Schaefer.  
Location of place of business,  
Intersection of Fond du Lac Road and Main Street.  
Bondsman:  
H. W. Krahn and John W. Schaefer.

## Women May Vote

Women may vote for county commissioners of education, according to an opinion given to the district attorney of Monroe, Green county. "Under the broad construction given to the act," says the attorney general, "there can be no question but that women having the necessary qualifications as to age, residence, etc., are entitled to vote the same as men in the election of the county board of education."

## BOY'S HAND PIERCED.

Roland Reinke, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Reinke of this city had his hand pierced by a knife, while playing with his sister at his home. The little girl had the knife and in scuffling with her brother accidentally ran it into his hand, the point piercing from the palm to the back of the member. He was treated at once and though he lost considerable blood, the injury will not be of a serious nature.—Plymouth Reporter.

## ASHFORD.

Election next Tuesday, April 7. Wednesday, April 1st was fools day.

Easter Sunday a week from to-morrow, Sunday.

Mrs. Joe. Berg was a Fond du Lac caller last week Friday.

Nellie Hilbert has completed her course in dressmaking at Lomira.

Henry Strobel called at the John Krueger received his new Simplicity gasoline engine this week.

County Seat the latter part of last week.

Boys, are your tools for spring work sharp? It will soon be time for seeding.

Miss Irene Berg who has been visiting with the Barthol Jaeger family has returned home.

Many from here and vicinity attended the auction at Wm. Krueger at Elmore last Monday.

Harland Zehren who has been visiting with friends and relatives here and Lomira has returned to his home at Marathon City.

Henry Manel, one of Ashford's prominent young men, has left for Lomira, where he has accepted a position as head cheese maker.

Town caucus was held at Rafenstein's hall last Saturday, Joe Strobel was nominated as chairman and Joe. Serwe as supervisor, with no opposition.

## ATTENTION FARMERS

Farmers will save themselves much work, time and money if they buy prepared soapstone from the Appleton Soap Factory instead of bothering with lye made from ashes, when working up their waste kitchen fats into soap. Throw your ashes upon the fields and you will gain ten times the cost of my Soapstone. It is excellent for the following purposes: to make hard and soft soap, to dehorn cattle, to clean sewers, sinks, milk cans and machinery. To remove paints and varnish, to clean boilers, to dress wounds, on hoofs of cattle and sheep, to drive away mice and rats. Full direction with every can. For sale by:

L. Rosenheimer,  
A. G. Koch,  
Kewaskum, Wis.  
Beisbier & Jaeger,  
Campbellsport, Wis.

When ready to add the thickening to the liquid dip two or three spoonfuls of the boiling liquid into the thickening, stir together and turn slowly into the hot liquid, stirring constantly until it boils up well, when it will be done. By dipping the hot liquid into the thickening it brings the temperature somewhere near that of the liquid, consequently, when stirred it does not retard the boiling at all. This same method holds good in regard to custards, sauces, salad dressings, or anything cooked in a like manner.

Another gravy secret: When the milk supply is low, instead of helping out with water use potato water, strained from the potatoes. You will find it a much better substitute.

## RAILROAD

**A DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT**  
Mrs. Adam Engelhardt, of the town of Polk, met with a very deplorable accident at her home last Wednesday evening. While going upstairs she was taken with a fainting spell and fell down the entire flight of stairs. A doctor was immediately summoned, who upon examination found that the unfortunate woman received a fracture of the skull and lower jaw bone, a broken nose and severe bruises of the body. Although at first feared that she had no chances to survive, she has rallied sufficiently to give hopes for a complete recovery.—Hartford Times.

## Easter Opening

I hereby wish to announce to the ladies of Kewaskum and vicinity the Easter opening of spring hats. A visit will be appreciated even if you do not intend to buy.—Mrs. J. O. Nigh.—Adv

## OAK GROVE

H. F. Bartelt was at Armstrong on Monday.

Ella Ketter spent Tuesday with Mrs. M. Haskin.

Mrs. Chas. Litchester spent Friday at Fond du Lac.

Wm. Ketter made a business trip to Campbellsport Monday.

Walter Bartelt, was a pleasant visitor at Campbellsport, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ludwig spent Friday in Fond du Lac with friends.

Herman Litchester spent Tuesday with John Rolfs at Oscoda.

Robert and Leroy Gibbons made a trip to Campbellsport, Wednesday.

Miss Rose Ludwig spent the forepart of this week with her parents.

Wm. Ketter, and daughter, Ella, spent Friday with friends at Campbellsport.

Mrs. Frank Burnett, and son, Paul, spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. L. Allen.

Willie Summerfield, spent Wednesday evening with the Dunton family at Woodside.

Mrs. August Wach entertained a number of lady friends at a quilting bee last Friday.

Mrs. F. Allen and daughter Eva and Mrs. F. Ludwig spent Tuesday with Mrs. J. B. Odekirk.

Bessie Odekirk and brother Norman of Woodside, were last week callers one day last week.

## The South Has a Freeze.

For the third time this winter the south has suffered from a freeze at the most disastrous moment. Wisconsin people who are inclined to go south to raise winter crops should make a note of this fact.

## CEDAR LAWN.

Hazel Gudex of Fond du Lac spent last Friday at home.

John L. Gudex attended to business at Fond du Lac last Friday.

John Velmen made a business trip to the County Seat last Friday.

J. F. McNamara transacted business at Fond du Lac last Saturday.

William Kimball of Madison who represents the Nichol and Shepherd threshing machine company transacted business here last Friday.

## Keep the Good Cows

The Wisconsin advancement association announces that it will continue its campaign for keeping Wisconsin's good cows in Wisconsin. On no score can we afford to let them go—they are worth more to us in Wisconsin than they are to anyone else anywhere, and we have the means to keep them. Let the various communities all over the state organize to assist the farmers in buying those that are for sale—and keep them in the state.

## CHILDREN EXAMINED

Two large classes of children were examined in the Ev. Peace and Lutheran St. Lucas churches last Sunday. Both classes will be confirmed to-morrow, Palm Sunday in the respective churches.

The class examined in the Ev. Peace church by Rev. Mohme consisted of the following:

Arthur Schmidt, Rueben Backhaus, Ernst Backhaus, Carl Prost, Oscar Kirchner, Carl Schnurr, Leroy Groeschel, Annie Bremser, Laura Doms, Antonetta Koepke, Elsie Brussel, Lena Eichstedt, Frieda Giese, Frieda Stirn, Elester Backhaus, and Florence Groeschel.

The class examined by Rev. Greve in the Lutheran St. Lucas church consisted of the following:

Elroy Backhaus, Eddie Dooke, Belinda Belger, Ella Bunkelmann, Marie Klein, Malinda Marquardt, Amelia Seefeldt, Alma Seefeldt, Viola Schultz, Viola Zumach, Elnora Quandt.

## SURVEYERS TO WORK NEXT WEEK

The Milwaukee Western Electric road will start out a surveying crew the first of next week to complete the preliminary surveying for the grading of the line, says the Milwaukee Free Press.

The first work will be between Milwaukee and New Butler. Because of the railroad crossings the company has been compelled to shift its right of way and the surveying of this will then be pushed over the remainder of the line, so as to have it all ready for grading purposes this spring.

## AFTER THE SALOON MEN

State officers are prowling around the saloons in the neighboring cities and villages watching for minors to buy drinks, etc. It is rumored that an anti-saloon man from Waukeesa was in Mayville over Sunday on the lookout for disobedience to the state law on minors. He evidently got track of one sure case.—Lomira Review.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The Senior Physics class were given a test last Friday.

Definition of the Equator as found in a Sophomores note book: Equator the earth's waist-line unfashionably located year after year.

The copies of the Senior class play have been received and practice of it will soon begin.

The following program will be given on Friday afternoon, April 3, 1914 at the High School:

Composition Harvey Brandt  
Composition Edgar Romaine  
Composition Esperence Backus  
Declamation Erwin Mohme  
Composition Walter Schaefer

## KOHLVILLE

Election next Tuesday.

Gustav Kuehl of Theresa was a visitor here on Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Weber visited for a few days at Milwaukee last week.

William Guth visited at Freeport, Ill., for a few days last week.

The public auction held at Aug. Becker last Tuesday was well attended and all articles sold at a good price.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Kohl transacted business at West Bend last Wednesday.

Fred Metzner and family of Allenton visited with John Pilling and family last Sunday.

Geo. Becker of Milwaukee and Jac Becker and family of Kewaskum spent Tuesday with Aug. Becker.

Mrs. Gotthold Friedemann died of old age at her home one and one half miles southeast of Kohlville last Tuesday, aged 83 years one month and twenty-nine days. Deceased was born in Saxony, Germany in 1831 and was married to Gotthold Friedemann. Their union was blessed with four children of whom three survive, viz: Bertha and Lena of Milwaukee and Richard of here. Besides these she leaves her old and sorrowing husband and eight grand children to mourn her demise. Her remains were interred in the Kopp cemetery last Friday, Rev. Otto of West Bend officiating.

—Rosenheimer and Day this week sold one of their many farms, the Mrs. Raasch farm, located in the town of Auburn, consisting of 165 acres to Henry Oppel of the town of Kewaskum. Consideration private. Mr. Oppel will take possession on May 1st.

HOSPITAL CORPS FOR MILWAUKEE

SURGEON GENERAL SEAMAN ORDERED TO ESTABLISH FIELD SERVICE.

WILL BE FULLY EQUIPPED

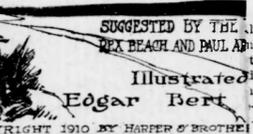
Official of the W. N. G. Medical Department Will Receive Applications of Men Desiring to Join at Any Time.

Madison.—Surgeon General Gilbert E. Seaman of the Wisconsin National Guard has received the official order from the state headquarters at Madison in relation to the formation of a hospital corps at Milwaukee. The hospital is to consist of a major, four captains, four lieutenants, three sergeants, first class, six sergeants and corporals and 48 privates. It is to be fully equipped for the field and, like the rest of the National Guard, ready for instant service. It is the purpose of the state, in directing the organization of this hospital, not only to comply with the requests of the United States war department and thus fulfilling its position as the reserve of the regular army, but to be ready for service when the state in times of need. When the Dayton flood created a condition of need the field hospital corps of the regular army did valiant service. It is the aim that this state field hospital be in readiness to do like service whenever fire, or flood, or other cause makes such service necessary. "Naturally at the time the federal authorities are anxious," Dr. Seaman said on Friday, "to have every detail of military equipment and organization in smooth running order in case it becomes necessary to send men into Mexico on short orders. Dr. Seaman will begin the organization of the hospital corps at once, and will receive the applications of men desiring to join at any time.

CLINICS WILL BE HELD

WISCONSIN SURGICAL ASSOCIATION PLANS THREE DAYS' SESSION.

Meetings to Open in Milwaukee on April 22 and Close on the 24th—Banquet Will Close the Gathering.



Madison.—A large number of "extra" employees and two regulars in the office of the railroad commission have been "let out" temporarily, due to the fact that the appropriation made by the department by the 1913 legislature is not sufficient to carry on the work as it should be carried on. The appropriation is \$183,000. It is explained by Chairman Roemer of the commission that it has become necessary to put a large part of the force of the commission upon work in the engineering department and that, inasmuch as the "extra" help could not be employed in this work, the present action was followed.

STATE EMPLOYEES LET OUT

Appropriation for the Railroad Commission Made by the 1913 Legislature Is Not Sufficient to Carry on Work.

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PRISONERS' LIBERTY SHORT

Two Men Under Sentence for Burglary, Who Escaped From Jail, Are Caught by Sheriff Near Superior.

Washburn.—Discovering the escape of two prisoners under sentence for burglary before the trial was held, Sheriff Max Hoppler succeeded in rounding them up at Brule, near Superior, a few hours later. Surprising them while drinking in a saloon, the sheriff ordered the men, Edward Murphy and Phil Smith, to throw up their hands and, after they had been searched, handcuffed them and brought them back to Washburn.

NORMAL SCHOOL IS BURNED

Blaze of Unknown Origin Destroys the Main Building of Superior Institution, Causing a Loss of \$250,000.

Superior.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the main building of the Superior Normal school. The structure alone with its contents cost \$200,000. The equipment and other contents, valued at \$50,000, were also consumed.

DEMAND FOR BINDER TWINE

Madison.—We are behind the orders for binder twine manufactured at the state prison," said Warden Daniel Woodward, who was in Madison attending the meeting of the state board of control. "To date we have manufactured 2,193,000 pounds of twine and it is all sold and orders are still coming." President Ralph Smith of the state board of control said it might be necessary to pay the prisoners for their overtime work and have them work at night, so all orders received could be cared for. This is the second year that twine has been made at the prison. The mill is now turning out about 100,000 pounds of binder twine per week, continued Warden Woodward. "About 90 men are employed in the mill. A system of payment to the inmates for the work they actually do is a great incentive for quick and intelligent action."

PAPERMAKERS ASK WAGE INCREASE

Marinette.—Several hundred employees of the Menominee & Marinette Paper company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in this territory, have threatened to strike unless a daily advance of 25 cents a day is immediately granted. H. A. J. Upham of Milwaukee is president of the company.

PLAN LABORERS' FARMS

Elkhart Lake.—The Sheboygan Valley Land & Lime company is going to try to settle the labor question by constructing a number of modern cottages on small tracts of land and importing laborers with their families. The laborers will be allowed to have large gardens, raise chickens, etc.

Y. M. C. A. WORKERS MEET

Edgerton.—A county conference of the Rock county Y. M. C. A. was held here. The meeting opened with an address by J. A. Markham, secretary, followed by the election of officers.

WOMEN PLAN MEET

Marshfield.—The woman's club of this city has invited the federated clubs of the Eighth district, comprising Wood, Marathon, Waupaca, Portage, Shawano and Waushara counties, to meet in district convention here May 5.

