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### OF INTEREST TO FARMERS

#### Our Dairy Lands

Hon. John Thomas, of Anson, who was largely instrumental in organizing the great creamery at Jim Falls, that this year will make and ship one hundred thousand dollars worth of butter, predicts that in a very short time Chippewa county will be the greatest section of the state.

While it is difficult to secure definite and exact figures as to the growth and development and output of the dairy interests in Chippewa county it is accepted as a matter of fact the dairy interests of the county have doubled and trebled in a remarkable short period of time and the Dairy and Food Commission has made an estimate showing that the dairy output of the state of Wisconsin has now reached a basis of \$100,000,000 per year.

This is a wonderful showing, and the progress is probably greater than at any time in the past. Wisconsin is the supreme dairy state of the union.

It now remains for the people of the state to adopt plans for a still greater showing—and the means are at hand.

There is room in the partially developed upper counties for a million more dairy cows. That is a good start.

The adoption of alfalfa generally in the state will enable the farmers of Wisconsin to keep a much greater number of cows.

The improvement of the dairy stock of the state will make a vast difference in the dairy output.

It is doubtless true that the dairy output of this state can be pushed up to \$300,000,000 if all the opportunities for increase are used to the fullest extent.—Chippewa Independent.

#### Wisconsin Dairy Products

The recent estimate by Dairy and Food Commissioner Emery that the dairy output of Wisconsin now amounts to a value of one hundred million dollars per year is made a text by A. D. Campbell, manager of the Wisconsin Advancement association, who suggests that instead of resting contented with what has been achieved in this direction the people of the Badger state would do well to look upon past triumphs as incentive to new effort.

It now remains, he says, to adopt plans for a still greater showing—and the means are at hand. There is room in the partially developed upper counties for a million more dairy cows. The adoption of alfalfa generally in the state will enable the farmers of Wisconsin to keep a much greater number of cows. The improvement of the dairy stock of the state will open another door toward enlargement of the dairy output.

Mr. Campbell estimates that the value of the dairy output of Wisconsin can be increased to three hundred million dollars per annum. Well, why not? Here is an object worthy of ambition. Does anyone know a state where the incentives to enterprise in dairy farming are superior to those offered in Wisconsin?—Evening Wisconsin.

#### Unwarranted Excitement

It has become clear that there was unwarranted excitement over the flurry of "foot and mouth" disease among cattle in Wisconsin. It is well to handle such matters vigorously, but unnecessary noise doesn't help the matter any. The fact is that the foot and mouth disease is not native in Wisconsin and is therefore easily weeded out. It came from other states in the importation of cattle for feeding purposes and from the Chicago show. The fact remains that Wisconsin is without a peer in the health and vigor of its livestock.

#### Children's Coughs — Children's Colds Both Are Serious

When one of your little ones shows symptoms of an approaching Cold, give it Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey at once. It acts quickly and prevents the Cold growing worse. Very healing—soothes the Lungs, loosens the mucus, strengthens the system. Its guarantee. Only 25c at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today. Buckle's Arnica Salve for Sores.

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### WHAT THE CALENDAR FOR 1915 SAYS

Two legal holidays next year, Memorial day and the Fourth of July, fall on Sunday, and one, Christmas, falls on Saturday, says the new 1915 calendar. In the month of January there are two holidays of importance, New Year's day on Friday, and Carnival day, McKinley's birthday on Friday, January 29th.

Ground hog day always watched for by weather prophets, falls on Tuesday this year, and Lincoln's birthday, February 12th, is on Friday. The only legal holiday of the month, Washington's birthday falls on Monday.

St. Patrick's day, the big holiday of the year for the wearers of the green, is on Wednesday this year. This month is further notable for having a full moon twice the first on March 1st, and the second on March 31st. Easter is the big April holiday and this falls on Sunday, April 4th.

Mother's day, the second Sunday in May falls on the 9th day.

July contains only one holiday of importance and that is on Sunday. There is no chance of a day off in August, as there are no holidays of importance. Labor day, the only big day in September falls on Monday, September 6th. The only other holiday of importance is Thursday, September 9th, the Jewish New Year.

October contains no holidays with the exception of Halloween which falls on Sunday next year. November has Thanksgiving day probably on November 25th. Christmas, the big holiday in December falls on Saturday and the workers will have two days to rest up from the strenuous pre-holiday rush.

#### MANY FISH CAUGHT IN 1914

Commercial fishing in Wisconsin during the year ending June 30, 1914 produced more than 21,000,000 pounds of fish, valued at \$793,040, according to the annual report of Supt. James Nevin of the state department of fisheries. Supt. Nevin deprecates the fact that a large number of whitefish fry and eggs, to maintain the number of whitefish in Lakes Michigan and Superior, are not available. He says that the so-called steelhead trout caught in the Great Lakes are in his opinion really rainbow trout, planted in small streams, and which later find their way into the Great Lakes and there take on their so-called steelhead appearance.

The nine state fish hatcheries of Wisconsin, the superintendent says, have not sufficient capacity to keep up the required supply of fry for waters within the state and some steps should be taken to increase their number. The total expenses of the state department of fisheries in 1914 were \$62,634.44.

#### G. U. G. ELECTS OFFICERS

The G. U. G. Germania lodge held their regular annual meeting at the Temperance Hall last Monday evening, it being one of the largest meetings in the history of the vereine in this village. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, N. J. Mertes; Vice president, Louis Brandt; Secretary and Financial Secretary, John Klessig; Treasurer, Erwin Koch; Speaker, Geo. Kippenhan; Guide, Jacob Knoebel; Inner Guide, August Kirchner; Trustee for three years, Louis Brandt; Trustee for one year, Gerhard Fellenz; Representative, Nic. Mertes. Alternate, Jac. Bruesel.

The installation of officers will take place on the fourth Monday of January, to be followed by an oyster supper.

#### PAYS BIG PRICE FOR STAMP

George R. Tuttle paid \$1,750 for a 30 cent American postage stamp of the "error issue" of 1869, at a public sale by John A. Klemmen of New York. The stamp is one of a plate printed with inverted flags and collectors know of only three examples of it extant. The price is a new high record. Mr. Tuttle also paid \$627 for a 36-cent American stamp of the issue of 1851 for which a record of \$715 had been made at a private sale. Both purchases were on commission for an unnamed collector.—R. F. D. News.

#### FOR SALE

On account of leaving this village, Henry Garbisch desires to state that he will not put up any ice this winter as he wishes to dispose of his ice business, together with large ice house and equipment, dwelling house and lot, two good horses, rigs, etc. Price reasonable for a quick sale. Inquire of or write to Henry Garbisch, Kewaskum, Wis. 12-26-14

### CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein Sr. of The Town of Kewaskum Married Fifty Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein Sr., of the town of Kewaskum, who are among the oldest and most highly esteemed residents of this town observed the fiftieth anniversary of their married life on Christmas day Friday, December 25th. The relatives and guests were entertained at their home during the afternoon and evening, and a very pleasant time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Klein were both born in Germany and emigrated to this country at the ages of thirteen and eight respectively. Mrs. Klein's maiden name was Barbara Schuppel. The venerable couple were married on December 21, 1864, in the town of Wayne. Mr. Klein's age is 76 and his wife's 72. Both are in excellent health notwithstanding the fact that their lives have been spent in arduous toil from early pioneer days on.

Mr. and Mrs. Klein were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. The Statesman and the many friends of the aged couple extend their heartiest congratulations and hope that they may live to celebrate their diamond wedding twenty-five years hence. All who attended the wedding anniversary were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuppel of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. George Braun and children of Minneapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schacht and children of Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Christ Klein and children of Farmington; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baumgartner of Wayne; Mrs. John Schuppel and daughter Carrie and son John of Barton; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Groth and son, Mr. and Mrs. August Fajk and son, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Backhaus and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klein and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schuppel and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belger and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Klein Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kocher and family, Mrs. John Kluth and children, William Klein and children of Kewaskum.

We are gathered here today, To celebrate in a loving way, This Christmas, golden wedding time, Of our dear grandma and grandpa Klein.

In eighteen hundred and sixty-four, Your friends were gathered here before, To celebrate, in a similar way, Your original, long past, wedding day.

Today it is with your children dear; Who came to Kewaskum from far and near, To talk to you and hear you tell, And greet you both, whom we love so well.

Children, grandchildren and old friends too, Pay their respect to both of you, May health, long life and happiness be thine, Hurrah! for grandma and grandpa Klein.

#### SQUARE-UP DAY

A most excellent movement has originated in an Illinois town which it would be well for communities, in the country to imitate. The idea is to have January 1, "Square-up-Day." December is to be a square-up-month. Everyone is asked to make a bill to his debtors on December 1, with the slogan "Square-up-January 1. All who are in debt are urged to square up and begin 1915 with a clean slate. Not only are money debts and obligations to be squared-up but quarrels and misunderstandings between those who should be friends and neighbors as well. Let those who read of this movement start a similar one in their community and push it along. It will not only mean much to the individuals who "square-up" but if such a movement should become general it would be a great incentive to business throughout the country. Push it along.

#### TO COLLECT TAXES

Chas. Groeschel, treasurer of the village of Kewaskum, announces that he will have the tax list ready for collection at his place on and after January 4, 1915. All are requested to call and settle their taxes promptly.

—Subscribe for the Statesman.

### LOCALS WIN FROM MILWAUKEE O. A. C'S

Defeat The O. A. C. Basket Ball Team of Milwaukee Tuesday Evening in a One-sided Game 104 to 10

The O. A. C. basketball team of Milwaukee journeyed to this village last Tuesday and to their sorrow, were defeated by the locals by the large score of 104 to 10.

The game was very one-sided and although the visitors never were in hopes of winning, they played a very good and clean game. They were greatly out-weighted and also handicapped by the height of our players. The passing by the visitors was good and considering their size and weight, held their own well.

Miller again scored most of the points for the locals, he succeeding in scoring 42 points. However, all the other players played equally well. Had our five played their usual game, no doubt the score would have been much larger. The score at the end of the first half was 43 to 6.

The Campbellsport-Kewaskum game, which is to be played here on Saturday evening, January 9th, promises to be the best game of the season. Campbellsport defeated New Prospect in its opening game last week by a score of 91 to 11, and judging from this score, a hard game is looked for. This game will be worth going miles to see, so don't forget the date.

#### NOTES

The crowd was not very large which no doubt was due to the inclement weather.

The Milwaukee players were gentlemen in every respect, and played a very clean game.

The crowd was anxious to have the locals make the score 100. For a time it looked as if they would be unable to do so, but in the last few minutes of play several goals were made.

Don't forget the Campbellsport-Kewaskum game January 9th.

### DEATH OF MRS. JOSEPH STRACHOTA

Mrs. Joseph Strachota Passes Away at Milwaukee Following an Operation a Few Weeks Ago

The death of Mrs. Joseph Strachota which occurred at Milwaukee last Wednesday evening at about 9 o'clock, came as a great shock to her many friends in this village. Mrs. Strachota had gone to Milwaukee several weeks ago where she had an operation performed at the St. Joseph's hospital. She was getting along very nicely, and hopes were entertained for her removal home about next Monday but a relapse set in on Wednesday and she gradually became worse. The family in this village were notified and were at her bedside to the end. It is a great blow to her family and many friends here, as she was an excellent mother and universally liked by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. The remains were brought here for burial but on account of going to press too early we are unable to announce the time and date of the funeral. A fitting obituary will appear in next week's issue.

#### CALLED BY DEATH

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Clarence Kruse, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kruse of Milwaukee. Deceased was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Kruse and had been sick but a short time with diphtheria. Mr. Kruse conducted a saloon at the corner of 6th and Clarke Sts. Milwaukee. Mrs. Kruse was formerly Miss Lena Klug of this village. The funeral was held from the home on Wednesday of this week with interment in the Union cemetery. The bereaved parents have our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of affliction.

—Legal papers for sale at this office.

### DEATH OF HENRY MARTIN AT BARTON

Henry Martin of the town of Barton, dropped dead at his home last Friday evening at 5:30 o'clock. Mr. Martin was in the best of health and spent the afternoon in company with others inspecting a new road to be opened about a mile from his home. On his way home he cut a Christmas tree for the home, arriving there at about 5:30 o'clock. On entering the home he stepped up to a couch upon which one of his sons was resting and asked whether they had a sick man in the home. The son answered that he was well and tired. Just then Mr. Martin collapsed, falling forward and struck his head on the couch. He was hastily picked up from the floor, but life had flown.

Henry William Carl Martin was born in the town of Barton on March 10, 1858, and lived on the same farm all his life. He was married to Mary Bahmer on February 5, 1885. Their union was blessed with eight children, of whom seven survive, namely: Lucinda, Mrs. William Kluever, of the town of Trenton; John of Mukwonago, Wis.; Louis at home; Walter of Mukwonago; Florence, Rudolph and Hilda at home.

The funeral took place last Saturday afternoon from the home to St. John's Lutheran church in this city, where Rev. E. Hoyer conducted the services. Interment was made in Union cemetery.

Mr. Martin was one of those whole souled, good men whose death is always a great loss to a community. He possessed the best qualities of heart and mind, honesty, uprightness, cordiality, helpfulness, sympathy for every living being, sound reasoning and a lively interest in everything that was going on around him and in the community which was happy enough to have him as a member. He died much too soon, and all we can do is to keep him a kind remembrance.—West Bend News.

Mr. Martin was a brother of Fred Martin of this village.

#### CEDAR LAWN

Happy New Year to you. Thirty below zero last Saturday. John Leinen of Ashford was here on business last Thursday. William Little of Campbellsport was here on business last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Jaeger visited friends near Elmore last Tuesday.

John L. Gudex looked after business at the County Seat last Monday.

Johnathan Odekirk made a business trip to Waucoista last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rauch of Ashford visited friends here last Saturday.

Several from here visited with the H. A. Raulf family at Lomira last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Jaeger spent Christmas with the B. Jaeger family at Ashford.

Dr. A. E. Rudolph of Campbellsport made a professional call here last Saturday.

Samuel and George Gudex attended the dance at Kewaskum last Saturday night.

Mrs. Johanna Majerus and son William transacted business at the County Seat last Saturday.

Mrs. Math Guntly of Elmore visited her daughter, Mrs. Adam Jaeger and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Majerus attended the dance given by Joseph Majerus at Parnell last Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Odekirk of Auburn visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Odekirk here Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Kraemer and children left last Tuesday for an extended visit with friends at Peebles and Johnsonburg.

The heavy snow storm of last Tuesday which was accompanied by a strong wind has made traveling very difficult, owing to the large snow blockades.

Hazel Chesley, who is a student at the Menomonee, Mich., school and her brother Paul, who is a student at Ripon College spent their vacation with their parents here.

—All records were broken at the Union Stock Yards, Chicago, during the week of December 14th to December 19th. The receipts were 42,453 head of live stock for which cash was paid to the amount of \$11,134,210.

### AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

Saturday afternoon Carl Yunker bookkeeper of the West Bend Lumber Co., came very near to having both of his legs crushed driving down Main street, the horses started on a gallop and he was unable to check their dangerous speed. When they rounded the corner to the south bridge with a platform for hauling lumber, tipped over. Mr. Yunker managed to stay on the sled, but in such a position that his legs dangled beyond it and knees almost touched the iron truss work of the bridge. But for an infinitesimal interstice, his legs would have been smashed. As it was he escaped injury, but was thoroughly frightened. The team soon afterwards came to a stop, having arrived at the lumber yard.—West Bend News.

Mrs. J. Thill and five children, ranging in age from 6 to 17, were saved from death by asphyxiation when an older son was awakened by fumes of coal gas. He called neighbors, who carried the victims to safety. Physicians worked for hours before they were restored to consciousness. They are not yet out of danger.—Fond du Lac Commonweath.

We hear from pretty good authority that the large cannons shipped over the Soo road last week are being held up by the U. S. government at Minneapolis. It is said that the cannons came from the Bethlehem steel works and were being shipped to Canada to be afterwards transported to England.—Hartford Times.

According to a notice given under the signature of Sheriff Benike, the two creameries of the Washington County Farmers' Dairy company were sold under foreclosure. The creamery located at Schleisingerville and the equipment were sold at 10 o'clock Monday and the one in Jackson at two in the afternoon.

Herbert Kohler of Sheboygan, a Yale student, last Tuesday went to a secluded place on the shore, undressed between two snow drifts and took a swim in Lake Michigan to win a bet from W. L. Harlow, of New Haven, Conn., his roommate who is visiting him.—Fond du Lac Commonweath.

The Hustiford News is the newest recruit to the ranks of the machine composition papers. A Junior Linotype was installed in the News office last week, by the proprietor, Willie Kaul. We wish them success with the machine.

#### ELMORE

A Happy New Year to all. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Haessly were Kewaskum callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gross of Chicago spent Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backhaus and family spent Saturday at New Pane with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gantenbein and son spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Reinhardt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Schrauth Mr. and Mrs. C. Hall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Becker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backhaus and children Oscar and Ella spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Engler.

Viola and Savina Domms of Fond du Lac spent Xmas here with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schmidt and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Weiss and family and Miss Lena Herber of Campbellsport spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. Geidel.

Mr. and Mrs. Amandus Scheurman and daughters Edna and Laura spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Scheurman at Fond du Lac.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sabisch and family Mrs. John McCarty and daughter Helen and Mr. Peter Becker spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Becker and family.

The following spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. Gantenbein Sr.: Mr. and Mrs. E. Reinhardt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Senn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Struebing and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Struebing and son Mr. and Mrs. M. Gantenbein and Savina and Viola Domms. All report having had a good time.

—Read the Statesman, it will interest you.

**A Happy New Year**

To each and every reader  
and friend of

**The Statesman**

#### "I SHOULD WORRY"

Here is how to say "I should worry" in several languages. German—Ich Sollte Mich sorgen. French—Que je me troublais. Italian—Vorrell tormentar mi. Spanish—Seria atormentado. Swedish—Jag skulle grabba. Yiddish (alleged)—Ish ca bibble. Bohemian—Mam se starat. Polish—Jasie mam klopotac. Danish—Jag skulde surisic. Japanese—Hoga mya. Norwegian—Jag skulle sorra.

#### NOTICE!

NOTICE—To tax payers of town of Auburn. Will collect at Mrs. K. Schiltz, New Pane, January 5, 1915; John Tunns, New Prospect, January 6, 1915; John Naughton, Campbellsport, January 7, 1915; A fee of 2 per cent will be charged on all taxes not paid by February 1, 1915.

Wm. Schleif, Town Treasurer of town Auburn

—Gasoline engines for Sale.—one 1 1/2 horse power Raleigh-Schreyer, one 2 1/2 horse power United States one 5 horse power Stay-Rite, one 9 horse power twin-cylinder Temple. All second hand engines, but in the best of condition. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire of Geo. Kippenhan, Kewaskum, Wis.

—Stock Fair last Wednesday was not very well attended on account of the badly drifted roads.

#### RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE

Whereas it has pleased our Lord in his infinite wisdom to remove from our Society one of our worthy members, Andrew Dricken therefore be it

Resolved by the G. U. G. Germania of Kewaskum Wis., that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their deep affliction, and be it further Resolved that these Resolutions be spread in the records of the Society, and be printed in the Kewaskum Statesman and a copy transmitted to the family.

#### Try This For Neuralgia

Thousands of people keep on suffering with Neuralgia because they do not know what to do for it. Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. What you want to do is to soothe the nerve itself. Apply Sloan's Liniment to the surfaces over the painful part—do not rub it in. Sloan's Liniment penetrates very quickly to the sore, irritated nerve and allays the inflammation. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

—Advertise in the Statesman.



PROTEST TO BRITAIN

UNITED STATES DEMANDS ALL RIGHTS AT SEA FOR AMERICANS.

PAGE TO PRESENT THE NOTE

British Policy Blamed for Depression in Industry in This Country, and England is Given Warning of Public Sentiment Aroused.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The United States government on Monday dispatched a long note to Great Britain insisting upon an early improvement in the treatment of American commerce by the British fleet.

It gave warning that much feeling had been aroused in this country, and that public criticism was general over unwarranted interference with the legitimate foreign trade of the United States.

The document, constituting the strongest representation on this subject made by the United States to any of the belligerents since the outbreak of the war, was cabled to Ambassador Page to be formally presented to Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary.

Its preparation was begun a month ago by Solicitor Clegg Johnson, Counselor Robert Lansing and Secretary Bryan, and finally during the last two weeks had the personal attention of President Wilson himself, who revised its phrasing with minute care.

As the detailed point of view of the United States in numerous specific cases of detentions and seizures of cargoes had been set forth in a series of emphatic protests, most of which have gone unheeded, the communication was couched in general terms covering the entire subject of the relations between the United States and Great Britain as affected by the latter's naval policy, considered highly objectionable by this government.

The note declares at the outset that the representations are made in a friendly spirit, but that the United States considers it best to speak in terms of frankness, lest silence be construed as acquiescence in a policy on the part of Great Britain which infringes the rights of American citizens under the laws of nations.

Since France has adopted practically the same decrees on contraband as has Great Britain, the note is virtually a statement intended for all the members of the triple entente.

The document points out that complaints on every side and public criticism in the United States hold the British policy as directly responsible for the depression in many American industries, a situation the seriousness of which must be apparent to Great Britain.

Feeling has been aroused on the subject to such an extent, the communication adds, that the American government feels compelled to ask for definite information as to Great Britain's attitude in order that it may take such measures as will protect American citizens in their rights.

Five months have now elapsed, the note asserts, with no improvement in the situation. In the meantime American shippers have availed themselves of various suggestions from the British government, such as shipping cargoes to definitely named consignees in neutral countries and the taking out of certificates from consuls in this country, which followed promises of the British foreign office that the allied fleets consequently would cease detentions of these cargoes. The situation, however, is described as having hardly improved after these concessions.

FRANK APPEAL IS ALLOWED

Atlanta (Ga.) Factory Superintendent Convicted of Murdering Girl to Get Stay of Execution.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Associate Justice Lamar of the United States Supreme court on Monday allowed the appeal of Lee M. Frank, the Atlanta (Ga.) factory superintendent, convicted of the murder of Mary Phagan. This means that a stay of execution will be granted and that Frank cannot be hanged until the high court passes on the constitutional questions raised in the case.

WILL OUST U. S. CONSULS

State Department Informed That Military Officials Will Name Undesirable Diplomats.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The German government has formally notified the American state department that American consuls in Belgium must be acceptable to the German military authorities, and that it is desirable that some of the consuls be withdrawn for the present at least.

Rush to Join Army.

London, Dec. 30.—A "Christmas rush" of recruits is reported by many recruiting stations to the war office. Many Englishmen have evidently delayed enlisting purposely so as to be able to spend Christmas at home.

Blood for Sale.

New York, Dec. 30.—One hundred called and offered to sell their blood in response to a request for donations of blood to save three patients at Beth Israel hospital. Only two applicants were found suitable.

England Full of Wounded.

London, Dec. 30.—England is becoming so full of wounded soldiers that some who have been so badly disabled that they cannot re-enter the service are being sent to South Africa for the convalescent period.

Aged Couple Burned to Death.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Knott Hillman, an aged couple, were burned to death Sunday when, upon return from a visit with their children, Hillman lighted the kitchen fire with kerosene.

PRaises U.S. STABILITY

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY M'ADOO IS OPTIMISTIC.