EXPECT EARLY OPENING

Neenah.—Navigation of the Fox and Wolf rivers and Lake Winnebago will open on April 1. This is considerably earlier than in former years and one week earlier than in 1913.

JUNIOR CLASS ORATOR NAMED

Madison.—Gustave Wright, 15, of Fond du Lac, has been appointed Junior orator to give the response to the seniors at the university 1914 commencement, by President Bull of the Junior class.

STATE LEADS IN PEA PRODUCTION

21,845 ACRES OF THIS CROP IS RAISED IN DOOR COUNTY.

CLIMATE AND SOIL IDEAL

List of the Ten Leading Counties According to Census of 1910, Michigan Was Slightly Ahead of Wisconsin in 1909.

Madison.—Wisconsin ranks first in the production of canning of dry peas. In 1909, according to the census of 1910, Michigan was slightly ahead of Wisconsin in point of acreage. The production of dry peas has decreased in the eastern states during the first decade of the present century. Maine produced nearly 36,000 bushels in 1899 and produced less than 5,000 bushels in 1909. In New York the production fell from 21,180 bushels in 1899 to 71,488 bushels in 1909, or less than one-third of the production in 1899. The province of Ontario in Canada is a heavy producer of peas, the bulk of the crop, which amounts to about 13,000,000 bushels yearly, being used principally for stock feed. Peas are mostly grown in localities which possess a cool climate. The pea plant likes cool weather; it may also take the place of corn where this crop does not do well because the summers are not warm enough. In Wisconsin the distribution is about on the same principles, for the counties which produce the largest amounts also have a cool summer climate. Door county, for instance, produces nearly one-third of the dry pea crop, while Manitowish and Kewaunee are also heavy producers. These three counties have a long growing season with cool summers. Soil, too, has a great influence on the distribution of the crop. All the important pea-producing counties in Wisconsin possess a heavy soil for the most part. The ten leading pea-producing counties in Wisconsin in 1909 are:

Table with 3 columns: County, Acreage, Bu. (Brown, Calumet, Door, Kewaunee, Langlade, Manitowish, Marathon, Marinette, Oconto, Shawano)

WILL GATHER IN SUPERIOR

State Board of Agriculture Will Hold Session There on April 8—Wisconsin Fair Will Be Discussed.

Superior.—The state board of agriculture will meet in Superior, the first time in its history, on April 8, according to an announcement made here. Conference will be held with members of the Douglas County Fair association and others interested in promoting the agricultural welfare of the section, with a view to increasing interest in the Wisconsin state fair. Similar meetings are being held elsewhere in northern Wisconsin and the board hopes to create enough enthusiasm to assure the fair becoming one of the biggest and best in the country.

WILEY'S BABY SPEAKS LATIN

Madison.—Dr. W. H. Wiley, famous pure food advocate, who is here this week, says his twenty-three-month-old boy speaks Latin as well as English. "The proper training for infants and young children," he said, "consists in pure food and good language. His greatest delight—from the standpoint of his father—is when he goes walking with his father and receives his daily lesson in Latin, which he much enjoys. Harvey W. Wiley II has never had any meat or poultry. He has never had any candy, sugar, ice cream, sweet cookies or other foods of that kind. I need not add that he had never had any tea, coffee, chocolate, beer, wine or whiskey. He is a perfectly developed boy, enjoys life immensely and calls his meals by the uniform name of dinner."

WOMEN'S CLUBS TO MEET

Grand Rapids.—The next convention of the Eighth district Women's clubs is to be held in Marshfield on May 5 to 7. The Eighth district includes 13 clubs, located in Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, Wausau and Waupaca, and it is expected that full two hundred visiting clubwomen will respond to the invitation extended by the Marshfield club. Among the prominent speakers will be Mrs. Strathern of Kaukauna, state president of the Women's Federation of clubs, and Miss Ellen Sabin of Milwaukee, president of Milwaukee-Downer college. The last district meeting was held in Grand Rapids.

UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN FOUND DEAD

Milwaukee.—The body of an unidentified woman, terribly charred and so badly disfigured that it was at first impossible to determine the sex of the corpse, was found by laborers who were clearing up the debris of the Windsor hotel, burned March 19. It has developed that a Racine quarryman named William Harris has not been seen since the fire, though he was thought to have been staying at the hotel. The woman was apparently burned as she slept, being practically nude.

TOMAHAWK AWAITS GOVERNOR

Tomahawk.—Gov. Francis E. McGovern will deliver an address at the fortnightly dinner of the Men's club on April 3. He will come here from Superior, where he speaks the night before.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING

Green Bay.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Majors have just celebrated their golden wedding. They have lived in this city the last 40 years. Both are natives of Denmark.

PRESIDENT HUERTA PRESENTS REGIMENT WITH COLORS



The picture shows President Huerta and General Blanquet, secretary of war, at the recent ceremonies in Mexico City, when Huerta presented the Twenty-ninth regiment with the colors. President Huerta is seen returning the salute of the regiment.

REBELS IN TORREON

FORCE FROM EAST FIGHTS WAY TO CENTER OF CITY.

General Villa's Forces Capture Gomez Palace on Third Assault—Federalists Retreat.

Chihuahua, March 31.—Such news as arrived from the front at Torreon Sunday was unfavorable to the rebels. Local rebel officers admitted they had received dispatches from the front, but declined to reveal the contents.

A report originated at one of the hospitals after more wounded arrived in Chihuahua that General Villa had been wounded slightly and forced to retire from the field.

Juarez, March 30.—General Villa said, in a telegram received here, that virtually all Torreon, including the entire business section, was in the hands of his soldiers.

Gen. Monclove Herrera, his own rebel brigade and part of the Zaragoza brigade, all veterans, were reported by Villa to have entered Torreon from the east, 4,000 strong, and to have fought from house to house and street to street until the rebel ring on the northern fringe of the town was taken with the section of the city through which the railroad passes. This included the business section or most of it.

Gomez Palace, Mex., March 30.—Four days of fighting, including three desperate assaults by the rebels, ended Gen. Francisco Villa to move into this place and establish headquarters within three miles of Torreon.

The deciding assault was preceded by a bombardment after which the infantry and cavalry dashed into the streets of Gomez Palace. Rifles, machetes, pistols and hand grenades were used in a hundred different encounters in the narrow thoroughfares. The grenades, of home manufacture, were lighted with cigarettes, which are an unofficial part of the equipment of every Mexican soldier.

INCREASE IN ARMY BUDGET

Measure Passes Senate at \$7,500,000 More Than Last Bill—Mexican Situation Is Factor.

Washington, March 31.—The senate passed the annual army appropriation bill on Saturday. The measure carries \$101,750,000, about seven million five hundred thousand dollars more than the house bill and about the same amount over the last army appropriation bill.

7 BANDITS HOLD UP BANK

Set Schoolhouse on Fire at Elma, Wash., to Distract Attention—Escape With Loot of \$3,700.

Tacoma, Wash., March 30.—Seven armed men entered the Elma National bank at Elma, in southwest Washington, made a prisoner of the cashier and escaped with about three thousand seven hundred dollars. The bandits, according to the report received here, set the town schoolhouse on fire to distract attention. Several shots were fired, but no one was hurt.

GENERAL CARRANZA AT JUAREZ

Juarez, Mex., March 31.—Gen. Venustiano Carranza, supreme chief of the rebels, established his headquarters here, and the Mexican border is again the provisional capital of the revolution-torn republic.

45,000 MINERS TO BE IDLE

Columbus, Ohio, March 31.—The 45,000 coal miners in Ohio will be given an indefinite period of idleness on April 2, said George F. Savage, secretary of the Ohio organization of United Mine Workers.

IOWA COLLEGE HEAD QUILTS

Iowa City, Ia., March 30.—The state board of education accepted the resignation of John G. Bowman as president of the University of Iowa, effective March 31. The action was taken at Bowman's request.

CREW TO PRISON TO WRECK

Melrose, France, March 30.—Jail terms were given to the engineer and conductor of the Paris express, which was wrecked here. Thirty-nine persons were killed in the accident and a large number were injured.

FLOODS PERIL EAST

LARGE PART OF WESTERN HALF OF NEW YORK IN DANGER OF HEAVY LOSSES.

RIVERS IN OHIO ARE RISING

Washing Out of Bridges Cuts Off Traffic on Several Interurban Lines—Columbus Fears Repetition of Disaster of One Year Ago—Two Dead.

New York, March 31.—Floods through the valleys of the state were reported on Saturday to have caused much property loss during the last week.

The warm weather of the last few days has melted much of the heavy snow which fell earlier in the month, and this, with a steady fall of rain throughout the night, has swollen all the streams, many of which are out of their banks, flooding the towns.

At Troy the Hudson river has assumed flood proportions, and with the water rising rapidly merchants along the river front are removing goods to safer places.

Amsterdam reported on Saturday that part of the bridge which spans the Mohawk river was carried away.

Seneca Falls, N. Y., March 31.—Two unidentified men were drowned when Freeman's bridge, over the Mohawk river, two miles west of here, was swept away. The damage done here by the high water thus far amounts to \$200,000.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—The Hudson river is rapidly rising here and dwellers along the river front are moving to places of safety.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 31.—Towns in western New York are threatened with a repetition of the disastrous floods of a year ago.

In the lowlands of the Tonawandas residents are going to and from their homes in boats, owing to the overflow from the Tonawanda and Ellicott creeks. At Batavia the municipal sewage disposal plant is eight feet under water.

Whitehall, N. Y., March 31.—The level of Lake Champlain has risen four feet within the last 24 hours. Should the rapid thaw now in progress continue the worst flood in the history of this region will result, it is said.

Elmira, N. Y., March 31.—With every river and creek swollen over its banks by a steady downpour during the last 24 hours, flood conditions were alarming throughout the entire southern section of the state.

Cincinnati, March 31.—The Big Miami and Whitewater rivers and other small streams in this section went on a rampage. Two temporary bridges used by the Cincinnati, Lawrenceburg & Aurora Traction company were washed away, cutting off traffic between Cincinnati and Indiana towns along the road.

Columbus, O., March 31.—With the Seloto river climbing a foot an hour, and the Muskingum and Licking rivers out of their banks along the lowlands, a recurrence of the disastrous floods of March 25-28, 1913, is feared.

MILLER FOR SENATOR

Columbus, Ind., March 31.—Hugh T. Miller, formerly lieutenant governor of Indiana, announced that he would be a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator.

MAN WHO SHOT NEGRO OUT ON BOND

Fort Wayne, Ind., March 31.—A. C. Trentman, a wealthy brewer, was released on \$10,000 bonds pending the recovery or death of a negro waiter at a hotel. Trentman shot and seriously wounded Bruce.

WEALTHY OIL MAN DEAD

Oil City, Pa., March 31.—H. F. Brundage, one of the wealthiest and most prominent oil operators in Pennsylvania and the owner of a large poultry farm, dropped dead at his home here.

HELD FOR ATTACK ON JUDGE

Washington, March 30.—Wade H. Cooper, a banker, who lodged charges at the White House against Justice Wright of the district supreme court, was indicated by the grand jury on a charge of criminal libel.

PLUNGES FAR TO HIS DEATH

New York, March 30.—Robert M. Friedman, a civil engineer, fell or jumped from the twenty-fourth floor of the new municipal building, landed on the cornice of the twelfth floor and was killed instantly.

PASS REPEAL BILL

REPRESENTATIVES GIVE THEIR APPROVAL TO WILSON'S MEASURE.

VOTE IS 247 TO 161

Speaker Clark in Address in the House Challenges the President's Plan—Says Monroe Doctrine Is Hit.

Washington, April 2.—The house passed the Sims bill on Tuesday, which repeals the Panama canal act that permits American coastwise vessels to pass free through the canal. The vote was 247 to 161, a majority of 86 votes. The measure now goes to the senate.

Defending the economic policy of free trade and citing court decisions of its legality, Champ Clark, speaker of the house of representatives, challenged the policy of President Wilson in advocating the repeal of the Panama canal act which permits American coastwise vessels to pass free through the canal.

The speaker declared that this policy was a repudiation of solemn platform obligations and demanded that the Democrats hold true to the faith proclaimed by their national convention.

PRESIDENT IS VICTOR

RULE LIMITING DEBATE ON TOLLS REPEAL BILL PASSED.

Adoption of Motion Wins by Vote of 200 to 172—Twenty Hours Is Allowed.

Washington, March 30.—Two test votes taken by the house of representatives on Friday indicate that the bill repealing the free tolls clause of the Panama canal act will be passed.

The first ballot was on a motion to take up the report of the committee on rules limiting debate on the bill to 20 hours. The vote on this was: Ayes, 207; noes, 176. The majority for the administration forces was 31.

The second ballot was on the adoption of the rules. It was adopted, 200 to 172, a majority of 28.

When Speaker Clark entered the house chamber at 12 o'clock he was accorded an enthusiastic greeting. He cut short the ovation by asking the chaplain to pray.

The list of Democrats who voted against "the previous question" and thus against the administration follows:

Aiken, Brockson, Broussard, Bruckner, Caraway, Carey, Conroy, Dale, Detrick, Diefendorfer, Donohoe, Dooling, Doremus, Driscoll, Dupree, Egan, Elder, Finley, Fitzgerald, Gorman, Gulen, Graham, (Ill.), Griffin, Harrison, Helm, Igo, Jones, Kinkel, Kirkpatrick, Lee (Pa.), L'Engle, Logue, McAndrews, McDermott, Mahan, Maher, Mitchell, Morgan (La.), Murray (Mass.), Murray (Okla.), O'Leary, O'Shaunnessy, Patten (N. Y.), Phelan, Ragsdale, Raker, Sherwood, Stone, Taylor (Ark.), Taylor (Colo.), Thomas, Underwood, Williams, Wingo, Speaker Clark, Total—55.