Sees "Tremendous Era of Prosperity Next Year After Reaction"—Going to California.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—W. G. McAdoo, secretary of the treasury, stopped in Chicago a few hours on his way to California.

"I consider it phenomenal that this country should have gone through such a period of business stagnation without a panic," the secretary said in substance. "But everywhere are the signs of a reaction. I look to a tremendous era of prosperity next year. The tide has turned and conditions are already greatly improved over what they were six months ago. We are going to have the greatest period of prosperity we have ever seen."

"What effect has the railroad freight rate increase had in Chicago? Are the roads taking on more men?" he asked.

"I am receiving reports from all over the country which show that the rate increase and the organization of the reserve banks have done much toward steadying business conditions."

"How about the effect of the European war?" he was asked. "Any war is injurious to the world, yet we have reached the point where the present war is in some ways an actual benefit. Ever since it began we have unconsciously begun to economize, more so than we did during the financial stringency which preceded it."

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES

Muscatoine, Ia., Dec. 28.—Tom London, half brother of Jack London, the novelist, died here. For years he had lived the life of a hermit.

Tokyo, Dec. 28.—During an interpellation the Japanese minister of foreign affairs, Takasaki Kato, declared that no country had asked Japan to send an army to Europe. The war minister, Lieutenant General Oka, said the Japanese had sent arms to Europe to the value of 10,000,000 yen (\$5,000,000).

London, Dec. 29.—The Central News states that the British steamers Linaria and Jem have been sunk by mines in the North sea.

Amsterdam, Dec. 29.—Four of the German big guns were so badly damaged by the British bombardment of Zeebrugge that they are being taken back to the Krupp works for repairs.

London, Dec. 29.—Five thousand horses have been purchased for the British army in Argentina by Cunningham Graham, a government agent, who was recently sent to South America.

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 29.—Kalamazoo physicians are amazed at the vitality shown by Zosak Willis, eighty-four, who has lived on water alone since October 13.

ITALIANS LAND IN ALBANIA

Troops Aid Inhabitants in Revolt Against Turkish Rule—May Cause War.

London, Dec. 28.—A violent revolution has broken out in Albania against Essad Pasha, whom Turkey established as ruler there when the Ottoman government broke into the European war.

Essad Pasha's palace at Tirana has been pillaged and burned. Massacres are reported.

The Italian government has landed sailors from the warships at the principal Albanian port of Avlona to restore order and protect Europeans and the peaceful inhabitants.

Italian intervention may embroil Italy with her recent foe, Turkey, and holds possibilities of far-reaching results.

Recent dispatches from Athens by way of Paris said that anarchy reigned at Avlona and that the region around the Albanian seaport was a prey to civil war.

Italian naval forces occupied Avlona on October 28. The expedition was in a relief expedition.

BOMB THROWER ENDS LIFE

Dynamiter Hurls Explosive in Temple at San Francisco, Cal.—Five Persons Wounded.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 29.—A man named Vavara, believed to have been a religious fanatic, wrecked the Hindu temple at Filbert and Webster streets on Sunday, exploding a dynamite bomb at the feet of the Swami Trigunatita during services. Vavara was instantly killed, the bomb blowing him almost in two. The swami was horribly injured about the legs and feet. Of the congregation four were injured.

France Orders Wrappers.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—France has ordered 250,000 pounds of felt wrappers for the soldiers' canteens from a local company.

Two Kentsuckians Are Killed.

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London, Dec. 29.—An official announcement given by the admiralty on Sunday describes the most spectacular battle in the history of warfare, in which land batteries, warships, submarine boats, aeroplanes, hydroplanes and Zeppelins were engaged.

The battle is that which resulted when the combined British sea and air fleets attacked the German naval station at Cuxhaven, on the south bank of the Elbe's mouth, across from the entrance to the Kiel canal.

The statement follows: "On Friday, December 25, German warships lying in Schillig roads, off Cuxhaven, were attacked by seven naval aeroplanes.

"The attack was delivered at daylight, starting from a point in the vicinity of Heligoland.

"The British seaplanes were escorted by a light cruiser and a torpedo boat destroyer force, with submarines. As soon as these ships were seen by the Germans at Heligoland two Zeppelins and three or four hostile seaplanes, acting in conjunction with several hostile submarines, attacked them.

"A naval combat ensued between most modern cruisers on the one hand and the enemy's air craft and submarines on the other.

"By swift maneuvering the enemy's submarines were avoided, and the Zeppelins were easily put to flight by the guns of the Undaunted and the Arethusa.

"The enemy's Zeppelins dropped bombs near our ships without hitting any of them.

"The British ships remained for three hours in the enemy's cost. Six air pilots were picked up.

"Three other air pilots were picked up later, according to arrangement, by British submarines which were standing by, their machines being sunk.

"One pilot, Flight Commander Hewlett, is missing. His machine was seen wrecked about eight miles from Heligoland, and his fate is at present unknown.

"The extent of the damage done by the British airmen's bombs cannot be estimated, but all the missiles were discharged on points of military significance.

Berlin, via wireless to Sayville, L. I., Dec. 29.—An attack by British cruisers, destroyers and hydroplanes on the German naval base in the North sea of which Wilhelmshaven and Cuxhaven are important centers, is reported in a statement from the admiralty here. The attacks were made December 25.

"The admiralty reports that on December 25 eight British ships made a dash into a German bay. Hydroplanes conveyed by them advanced against the mouths of the German rivers and hurled bombs at the anchored ships there and a gas tank near Cuxhaven, without hitting them or doing any damage. The hydroplanes were fired upon and withdrew to the west.

"German airships and aeroplanes reconnoitered against the British forces and hit with bombs two British destroyers and one convoy. Fire started on the latter. Fog prevented a continuation of the fighting."

London, Dec. 29.—English and French aviators, according to official announcements issued on Sunday, have carried out successful aerial attacks upon the important aviation bases of the Germans at Metz and Brussels.

The aviation hangars at Freescaty, near Metz, were bombarded and it is believed considerable damage was done. Bombs and arrows were dropped upon the railway station at Metz and upon the military barracks at St. Privat, just outside the town.

At Brussels 12 bombs were dropped on the Etherbeek airship shed, six of which were effective. The German hangar was burned.

An official dispatch received by the Exchange Telegraph company from Rosendahl says:

"It is rumored here that a Zeppelin was sighted near Nieuport and was shot at by the allies and all its occupants killed in the debris of the airship as it descended."

With dramatic suddenness the French avenged the Zeppelin attack on Nancy, in which two persons were killed and a number wounded.

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Charged With Conspiracy to Corrupt Elections Held Last November—Mayor Among Those Taken.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 29.—Practically every member of the city administration of Terre Haute is in the hands of United States authorities as a result of the arrests of 93 persons made there on Saturday on indictments charging a conspiracy to corrupt the election of November 3 last.

Steps taken by Marshal Mark Stoen, who is in Terre Haute, indicate that other arrests are to be made. It is said more than one hundred and twenty-five persons were named in the indictments.

Among the men taken were Mayor Donn M. Roberts, who is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor in 1918; Dennis Shea, sheriff of Vigo county; Circuit Judge Eli H. Redman, City Judge Thomas Smith and other leading Terre Haute politicians.

Unable to furnish bond of \$10,000 demanded by Marshal Stoen, Mayor Roberts was included in a party of 21 of the prisoners who had failed to provide bond, was brought to this city and placed in jail. Mrs. Roberts said she would procure bail for her husband.

The others were released on bonds ranging from \$2,500 to \$10,000 each. Sheriff Shea and Judge Redman were given their freedom on bonds of \$10,000 each.

VILLA LIFTS SIEGE OF NACO

Arizona Border Town Sees Governor Maytorena Withdraw Five Miles Away.

Naco, Ariz., Dec. 29.—United States citizens of this town came out of their bombproofs, took down the steel plates from their windows and joyously toppled over the baled hay barricades surrounding their bullet-riddled dwellings.

The siege of the Mexican town of Naco was lifted Saturday night. Saturday morning it was seen that Gov. Jose Maria Maytorena, the commander of the Mexican besiegers, had evacuated his entrenchments under cover of darkness and withdrawn his forces a distance of five miles to the east, south and west of the position he has held for the last two months.

ASKS RELIEF FOR MEXICANS

Consul General Hanna at Monterey Appeals to Red Cross for Blankets and Food.

New York, Dec. 29.—Telegraphing to the American Red Cross, Consul General Hanna asks that 2,000 cheap blankets be sent to him at Monterey, Mexico, to relieve the suffering natives who have appealed for help. He reports that food supplies are short, though citizens of San Antonio, Tex., have sent him a carload of food and clothing.

"Several outlying towns are appealing for help," he continues. "If the winter keeps cold there would be great suffering from hunger and cold."

"After four years of war this whole country is short of food. I will make all supplies and money go as far as possible."

JAP DIET OUSTED BY RULER

House Refuses to Increase the Army. So Its Life Is Ended by the Emperor.

Tokyo, Dec. 28.—Owing to rejection of the measure for an increase in the army the emperor dissolved the imperial diet on Friday, thus upholding the program of the ministry for military development. When the decision was announced there was a great commotion in the house and cheers from the government side. The army measure was rejected by a majority of 65, but the house approved the naval increase by a majority of seven. A rescript suspends the house of peers pending an election, which probably will be held in March.

ACTOR KILLED IN THE STREET

Scaffolding Falls from Hotel and W. S. Dickinson Loses Life—Five Workers Hurt.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 29.—One man was killed and five were dangerously injured when a scaffolding on the new Muehlebach hotel here collapsed. Walter S. Dickinson, a vaudeville actor, was caught under the falling structure as he was walking along the street and his skull was fractured. He died at a hospital. He was well known on the vaudeville stage and had been brought here for a special act on an all-star bill to open a theater. The injured men all were workmen of the building.

British Raid Dardanelles.

Athens, via Paris, Dec. 29.—It is reported that an English submarine entered the Dardanelles and destroyed three of the five series of mines which had been laid in the channel. The submarine escaped undamaged.

Believes German Raider Lost His Life.

London, Dec. 29.—The German aviator who tried to attack the British patrol base at Sheerness is believed to have perished. A lighthouse keeper in the North sea said an aeroplane fell into the water.

Hagenbecks Die in Battle.

St. Louis, Dec. 29.—Word that Lorenz and Henry Hagenbeck, the well-known menagerie owners of Germany, have been killed in battle was received by George Dieckman, president of the St. Louis Zoological society.

400 German Soldiers Die in Wreck.

London, Dec. 29.—A Reuter dispatch from Warsaw says that 400 men were killed and 500 wounded in a collision between troop and hospital trains at Kalisz, Poland. The troops were coming from Prussia.

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Die Sceminen. Wie diese Sprengkörper zum Explodieren unter Wasser gebracht werden. Wunder der neuesten Technik.

Amerikanische Firma liefert "Dum-Dum"-Patronen an die britische Armee. Der Protest des deutschen Botenführers, Grafen Werthoff, gegen die Lieferung amerikanischer "Bluffroom"-Kugeln an die englische Armee, welcher dem Staats-Departement zu Washington zugestellt worden war, ist bis jetzt unbenutzt und beachtet geblieben.

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WINTER COMFORT FOR COWS

Good Shelter Should Be Provided and Liberal Supply of Feed Laid in to Keep Up Milk Flow.

This is the season of the year when the dairy farmer should take steps to make his cows comfortable during the winter months. An uncomfortable cow is not a good producer. Good shelter should be provided and a supply of the right kind of feed laid in, so that the milk flow will not suffer at a time when the market prices are the best.

"Cold winds and rains are costly. They chill the cow, just as they would a warm stove, entailing the burning of more fuel. To avoid this the farmer should provide protection early."

"The ration at this transition period between summer pasturing and winter feeding is important. Any cow that has been giving milk since last spring will decrease her flow rapidly if she is not fed liberally. The result will be a greatly reduced profit from the dairy herd during the winter months."

"I do not advocate the feeding of much grain at this time. What is fed should merely supplement a ration composed largely of late grasses, pumpkins, soft-shelled squash, roots and small potatoes."

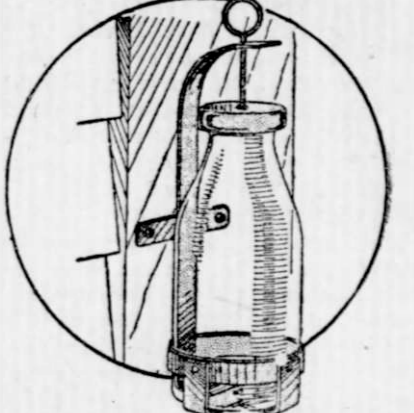
"Many of the farmers do not believe that the small potatoes are worth picking up, not realizing that five pounds of potatoes are worth as much as one pound of grain. They may be brought in and put on the barn floor, where, if they are covered with hay to keep off the frosts and prevent light freezing, they can be kept for a long time, and will take the place of a considerable amount of expensive grain or mill feed. Frozen potatoes, however, should not be fed to cows. They react unfavorably on the digestive tract."

"Herding the cows on the stubble clover in the wheat and oats young is a good plan. They will get much of value from this young growth."

HOLDER FOR MILK BOTTLES

Device Fastened to Woodwork at Side of Kitchen Door Cannot Be Dislodged by Cats or Dogs.

This milk bottle holder, which may be fastened to the woodwork at the side of the kitchen door, is provided at its top with a cap that is pushed down over the head of the bottle, where it prevents insects, dirt and



Sanitary Milk Bottle Holder.

rain from reaching the milk, should the ordinary paper stopper of the bottle be displaced, and also helps to hold the bottle secure, so that dogs and cats cannot dislodge it.—Popular Mechanics.

SUCCULENT FEEDS FOR COWS

Apples and Potatoes Should Be Fed in About Same Amounts as Turnips or Beets—Start Slowly.

Apples and potatoes are both good succulent foods for cows if fed properly. When these products are fed to cows they are usually very cheap, and people feed them too liberally. They should be fed in about the same amounts as turnips or beets. Start with a small amount, just a few, and gradually increase till each cow is eating a peck at a feed. You could feed them twice a day if desired, but don't feed more than half a bushel daily.

"Fed in this way they will not dry up your cows, but will tend to increase the flow. Where people have had trouble in by feeding entirely too many apples or potatoes at a feed. This gets the cow out of condition and, of course, decreases the flow of milk. Care must be taken in feeding apples or potatoes, or the cows are liable to choke. There is little danger when fed in their stalls but if fed in the lot, one cow drives another, causing her to swallow the apple before she chews it."

Separate Pens for Calves.

It is best to have a separate pen for each calf; when two calves are in the same pen they will suck the hair off the ears of one another and this hair will form balls in the stomach and often cause the death of the calf.

Cow-Stable Etiquette.

Speak mildly, milk carefully, feed liberally, water plentifully, brush gently and abundantly and the cows will respond freely, copiously and profitably and be more satisfactory productively and prolifically.



WHAT YEAR 1914 GAVE TO MANKIND

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EUROPEAN WAR

June 28—Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir to the Austrian throne and his wife, the duchess of Hohenberg, shot and killed by a student in Sarajevo, capital of Bosnia, after a futile attempt had been made to blow them up with a bomb.

July 23—Austria sent peremptory note to Serbia demanding punishment of all accomplices in murder of Archduke Francis Ferdinand and suppression of all societies which had fomented rebellion in Bosnia.

July 28—Austria declared war against Serbia. July 29—Austrians invaded Serbia and killed Belgrade.

Aug. 1—Germany declared war on Russia and mobilized its army. Aug. 3—Germany started three armies to invade Belgium, violating the neutrality of that country.

Aug. 4—Great Britain demanded that Germany withdraw her troops from Belgium. Aug. 4—Germany declared war on France.

Aug. 5—Germany proclaimed its neutrality. Aug. 5—Germany repulsed at Liège by British Field Marshal Lord Kitchener.

Aug. 6—Austria-Hungary declared war on Russia. Aug. 6—British cruiser Amphion sunk by German mine.

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FOREIGN

Feb. 2—City of Gonave, Haiti, burned during a battle between rebel forces.

Feb. 4—Guillermo Billinghurst, president of Peru, captured by revolutionists and his deportation ordered.

Feb. 14—Chinese government issued proclamation decreasing the death penalty for capital offenses.

March 17—Wife of French Minister of Finance Callaux killed by Gaston Calmette.

May 19—Revolt broke out in Albania, 6,000 supporters of Enver Pasha attacking King William's palace at Durazzo.

May 25—Irish home rule bill passed its third and final reading in the house of commons by a majority of 77.

July 5—Carlos Mendoza, liberal, elected president of Panama.

July 28—Mme. Henriette Callaux found not guilty of the murder of Gaston Calmette in Paris, on the ground of temporary insanity.

Sept. 2—Cardinal Giacomo della Chiesa, archbishop of Bologna, elected pope and assumed name of Benedict XV.

Sept. 5—William of Wied, prince of Albania, abandoned that country to the rebels.

Sept. 23—Albanian senate elected Prince Ruprith, son of the former sultan, Abdul Hamid, to prince of Albania.

Oct. 12—Ferdinand, nephew of the late Emperor of Romania, took the oath as his successor.

Oct. 23—Haitian rebels formed a government under presidency of Gen. Davila Theodore.

POLITICAL

Feb. 18—House passed Alaska railroad bill.

Feb. 21—Senate ratified general arbitration treaties between United States and Great Britain, Japan, Italy, Spain, Norway, Sweden, Portugal and Switzerland.

May 4—House of Representatives passed measure urging that the clause in the Panama canal act exempting American coastwise vessels from payment of King William's palace at Durazzo.

March 10—Senate approved Alaska railroad bill.

July 6—House passed the three Wilson bills to control conscription.

June 11—Bill to repeal exemption clause of the Panama canal act passed by senate.

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Feb. 15—Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson, widow of the famous novelist.

Feb. 22—Samuel W. Allerton, pioneer Chicago packer.

Feb. 23—Former United States Senator Terence J. Higgins.

DOMESTIC

Jan. 27—President Wilson ordered permanent government of Canal Zone into operation April 1 and appointed Col. George W. Goethals governor.

Feb. 24—Court of appeals reversed decision in case of Charles Becker, former police lieutenant in New York.

May 2—United States circuit court of appeals confirmed the conviction of 24 members of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers on the charge of dynamite conspiracy.

March 6—George W. Vanderbilt, owner of Biltmore.

March 8—Frederick Townsend Martin, former president of the Iowa State university and before that superintendent of schools of Chicago.

April 1—"Rube" Waddell, famous ball player.

April 4—Frederick Weverhauser, Minnesota lumber magnate.

April 6—Mrs. Lillian M. W. Stevens, head of the U. S. T. U.

April 8—Haruko, dowager empress of Japan.

DISASTERS

Jan. 6—Oil tank steamer Oklahoma named by Sandy Hook, 25 of the crew perishing.

Jan. 10—Great storm on the Baltic caused submergence of several villages and drowning of many persons.

Jan. 11—Terrific storm hit northwest coast of Alaska and 10 persons lost their lives in snow.

Jan. 15—British submarine A-7 with crew of eleven, lost during maneuvers off Plymouth.

Jan. 16—Steamer Karluk, flagship of Canadian government's arctic exploring expedition under Villjalmur Stefansson, crushed in the ice and sank northeast of Siberia.

FINANCIAL

Jan. 2—J. P. Morgan & Co. announced withdrawal of members of the firm from directors of many corporations.

Feb. 9—Merchants bank of Memphis, Tenn., failed. President C. H. Raine admitting he had used its funds in cotton speculation.

Feb. 12—Standard Oil company arranged to lend China \$15,000,000 in return for oil concessions in Shan-Si province.

April 1—The great "Princes Trust" of Germany collapsed with assets of \$20,000,000.

April 2—Location of the twelve regional reserve banks under the new currency law announced.

June 6—Chaplin, Milne, Grenfell & Co., London bankers, failed for \$5,000,000.

June 15—President Wilson nominated following as members of federal reserve board: Charles S. Hamlin of Boston, Thomas D. Jones of Chicago, Paul Warburg of New York, W. P. G. Harding of Birmingham, Ala., A. C. Miller of San Francisco.

June 25—The H. B. Clafin company, leading wholesale dry goods concern of New York, failed with liabilities of about \$4,000,000.

July 6—Iowa's blue sky law providing for the regulation and supervision of investment companies held unconstitutional by federal judges.

July 23—Government began suit for dissolution of New Haven railroad monopoly.

July 23—President Wilson withdrew nomination of Thomas D. Jones as member of the federal reserve board.

Aug. 4—Frederick A. Delano selected for federal reserve board.

Aug. 11—Directors of the New Haven road agreed to the attorney general's terms for a peaceful dissolution of the system.

Dec. 12—Dissolution of the International Harvester company as a monopoly in restraint of trade ordered by the United States district court at St. Paul, Minn.

INDUSTRIAL

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April 20—Striking coal miners and members of Colorado National Guard fought an all day battle at Ludlow, a number of men being killed.

April 22—Entire National Guard of Colorado called out to resist to Trinidad strike zone, where several more men were killed in the continued fighting.

April 23—Heavy fighting took place in the Colorado mine strike and President Wilson ordered federal troops there to restore order.

April 29—Colorado mine strikers attacked the Forbes camp of the Rocky Mountain Fuel company, killing seven mine guards and burning most of the buildings.

May 1—Fourteen more troops of federal cavalry ordered to Colorado strike zone.

May 1—United States Supreme court set aside contempt sentences of Gompers and other labor leaders.

May 16—United States circuit court of appeals remanded 24 union labor men, convicted of conspiracy to transport dynamite, to federal penitentiary within three weeks.

June 23—One man killed and two wounded fighting between factions of miners' union at Butte, Mont.