Representative Kitchin, Democrat of North Carolina, voted against the previous question on the roll call, but changed his vote to "present" just before the result was announced.

Republicans who voted for the previous question and the administration were: Bartholdt, Browne (Wis.), Gardner (Mass.), McKenzie, Madden, Stennesson, Stevens (Minn.), Gillett (Mass.), Total—8.

NEWS FROM FAR AND NEAR

Rome, March 30.—Countess Dentic di Frasso, formerly Georgiana Wilde of St. Louis, is ill of typhoid fever. When she is able to travel she probably will join her mother, Mrs. Siegel, in Paris, and stay with her during the period of convalescence.

Lexington, Mo., March 30.—Mrs. Mayette Carlow shot and killed Henri Harve when he interfered to save the woman's eighteen-year-old stepdaughter from abuse.

Tokyo, March 30.—The condition of Dowaer Empress Haru Ko was much worsened. All hope of her recovery was abandoned.

Madrid, March 30.—It is reported that three pictures of great value by El Greco have been stolen at Toledo.

Paris, March 30.—Aviator Garaix ascended 5,200 feet with an aeroplane in which he carried eight passengers. This is a record for a flight with that number of persons.

Boston, March 31.—Six employees of the Massachusetts Chocolate company were badly injured in an explosion.

WHITE HOUSE WEDDING NEAR

Washington, March 31.—The shopping tour of Miss Eleanor Wilson in New York is believed to indicate that her wedding to Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo will take place much earlier than had been expected.

TORNADO STRIKES IN KANSAS

Topeka, Kan., March 31.—A score of small houses were blown down, Mrs. Charles Van Buskirk probably was injured fatally and four families are missing as the result of a tornado which swept across Frederick.

COTTON TRADING BILL WINS

Washington, March 30.—The senate passed a compromise bill to regulate trading in cotton futures. The bill was composed of portions of measures introduced by Senators Smith and Ransdell.

IDLE COLONY QUITS DENVER

Denver, Colo., March 30.—More than one hundred members of "General" Kelley's army of unemployed men, on the way east from the Pacific coast, left Denver on Friday afternoon in box cars.

CYCLONE DESTROYS CHURCH

Dallas, Tex., April 2.—The First Methodist church and other buildings in the town of Wilmer, near here, are in ruins as the result of a cyclone which swept that section of the county. One negro was killed.

MURDERED GIRL IS BURIED

Sonnet, N. Y., April 2.—In the gray dawn funeral services were held here for Miss Lydia Beecher, the young school teacher who was murdered near Poland last Friday night by seventeen-year-old Jean Gianini.

HELD ON \$20,000 THEFT CHARGE

Harrisburg, Pa., April 2.—Accused of having stolen \$20,000 from the United States mails, William R. Baum, a Harrisburg post office clerk, was arrested here by Deputy United States Marshal James W. Snyder.

TEN TRAINS TAKEN OFF

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 2.—Refranchisement on the Pennsylvania lines west was extended when ten passenger trains were taken off the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad. Shop forces are also being reduced.

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# GOING SOME

## A ROMANCE OF STRENUOUS AFFECTION

BY REX BEACH

SUGGESTED BY THE PLAY BY REX BEACH AND PAUL ARMSTRONG

Illustrated By Edgar Bert Smith

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### SYNOPSIS.

Cowboys of the Flying Heart ranch are heartbroken over the loss of their much-prized champion in a foot-race with the cook of the Centipede ranch. A house party is given at the Flying Heart ranch, where Speed, cheer leader at Yale, and Oliver Covington, inter-collegiate champion runner, are expected. Helen Blake, Speed's sweetheart, suggests to Jean Chapin, sister of the owner of the ranch, that she induce Covington, her lover, to win back the champion. Helen declares that if Covington won't run, Speed will have a cowboy as his rival over the prospect. Speed and his valet, Larry Glass, trainer at Yale, arrive. Helen Blake, a speedster who has posed to her as an athlete, to race against the Centipede man. The cowboys join in the appeal to Wally, and fearing that Helen will find him out, he consents. He insists, however, that he shall be entered as an unknown, figuring that Covington will arrive in time to take his place. Fresno gives a banquet at Stanford university and in love with Helen, tries to discredit Speed with the ladies and the cowboys. Glass, Speed's put in the time they are supposed to be training playing cards in a secluded spot. The cowboys tell Glass it is up to him to see that Speed wins the race. Willie, the gunman, declares the trainer will have a cowboy as his rival over the prospect. Speed comes from Covington saying he is in jail at Omaha for ten days. Glass in a panic forces Speed to begin training in earnest. The cowboys force Speed to eat a diet of very rare meat. Miss Blake takes a cake for Speed and is offended when Larry refuses to allow him to eat it. Covington arrives on crutches. His ears he broke in engaged to Wally. Miss Keap, engaged to Covington and in love with Jack Chapin, exposes Speed to Helen, because Speed had failed to prevent Covington from joining the party. Speed declines to cripple himself. Skinner, the Centipede runner, appears with a proposition to throw the race. Glass attempts to escape and is captured. The Centipede foreman, Kim, to bet against Speed for him. Helen Blake beats him and bets \$500 on Speed. Glass recognizes Skinner as a professional runner.

### CHAPTER XVII.—Continued.

Instantly a full-ledged roar went up that rolled away to the foothills, and the runners sped out of the pandemonium, their legs twinkling against the dust-colored prairie. Down to the turn they raced. Speed was leading. Fear had acted upon him as an electric charge; his terror lent him wings; he was obsessed by a propelling force outside of himself. Naturally strong, lithic and active, he himself possessed within him the white-hot flame of youth, and now, with a nameless fear to spur him on, he ran as any healthy, frightened young animal would run. At the second turn Skinner had not passed him, but the thud of his feet was close behind.

This unparalleled phenomenon surprised Lawrence Glass perhaps most of all. Was this a miracle? He turned to Covington, to find him dancing madly, his crutches waving over his head, in his eyes the stare of a maniac. His mouth was distended, and Glass reasoned that he must be shouting violently, but could not be sure. Suddenly Covington dashed to the turn whence the runners would be revealed as they covered the last half lap, for nothing was distinguishable through the fence, burdened by human forms, and Larry lumbered after him, ploughing his way through the crowd and colliding with the box upon which stood the Echo Phonograph, of New York and Paris. He hurled Mariadetta out of his path with brutal disregard, but even before he could



Skinner Had Failed!

reach his point of vantage the sprinters burst into the homestretch. Larry Glass saw it all at a glance—Speed was weakening, while Skinner was running easily. Nature had done her utmost; she could not work the impossible. As they tore past, Skinner was ahead.

The air above the corral became blackened with hats as if a flock of vultures had wheeled suddenly; the shriek of triumph that rose from the Centipede ranks warned the trainer that he had carried too long. Heavily he set off across the prairie for New York.

The memory of that race awakened Speed from his slumbers many times in later years. When he found the brown shoulder of his rival drawing past he realized that for him the end of all things was at hand. And yet, he said to his credit, he held doggedly to his task, and began to fight his waning strength with renewed de-

### ODD VAGARIES OF LANGUAGE

Various Nations Have Different Idioms In Which They Express the Same Meanings.

The following are a few linguistic peculiarities. The German calls a thimble a "finger hat," which is curiously in, and a grasshopper a "hand shoe." A glove with thorns is a "hand shoe," showing evidently that they wore shoes before gloves. Poultry is "feather cattle," whilst the names for

termination. Down through the noisy crowd he pounded at the heels of his antagonist, then out upon the second lap. But now his fatigue increased rapidly, and as it increased, so did Skinner's lead. At the second turn Wally was hopelessly outdistanced, and began to sob with fury, in anticipation of the last, long, terrible stretch. Back toward the final turn they came, the college man desperately laboring, the cook striding on like a machine. Wally saw the rows of forms standing upon the fence, but of the shouting he heard nothing. Skinner was twenty yards ahead now, and flung a look back over his shoulder. As he turned into the last straightaway he looked back again and grinned triumphantly.

Then—J. Wallingford Speed gasped, and calling upon his utmost atom of strength, quickened the strides of his leaden legs. Skinner had failed! A shriek of exultation came from the Flying Heart followers; it died as the unfortunate man struggled to his feet, and was off again before his opponent had overtaken him. Down the alley of human forms the two came; then as their man drew ahead for an instant or two, such a bedlam broke forth from Gallagher's crew that Lawrence Glass, well started on his overland trip, judged that the end had come.

But Skinner wavered. His ankle turned for a second time; he seemed about to fall once more. Then he righted himself, but he came on hobbling. The last thirty yards contained the tortures of a lifetime to Wally Speed. His lungs were bursting, his head was rolling, every step required a separate and concentrated effort of will. He knew he was wobbling, and felt his knees ready to buckle beneath him, but he saw the blue tight-stretched ribbon just ahead, and continued to lessen the gap between himself and Skinner until he felt he must reach out wildly and grasp at the other man's clothing. Helen's face stood out from the blur, and her lips cried to him. He plucked forward, his outflung arm tore the ribbon from his fastenings, and he fell. But Skinner was behind him.

### CHAPTER XVIII.

THE only thing in the world that the victorious Speed wanted was to lie down and stretch out and allow those glowing coals in his chest to cool off. But rough hands seized him, and he found himself astride of Stover's shoulders and gazing about the Echo Phonograph in the midst of a war-dance. He kicked violently with his spiked shoes, whereat the foreman bucked like a wild horse under the spur and dropped him, and he staggered out of the crowd, where a girl flew to him.

"Oh, Wally," she cried, "I knew you could!" He sank to the ground, and she knelt beside him.

Skinner was propped against the corral fence opposite, his face distorted with suffering, and Gallagher was rubbing his ankle.

"Taint broke, I reckon," said Gallagher, rising. "I wish to hell it was!" He stared disgustfully at his fallen champion, and added: "We don't want y'all for a cook no more, Skinner. You never was no good no-bow. He turned to Helen and handed her a double handful of bank-notes, as Berkeley Fresno buried his hands in his pockets and walked away. "Here's your coin, miss. If ever you get another hunch, let me know. An' here's yours, Mr. Speed. It's a weddin' present from the Centipede." He fetched a deep sigh. "Thank the Lord we'll git something fit to eat from now on!"

Speed staggered to Skinner, who was still nursing his injury, and held out his hand, whereat the cook winked his left eye gravely.

"The best man won," said Skinner, "and say—there's a parson at Albuquerque." Then he groaned loudly, and fell to massaging his foot.

There came a fluttering by his side, and Miss Blake's voice said to him, with sweetness and with pity: "I'm so sorry you lost your position, Mr. Skinner. You're a splendid runner!"

"Never mind the job, miss, I've got something to remember it by." He pointed to a sash which lay beside him. "The loser gets the ribbon, miss," he explained gallantly.

Off to the right there came a new outcry, and far across the level prairie a strange sight was revealed to the beholders. A fat man in white flannels was doubling and dodging ahead of two horsemen, and even from a considerable distance it could plainly be seen that he was behaving with remarkable agility for one so heavy. Repeatedly his pursuers headed him off, but he rushed past them, seeming-

ly possessed by the blind sense of direction that guides the homing pigeon or the salmon in its springtime run. He was heading toward the east. "Why, it's Larry!" ejaculated Speed. "And Cloudy and Carara." "Wally, your man has lost his reason!" Chapin called.

At that instant the watchers saw the Mexican thunder down upon Glass, his lariat swinging about his head. Lazily the rope uncoiled and settled over the fleeing figure, then, and a cloud of dust, Carara's horse set itself upon its haunches and the white-clad figure came to the end of its flight. There was a violent struggle, as if the cowboy had hooked a leaping tuna, cactus plants and sagebrush were uprooted, then the pony began to back away, always keeping the lariat taut. But Glass was no easy captive, as his thrashing arms and legs betrayed, and even when he was dragged back to the scene of the race, panting, grimy, disheveled, the rope still about his waist, he seemed obsessed by that wild insanity for fight. He was drenched with perspiration, his collar was dangling, one end of a suspender trailed behind him.

At sight of Speed he uttered a cry, then plunged through the crowd like a bull, but the lariat loop slipped to the neck and tightened like a hangman's noose.

"Larry," cried his employer, sharply, "have you lost your head?" "Ain't they g-g-got you yet?" queried the trainer in a straggling voice.

"You idiot, I won!" "What!" "I won—easy." "You won!" Larry's eyes were starting from his head.

"He sure did," said Stover. "Didn't you think he could?" "Glass apprehended that look of sus-



"I'm So Sorry You Lost Your Position, Mr. Skinner."

picion. "Certainly!" said he. "Didn't I say so, all along? Now take that clothes line off of me; I've got to run some more."

That evening J. Wallingford Speed and Helen Blake sat together in the hammock, and much of the time her hand was in his. From the bunkhouse across the court-yard floated the voice of the beloved Echo Phonograph, now sad, now gay, now shrilling the peaceful air with Mme. Meibach's "Holy City," now wailing the echoes with the rasping reflections of "Sillas on Fifth Avenue." To the spellbound audience gathered close beside it, it was divine; but deep as was their satisfaction, it could not compare with that of the tired young son of Eli. Ineffable peace and contentment were his; the whole wide world was full of melody.

"And now that I've told you what a miserable fraud I am, you won't stop loving me?" he questioned. Helen nestled closer and shook her head. There was no need for words. Jack Chapin came out upon the porch with the chaparron. "Well, Fresno caught his train," he told them. "And we have had such a glorious drive coming back! The night is splendid!"

"Yes, so nice and moonlight!" Wally agreed pleasantly, whereat Jack Chapin laughed.

"It's as black as pitch." "Why, so it is!" Then as a fresh song burst forth from the very heart of the machine, he murmured affectionately: "By Jove! there goes 'The Baggage Coach Ahead' once more! That makes ten times."

"It's a beautiful thing, isn't it?" Miss Blake sighed dreamily. "I believe I'm learning to like it myself," her lover agreed. "Poor Fresno!"