MARKET REPORTS Milwaukee, Dec. 28, 1914. Butter—Creamery, extras, 33c; prints, 34c; firsts, 27c; seconds, 24c; 26c; renovated, 24c; dairy, fancy, 30c. Cheese—American, full cream, new made twins, 14c; Young Americas, 14c; daisies, 14c; longhorns, 14c; Limburger, fancy, 14c. Eggs—Current receipts fresh as to quality, 25c; 26c; recanted, extras, 35c; 37c; seconds, 18c. Live Poultry—Fowls, 9c; 11c; roosters, 8c; springers, fancy, 12c. Wheat—No. 1 northern, 1.25; No. 2 northern, 1.22; No. 3 northern, 1.10; 1.18; No. 1 velvet, 1.23; 1.24. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 65c. Oats—No. 3 white, 49c; standard, 49c; 50c. Barley—No. 3, 66c; 72c; Wisconsin, 66c; 72c. Rye—No. 1, 1.10. Hogs—Good heavy butchers, 7.10; 7.20; fair to best light, 6.75; 7.15; pigs, 5.55; 6.75. Cattle—Butchers' steers, 6.00; 8.50; stockers and feeders, 4.00; 6.25; cows and heifers, 3.75; 6.50; calves, 7.25; 8.00. Chicago, Dec. 28, 1914. Hogs—Light, 6.70; 7.15; heavy, 6.60; 7.15; rough, 6.70; 6.90; pigs, 5.50; 7.20. Cattle—Native steers, 5.15; 10.00; western steers, 5.00; 7.75; cows and heifers, 2.90; 7.85; calves, 6.00; 8.25. Minneapolis, Dec. 28, 1914. Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1.24; No. 1 northern, 1.20; 1.23; No. 2 northern, 1.17; 1.21. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 61c; 61c. Oats—No. 3 white, 46c; 47c. Rye—No. 2, 1.07. Flax—1.66; 1.59. BADGER NEWS NOTES Fond du Lac—Attorney General Owen has begun an action in the Circuit court in this county in an attempt to oust Michael C. Steber and the Sheboygan and Fond du Lac Road company for collecting tolls on a road between Fond du Lac and Taycheedah. Bayfield—After a successful season of eight months, during which time 20,000,000 feet of lumber was cut, the Wachsmuth Lumber company's mill closed its 1914 season. The mill started operations last spring on April 15. Sheboygan—The Northern Furniture company of this city has just received an order for 2,000 pieces of special furniture to be installed in "The Inside Inn," one of the large hotels to be opened for the exposition at San Francisco in 1915. Superior—The Rev. R. Fassbender of Amery has been appointed secretary to Bishop J. M. Koudelka of the Superior diocese, succeeding the Rev. C. F. Schmit, who was appointed pastor of Sacred Heart parish, Superior. Merrill—A new passenger service has been arranged for the Valley division of the Milwaukee road. A through train from Chicago, electrically lighted, all steel train, is in operation. Wausau—Secretary R. S. Kellogg has announced that the annual meeting of the Northern Hemlock and Hemlock Manufacturers' association will be in Milwaukee Jan. 26 and 27. Oconomowoc—The Oconomowoc Boy Scouts marched to La Belle cemetery and placed wreaths upon the graves of their comrades, Homer Hathaway, and of George Groszkoy, who lost their lives by drowning at Lac La Belle a year ago. Eau Claire—Steve Miller was found insane and was committed to the Wisconsin State hospital for the insane at Mendota. Miller is the man who met with an injury a couple of weeks ago, a heavy frog having fallen on his foot. Green Bay—For the first time in over eight years the Wisconsin state reformatory is filled with prisoners. Notice has been sent to courts and sheriffs by Supt. C. W. Brown that no more prisoners can be taken care of. Portage—Judge Kellogg has committed Philip Ryan, 27 years old, of Westpoint, to the Mendota hospital. The cause of the young man's aberration is said to be sunstroke. Racine—Lyman Reed, 17 years old, is being held by the police on a charge of passing three forged checks, aggregating \$25.00. He waived examination. Racine—Joseph Martin of Union Grove, who for the past three years has been income tax assessor in Racine county, has resigned and will be connected with a bank here. Oconto—Thirty-five hundred acres of sugar beets will be planted in Oconto county next year, leading last year by 2,000 acres. Neenah—Mr. and Mrs. John Bell have just celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Chippewa Falls—The Belgian relief committee in this city finished raising a fund of \$728.50, which will purchase a carload of flour, 155 barrels, to be shipped to the starving Belgians. Merrill—A young son of Jack Taylor, a local freeman, was lost in the woods near this city for twenty-four hours. He went into the woods for Christmas trees with a party of older boys and became separated from them. Rhinelander—Arthur Harwood Peck, a veteran of the civil war, is dead of heart failure. He was 80 years old. Stevens Point—Following an unsuccessful attempt to murder his wife, Adolph Sandholm, 70 years old, a farmer residing in the town of Amherst, swallowed the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid, resulting in his death. He is believed to have been insane. Madison—Attorney General Owen ruled there is no authority in the statutes for the removal of a man's name from the "posted" list inside of one year. The attorney general also held any alderman has the right in any Wisconsin city to place a man on the "posted" list.

COULD BE NO COMPARISON

Old Gentleman Evidently No Sport, or He Would Not Have Raised Such a Question.

Half a dozen men in the car were talking about a football game, when an old man who had never been a game sport butted in with: "Football? Oh, yes. Say, do you fellows know how many men were killed at the battle of Gettysburg?" "No," replied one.

"Then I will tell you. The loss in killed was 3,152. The wounded figured up about 23,000."

"Well, football has been going only about a month and you like to know the loss in killed and wounded?"

"Yes."

"I think I have the figures somewhere."

"And what are they, sir?"

"Why, I think the killed number about 4,000 to date and the wounded some 25,000."

"Oh, no."

"Yes, sir—yes, sir!" exclaimed the excited old man. "Yes, sir, and what are you going to do about it?"

"Nothing."

"Nothing, and the losses exceed Gettysburg!"

"But why shouldn't they exceed Gettysburg, sir? Why shouldn't they? Why shouldn't the loss be ten times as great? The battle of Gettysburg was fought for fun, sir, and football is a serious business—a very serious business. Yes, sir. Why not, sir?"

But the old man did not answer. He gave that crowd one cold glare and left the car.

Who's Money Now?

In this strange union of relations he (Tolstoy) stands alone; for no other great projector of the human image and the human idea is so much truth to be extracted under an equal leakage of its value. All the proportions in him are so much the largest that the drop of attention to our nearer cases might by its violence leave little of that principle alive; which fact need not disguise from us, none the less, that as Mr. H. G. Wells and Mr. Arnold Bennett, to return to them briefly again, derive, by multiplied if diluted transmissions, from the great Russian (from whose all but equal companion, Turgenieff, we recognize no derivatives at all), so, observing the distance, we may profitably detect an unexhausted influence in our minor, our considerably less rounded vessels.

—From Henry James' "Notes and Novels"

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"What a wonderful complexion that woman has!"

"Truly wonderful," replied Miss Cayenne. "I think it is the most becoming of any I have



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### CORRESPONDENCE

#### WAUCOUSTA

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wrasch of Minnesota were callers here Sunday.

Arthur Engels and sister of Armstrong spent Sunday at L. Buslaff's.

Otto Pfingston and Will Bartel of New Prospect were callers here Sunday.

Louis Buslaff and son made a business trip to Campbellsport on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rudolph of Milwaukee spent Christmas with relatives here.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rahn Friday, Dec. 25. Congratulations.

Mrs. Cornelia Terry and son Earl of Minnesota are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. August Schiltz and two children went to Milwaukee last Thursday to spend the holidays.

#### AUBURN

Peter Schrooten lost a valuable cow this week.

Peter Schrooten was a business caller at Fond du Lac Monday.

Herbert Koch spent a few days of the week with relatives at Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Feuerhammer spent Christmas with the August Treiber family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Terlinden of Byron visited with their parents here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Uelmen and family visited with the John Ketter family at South Eden Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kleinschay of Watertown and Mrs. W. N. Sisco of Fond du Lac are spending the holidays with the Peter Terlinden family.

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

#### NEW PROSPECT

Miss Marie Bowen and pupils are enjoying a weeks vacation.

Rosalie Uelmen returned home from Green Bay Wednesday.

Eva, Goldie and Lloyd Romaine of Fond du Lac visited with their parents here Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Romaine and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Romaine were Fond du Lac callers Tuesday.

Miss Mattie Uelmen and John Bowen visited at Oshkosh and Green Bay several days this week.

Little William Harrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Harrington who has been very ill the past week, has improved very much.

Raymond Wood, formerly a resident here died at his home in Fond du Lac Thursday after an illness of several years duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bowen and daughter Beatrice, Mrs. E. Bowen and son Emmet, Mr. and Mrs. John Rinzell and daughters Ruth and Lauretta, Rosalie Uelmen and George Meyer were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowen Sunday.

#### DUNDEE

Mrs. H. Mangan was at Plymouth last week.

Alfred Ludwig was in our burg last Monday.

J. Benz of Fond du Lac was a business caller here last Monday.

Miss Edna Wirkman is spending this week with relatives at Sheboygan.

A crowd of young people from here attended the dance last Tuesday in Parnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Egumen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Baumen in New Prospect.

The Misses Irene and Valieta Murphy of Milwaukee spent their Xmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. H. Mangan.

People easily constipated, dread the winter. Nothing but hard, course meals. No fruits, no vegetables to keep the stomach active. Your best relief, your greatest friend, now is Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, the world's Tonic physic. Do it tonight.—Edw. C. Miller.

#### ASHFORD

Lorene and Viola Mangan spent Sunday in our burg.

Joe. Smith of St. Killian was a caller here Sunday.

Emmet McEvoy and sister Addie spent Sunday in our burg.

Arnold Berg left for a visit in the northern part of the state.

Simon and Math Serwe spent Sunday with the Wm. Jaeger family.

Peter J. Hilbert and brother Anton visited with their parents Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keifer of Lomira spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kleinhans of Elmora spent Tuesday with the Frank Jaeger family.

Too Late For Last Week.

A bouncing baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zehren. Congratulations.

J. J. Flemming of Montana is spending the holidays here with relatives and friends.

Emmet McEvoy and sister Addie spent Tuesday with their sister, Mrs. Frank Reimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Barthol Strobel are the happy parents of a little baby boy. Congratulations.

Wm. Prize left for a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in the northern part of the state.

#### ST. KILIAN

A Happy New Year to all.

Andrew Strobel and Strachota Bros. harvested their ice this week.

Miss Margaret Heister left Thursday for Milwaukee to remain for some time.

Miss Rosa Straub of West Bend is spending the week here with her parents.

Miss Genevieve Bejsber spent from Thursday until Sunday with relatives at Lomira.

Gottfried Renter of Milwaukee spent from Saturday until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Anton Mueller.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jaeger of Ashford are the guests of the Andrew Strachota family here since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bishop and Mrs. Gebhart Strobel and son of Milwaukee are visiting with relatives here since last week.

Louis Heister and family and Clem Funke and family of Milwaukee spent Xmas here with the Mrs. James Heister family.

Miss Laura Flasch returned home Thursday after spending several weeks with relatives and friends in the northern part of the state.

The Misses Ella Byrnes and Mary Darmody returned home from Milwaukee last week Thursday after spending several weeks there with relatives and friends.

The infant child, a girl, which was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Strobel, on Christmas morning died on December 28th. The funeral was held on Wednesday, Rev. Falbisoner officiated.

Notice is hereby given that I will collect taxes at the following places and dates, viz: Wednesday, January 6th at L. Rafenstein; Ashford; Thursday, January 7th at Aug. Krueger, Elmora; Monday, January 15th at Math. Schill, Ashford; Tuesday, January 16th at Frank Kleinhans, Elmora; Wednesday, January 20th at First State Bank, Campbellsport; Balance of time up to January 31st at home.—Simon Strachota, Town Treasurer town of Ashford.

### WAY FOR THE YOUNG MEN!

Condition That Must Be Recognized Is Pointed Out by Writer in Magazine.

Clear the way for the young men. They are entering "the strong, flourishing, and beautiful age of man's life." They decree the changes. The map of the world may be rolled up—every acre tramped upon and inhabited. But still they come, claiming all the rights of the adventurer and pioneer. Domains must be found for them if the old earth has gone stale. If the life of danger and discovery is ended, then they will turn their hand against our secure world and reestablish the pleasant places. They will uproot tradition and shatter the institutions. We should like them better if they fitted into our scheme, if they were ruddy and cheery and ended there. But they come earnest and critical. They jeer at our failures, reject our compromises. It isn't our idea of youth, our peaceful picture of what youth should be. Poets sing it as if it were a pretty thing, the gentle possession of a golden race of beings. But it is lusty with power and disastrous to comfort. Men sigh for it as if it had vanished with old Japan at the hour when it is romping in their courtyard and challenging their dear beliefs. They are wiseful for it in their transfigured memory, and they curse it in their councils, for youth never is what the elders would have it. It does unacceptable things, while age stands blinking and sorrowful. It is unruly, turbulent power on its endless track.—Collier's Weekly.

### SOMETHING MORE THAN HINT

Sandy McQuibber Could Hardly Have Been Pleased by the Remarks of the Beadle.