The bridesmaids wore white organdie and carried violets.

THE END.

Down the Scale. A certain bride is very much in love with her husband and very willing to admit it. She likes to sound his praises to her mother and to her girl friends. She has a number of original expressions. When her husband is good she says he is "chocolate cake, three layers deep." When he is very good he is "chocolate cake, four layers deep," and so on up the scale. Occasionally, however, things take a turn.

The bride's mother dropped in the other day. The bride was a trifle peevish, but her mother pretended not to notice this.

"And how was John today?" was her inquiry. "Chocolate, four layers deep?" "No." "Three layers deep?" "No." "Two layers deep?" "No." "This with a pour." "Then what is he?" "Dug biscuit!"—National Monthly

and "downstairs" are also unknown to French. The Hindus are said to have no word for "friend." The Italians have no equivalent for "humility."

Too Honest for the Job. "Sir," said the office boy to his employer, "as you know very well, my family is in perfect health. I ask you to let me off this afternoon to go to the ball game." "Young man," replied the boss, "you are entirely too honest. I have my suspicions of you and you are fired."

### Embroidered Taffeta Gown for Young Girl



The slim, unformed figure of young girls are much helped out by ruffles and skirt draperies, which are already established in spring styles. A kind dispensation of fashion (for the too-slender maid) decrees taffeta and flounces; both lend themselves perfectly to figure building. Meantime, those who have all the figure they want, and perhaps a little more, are managing to wear flounces and drapery by choosing clinging fabrics and using shaped ruffles instead of gathered ones.

In either case a lot of clever management is evident. The object in view is the achievement of graceful lines, and its attainment for a slender figure, is shown in the gown pictured here—a design by Douillet.

It will be seen that the figure is built out about the hips, but that its lines are not lost sight of. The skirt is narrowed just above the knees and hangs straight from this point to the instep. There is a wonderfully easy and pretty effect of drapery at the waist line with a narrow velvet girdle below it. The discernment of the artist in placing the velvet ribbon belt below the normal waist line is one of those evidences of cleverness by which the French have won their pre-eminence in designing.

The model is in fact simple enough. Except for two narrow ruffles of the silk embroidered in a delicate flower pattern, and small bows of black velvet with pearl buckles, there are no purely decorative features.

There is a flounce of taffeta, only moderately full, extending from the waist line to the thigh and terminating in a scant ruffle of the embroidery. Below the embroidered flounce is a full ruffle of the plain taffeta. It gives the effect of a short overskirt. The silk below it is laid in plaits about

four inches deep. At their termination a second scant ruffle of the embroidery is sewed on. Below it the silk falls free and is finished with a three-inch hem.

The bodice has a plain back and kimono sleeves. It opens surplice fashion in the front, with the front pieces pulled in along the under arm seams. This allows them to fall easily about the waist and over the belt. The opening at the neck is finished with the embroidery put on almost plain. There is very little fullness in the flounce of embroidery which finishes the short sleeves.

There are several fabrics besides taffeta in which this model may be effectively made up. The light, bordered, wool challies are perfect for it. Figured cotton crepes and the light weight poplins, as well as silk materials, adapt themselves to draperies and flounces. In making a choice it is to be remembered that the "body" or stiffness of taffeta, and its high luster, are not desirable for full figures.

This is only one of many designs in which the skirt appears to be made up of flounces. They are set on to a plain fitted underskirt of the lightest and limpest of materials, which extends below the waist only as far as it is needed, and is of the same color as the gown.

There are many new and beautiful tones among our old favorites in color. Especially in blues and greens there are charming, elusive shades that it is next to impossible to describe. Browns are golden, and yellow is shown with all sorts of "casts," golden yellow and greenish yellow leading this popular campaign. With every one of them the touch of black velvet ribbon, as shown in the picture, is the best of all finishes.

insertion and are bordered with a lace edging to match the insertion. Hand crochet or cluny lace is most desirable, a good match for the voile in wear-resisting qualities.

The sleeves are three-quarter length and all seams hemstitched. It is better to make the collars detachable, as they soil more quickly than the body of the waist.

In selecting the voile, choose a sheer variety made of very hard twisted threads. It will thicken a little with washing, and it is a good idea to rinse it out and iron it before making it up.

The front panel in this waist is decorated with small sprays of embroidery. It is one of the few models that open in the back.

For the business woman and for home wear these waists provide one with cool, comfortable garments having the charm of crisp neatness added to their other attractions, without any hard, starched surfaces to suggest discomfort and become murred. A very little starch or none at all is used when they are laundered. The expense of the materials is next to nothing, the handwork places them in the elegant class, and their durability pays for it. They are an evolution in waists, the outcome of long experience with the requirements of American women.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

Even nature loves a joke—judging from the funny people to be encountered.

### TO MAKE PERFECT GRAVY

Mixture of the Ingredients, and Proper Thickening, Are Really the Only Two Secrets.

When making gravies of either milk or water always have the liquid boiling hot before adding the thickening. Make the thickening, using about one tablespoonful of flour for one pint of gravy, by placing the flour in a cup, adding cold water, a little in a cup, and stirring with a fork until smooth and of the consistency of thick cream. Then comes the secret of smooth gravy. When ready to add the thickening to the liquid dip two or three spoonfuls of the boiling liquid into the thickening, stir together and turn slowly into the hot liquid, stirring constantly until it boils up well, when it will be done. By dipping the hot liquid into the thickening it brings the temperature somewhere near that of the liquid, consequently, when stirred in it does not retard the boiling at all. This same method holds good in regard to custards, sauces, salad dressings, or anything cooked in a like manner.

Another gravy secret: When the milk supply is low, instead of helping out with water use potato water, drained from the potatoes. You will find it a much better substitute.



When cleaning knives damp them before rubbing on the boards; this will produce a better polish and they will clean much quicker.

To impart a delicate odor to linen, saturate a piece of cotton or blotting paper with oil of lavender and place it among the various articles.

A little bag of sulphur suspended in a bird cage is not only healthy for the bird, but keeps away the parasites with which some birds are infested. If wood worms are in old furniture rub constantly with turpentine. The polish made of turpentine and beeswax is to be preferred to any other for this cure.

When boiling a haddock fasten the head to the tail, add only sufficient water to cover, and boil slowly till cooked. Haddock is hard and indigestible if boiled fast.

Old nail holes in wood may be filled up by mixing sawdust with glue till it is the consistency of stiff paste. Press this compound into the holes, and it will become as hard as the wood itself.

When jars and jugs have been put away and smell musty, rinse them with lime water. This is particularly good for all vessels used for milk, as there is no likelihood of their not being properly cleaned.

### Princess Soup.

One quart of milk, two large onions, three eggs, two tablespoonfuls of butter, two tablespoonfuls of flour, one teaspoonful of salt and a half teaspoonful of pepper, two tablespoonfuls of grated cheese. Put milk on to boil; fry the butter and onions together for eight minutes, then add the dry flour and cook two minutes longer, being careful not to burn. Stir into the milk and cook ten minutes. Rub through a strainer and return to the fire. Now add the cheese. Heat the eggs with a speck of pepper and salt. Season the soup with the salt and pepper. Pour the colander over the soup and hold the eggs through and set back for three minutes where it will not boil. Then serve. The cheese may be omitted if this is not liked.

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### ASQUITH WAR CHIEF

CABINET HEAD ASSUMES OFFICE AFTER SEELY REFUSED TO WITHDRAW RESIGNATION.

### RESIGNED FROM PARLIAMENT

English Statesman, in Accordance With Law, Stands for Re-election—Officers Absolutely Decline to Retain Rank in Army.

London, April 1.—Following all the many solutions of the government crisis which had been proposed and discussed Premier Asquith announced a decision to the house of commons on Monday which none of the prophets had expected or even suggested. The prime minister himself will assume the burden of the war office, in addition to his other and almost crushing duties. He will resign from the house at this critical stage, when the second reading of the home rule bill is about to be taken up, and will appeal to his constituents in East Fife, Scotland, within a few days for reelection. Field Marshal Sir John French, chief of the imperial general staff, and Gen. Sir John Ewart, adjutant general, declined to withdraw their resignations, in spite of the army order, which Viscount Haldane cleverly framed as a platform on which the generals might stand with consistency and honor.

It thus became impossible for Col. J. E. B. Seely, who was co-signer with them of the assurance to Brigadier General Gough that the army would not be used to suppress the Ulster opposition to home rule, to retain the secretaryship for war. His resignation, therefore, was accepted after he had been for some days under fire from the newspapers of his own party, which insisted that he must go.

Viscount Morley of Blackburn, lord president of the council, who was partner with Colonel Seely in drafting the offending paragraphs of the document, stands in the same position and his withdrawal from office is expected.

The only practical loss to the party meantime will be the withdrawal of Mr. Asquith's voice from the debates.

"Oh, I'll be handy if I'm wanted," Mr. Asquith remarked to Andrew Bonar Law, the opposition leader, who thought that the home rule bill could not be proceeded with in the absence of the premier.

Mr. Asquith apparently consulted no one except the king before his bold decision. His colleagues in the cabinet seemed to be as surprised as the other members of the house when he revealed his plans. Mr. Asquith is already first lord of the treasury.

The political seers gather that Mr. Asquith is in fighting mood. They have been saying recently that he had shown the effects in his physical appearance of the heavy strain of his long labor in office and would gladly see the government defeated. But it looks at the present moment as though he had taken a new lease of life and proposes to make the reorganization of the army a fighting issue.

"The whole army system may have to be recast," Colonel Seely remarked significantly.

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## HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONS

The inside of a tea or coffee pot should not be washed with soap-suds.

To stop a leak, mix whiting and yellow soap into a thick paste with a little water.

A cupful of liquid is all the cup will hold; a spoonful of liquid is all the spoon will hold.

The trimmings which the butcher cuts off the roast will make very good foundation for tomato soup.

A bit of cloth or chamois should be kept in the sewing machine drawer to wipe off the machine before beginning to stitch.

If the boy gets his rubber boots wet inside, a good way to dry them is to fill them with hot yellow corn.

The outer rough stalks on the bunch of celery are not good to serve green, but they make excellent stewed celery.

Patent leather and kid boots will take a higher polish if first wiped over with a sponge dipped in milk, let dry and apply the blacking.

When boiling potatoes, try putting a cloth over them before putting on the lid. They will take much less cooking and be much more mealy.

### Shredded Crab.

An easy way of serving crab meat in the shells is to shred it and mix it with a dressing made of four table-spoonfuls of oil, two table-spoonfuls of vinegar, salt, white pepper and cayenne. Return the dressed crab meat to the cleaned shells and garnish each with a thin slice of lemon, cut in two pieces, and two or three green sprigs of parsley.

Crab meat may be prepared in the same way heated, then returned to the shells, and eaten hot.

### Thick Soup.

Thick soups are often served with croquettes or toasted triangles, which certainly add something to them. Croquettes are half-inch dice-like pieces of bread fried in fat until brown, while the triangles are small three-cornered bits of stale bread toasted or crisped in the oven.

### To Wash White China Silk.

When washing China silk never hang it up to dry, but instead wring it out dry and wrap it in a piece of white material, leaving it this way for about one hour. Then iron it.

By doing this you get much better results and the silk does not turn yellow.

### When Cooking Greens.

A piece of bread tied in a bit of muslin and dropped into the water in which greens are boiling will absorb the unpleasant odor.

### Rice and Raisin Pudding.

Soak the raisins (about a handful) in a little warm water for an hour and then drain. To one cup of boiled rice, cold or hot, add the yolk of one egg, one table-spoonful of sugar, one tea-spoonful of vanilla extract and two cups of new milk. Mix thoroughly and bring to the boil, simmer gently until it thickens. Make a meringue of the white of the egg whipped with a table-spoonful of sugar, spread upon the pudding and set in the oven to brown. This is good warm or cold.

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"I was under a great strain nursing a relative through three months' sickness," writes Mrs. J. C. Van De Zande, of Kirkland, Ill., and "Electric Bitters kept me from breaking down. I will never be without it. Do you feel tired and worn out? No appetite and food won't digest? It isn't the spring weather. You need Electric Bitters. Start a month's treatment today; nothing better for stomach, liver and kidneys. The great spring tonic. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00, at your Druggist.

## TONGUE WOULD NOT BEHAVE

Iowa Representative in Congress Has Unfortunate Experience in Illustrating Point in Speech.

Representative S. F. Prouty of Iowa is one of the story-tellers of the house of representatives, but he had an unfortunate experience one day when he attempted to illustrate a point in a tariff speech with the story of "Simple Sally," a character in the neighborhood where he lived as a boy.

The family always tried things first on Sally, said Mr. Prouty; if they didn't hurt her, they were considered good enough for the rest of the family.

"They used her as a sort of experiment station," he explained. "If they had edibles from the woods, and were a little in doubt as to whether they were good or bad—"

A shout of laughter went up from near-by colleagues, and Mr. Prouty hastily corrected himself:

"Stoodstools," he began. The laugh grew stronger.

"Stoodstools!" he shouted, red in the face.

At that point he gave up.—Washington Star.

## ON THE QUIET.



Miss Summerboarder—Do your cows give much milk?  
Josiah De Farm—Do they? Say, jist between yew an' me, they give so all-fired much that we dilute the well water we sell tew th' campers with it.

## Poor Dad.

The umpire's young son and heir applied for free admission on the grounds that he wanted to see father "particular." He made his way to the wicket in the middle of an over, despite the ten-horse frowns of his official sire.

"Mother says she wants that packet of sandwiches back," he said.

"Sandwiches back! I ate 'em an hour ago," replied the surprised parent.

"Then she'll have to clean your shoes with salmon and shrimp paste," returned the youngster.

"Mother put the brown boot polish on the sandwiches."—Tit-Bits.