A native of a small village in Scotland, having "made good" in "furrin parts," returned home, and, to show his more uniform brethren at home how little he valued £ s. d., he presented a brand-new umbrella stand to the "auld kirk." In accordance with the usual custom the presentation was announced by the beadle on the Sabbath, just before the service started. The beadle, a grizzled old warrior of about seventy, delivered himself in the following manner:—"Nae doot, brethren, ye'll a'hae noticed the bran-new umbrella-stand that oor worthy neiber, Mr. MacRae, has gien tae the kirk. Noo, umbrellas is umbrellas, an' human nature human nature, an' although it ill behooves me tae say onything agin ony worshiper o' this sacred place, yet tae tell ye the truth we wad a' be vera pleased if Sandy MacQuibber wad tak' a sittin' a wee bittie farrer awa' frae the door!"—London Tit-Bits.

### Birthstones.

There are two systems of birthstone, one Polish and the other Jewish in origin. The Polish system is the one now more generally accepted, but of course this is simply a matter of custom, not to be settled arbitrarily.

The Polish system is as follows: January, garnet; February, amethyst; March, bloodstone; April, Diamond; May, emerald; June, chalcedony of agate; July, ruby; August, sardonyx; September, sapphire; October, aquamarine or beryl; November, topaz; December, turquois.

The Jewish system is: January, garnet; February, amethyst; March, jasper; April, sapphire; May, chalcedony, carnelian, or agate; June, emerald; July, onyx; August, carnelian; September, chrysolite; October, aquamarine or beryl; November, topaz; December, ruby.

### Hi Failed to Come Up.

Hi Larly treated his peg leg to a handsome coat of white paint one day this week, after which he painted inches and half inches on it and has since been using it as a measuring stick when digging postholes and doing other work. Our road overseer came along a few days later and placed a white pole in the creek with inches and half inches painted on it so teamsters can tell when the creek is too high to ford. Link Lollop passed that way shortly after and found Simp Summers staring at the pole most intently. Link asked him what he was watching. "I've been settin' here nearly an hour," Simp replied, "waitin' to see what Hi's divin' after, but hit seems like hit takes him a long time to come up."—Kansas City Star.

### He Remembered.

One day I told my son, aged three, to pick up his blocks quickly, for dinner was ready to begin at once, but he would no more than get them picked up until he would accidentally knock them over again. Finally I reproved him rather sharply, and looking up at me with a hurt feeling, he said: "Mamma, am I a bad boy?" I answered: "No, dear, but you are careless."

A few days later I had occasion to give him a dose of medicine. He didn't want to take it, so I said, encouragingly, "Take it, it isn't bad." "Well," he answered, "if it isn't bad, it's careless."—Chicago Tribune.

Medals for What They Don't Do. "Dear me," said the potentate, "who are those people and what is the meaning of their enormous badges?"

"Prince," was the reply, "they are members of a temperance society and their badges signify that they never get drunk."

The prince frowned. "If I wore a big badge," he said, "for ever wrong thing I don't do you couldn't see my clothes at all."

Price of Quinine to Double. An agreement has been signed between the European buyers of cinchona bark, from which quinine is made, and the growers in Java, the effect of which will be to regulate and, incidentally, greatly to increase the price of the drug. The manufacturers agree to buy about one million pounds of cinchona bark a year at a regulated price. It is predicted that the present price will be doubled.

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#### NEW FANE

Paul Retzlaff spent Xmas with his parents at Jackson.

Mrs. Andrew Dworschak of Milwaukee is visiting at home here.

Adolph Heberer and family spent Xmas with his parents at Reedsville.

Wm. Koepke from Dakota visited Saturday with Frank Schultz and family.

Mrs. Jos. Schladweiler is spending the week with relatives and friends at Lomira.

Mrs. Steve Ketter and daughter Olive are visiting with relatives at Milwaukee this week.

Henry Firks and wife spent from Thursday to Sunday with their daughter at Milwaukee.

Miss Katie Klein of Detroit, Mich and Wm. Klein of Milwaukee spent the holidays with Steve Klein and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosbeck of St. Killian and John Pesch and family visited Saturday with Wm. Pesch and family.

Jacob Schiltz and family and Henry Fellenz and family spent Xmas day with John Janssen and family at Beechwood.

Jacob Berres and son are visiting at Milwaukee with Mrs. J. Berres who underwent an operation at the St. Mary's hospital.

The following spent Xmas with Mrs. C. Oeder and family: Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kumrow of Kewaskum, Mr. and Mrs. John Naumann and son Sylvester and Arthur and Albert Naumann. All enjoyed a Merry Christmas.

Those who spent Sunday evening with John Fellenz and family were: Math Schladweiler and family and Philip Schladweiler and family of Boltonville, and Eva Schladweiler of Milwaukee, Henry and Peter Fellenz and families.

August Degner and family of the town of Farmington entertained the following at a duck dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. John Gifford, Wm. Veeks, Adolph Oeder, Annie Gerhard, Emma and Clara Oeder. All enjoyed the day immensely.

Miss Agnes Strupp spent Xmas under the parental roof.

Roman Strupp called on friends at West Bend Xmas day.

Frank Dorn is spending some time with relatives at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roelstans spent the holidays with their daughters at Oconomowoc.

Milton Buddenhagen spent a few days of last week with Mrs. Fred Buddenhagen and family.

Mrs. Minnie Linn and Clemens Weidenhagen of Milwaukee spent Xmas with John Koehler and family.

Quite a number of young folks from this vicinity attended the dance at Kewaskum last Saturday evening.

Miss Ella Schmidt and Miss Lorena Schaefer were the guests of Miss Linda Roehrdanz a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Koehler and Mrs. Minnie Linn and Clemence Weidenhagen spent last Sunday with the Schurr family.

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NORTH BOUND	
No 20	3:34 p m daily except Sunday
No 113	1:18 p m daily except Sunday
No 12	9:05 a m daily except Sunday
No 40	8:28 p m daily
No 143	6:34 p m Sunday only
No 141	8:49 a m Sunday only
SOUTH BOUND	
No 20	3:32 a m daily except Sunday
No 21	12:39 p m daily except Sunday
No 24	2:34 p m daily
No 216	5:51 p m daily except Sunday
No 106	7:32 a m daily
No 24	11:15 p m Sunday only
No 23	7:28 p m Sunday only

**LOCAL HAPPENINGS.**

—1915.  
—A Happy New Year to all.  
—Alex Klug was to Milwaukee Tuesday.  
—Paul Tump of Milwaukee spent Xmas with his family here.  
—A. W. Koepke of Milwaukee was a village caller Monday.  
—Wm. Kloke of Campbellsport called in the village Tuesday.  
—Mrs. W. Colvin of West Bend was a village caller Tuesday.  
—Emil Lehman of West Bend called in the village Tuesday.  
—Rev. Ph. Vogt called on Rev. July at Campbellsport Tuesday.  
—August Ebenreiter and wife were Milwaukee visitors Monday.  
—Mrs. Ed. Schellenberg spent Monday with relatives at Jackson.  
FOR LOAN—\$1000 on good first mortgage. Inquire at this office.  
—Henry Schoofs and family of West Bend spent Sunday in the village.  
—Miss Mary A. Schmidt spent the holidays with her parents in Wayne.  
—Elmer Miller of Milwaukee is spending the holidays here with his parents.  
—Miss Helen Reck of Milwaukee spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis.  
—William Krahn of Milwaukee assisted the Quintette here Saturday evening.  
—Cyrus Crook of Oshkosh spent Christmas here with the Otto Backus family.  
—The village board will meet in regular monthly meeting next Monday evening.  
—Emerson Olwin of Milwaukee spent Tuesday here with his mother, Mrs. W. Olwin.  
—Miss Mayme Rimmel spent Sunday with the Harter families in the town of Auburn.  
—Mr. and Mrs. J. Weninger spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Heindl at West Bend.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mies spent the forepart of the week with relatives at Fond du Lac.  
—Al Witzig of Chicago spent a few days last week here with the S. E. Witzig family.  
—Mrs. N. W. Rosenheimer is spending some time with relatives and friends at Antigo.  
—Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crass of Fillmore spent Christmas with the John Klessig family.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frey and family of Milwaukee spent Xmas with the Sommers family.  
—Mrs. C. C. Schaefer and children called on relatives and friends at Wayne Monday.  
—Mrs. Lloyd Browne of Campbellsport spent Tuesday with the A. A. Perschbacher family.  
—Mrs. S. Broichgans of Milwaukee visited with the Edw. C. Miller family here Tuesday.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backhaus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Backhaus at West Bend.  
—Manila Klessig is spending her Xmas vacation at Fillmore with her sister, Mrs. W. G. Crass.  
—John Pflum and family of Milwaukee spent a few days with the Bastian Pflum family here.  
—Mrs. August Werner of West Bend visited with the J. H. Martin family here last Saturday.  
—Miss Leona Klessig who teaches school at Waubesa is spending her holiday vacation at home.  
—Quite a number from this village attended the funeral of H. V. Martin at West Bend Saturday.  
—Louis Foerster and family of Boltonville spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Terlinden.  
—Miss Irma Wittenberg and Otto Smith of Dundee called on the C. C. Schaefer family Christmas.  
—A Happy New Year to all patrons and friends of "The Leading Jewelry Store"—Mrs. K. Endlich.  
—Prin. A. L. Simon and family are spending the holidays with relatives and friends at Brillion.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Terlinden spent Christmas with the latter's parents, one mile south of Wayne

—Christmas exercises were appropriately held at the various churches in this village last week.  
—Peter Wunderle of Milwaukee spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. P. Wunderle and family.  
—The directors of the Bank of Kewaskum held their regular annual meeting last Monday evening.  
—Miss Minnie Karsten of West Bend spent Tuesday and Wednesday with John H. Martin and family.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Broecker from Mayville visited with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Terlinden last Monday.  
—Fred Witzig was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Nic. Zeimet and family at Marshfield the past week.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Rob. Geidel of South Dakota spent Christmas here with the Chas. Groeschel family.  
—Miss Hedwig Velguth of Milwaukee spent a few days this week with the F. C. Gottsleben family.  
—Miss Agnes Schaefer left for Milwaukee Sunday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.  
—Mrs. Minnie Wesenberg of Bloomer spent several days the past week here with relatives and friends.  
—Miss Elsie Sommers, who teaches school near Allenton, spent the holidays here with her parents.  
—A number of young people from Campbellsport enjoyed a sleigh ride to this village Tuesday evening.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Florian Furich returned to Chicago Monday after several weeks visit here with relatives.  
—Louis Bath visited with relatives and friends at Clintonville and Green Bay the latter part of last week.  
—New subscription received at this office the past week are as follows: Hy. Gritzmacher, Jos. Strachota.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fohey are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. And. Straub in the town of Ashford.  
—Math Rodenkirch and wife were at Chicago the past week where they visited with relatives and friends.  
—Franklin Backus of Jump River, Wis., visited over Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backus.  
—Christmas exercises held in the various churches here were quite largely attended and greatly enjoyed by all.  
—Chas. Schloesser, who travels for the Block Liquor house of Milwaukee called on his trade here Tuesday.  
—Chris. Frensz and daughter Ella of Milwaukee spent a few days the past week with the Louis Brandt family.  
—Miss Leona Driessel returned to Delavan Sunday after several days visit here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. Driessel.  
—John Molinar of Sheboygan, formerly baker at the local bakery, spent Sunday here with the Nic. Marx family.  
—Will ship a car load of oats next Tuesday and Wednesday for which I will pay 42 cents.—John Marx, Kewaskum.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rimmel of Milwaukee spent Sunday here with the former's brother, Jos. Rimmel and family.  
—Miss Edna and Albert Groeschel of Milwaukee spent the forepart of the week here with the John Groeschel family.  
—William Schoofs of Milwaukee and Miss Kathryn Schoofs of West Bend spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. John Schoofs.  
—The Christmas dance in Groeschel's hall last Saturday evening was quite largely attended and greatly enjoyed by all.  
—Miss Rose Oppenorth of Chicago spent the latter part of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Oppenorth.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wellwaber of Milwaukee arrived here last Wednesday for a few days visit with relatives and friends.  
—The Misses Olga and Emma Krahn of Lamartine spent the week here with their sister, Mrs. Adolph Backhaus and family.  
—The Misses Charlotte and Lucilla Backus of Milwaukee spent Christmas here with their grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Hausmann.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Meara and child of West Bend spent the forepart of the week here with the Theo. Schoofs family.  
—Miss Agatha Tiss who teaches school near Jackson, spent her holiday vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Tiss.  
—Mrs. M. Hoening of Fond du Lac and Miss Mabel Bauerfeind of Shawano are spending some time here with the Edw. C. Miller family.  
—Geo. Etta and daughter Esther of Eau Claire, Wis., are visiting here with Mrs. Geo. Koerble and family and other relatives and friends.