## How She Got Hurt.

She entered the doctor's office, truly a sorry spectacle. Her right eye was bandaged, a bruise marred her cheek and her left arm was supported by a sling.

"Ah, good morning, Mrs. Brewster. An accident, I see?" said the doctor sympathetically. "I am sorry, indeed. How did it happen?"

"Well, you see, sir, it was like this. I was a-goin' 'ome th' other evenin', an' it was very dark on our stair, an' I thought I'd reached me own door, but when I knocked it wasn't, an' the gentleman what opened the door thought I was his wife."—Everybody's Magazine.

## Had a Tender Heart.

The commercial traveler had just finished a story of a disastrous fire in which his firm suffered severely.

"And what did you do when you heard of it on your journey?" inquired his friend.

"Oh, I sent the boss a long telegram of sympathy! He likes that kind of thing. Cost me half a crown."

"Half crown!" exclaimed the other incredulously.

"Oh, I charged it to my expenses, of course!" explained the traveler.

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## How to Tell a "Sinker."

The second hole of the Great Neck (L. I.) golf course is a mangle pitch over a pond. It strikes terror to the heart of many a beginner. Even the better players never think of using anything but a floater on this hole.

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## Frigidity.

"You are sometimes referred to as a cold, calculating man."

"Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "that impression probably results from the fact that a successful statesman must be able to keep his opinions in cold storage until there is a demand for them."—Washington Star.

## Getting at a Verdict.

"We could have settled our difficulties by tossing a coin. Instead we spent a lot of money in going to law."

"Well?"

"I understand the jury settled matters by tossing a coin."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Oyster Stuffing for Turkey.

Make a mixture of a large cup of dry bread-crumbs seasoned with parsley, thyme, and sweet marjoram, moistened with melted butter. To this add twenty small oysters chopped fine. Stuff the breast of the turkey with this. If you prefer you may use the oysters unchopped.

—Tell your neighbors to subscribe for the Statesman and get all the neighborhood news.

# EASTER SHOWING

Every community has its "Easter Parade," and so have we. Only a few more days and Easter will be here. Are you prepared for the first showing of Spring Styles which occurs Easter Sunday? All of our departments are stocked with the season's newest creations and we are pleased to show our assortments to you.

## Easter Footwear.

Our large stock permits the proper fitting of the feet for old and young. In style, workmanship, comfort and quality our footwear is unsurpassed.

## Easter Clothing for Men and Boy's.

All the new fabrics and colors are shown here. Collegian clothes have an enviable reputation for style, fit and quality. We take pleasure in having you try on these clothes to show their perfection.

## New Garments for Easter.

Our garment department has never shown so many attractive styles as the new colors and fabrics are striking and beautiful. Allow us to show these garments to you.

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Your gown will fit just as does your corset. Warner's Rust Proof Corset assures correct corseting. We cannot recommend to highly the new models. \$1-\$5.

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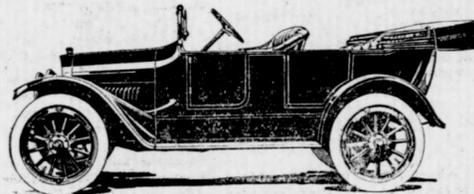
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## Arbor and Bird Day

By proclamation of the Governor which will soon be issued, Friday, May 1, will be designated as Arbor and Bird Day for this year. This is in accordance with a custom observed for a number of years by which the first Friday in May has been designated as Arbor and Bird Day.

According to a law enacted by the legislature of 1913, the Arbor and Bird Day manual is to be issued biennially. Hence it will not be published this year. However, there is ample material in previous issues to serve the needs of schools in preparing for the profitable observance of the day. With regard to the Bird Day feature, attention is called to the following communication from a federal inspector working under the provisions of the migratory bird law.

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# How to Detect the Alum Baking Powder

"Which are the alum baking powders; how can I avoid them unless they are named?" asks a housekeeper.

Here is one way: take the can of a low-priced powder in your hand and read the ingredient clause upon the back label. The law requires that if the powder contains alum that fact must be there stated. If you find one of the ingredients named alum, or sulphate of aluminum, you have found an alum baking powder.

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### LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—Palm Sunday, to-morrow.

—Election next week Tuesday, April 7th.

—Easter Sunday, a week from to-morrow.

—Fred H. Buss spent last Sunday at Milwaukee.

—Walter Schneider was at West Bend last Saturday.

—Miss M. A. Schmidt was at Milwaukee on Monday.

—William Stagy was a County Seat visitor last Wednesday.

—Doctor Klumb visited over Sunday with friends at Oshkosh.

—Mrs. William Muckerheide was a West Bend visitor on Monday.

—Jos. Honeck visited with his mother at West Bend last Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Rosenheimer spent Tuesday at Milwaukee.

—Alex Klug and Jos. Eberle were at Milwaukee over Tuesday.

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—R. S. Demerast was a business caller at West Bend last Wednesday.

—Jacob Schaeffer was at the County Seat last Monday on business.

—Miss Agatha Tis was the guest of friends at Jackson last Sunday.

—John Metz and wife visited with relatives at Milwaukee last Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Rosenheimer were Cream City visitors last Monday.

—Edward Guth visited with friends at Campbellsport Sunday evening.

—Miss Jennie Schneider visited with friends at West Bend last Saturday.

—August Sondur last week Saturday.

—John Klessig attended to business matters at West Bend last Wednesday.

—Henry and William Schoofs of West Bend were business callers here Monday.

FOUND—An automobile chain between Kohlsville and Wayne. Owner may recover same by calling at this office and paying for the advertisement.

—John Schief spent the latter part of last week with relatives at Tomahawk, Wis.

—Chas. Miritz Sr., attended to business matters at the County Seat on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Kohn were the guests of relatives at Fond du Lac on Thursday.

—Jos. O'Meara of West Bend transacted business in the Village last Sunday.

—Mrs. Joseph Schmidt was a business caller at Campbellsport last week Saturday.

—Mrs. Jos. Grittner left Tuesday for Coib, Wis., to attend the funeral of a relative.

—The Misses Olive and Rose Oppenorth spent Saturday and Sunday at West Bend.

—S. C. Wollensak made a business trip to Marshfield and Roszelville last week Saturday.

—Mrs. Ray Fohey of Milwaukee is spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. Frank Smith.

—Miss Mabel Klug spent the forepart of the week with relatives and friends in Milwaukee.

—Mrs. Fred Becker of Milwaukee was the guest of the Jacob Becker family here last Monday.

—Dr. S. Driessel of Barton called on his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Driessel here last Sunday evening.

—N. J. Mertes transacted business at West Bend last Saturday for the interest of the Statesman.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Marx of Oshkosh was the guest of the Dr. H. Driessel family here over Sunday.

"Rub-Nix" Washing Tablets makes clothes snow white. 5 cents per cake.

—Christ Schaefer Sr., called on his daughter, Mrs. Albert Hron and family at West Bend last Monday.

—Miss Laura Jung returned from Edgair, Wis., last week Saturday, where she visited with friends a few days.

—Mrs. John Naumann of Scott visited a few days of last week with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kumrow.

—Elmer Miller left Wednesday for Milwaukee, where he will be employed as carpenter the coming summer.

—Mrs. Peter Mies spent from Wednesday until Friday with her parents and other relatives and friends at Fond du Lac.

—Fred Endras of Rock Island, Ill., visited last week with Louis Backhaus and family and other relatives at Campbellsport.

"Rub-Nix" Washing Tablets—need no rubbing. 5 cents.

FOR SALE.—Registered Holstein bull calf, five weeks old from a high producing dam.—Herman Wesenberg, Campbellsport Wis. R. D. 32.

NOTICE.—The game of basketball scheduled to be played in Groeschel's hall to-morrow, Sunday evening has been indefinitely postponed.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Lindl of Milwaukee spent last Sunday here with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Strachota, and other relatives and friends.

—Fred Van Epps left Tuesday for Omro, where he will spend the summer. Mr. Van Epps visited with relatives and friends here for several months past.

—John Brandt returned to Wabeno last Saturday after spending a few weeks here with relatives and friends. Mr. Brandt lately purchased a farm near Wabeno.

—Geo. Becker of Milwaukee spent last Tuesday here with the Jacob Becker family. He also attended the auction of his father held near Wayne the same day.

—Alton Altenhofen and John Strachota, students at the Marquette University at Milwaukee, spent last Saturday and Sunday here with relatives and friends.

—John Kohn this week moved his household goods from New Fane into the August Buss residence, where he and his wife will make their home for the present.

"Rub-Nix" Washing Tablet 5 cents. Absolutely guaranteed.

—Mr. and Mrs. Math. Follenz and Jacob Theusch and Louis Foerster visited Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Naumann.

—Joe Herman last week purchased the late Adella Carrel residence on Fond du Lac Ave. Consideration \$1500. Mr. Herman and family will soon move into same.

—Jos. Oppenorth spent the week at West Bend.

—Miss Dora Honeck of West Bend visited with friends here last Sunday.

—Miss Linda Eisentraut of West Bend spent Sunday here as the guest of the Theo. Eisentraut family.

—Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. J. Heisler at St. Kilian on Thursday. Mr. Heisler is a brother of Mrs. Math. Beisler of this village.

—The village of Grafton will next Tuesday vote on the questions of issuing bonds in the sum of \$10,000 for a sewage system and \$3,000 for a new engine house.

"Rub-Nix" makes washing easy. 5 cents per cake.

—Wm. Hess last Monday moved his household goods to New Fane where he recently purchased the John Kohn saloon property. We wish Mr. Hess success in his new quarters.

—Sebastian Casper of West Bend is spending the week here with the William Hess saloon, which he has recently purchased. We extend hearty welcome to Mr. Casper and his family and wish him success while in our midst.

—Geo. Kippenhan, the local Ford automobile agent, received another carload of Ford touring cars direct from the factory this week. This is the third carload Mr. Kippenhan received this year. He expects to receive several more at about the rate of one a month.

—Under the new ruling recently issued by the postmaster general, seeds, plants, bulbs, etc., are available at parcel post rates, same as other merchandise. The rate is one cent an ounce up to four ounces, any distance; over four ounces the pound and zone rates apply.

—Commencing to-morrow, Sunday, the local post office will be open to the public on Sunday's only, during the months of April, May, June, July, August, September and October from 7 to 9 a.m. Get the habit and get your hours heretofore were from 8 to 9 a.m.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bleck of this village, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary last Wednesday. Among those present were: Rev. F. Greve, Louis Backhaus and family, August Koepke and Edward Kibble and wife, Chas. Bleck, Fred Endras and Mrs. Neil Schmidt of Fond du Lac.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Naumann, were given a surprise last Sunday by a large number of friends. The occasion being their birthday anniversary. At 12 o'clock lunch was served, after which the guests resumed their enjoyment until the wee hours of the morning. Upon their departure for their respective homes, they wished Mr. and Mrs. Naumann many happy returns of the day.

### MUSIC CAN BE TAUGHT BY MAIL TO STUDENTS

Contrary to popular impression, music can be successfully taught by mail, and this is being done by the University of Wisconsin Extension division, which gives nine courses to correspondence students. These courses deal with the theory of music, harmony, public school music, principles of instrumental instruction, harmony, appreciation of music, its history, and the important new development in the growth of the art, community music.

### Clears Complexion—Removes Skin Blemishes

Why go through life embarrassed and disfigured with pimples, and eruptions, blackheads, red rough skin, or suffering the tortures of Eczema, itch, tetter, salt rheum. Just ask your Druggist for Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment. Follow the simple suggestions and your skin worries are over. Mild, soothing, effective. Excellent for babies and delicate. Tender skin. Stops chapping. Always helps. Relief or money back. 50c at your Druggist.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

(Seal) A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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In 12 14 and 16 Bars. Grass seeder attachments can be had in all sizes.

## POTATOE-PLANTERS

### ASPINWALL and IRON-AGE

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Get a planter and put 5 acres into potatoes. You can plant the 5 acres in this machine and plant them better than by hand—Nothing on the farm will give you better returns per acre. With the proper machinery the work is made easy for you and your profits bigger.

## I. H. C. and John Deere Spreaders

With a spreader you can keep your land in better condition. Your manure goes farther and the work is made a pleasure.

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## KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN

### Shortcake from June to November

Purchase Tested, True-To-Name and Insect-Everbearing STRAWBERRY PLANTS

Grown in Wisconsin, who has made a specialty of raising these plants.

These plants were displayed at the WISCONSIN STATE FAIR 1913

2 dozen Plants	\$0.60
1 dozen Plants	1.00
100 Plants	5.00

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Fort Atkinson, Wis.

### COW TESTS INCREASE PROFITS IN DAIRYING

If a hired man, working for you and twenty-fold of your neighbors, were to find out just how your cows were paying for their feed and which were boarders; if he would help you to increase the average butter fat production of your herd 25 or 30 pounds per cow a year; if he would assist you to increase your profits many times what he costs you; and if he were to induce your neighbors to join you in using only bred-for-production, sires, would you consider the money well spent?

That is just the record of work done by one cow tester and cow testing association.

Before establishing this testing association and determining accurately the cost of keep, and the income of each cow half of the farmers in the organization were keeping from one-fourth to one-half of their cows at a loss. The cow tester showed each man where the leaks in his milk pail were and how they could be mended, and proved it beyond all shadow of doubt. Farmers began to dispose of scrub stock and breed better animals, their profits increased, and inside of two years the membership nearly doubled. Incidentally the average butter fat production jumped from 310 to 375 pounds.

A. J. Glover, secretary of the Wisconsin Dairymen's Association or Roy Harris of the College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin, will gladly supply interested parties with additional information.

### FARMERS COOPERATE IN SILO BUILDING

Farmers living in many sections of the state are applying for the new silo forms, which have been designed and are being loaned by the engineering department of the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture.

These forms are made of galvanized iron, reinforced with iron frames and are of the simplest design, making them the most convenient and practicable for farm use.

They have an advantage over the wooden forms now in use because they are lighter, are handled in eight easily connected sections, and will build more, better, and smoother walls at a setting. They are twelve or fourteen feet in diameter and 36 inches or 48 inches in height.

Two or three men working together, can very easily handle them, and carry on every part of the construction work. The concrete is raised by means of a boom swung from the staging in the center.

All but one of these forms have already been engaged, but several farmers in any community may still borrow a 12 foot, 36 inch form for use this summer.

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In the former Mich. Heindl Stand.

All kinds of Shoes for Men, Ladies and Children always carried in stock.

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KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN

## WHY FARMERS SHOULD KEEP A BANK ACCOUNT!

¶ Their Bank Deposit Book affords them a complete record of their Cash receipts, while the stubs of their check books are a perfect record of expenses and payments. Paying a laborer, or store account or any other bill with a bank check is much safer than with money; because you avoid the risk of handling the actual cash, and the endorsed check returned by the bank is the best kind of a receipt.

¶ We furnish you with Check Books and Deposit Books free of cost.

¶ Over fifty farmers have opened accounts with us the last half year. Ask the satisfied customer that checks with us.

## BANK OF KEWASKUM

Kewaskum, Wisconsin

### LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

Butter	50.60
Wheat	75.75
Red winter	75
Red No. 1	82.00
Oats new	32
Printer	20.25
Eggs	17.00
Corn new	31.00
Potatoes new	52.55
Beans	1.75 5.00
Hay	10.00 12.00
Hides (calf skin)	14
Cow Hides	10
Hous	10
Apples	100 lbs 7.00 11.00
Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs	10.00 23.00
White	8.00 13.00
Alfalfa	10.00 13.00
Hickory Nuts	per bu. 1.00
LIVE POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	15
Hens	15
Old Runners	15
Ducks	15
Geese	12
DRESSED POULTRY	
Chickens	15
Geese	15
Ducks	15

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

STATE OF WISCONSIN,  
COUNTY COURT FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY,  
IN PROBATE.

In the matter of the estate of William Batzler, deceased.

Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to Wenzel Peter of the town of Wabeno, Washington county, Wisconsin, an order allowing and limiting the time for creditors to present their claims against said estate, and fixing the time and place for examining and adjusting the same having been entered.

Notice is hereby given that creditors are allowed until the first Tuesday in October, 1914, to present their claims against said deceased to this court for examination and allowance, and that said court will on the third Tuesday of October, A. D. 1914, at the court house in the city of West Bend, in said county, examine and adjust all claims so presented against the said Wenzel Peter, deceased.

Dated March 14th, 1914.

By order of the Court,  
G. A. Kuechenmeister, F. O'MEARA,  
Attorney. County Judge.

First publication March 21, 1914.

### ELGIN

Elgin, Ill., Mar. 30.—Butter was quoted at 24 1/2c.

### PLYMOUTH

Plymouth, Wis., Mar. 30.—On the central call board Tuesday, bid here 2,531 boxes of cheese were offered. Sales were as follows: 281 square prints, 17 1/2c; 1000 ditto, 17c; 76 twins, 16 1/2c; 905 boxes of dairies, 17c; 60 cases young Americas, 18 1/2c; 950 cases long-horns, 17c.

### Check Your April Cough

Thawing frost and April rains catch you to the very marrow, you chill cold—Head and lungs stuffed—You are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—You need Dr. King's New Discovery. It soothes inflamed and irritated throat and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Stekney Corner, Me., was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle today. 50c. and \$1.00. at your Druggist. "Wascator's" of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle today. 50c. and \$1.00. at your Druggist. Pucklen's Arnica Salve for All Sores.

### STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, IN PROBATE.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county at the probate office in the city of West Bend, in said county, on the third Tuesday of April, 1914, the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Henry Schaub to prove and admit to probate an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Margaret Peter, late of the town of Wayne, in said county of Washington, deceased and for the issuing of letters testamentary thereon according to law.

By order of the Court,  
C. E. Robinson, F. O'MEARA,  
Attorney. County Judge.

First publication March 21, 1914.

(Advertisement.)

—If you want to buy a farm or if you want to sell a farm call on or write to J. B. D. ay or Adolph Rosenheimer the local real estate men.

### For Sale—Good second class Furniture. Must be sold before April 14th. Call at Joseph Schmidt's place.

## Ayer's Pills

Headaches Biliousness  
Constipation Indigestion  
Sold for 60 years.

Ask Your Doctor.

SOCIETY WOMAN WINS FAME AS SCULPTRESS



Mrs. William Astor Chanler, the well-known society woman and wife of William Astor Chanler, member of one of the old Knickerbocker families, is busily engaged these days in her studio in New York modeling figures in clay. Mrs. Chanler has won considerable fame in the art world, and her design for the women's Titanic memorial in Washington has been accepted.

YUAN SHIH-KAI WINS

President of China Knows Views of His People.

Oriental Executive Succeeds Because He Understands Public Opinion—His Ability to Wait is a Strong Factor.

Peking, China.—One frequently hears the question asked: "What is the secret of President Yuan Shih-kai's power?" Admirers and critics alike ponder over his success and say: "How does he do it? How does he 'get away with it'?" Some say that his power depends mainly on the support he receives from the army. While it is, undoubtedly, true that Yuan's ability to control the army has been a great factor in the shaping of his career a closer study of his methods will show that it is not the principal factor.

Another secret of Yuan's success is his ability to wait. For two years Vice-President Li Yuan Hung was the



President Yuan Shih-kai.

foremost figure in central China. He was the only man who could possibly become a rival of Yuan Shih-kai. He was the idol of young China and the hero of the revolution against the Manchus. Yuan was repeatedly urged by his advisers to invite Li Yuan Hung to take up his residence in Peking. Until recently, however, Li Yuan Hung's presence in Wuchang was indispensable to the peace of the Yangtze valley. Revolutionists were continually plotting and Li's departure would have been the signal for an uprising. It was also feared that there would be an uprising in spite of all that the vice-president could do and that he himself might be forced to join the movement. It was a very delicate situation.

Before Yuan could move Li to Peking it was necessary for the central government to get complete control over the Yangtze valley. In pursuance of this policy President Yuan dispatched northern troops to the Yangtze provinces last summer. The result was a rebellion headed by Sun

WIVES TALK; DUEL FOLLOWS

Well-Known Frenchmen Settle Women's Quarrel and One is Wounded.

Paris.—A sword duel, fought between Jacques Richepin, son of Jean Richepin, the "immortal," and Pierre Frondaie, author of a play now being performed in Paris, resulted in the wounding of M. Frondaie. The quarrel arose out of an incident in the lobby of a theater. Mme. Frondaie,

Yat Sen and Huang Hsing. In spite of tremendous pressure put on him by the revolutionists, Li Yuan Hung cast his lot with the president. The revolt ended in a fiasco and Sun Yat Sen, Huang Hsing and many other southern leaders were eliminated from the political life of China. Li Yuan Hung was rewarded with the title, "Pillar of the State."

Nevertheless, there were signs that Li Yuan Hung's presence caused the government considerable uneasiness. The president no doubt trusted Li Yuan Hung, but he seems to have feared that the followers of the vice-president might force him to break with the government. The problem was to get Li away from his army and to be ready to cope with any uprisings which the southern soldiers might start upon being deprived of their chief. Large numbers of northern troops were dispatched to Wuchang and the Yangtze valley. The war minister's own division, the Sixth, was sent to Hankow, which lies just across the river from Wuchang. When everything was in readiness the minister of war, Tuan Chi Jui, himself proceeded to Wuchang and relieved Li Yuan Hung of his duties as governor of Hupen, which act deprived him of his command of the troops at Wuchang.

Li Yuan Hung was then ordered to come to Peking. He did so in the greatest secrecy and without making the customary farewell calls on the consuls in Hankow. He was received in Peking with great pomp and ceremony. A magnificent military escort conveyed him to Yuan's palace. On arriving at the palace of the Three Lakes Li Yuan Hung was given quarters on the island where the late Emperor Kuang Hsu was imprisoned in 1898 by the grand empress dowager assisted by Yuan Shih-kai.

Washington.—Four hundred thousand prairie dogs in the Cochetopa and Dike national forests, in Colorado, and the Tusayan and Coconino forests, in Arizona, have been killed by the department of agriculture since its campaign of destruction was declared on the rodents. In a statement issued here the department says that this work was done at a cost of about twelve thousand dollars which is a mere trifle when compared with the value of the forage upon which the dogs lived. It is estimated that the forage which the rodents devoured would have been sufficient for about fifteen thousand five hundred sheep or about one thousand five hundred head of cattle, valued at \$150,000.

Carbon bisulphide and strychnine, mixed with heavy oats, is the department's means of getting rid of the dogs. In the Cochetopa forest alone last year the survey used 35,000 pounds of oats, 4,000 pounds of carbon bisulphide and about one thousand eight hundred ounces of strychnine.

The hides of the prairie dogs are practically worthless in this country, according to the department. American and English furriers secure better skins from Siberia for five cents apiece, and glove makers say that the skins are too small to be worked up economically. As a result, the department says, no market for the skins has been found.

Haste May Save Her Life. Belvidere, N. J.—Her haste in attempting to swallow two bichloride of mercury tablets at a time probably saved Viola Thomas' life. They lodged in her throat and her choking aroused her mother. The girl gave no reason for her act.

It is alleged, made some cutting remarks to Jacques Richepin's wife, who is co-manager of the theater. M. Frondaie took full responsibility for his wife's comments and was therefore challenged to fight M. Richepin.

Oldest U. S. Man Dead. Lamar, Mo.—The oldest man in the United States, "Uncle" Henry Dorman, died in his one hundred and sixteenth year at his home. Records show he was born in Steuben county, N. Y., January 10, 1799, when George Washing-

DESTROY WALL TO SAVE CAT.

Detroit, Mich.—To save the life of one starving cat which had become imprisoned between the walls of the building, the owners of the Palace theater had part of the building torn down at a cost of \$500.

BARNS RULING CLASS

Revolutions Not Fashionable in Little Costa Rica.

Statement That Proud Central American Country is Owned by Big Fruit Company Branded as Unfair—Elections.

New York.—Almost on the very day that the American newspapers announced again that President Wilson intended to establish a protectorate over all Central America the little republic of Costa Rica was peacefully holding her presidential election. There were three candidates. One was cast and counted in Costa Rica—and of the three, M. Fernandez received some 25,000; Doctor Duran, 17,500, and Senor Iglesias about 15,000 votes. The campaign had been going on for months, with a Spanish-American equivalent of the speeches and processions we have at home, and no more fiction than could be worked off in the sonorous and satisfying tongue of Cervantes. Yet none had a majority. Arthur Ruhl writes in Collier's, and as revolutions are not fashionable in Costa Rica and haven't been for many years, there is nothing to do but wait peacefully until congress decides the matter next May.

Meanwhile Doctor Duran and Senor Iglesias have agreed on a fusion of their forces for the purpose of electing deputies to the one-chamber legislature, and just what will happen to the popular choice, the more radical Fernandez, remains to be seen.

The Costa Rican constitution forbids a president to hold office for two consecutive terms, and this command is respected. In short, allowing for the necessary differences, Costa Rica is a republic in somewhat the sense that North Americans understand the word. When the first rumor of a Central American protectorate was cabled southward last summer the San Jose newspapers called a meeting for that evening at which all patriots should rally to the defense of the imperiled fatherland. President Jimenez's reply to the queries of an American newspaper as to whether Costa Rica would welcome such an arrangement as was then suggested for Nicaragua was that Costa Rica could have the friendliest relation with the United States without surrendering any of her sovereignty.

The "Ticos," as the Costa Ricans are familiarly called, have no use for Zelayas or Estrada Cabrerass. Nor can one speak of a ruling class as that term is used in Mexico and Guatemala, because the land is mostly divided into small holdings and the best land is owned by comparatively poor people. Although these two republics adjoin each other, the United States is closer, for most practical purposes, than Nicaragua. There is almost no communication by way of the Atlantic coast or overland, and once the steamer has left the roadstead at Punta Arenas, on the Pacific side, it is likely to mean a fortnight before another letter can go from San Jose to the capital of Nicaragua. But it is only four days to New Orleans, and a big white "frailer" bound thither, or to New York, or elsewhere, is almost always waiting. It is sometimes said that the United Fruit company "owns" Costa Rica. This is unfair, for notwithstanding the steady effect which such a powerful organization exerts, the banana business of the coast lowlands is a world by itself, and does not explain the thrift and beauty of the main highland valley, where every hillside is a checker-board of fields.

INVENTOR'S WEALTH TO SON. George Westinghouse, Jr. to Receive Bulk of \$35,000,000 Left by His Father.

New York.—George Westinghouse, the inventor, who died here, left an individual estate estimated at \$35,000,000. His business associates said that under the terms of his will the bulk of this fortune will go to his son, George Westinghouse, Jr., although ample provision is made for Mrs. Westinghouse. Charles A. Terry, vice-president of the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing company,



George Westinghouse.

and one of the trustees named by Mr. Westinghouse in his will to carry on his large business interests, said that Mr. Westinghouse had never been interested in accumulating a fortune. He said that Mr. Westinghouse had derived less profit from his inventions than had gone to his business associates and employees.

WHEN THE SON SET.

There was a little boy who began to keep a diary. His first entry was: "Got up this morning at seven o'clock." He showed the entry to his mother, and she, horror-stricken, said: "Have you been to school? Got up, indeed! Such an expression! Does the sun get up? No, it rises." The boy then erased "Got up" and wrote "Rose at seven" in its place. That night the boy, before retiring, ended the entry for the day with the sentence: "Set at nine o'clock."—Minneapolis Journal.

SAD EXPERIENCE.

Lawson—What's the matter with little Johnny? Dawson—O, his mother sent him out with the baby in the carriage and he got fooling and the baby carriage turned turtle. Lawson—Well? Dawson—And now his mother is turning Johnny turtle.