—Grand New Year's dance in Groeschel's hall Friday evening January 1st. Given by the Kewaskum Quintette. Everybody is invited.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rix and Miss Hedwig Roebken of Cedarburg spent the forepart of the week here with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Backus.  
—The engagement of Miss Clara Flaberty to F. J. Hanrahan and Miss Sarah Mooers to Elmer M. Eberhardt, all of West Bend, have been announced.  
—Those who spent Sunday with the Andrew Gross family were: Mrs. William Berres and son Hy. Mr. and Mrs. John Engler, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geier.  
—Miss Ethel Wood of Appleton and Mr. Gorman of Wausau were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto E. Lay on Fond du Lac avenue.  
—Louis Petri of Wayne had thirteen teams busy hauling potatoes to this village Monday which he is having stored in the L. Reisenheimer warehouse.  
—Chas. Garbisch and family Paul Krahn and wife and Sam Harter and family of the town of Scott spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrenz.  
—We are in receipt of very beautiful calendars for the year 1915 from the Bank of Kewaskum and the H. J. Lumber Co., for which we extend our thanks.  
—Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Braun and family, Miss Rose Ockenfels of Reedsburg and Adolph Ockenfels of Detroit, Mich., spent Christmas with the J. M. Ockenfels family.  
—Wait for our calendar man with a new line of samples for the year 1916. He will soon call on you. The line this year exceeds any previous line we have had.  
—Jos. Strachota was called for Milwaukee Wednesday on account of the serious condition of his wife, who underwent an operation some time ago at the St. Joseph's hospital.  
—For one month commencing on Saturday, January 2nd all the mail delivered and collected according to classes by the rural carriers, will be counted and weighed.  
—Herman and Miss Adela Gottsleben spent Sunday and Monday with relatives and friends at West Bend. They were accompanied home by Miss Anna Klumb who spent a few days here.  
—Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Juergens of Eureka, Edwin Juergens of Milwaukee, Mrs. C. Rieke and sons of Fillmore, Aug. Schnurr and family spent Christmas with Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Morgenroth.  
NOTICE—The annual meeting of the Theresa Mutual Insurance Co. will be held at the company's office at Theresa, Wis., on January 5, 1915 at 10 o'clock a. m.—W. A. Justman, Secretary.  
Cost of living is mighty high. Trusts are busted—Wink your eye. But why worry—health have we. Trusts can't beat Rocky Mountain Tea.—Edw. C. Miller.  
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleischmann and family of St. Kilian, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greiten of Gratton and Ed. Kuester of West Bend spent the latter part of last week with the Math Beisbier family.  
—Oscar Habeck and family will move to Spencer, Wis., on or about January 11th, where Mr. Habeck has rented a blacksmith shop. We wish him abundant success in his new undertaking.  
—John Guldan, who suffered a paralytic stroke some time ago boarded the train here Tuesday for Fond du Lac, accompanied by his son Wenzel. The former is receiving treatment at Fond du Lac.  
NOTICE—I will collect taxes at the following places next week: Monday at Jos. Uetmen's place, St. Michaels; and Wednesday and Saturday at Chas. Groeschel's, Kewaskum.—Albert Koehler, Treasurer of the town of Kewaskum.  
Bowels clogged, sick headaches, no fun is it? Why not have that happy face, red cheeks that come with good digestion. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the bowels work regular, natural, makes you feel like new. Take it tonight.—Edw. C. Miller.  
—John Schmidt moved his household goods into the Dr. Morgenroth residence on Fond du Lac Ave., where he will make his home for the time being. Mr. Schmidt will hereafter act as representative of the Statesman, having accepted said position. He will commence his new duties next Monday.  
—Invitations were sent out by the Committee of the Old Settler's club for a dance to be held in Groeschel's hall on Saturday evening, January 2nd. Music will be furnished by the Kewaskum Quintette. This dance is an annual affair and has always proven to be very social. All those that received an invitation should try and be there. The more the merrier. The committee has spared no pains to make this dance a very social affair.

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Ralph Petri was a Kewaskum caller Friday.  
John Werner transacted business at Kewaskum last Thursday.  
Rudolph Kuehl of Nenno spent the holidays with relatives here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Schmidt spent Xmas with relatives at Milwaukee.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kuehl spent Xmas with relatives at St. Anthony.  
John Schmidt transacted business at Kewaskum one day last week.  
Mr. Gerhard of Allenton was a caller in our burg one day last week.

John Honeck of West Bend spent last week with C. W. Brussel and family.  
John Brown and family spent Saturday with relatives at Campbellsport.  
Miss Alma Hembel left Friday for Jackson to spend the holidays with her parents.  
Miss Annie Jacak spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at St. Anthony.  
Miss Laura Hembel of Jackson spent last week with relatives and friends in our burg.  
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Klumb of Kohlsville spent Sunday with C. Brussel and family.  
Mrs. Hy. Menger and family of Allenton spent Xmas with Fred Menger and family.  
Jac Knoebel returned last week after spending a few days with relatives at Milwaukee.  
John Martin and family of Kewaskum spent Sunday with Andrew Martin and family.  
Mrs. Otto Kibbel and children of Bentley, N. D., spent the holidays with relatives and friends here.  
Miss Frieda Petri and friend of Cascade spent Xmas with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Petri and other friends.

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Red winter	95-95
Hy. No. 1	95-100
Oats new	45
Red Clover seed, per bushel	7.85-8.50
Alfalfa	7.00-7.50
White	15.00
Timothy Seed	5.00-6.00
Hay	25
Eggs	35
Unwashed wool	21 to 25
Beard	2.50
Hay	10.00-12.50
Hides (feet skin)	16
Cow Hides	16
Honey	07
Potatoes, new	20¢-25

**LIVE POULTRY.**

Spring Chickens	10
Hens	15
Old Hens	10
Ducks	14
Geese	14
Dressed ducks	15
Dressed geese	14

**DAIRY MARKET.**  
**SHEBOYGAN.**  
Sheboygan, Wis., Dec. 30—Cheese—23 factories offered 1,219 boxes. All sold; 147 cases square prints, 14c; 31 boxes young Americas, 14c; 501 boxes longhorns, 13 1/2c; 540 boxes longhorns, 13 5/8c.  
**PLYMOUTH.**  
Plymouth, Wis., Dec. 30—Cheese 15 factories offered 772 boxes. Bids passed on 79 cases longhorns. Sales: 198 cases square prints, 14c; 185 boxes daisies, 14 1/2c; 108 boxes daisies, 14c; 5 boxes young Americas, 13 1/2c; 20 boxes twins 14c; 15 boxes twins, 13 1/2c; 143 boxes longhorns, 14c; 28 boxes longhorns, 14c.

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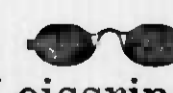
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SYNOPSIS.

Pedro and the dancing bear, Mr. Jones, prevent a tramp from stealing a young lady's purse. Pedro's ambition to become a painter spurs him to quit Old Nita and the dancing bear...

CHAPTER XII.

A Compromise.

The day on which Iris came to Pedro's studio for her second pose was not that which had been appointed...

Pedro had given her no explanation for putting her off, simply sending word that he could not have her at present...

Iris had telephoned several futile invitations, and at last, catching Pedro on the wire, had arranged for a sitting...

"Lady! Most gracious Madonnas!" he cried in greeting. "See, here is the blue robe—quick, quick! I am all impatience to begin..."

"It will be a lovely exhibition!" said he, "there will be Leigh's stuff—beautiful marbles, rich in form, and with such textures and high lights..."

"During the first part of the pose, he, contrary to his usual habit, talked rapidly."

"It is a lovely exhibition!" said he, "there will be Leigh's stuff—beautiful marbles, rich in form, and with such textures and high lights..."

"And of all these fine pictures," he continued, "the most lovely will be a Madonna with hair that is red-gold, like you!"

"You do not care, then," she said in a low voice.

"Madonna! he said, "forgive me! Come down! So! Let me help you. Lie here upon this couch. Oh, I am cruel and thoughtless!"

"Pedro, Pedro, I am so tired!" she said over and over again.

"I know! A little sherry!" he exclaimed. "A bite of luncheon? You will see now what a splendid housewife I can really be, at need. We will have a charming meal directly."

"Yes," she assented, without much interest, however.

"Well," he said slowly, "I am most distressingly placed, Madonna. I am almost certain that he is being either blackmailed or misled in some manner, and yet my hands are absolutely tied. I can do nothing."

"What do you mean?" she demanded, aroused.

"I seem fated to be a man of mystery," he lamented, "but I cannot help it! I have ascertained that a man of doubtful character is in communication with your father; that much I learned last week. But at the instant of my discovery of this fact a circumstance arose that makes it impossible for me to continue as your detective. More than this I cannot say. But you will have to find some one else to help you."

"Iris was turning the matter over in her mind very rapidly. Did Pedro

really not care for her? Hardly! Why he said such things... He had followed her from the country? Had he not begged to paint her, and paid her such compliments as no one else had done? That night at the Milligans' came back with a rush of memory...

"What is the matter?" she asked. "A second ago you were merry. Now you look quiet, wise—dangerous? How you change!"

"Dangerous! Far from it!" he exclaimed, pushing back his chair, "I am, unless you call overwhelming curiosity dangerous. Personally I think it less dangerous than a lack of curiosity; to the individual, at least."

"And what makes you curious?" she asked.

"Then Pedro, who did not know how to lead gently up to any subject, plunged in.

"Were you engaged to Hill?" he asked abruptly.

"Without answering, she arose and walked away to the window, where she stood for several moments before replying, her back turned.

"Yes," she said at last.

"And do you still care for him?" To her own intense surprise she found that she could not reply at once.

"Oh, you don't understand!" she cried wildly, throwing out her hands. "I don't care, I hate—oh! why did you ask me?"

"I think I do understand," he said very distinctly, looking straight at her cheeks. What did he mean? Unable to face him longer, she buried her face in her hands.

"Sam Hill is a great soul," he said softly. "He is generous and good. He is talented, he is..."

"He is nothing to me!" she gasped, looking up.

"He is my friend," finished Pedro firmly.

"She flung her arms wide, and turned to him with an appealing gesture, her face revealing an emotion she made no attempt to conceal, nor be to ignore.

"Pedro!" she began passionately, "you will think me mad for saying it, but ah! I cannot help it—you make me! Pedro, I love..."

"There was a crash as his liquor glass fell to the floor.

"Hush!" said he.

"What is it?" she asked, for the moment startled into normality.

"Nothing!" said he, "only you are not to finish your sentence. Never mind the glass, it was done intentionally. Let us talk of other things."

"But, Pedro," she said hysterically, "I cannot! I am possessed! How can you be so cruel?"

"Please, please!" he begged her. "Madonna, I am a subject; I am in torture! Have pity!"

"It is akin to pity," she replied.

"Impossible!" he said quietly. "Utterly impossible."

And she, watching him intently, knew he had believed her, although he presented this denial. She felt, too, that her cause was nearly hopeless.