New Indian Animal Stories. How the Deer Got His Horns. By JOHN M. OSKISON.



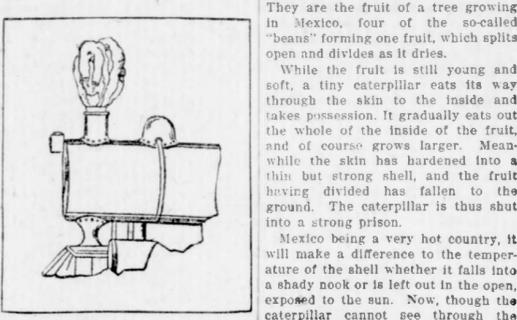
Get Out Your Paint Boxes and Color the Animals.

Long time ago the deer had no horns, and the top of his head was as smooth as the doe's head is today. He was a good-natured fellow, who liked to show all of the other animals how fast he could run and how far he could jump. Now, the rabbit was also a great runner and a good jumper, and he liked to tell about what he could do whenever he could get anyone to listen. One day the rabbit was sniffing around Mamma Bear, as she was taking the last of the corn cakes out of the fire, and begging for some of the hot and crisp pieces off the edge. "Give me two pieces, and I will show you that I can jump clear over your fire," said the rabbit. "I declare," said Mamma Bear. "If you don't stop bothering me I'll pick you up and hold you over the fire until all of your fur is singed off!" "Catch me first!" said the rabbit, and ran away to see what other mischief he could get into. After the rabbit ran off, Mamma Bear sat down and thought out a plan to stop the rabbit from boasting any more of his speed. She folded up her apron and went to call on the Great Beaver. "I think we ought to fix up a race between the rabbit and the deer," said Mamma Bear, "and offer a grand prize to the one who wins. If we do that, I know that the deer will beat, and I won't have to listen to Mr. Rabbit talk about himself." "And I know just the right prize to offer to the one who wins," said the Great Beaver. "I will tell my son to whittle out a fine pair of horns, and then I will set them up in front of my house. When the rabbit sees them he will want them, and we can get him to race with the deer." "So that's settled!" said Mamma Bear, and she went back to her fire. Pretty soon the chipmunk came and told Mamma Bear that Young Beaver had finished the horns, and the chipmunk took a stick and drew in the ashes a picture of a fine, spreading pair of antlers. Sure enough, the rabbit wanted the horns as soon as he saw them. "I thought maybe they would look well on the deer," said the Great Beaver. But after he had sat and smoked for a while, he said: "I'll tell you, the thing to do is to fix up a race between you and the deer, and the one who beats shall have the horns!" So, the animals all got together and fixed it up to have the deer and the rabbit run through a thicket and back. They were to start at the same mark when the Great Beaver thumped his tail hard on the water, "Plomp!" like that, and the first to get back should have the prize. While every one was admiring the horns, the rabbit said, "I don't know this part of the country, so I'm going to take a look through the bushes where we are to run." They said that was all right, but he was gone so long that the fox said he must be up to one of his tricks. "I'll go and see what he is doing," said the fox, and pretty soon he came back and said that he had found the rabbit gnawing the bushes and clearing a path to run over. When the rabbit came back at last to start the race, the Great Beaver told him that the horns would go to the deer, for they could not allow a tricky fellow like him to try a race for them.

SMOKE ON TOY LOCOMOTIVE

Inventor Has Made an Imitation by Covering of Cotton, Suitably Colored, Over Piece of Wire.

The toy locomotives made for nursery use are so cleverly constructed that, with one accord, we are all prompted to say, as we see them running over the floor, "It only needs the real thing." So, taking the sugges-



Smoking Toy Locomotive.

tion, the inventor has made an imitation of smoke, which is to be seen bursting with startling realism from the smoke stack of the miniature engine. The imitation is made by a covering of cotton, suitably colored, over a piece of wire, and when this is properly placed in the smoke stack of the engine the effect is astonishing.—Chicago Tribune.

WHEN THE SON SET.

There was a little boy who began to keep a diary. His first entry was: "Got up this morning at seven o'clock." He showed the entry to his mother, and she, horror-stricken, said: "Have you been to school? Got up, indeed! Such an expression! Does the sun get up? No, it rises." The boy then erased "Got up" and wrote "Rose at seven" in its place. That night the boy, before retiring, ended the entry for the day with the sentence: "Set at nine o'clock."—Minneapolis Journal.

SAD EXPERIENCE.

Lawson—What's the matter with little Johnny? Dawson—O, his mother sent him out with the baby in the carriage and he got fooling and the baby carriage turned turtle. Lawson—Well? Dawson—And now his mother is turning Johnny turtle.

A PREFERENCE EXPLAINED.

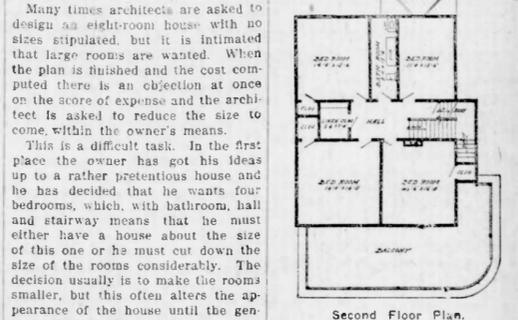
"What is your boy's favorite branch of study?" "I asked him yesterday. He said 'anthropology,'" replied the patient parent.

IN THE CLASS.

"Tommy, stand up and tell the class who was Atlas." "He was the biggest thief that ever got away with the goods." "Tommy Smith, what do you mean by talking such nonsense?" "Well, Atlas held the world up, didn't he?"

THE AMERICAN HOME. Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF CHARGE on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 137 Franklin Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

A good roof has a good deal to do with the real value as well as the sentimental value of a dwelling. Some roofs are so made that snow piles up in the corners to melt and freeze and back up the water so you have to get up in the night and set pans and pails around at different places to catch the drips. This happens with comparatively new roofs that are improperly constructed. There are a



Second Floor Plan.

good many roofs in the snowy northern states where considerable snowing is necessary after heavy snow storms. The roof must not be too plain, and it must not be too fancy. There is more in the general design than in the fancy features. Next to the general plan and design the conveniences for doing the house work are very important. A person builds a house once and lives in it for years usually. If the range, kitchen sink, pantry, outside doors, cellarway and other working conveniences that a woman uses everyday are so placed that she takes a few extra steps each time, the amount



SMOKE ON TOY LOCOMOTIVE

JUMPING BEANS OF MEXICO

Not a Bean at All, but a Species of Fruit—Queer Antics Caused by Caterpillar.

You may have noticed among articles offered for sale at a bazaar some curious little three-cornered objects that keep hopping about as if alive. They are called jumping beans, though really they are not beans at all, as you can tell by their shape. They are the fruit of a tree growing in Mexico, four of the so-called "beans" forming one fruit, which splits open and divides as it dries. While the fruit is still young and soft, a tiny caterpillar eats its way through the skin to the inside and takes possession. It gradually eats out the whole of the inside of the fruit, and of course grows larger. Meanwhile the skin has hardened into a thin but strong shell, and the fruit having divided has fallen to the ground. The caterpillar is thus shut into a strong prison. Mexico being a very hot country, it will make a difference to the temperature of the shell whether it falls into a shady nook or is left out in the open, exposed to the sun. Now, though the caterpillar cannot see through the walls of its little house, instinct leads it to try to get into some sheltered spot where it will not be trodden on or disturbed. The only way it can do this is by knocking its head against the top of the shell and falling forward whenever it feels the warmth of the sun. It takes a long while to get over the ground in this way, at the rate of a quarter of an inch each "jump," but by dint of perseverance a safe retreat will generally be found; the seed will eventually burst and grow. The caterpillar then turns into a chrysalis, which develops into a pretty little brown moth that lays its eggs on the leaves of the same tree.

ROMAN EMPEROR WARRED ON FLIES.

The original "swat the fly" man has been discovered. He was Domitian, Roman emperor from 81 to 96 A. D. History records little good of Domitian, but it does say that he anticipated the anti-fly movement by more than 1,800 years. Maltreating the buzzing pests was his favorite amusement. It is recorded that he was not animated by a desire to save babies' lives or avert epidemics.

One biographer says of the old Roman that "one of his favorite pastimes was hunting and killing flies," and Suetonius, the famous historian, wrote thus of Domitian: "In the beginning of his reign he used to spend an hour by himself in private, during which time he did nothing else but catch flies and stick them through the body with a sharp pin."

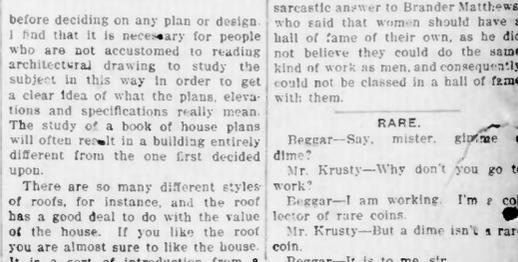
GIVES BENEFIT OF DOUBT.

Miss Janet Scudder says that, given the same amount of talent and education, men could produce as fine statues as women. She is herself a sculptor, and this remark quoted in her little sarcastic answer to Brander Matthews, who said that women should have a hall of fame of their own, as he did not believe they could do the same kind of work as men, and consequently could not be classed in a hall of fame with them.

RARE.

Beggar—Say, mister, gimme a dime? Mr. Krusty—Why don't you go to work? Beggar—I am working. I'm a collector of rare coins. Mr. Krusty—But a dime isn't a rare coin. Beggar—It is to me, sir.

FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



Saw Something, at Least. Two little English children had run away from home, drawn by the irresistible attractions of a circus.

MRS. WILLIAMS' LONG SICKNESS

Yields To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Elkhart, Ind.—"I suffered for fourteen years from organic inflammation, female weakness, pain and irregularities.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ailments.

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Polarine. The Standard Oil for Motors. POLARINE is the oil for all types and makes of motor cars, motor trucks and motor boats.

CORN CAN BE GROWN ON CANADIAN PRAIRIES

Manitoba is now commencing to produce considerable corn, chiefly for feeding purposes. In some cases, where the crop can be matured into the dough stage, silos could be used and would be a profitable investment.

Considering the success with which corn can be produced, and the advantages to be gained by so producing it, should not it receive the serious attention of the western agriculturist?

All Equally Right—or Wrong. Former President Taft told this little story to illustrate the puzzling character of a certain public question.

DRY SCALE COVERED HEAD. 2760 Tamm Ave., St. Louis, Mo.—"My little daughter's head began with a dry harsh scale covering it.

"We took and had her treated for three months with no relief. She kept getting worse until I tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

More Serious. "Were your son's hopes of victory broken in that football match?" "No, but his nose was."

When a man puts his foot in it he feels like kicking himself. To land in jail for taking things easy, that is the irony of fate.

NOTES from MEADOWBROOK FARM

Use hens for breeding. Alfalfa improves the soil. Chickens relish sunflower seed. Separate the breeding sows as they begin to grow heavy.

Land which receives the same treatment year after year rapidly depreciates in its crop-producing power. A good time now to haul and spread manure on the vegetable garden so that the spring rains can do their part.

Give the laying hens plenty of fresh, clean water. In cold weather it pays to give it to them warm two or three times a day.

It is a true statement that too many farmers know how to produce food, but do not know how to find a market, or put them on in an attractive manner.

The determining factor in the yield of a good variety of corn is not the size of the ear, but rather the strength of the whole plant and the percentage of stand secured.

The fruit and the vegetables that were stored in the cellar last fall before winter came to spoil their keeping qualities are going to yield you splendid returns in comfort from now on.

Grape vines are seldom attacked by scale insects, so that there is seldom any need for spraying them with strong lime-sulphur during the dormant season.

If you have never used a pure-bred bull in your herd, make the necessary investment or patronize the pure-bred bull your neighbor may own.

Grain is very high this winter and it may be hard to resist the temptation to cut down just a little on the dairy rations. This is poor policy.

Many farmers often have lame hogs and do not understand the cause of this undesirable condition. Either the hogs have been compelled to lie in a damp bed, or in a place so cold that they have been forced to pile up to keep warm.

Give the fowls a variety. Get ready for garden seeds. Warm cream should never be mixed with cold.

Vegetable and flower seeds should be purchased soon. To ripen the cream properly, a starter should be used.

All crops have a tendency to deteriorate if the seed is carelessly selected. Good young apple trees come high, but the poor ones are dearer than any other kind.

It is far easier to destroy one weed this year than a thousand of its offspring next year. Improper ventilation makes more henhouses cold and damp than rain and zero weather.

Do not let the sheep drink from a trough half full of ice. Give water regularly and keep the trough clean. The California citrus crop is estimated at 29,000 cars, lemons being placed at 2,650 cars, and oranges at 26,285 cars.

When trees have been barked by mice or rabbits, but do not so badly that the life of the tree is endangered, paint the wounds to protect them from decay.

The first spraying for the codling moth must be completed before the calyx of each blossom has closed. After that time the thoroughness of the application is made very much more difficult.

Full-plowed land which is allowed to remain rough over winter stores more of the winter rains and snow than unplowed or smooth land.

A fruit called durian, grown in the Philippines, on a tree resembling the elm, is as large as a coconut, has a shaly shell and contains a creamy pulp which combines some of the flavors of a delicious custard with those of a fine cheese.

The value of the 1913 crops is twice as great as that of 1899; more than \$1,000,000,000 over 1909, and substantially greater than 1912.

There is no raise for watering plants; apply it when they are dry and not before, whether it is once a week or twice a day. Give them plenty at the time, pour on until it runs from the hole at the bottom of the pot.

The best type of farming, on the average, is what may be called diversified farming, thus having more than one source of income in case of the failure of some particular crop.

Uric Acid is Slow Poison

Unseen in its early stages, hard to detect in its later forms, uric acid poisoning is a disease too often fatal. Bright's disease is one of the final stages of uric acid poisoning.



It is but a further step to dropsy or Bright's disease. Be warned by backache, by sediment in the kidney secretions, by painful, scant or too frequent passages.

CONFINED TO BED A Story of Terrible Suffering From Kidney Disease

Mrs. Eliza Kirk, Main St., Spencer, Ind., says: "When my back began to get lame, I didn't pay much attention to the trouble and as the result, I got worse."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. "When Your Back is Lame—Remember the Name" Sold by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., Proprietors.

TESTS BROUGHT UP TO DATE

Two That Have Their Origin in the Financial Problems That Confront the Housewife. From the cost of living two tests are evolved for use.

Hard Luck. Two New Yorkers of some experience in travel other than by the rapid transit lines of the metropolis were telling hard-luck stories.

Buckle. Henry Thomas Buckle, author of the "History of Civilization in England," was born at Leamington, in 1821, and died at Damascus, Syria, in 1862.

Water for St. Petersburg. The city council of St. Petersburg is considering a measure appropriating \$25,000,000 for a supply of pure water, to be drawn from Lake Ladoga, 40 miles away.

The Language. "English is very queer sometimes." "How do you mean?" "We go for people to make them stop, and put stops on organs to make them go."

CLEVER WIFE Knew How to Keep Peace in Family. It is quite significant, the number of persons who get relief of aching heart trouble when they let up on coffee and use Postum as the beverage at meals.

"Two years ago I was having so much trouble with my heart," writes a lady in Washington, "that at times I felt quite alarmed. My husband took me to a specialist to have my heart examined."

"I was ill for a long time with a severely sprained ankle. I got a bottle of Sloan's Liniment and now I am able to walk about as usual. I was told that I should get a lot of credit for putting such a fine Liniment on the market and I shall always take time to recommend Dr. Sloan's Liniment."—Mrs. C. H. Howe, Baltimore, Md.

HOSE SALE DISTEMPER

You know what you sell or buy through the sales has about one chance in fifty to escape SALE SPREADS. "SPHON" is your true protection, your only safeguard, for as sure as you treat all your horses with it, you will soon be rid of the disease.

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The Reason. Cause and Effect—"It must be great to be a man! One dress suit lasts for years and years, and a woman must have a new gown for every party."

A fool and his money are soon parted, and many there be who want a part. The more rights a woman has the less she cares to talk about them.

Nature Never Intended Woman to be Sickly. As a matter of fact it is her right and her duty to enjoy perfect health and strength—to be just as strong and healthy as man—perhaps more so—in view of the fact that it is she who brings into the world the offspring.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription (In Tablet or Liquid Form) This famous remedy is the result of years of patient research by a physician who has made women's peculiar ailments a life study.

Rheumatism, Sprains, Backache, Neuralgia. "Yes, daughter, that's good stuff. The pain in my back is all gone—I never saw anything work as quickly as Sloan's Liniment." Thousands of grateful people voice the same opinion. Here's the proof.

Relieved Pain in Back. "I was troubled with a very bad pain in my back for some time. I went to a doctor but he did not do me any good. So I purchased a bottle of Sloan's Liniment, and had it rubbed on my back. I always keep a bottle of Sloan's Liniment in the house."—Mrs. J. W. Pierce, 308 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

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**CAMPBELLSPORT.**

H. Sellen called on friends here Friday.

C. Hint returned to Milwaukee Friday.

Geo. Romaine called on friends here Tuesday.

Nic. Hort called on friends at Oshkosh Tuesday.

R. Raymond called on friends at Cameron last week.

J. Flynn was a business caller at Fond du Lac Friday.

Geo. Brown called on friends at Fond du Lac Friday.

Wm. Knickel called on friends at Fond du Lac Sunday.

W. H. Harrington was a caller at Fond du Lac Sunday.

Daviu Knickel was a caller at Fond du Lac Sunday.

Nic. Hort was a business caller at Mosses last week.

N. Klotz called on friends at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Nic. Hort was a business caller at Fond du Lac Sunday.

Geo. Johnson called on friends at Fond du Lac Sunday.

H. J. Poffer of Milwaukee was here on business Monday.

John Flynn was a business caller at Oshkosh Saturday.

Albert Schwandt was at Milwaukee on business Monday.

Jos. Rodler was a business caller at Oshkosh this week.

H. A. Wrucke called on friends at Fond du Lac Saturday.

J. Buss of Fond du Lac was a business caller here Friday.

C. R. Van De Zande was at Fond du Lac on business Monday.

Miss Emma Vetsch called on friends at Empire this week.

A. E. Adams of Eden was in this village on business Monday.

Thos. Curran was a business caller at Fond du Lac Saturday.

J. B. Connell of Plymouth spent a few days here on business.

I. L. Bush of Fond du Lac transacted business here Monday.

T. N. Curran was at Fond du Lac on business last Saturday.

Wm. Pohman of Oshkosh was a business caller here Friday.

Wm. Warden was a Kewaskum caller between trains Monday.

John Gravidiger was a business caller at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Frey of Elmore visited friends in the village Friday.

Ed. Schneider was a business caller at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Wm. Knickel was a business caller at Fond du Lac over Saturday.

Thos. Dieringer was a business caller at the County Seat Monday.

Miss Irene Klotz is now employed as clerk at Seering's store.

Joshua Dickmann spent last Sunday with relatives at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Martin called on friends at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Bernard Olrich looked after business matters at Beechwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ward and son Leo were callers at Eden this week.

Paul Koenigs of Fond du Lac was a pleasant caller here last Sunday.

Alex. Fleischmann of Chicago is spending the week here with his parents.

Miss Edna Wrucke who teaches at Clintonville is home for a week's vacation.

Miss Frieda Beisbier is the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. Braun for a few days.

Chester Gorman of Milwaukee was a pleasant village caller here last Sunday.

The Misses Irene Moll and Adell Calhoun spent last Saturday at Fond du Lac.

G. J. Smith of Milwaukee spent last Sunday at the home of Frank Greninger.

Miss Emma Vetsch went to Ripon Monday for a ten days stay with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Schmidt of Kewaskum was a village caller here last week Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Krueger and daughter Celta attended the Krueger auction Monday.

Dr. W. J. Greene was a business caller through the northern part of the state last week.

Miss Frieda Kloke of Kewaskum spent last Sunday at the home of her parents in this village.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church met with Mrs. Mary Meade Wednesday afternoon.

Christ Guntly and Ulrich Lufi left last Saturday for Crescent, Minn., to spend a few weeks.

Alfred Van De Zande looked after business matters in the northern part of the state this week.

Mrs. Fred Unferth of North Fond du Lac spent a few days here with Mrs. J. Vetsch and family.

The Misses Mary Pesch, Nellie Farrell and Paula Hoffman were callers at Kewaskum last week Friday.



**Industrial Hygiene**

Poultry raisers have found that over crowding chickens in a coop decreases the production of eggs. Best returns require chicken houses built to provide ample sunlight and good ventilation. Cleanliness is an important factor in good business management. Modern poultry yards are models of good sanitary manufacturing plants. Successful dairymen insure the lives and productiveness of their dairy animals by careful and intelligent attention to heat, food, ventilation and adequate sunlight.

Efficiency engineers studying factory management have reached similar conclusions on the productivity of human workmen. Wise managers know that the physical surroundings and conditions of work tell in the product. They look upon the construction of modern sanitary shops as a necessity of "good business". There are still too many of the other type of managers who look upon business success or failure as a matter of luck. Their factories are over crowded. The owners in turn, help to overcrowd the bankruptcy courts.

Good home management demands as much attention to principles of hygiene as must be given in care of poultry and cattle. Anyone whose own eyes have been opened can answer whether or not it is being given. School houses are the workshops of a considerable proportion of the population of this country. These young workmen have rights. It's bad business to handicap their efforts.

Stuffy interiors lead to headaches, to drowsiness, and to nervousness. Is it to be expected that good work will be done against these handicaps? Competition is such nowadays that to secure success every bit of energy needs to be properly directed. Nobody with a sore thumb is going to strike as hard a blow as though his hands were strong. Clerks, factory employees and children in school simply won't buck aching heads against knotty problems. You don't and I don't. Isn't it foolish to think that those who work for us will?

**NEW PROSPECT.**

The town board met at John Rinzel's place Tuesday.

Chas. Warden and crew are busy sawing logs and grinding feed.

J. P. Ueimen has commenced to work with the carpenters at Cascade.

Otto Pfingston and Emil Bartel were business callers at Kewaskum Friday.

The teachers and pupils of the New Prospect school are having a week's vacation.

At the caucus held here Saturday the following were nominated: Chairman, Peter Schroeten; Treasurer, Wm. Schelf; Clerk, Frank Schultz; Assessor, John Rinzel; Supervisors, Herman Fick and Herman Jandre; Justice of the Peace, Otto Pfingston.

Grand Easter dance in the New Opera House on Monday evening, April 13th.

Rev. Lane, pastor of the M. E. Church at Iola, Wis., occupied the pulpit at the local M. E. Church here Sunday.

The Misses Veronica Zwasczka, Gladys Wenzel and Elizabeth Havel were callers at Fond du Lac last Friday evening.

Miss Margaret Brost of Johnsonburg is spending the week here with her sister, Mrs. P. A. Hoffmann and other relatives and friends.

H. J. Paas, T. N. Curran and J. H. Hendricks attended the M. W. A. convention at Ripon Wednesday, they being delegates of the local camp.

Mrs. Clarence Hendricks and daughter Dorothy of Milwaukee spent last Saturday here with Mrs. Jos. Rodler and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Knickel and daughter Lillian, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knickel and daughter Myrtle and John Wenzel and daughter Gladys attended the funeral of W. Seaman at Eden on Tuesday.

At the caucus, which was held in this village last Saturday evening, the following persons were nominated: President, Wm. Pool; Trustees (two years), Leo Hustings, E. E. Curran and A. Schwandt; Supervisor, J. F. Naughton; Clerk, J. M. Kohler; Treasurer, Jac. W. Schlaeter; Assessor, J. A. Pesch; Constable, John Schlaeter; Police Justice, H. J. Paas. 115 votes were cast.

Chas. Behnke, manager of the local Opera House, and who had charge of the local basket ball team the past season, gave a four course dinner to the players at the Opera House last Saturday evening, in honor of the success of the team, by winning every game they played the past season. The supper was served by the Mesdames Chas. Behnke and M. R. Boeckler.

**THE CREED OF THE CONSUMER**

Set of Principles Worthy of Practice.

**HOME PATRON'S PHILOSOPHY**

Founded on Facts and Should Be Lived Up to by the American People—Not Religious Creed—People of North, South, East and West Can Unite For Good.

[Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan.] Every failure is a step to success; every detection of what is false directs us to what is true; every trial exhausts some tempting form of error. Not only so, but scarcely any attempt is entirely a failure; scarcely any theory, the result of steady thought, is altogether false. No tempting form of error is without some latent charm derived from truth. With these thoughts in mind I have prepared what I call the consumer's creed.

**A Gate to the City.**

It is not a religious creed. If it were I would not be writing it, as I am afraid I might get my metaphors crossed. This is a business creed, something like the people of New England unconsciously adopted when Lord North undertook to tax them. Therefore they had always been accustomed to divide on points. It so happened, fortunately, that their opposition to Lord North was a point on which they were all united. It was a business point.

I have written a creed upon which the people of the north, south, east and west can all unite for their own good.

A good creed is a gate to the city which has golden foundations; a misleading creed may be a road to destruction, or if both misleading and alluring it may become what Shakespeare calls a primrose path to the eternal bonfire.

Perhaps my creed is nothing more than a set of principles which it would be well for every consumer to practice. Read them and then adopt them as your very own:

**A Business Creed.**

First—I do not patronize the mail order system because it is selfish and greedy and for the reason that I buy at home, where my interests are.

Second—If this community is good enough for my family and I to live in it ought to be good enough for my family and I to buy our necessities in.

Third—I will not take the word of the mail order house for its goods, as I want to see what I am buying, and I want to get what I pay for.

Fourth—I do not patronize the mail order houses because they demand cash in advance, and when I am "broke" and sick and need supplies my home dealer is willing to "carry" me.

Fifth—I patronize the home dealer because he stands back of his goods and in case of error is willing to rectify.

Sixth—I patronize the home merchant because I believe a man ought to spend his money in the community in which he earns it.

Seventh—I patronize the home merchant because I believe the man who sells what he produces and buys what he needs at home cannot be injured by deceptive catalogue pictures or alleged bargains.

Eighth—I do not patronize the mail order houses because they frequently sell damaged and inferior goods, which it avails a man nothing to attempt to exchange. But the man I patronize—the home merchant, the man who helps to pay the town, county and state tax—will exchange any article I buy from him which is unsatisfactory.

Ninth—I spend my money with my home merchant in preference to some mail order house in a distant city because the local merchants help to support the public schools where I send my children, the churches and the dependent poor in my vicinity.

Tenth—I patronize the local merchant because he does not try to trick me into buying "cheap" goods, which because of their defectiveness prove to be expensive, and, further, because should ill luck or bereavement come my way my local dealer would not only prove that he was a neighbor and a friend, but a man with a man's heart and a man's inclination to do good; not a soulless corporation like the mail order system, whose only instinct is greed and a further desire for gain.

**"Do Unto Others"**

Let all citizens follow this creed and they will be blessed with happy homes and a happy life. They will prosper financially and at the same time improve their moral standard. Do for your neighbor what you would like him to do for you; then you are doing your full duty to yourself and to all mankind.

Spring Laxative and Blood Cleanser

Flush out the accumulated waste and poisons of the winter months; cleans your stomach, liver and kidneys of all impurities. Take Dr. King's New Life Pills; nothing better for purifying the blood. Mild, non-gripping laxative. Cures constipation; makes you feel fine. Take no other. 25c. at your Druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for All Hurts.



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