"I say with regret that I have every reason to believe that your father, being defrauded in some way, the character of the man with whom I saw him, is sufficient to justify this. Also, alas! this same man now appears to be standing in such a connection with me as makes it impossible for me to inform any ordinary person of the same. I might injure an innocent—undoubtedly innocent—person by so doing, to say nothing of perhaps letting out a secret which your father's actions prove he wishes kept dark. For a whole week I have been trying to see my way clear, and at last I know that it lies only in refusing to help you."

"And yet," said Iris slowly, rising and putting on her hat, "I would reward the right person to the best of my ability, if only the work of helping, perhaps saving, my father could be continued."

"He gave her the muff for which she stretched out her hand.

"I wish indeed that I could help you," said she, "I know the danger of confiding so delicate a matter to anyone. But, perhaps, for a reward—what would it be, this reward?"

"For an instant the audacity of what she was about to say rose like an impediment in her throat, holding her silent, while her heart beat violently. Then, at last, she found her voice.

"I would marry him, no matter how he thought there were insurmountable objections," she said with meaning.

"He stood astounded, scarcely able to credit his hearing, and could only look and look at her, open-mouthed. Then a gleam of light swept across his face as though he were suddenly possessed of a glorious idea.

"Iris!" he gasped, "will you—will you put that down on paper? Make an affidavit?—yes!"

"Then do so!" he cried, pushing pen and paper toward her.

"Do you really want it?" she asked, looking straight into his eyes.

"You bet!" he shouted joyously.

"I hereby promise to marry you on the day you can tell me his father is not being subjected to danger, or has been rescued from that, if any, which now imperils him. And I furthermore agree to overcome any debatable objections you may have to the marriage."

"There!" she said, laughing a trifle hysterically, when she had finished, "will that do?"

"Splendidly!" said Pedro, and thrusting the folded paper into his breast pocket, seized her hand and kissed it with the grace of a courtier.

"Iris blushed, watching him with tender eyes. Then she submitted to being led downstairs and shut into her room."

"There!" she said, "Will That Do?"

"No sooner was this accomplished than Pedro fled across the little court and up to the studio as if all the devils in the demology were after him, and slamming the door behind him, he proceeded to dance the cotquette at a mad pace, upsetting several articles of furniture in the process.

"And now to find Mr. Sam Hill!" he shouted gleefully, waving the paper above his head.

"Ah! Meestre Samhill," was echoed in a wail from outside the door. "Where, oh! where is he?"

"CHAPTER XIII. Some Adventures With Variations. Pedro started at the door as if transfixed, and then, the wall being repeated, he opened his portal. On the landing stood Guevriere.

"Madre de Dios!" he exclaimed, "what ails thee? Come in!"

"Oh! 'tis terrible!" moaned Guevriere, "that Anna! that irresponsible one! We left her in charge, and when she awoke Nita had vanished. And every one was away. And now Samhill, he, too, is gone! Oh! Merciful Mother!"

"Sit down and be calm!" cried Pedro. "Tell me all. What has happened?"

"Lucky it is that Samhill left the address!" exclaimed Guevriere. "And lucky, too, that I could find thee. Now, all will be well!"

"Thanks, oh! smooth tongue, for thy faith in me," replied Pedro. "But what has happened? Tell me, quickly!"

"Yesterday we left her with Anna," began Guevriere, and told of Nita's illness and strange disappearance.

"How very queer!" he commented, when she had finished. "How unlike Nita! And Hill! What has he done?"

"He has not come home!"

"But there is nothing strange in that!" objected Pedro. "Does he not often stay away all night, eh?"

"But the bear came home!" wailed Guevriere.

"Mr. Jones! Alone! Impossible!"

"A policeman-of-the-law brought him," explained Guevriere, "saying that he found the bear near the river. The name was on the collar, and the number, tu savais!"

"Saint Joseph! but that does look serious!" Pedro exclaimed. "Quick! is there nothing more?"

"Only that the policeman-of-the-law made much noise when he found that four bears dwelt within the tenement. He says we must move out. Four bears are not permitted. One bear, perhaps, if much money be paid. But four? No, that is not allowed!"

"And what have you done?"

"We have arranged to go into the back tenement," said Guevriere, evidently convinced that the change would solve the difficulty.

"But, Hill! Something must have happened to him? And the bear left him!" said Pedro, walking up and down excitedly. "He may have been hurt! Near the river, eh? Good heavens! I scarcely dare guess what has occurred!"

"The hospitals?" suggested Guevriere, with some faint return of her usual practicality.

"Ah! yes," he exclaimed, "I shall telephone them at once, and then I shall go to Jones street with you. As for Nita, we shall have to find her without help; she has made me swear never to invoke public aid in her behalf, you know."

"Yes, yes!" said Guevriere, "you will come, then?"

"Directly!" he cried. "No time must be lost."

But as it proved, time mattered little, for the hospitals told nothing, and neither did that grim lost and found office, the morgue. For two whole days Pedro alternated between his studio and the rear tenement on Jones street, his mind in an agony of uncertainty.

"I am going to find Sam Hill, if he is on the face of the earth!" he announced. "I am convinced that some misfortune has befallen him. In half an hour I am going to take Mr. Jones with me, and I am not coming back till we have succeeded in discovering the whereabouts of my friend."

"Blen! And I!" said Beau-Jean, from his seat on the foot of the bed.

"Very good!" said Pedro, "all is arranged. Come, Strong Arm, we will go."

On the instant they began collecting the few traps necessary for a short absence, and while they were in the midst of these preparations, the door was thrown open to admit an old woman.

"Nita!" yelled Pedro, springing toward her.

Instantly the room was in an uproar, all talking at once, laughing and weeping, shouting questions, making offers of help, proffering food and drink, crowding around the crone with such clamor and persistence that Pedro could scarcely manage to get her to a chair. Then she sat beaming upon them all, apparently in the best of health and delighted at the welcome afforded her. Her clothes were, if possible, a trifle more worn and soiled than usual, but otherwise, she seemed to have suffered no harm.

"Where hast thou been? What hast thou done? Where is Samhill? Art well? Tell us!" they shouted all at once.

"Aye, I am well, lucky for me!" said Nita, with twinkling eyes. "For I have been a bird in my day, and I am in no haste to meet what awaits me in the hereafter."

"Beloved Nita!" exclaimed Pedro, kneeling beside her, "how I rejoice that thou art safe! But where is Mr. Hill?"

"Samhill?" she queried. "I have not seen him, nor thought of him! I have been abroad on other business. What of Samhill?"

"Don't you know?" cried Anna. And then the clamor began anew. Not knowing where Samhill was? Where could he be, then? Did she not even know of his disappearance? What had she been doing?

For answer, she took Pedro's face between her old hands that were like withered leaves.

"Dost thou know who is in the city?" she asked. "Thine enemy and mine, Ricardo! He struck me, and I was senseless. But when mine eyes opened, I arose and went in search of him. I took the long, slender machete with the handle of pearl, but I found him not. There was a woman with him..."

"Yes," said Pedro, "my mother."

"Then thou, too, hast seen him! Where?" she asked eagerly. "And with thy mother? Surely you are mad?"

"Not mad, only bewildered and frightened," he answered. "I know where they are, but not for what purpose! I shall tell thee all that I have seen, but not now. Can't you hear the others saying that my benefactor has vanished? Before anything else we must find and help her!"

"Where are Ricardo and thy mother?" asked Nita, her eyes fixed upon Pedro's, and her hand closed tightly upon some object that was hidden among the bundled shawls and scarfs about her waist. Pedro's eye followed the movement.

"It is very far from here, oh, ancient lady," he lied glibly, "and I shall not

tell you where until I return. Then we shall attend to your little matter, and I shall see why and how my mother comes in such company. My mother?" he turned away and sighed. "I had forgotten how I loved her!" he said as though to himself. Then he picked up the pole and chain, and signaled to Beau-Jean that he was ready. Nita arose to her feet.

"Where is the murderer, the seducer of my daughter?" she screamed. "Where is Ricardo?"

"At the other end of the city," said Pedro. "Come quickly, Beau-Jean."

And with that they were off, leaving Nita screaming imprecations at them from the stair-head, in the most healthy manner. As they reached the street Beau-Jean asked:

"What is all this courier business of which Nita talks? Couldn't we manage to arrange her, when we have found Samhill?"

"Perhaps," said Pedro soberly, "for this man, Ricardo Valdez, is a very wicked man. He used to live near my home. Nita was my nurse, once, and her daughter was my foster-sister. When she was only fifteen Ricardo stole her away. Then he deserted her, and when she came back to us she killed herself and her baby. Ever since Nita has been looking for him, to avenge her child. But she is so old now, that I think we had best not let her do it. I am sure she would really prefer dying with us, to dying in jail!"

"I agree," said Beau-Jean.

"And now which way shall we turn?" said Pedro.

"As the bear came from the river, let us to the river go," suggested Beau-Jean.

"A good notion," said Pedro, "and as likely to prove fruitful as any."

"More likely up-town than down, from here," said Beau-Jean, and again Pedro assented.

And so, in accordance with the plan, if plan it could be properly called, they made their way westward, straight toward the docks, and once reaching there, began a pilgrimage up-town.

Mr. Jones now began acting in a most peculiar manner. Something on the sidewalk had attracted his attention, and nothing could divert him until he had made a thorough inspection. To Beau-Jean and to Pedro there appeared to be nothing on the pavement but a good deal of dirt and refuse; but one particular spot seemed to have fascinated Mr. Jones, and there was nothing for it but to stand waiting while he noisily about.

"Shall I chasten him?" asked Beau-Jean, who was accustomed to using this method with Koko.

"No, certainly not," said Pedro, "I believe he's been here before. Perhaps he recognizes something. Let us watch!"

Pedro's surmise was an eminently correct one, for Mr. Jones had recognized honey! Very shortly he raised his head, found the scent, and came upon a second spot of interest. How delightful—this was the neighborhood in which he had found that nice hive where there were no bees to sting, and where the honey was so plentiful! He really had not taken half of it last time! And here were his own footsteps, his sticky, honey-made footprints, which would help him to find the treasure again. Thus it happened that in time they reached the doorway of the little dairy, which Mr. Jones recognized with a joyful

she is always putting things of she is always behind time, and therefore what she does do is done under pressure and in a hurried way that is always wasteful.

Take Rest in Time. Rest is mental. When the mind wears the body relaxes. Drudgery is mental monotony. The climate of the mind loses its distinct seasons when drudgery steals away vivacity and variety. Idleness is not rest, but rest. A change of air refreshes the whole man. What most people need for a vacation is a new duty, not a new climate. If you would rid yourself of an old trouble and escape from a galling condition, take up a new task. Inaction leads to atrophy. Rust does as much harm as friction. There is no reward for the idler whether he be rich or poor. The lazy man is seldom an optimist.

To Raise Mint. To those who are fond of mint, this may be a helpful suggestion. Place good sized sprays of mint in a jar of water and you will find that you have a fine mint bed. If the jar is kept well filled with water the mint will grow as well as though planted in a window box.



"Where is Ricardo and Thy Mother?"

my home. Nita was my nurse, once, and her daughter was my foster-sister. When she was only fifteen Ricardo stole her away. Then he deserted her, and when she came back to us she killed herself and her baby. Ever since Nita has been looking for him, to avenge her child. But she is so old now, that I think we had best not let her do it. I am sure she would really prefer dying with us, to dying in jail!"

"I agree," said Beau-Jean. "And now which way shall we turn?" said Pedro. "As the bear came from the river, let us to the river go," suggested Beau-Jean.

"A good notion," said Pedro, "and as likely to prove fruitful as any." "More likely up-town than down, from here," said Beau-Jean, and again Pedro assented.

And so, in accordance with the plan, if plan it could be properly called, they made their way westward, straight toward the docks, and once reaching there, began a pilgrimage up-town.

Mr. Jones now began acting in a most peculiar manner. Something on the sidewalk had attracted his attention, and nothing could divert him until he had made a thorough inspection.

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THE KITCHEN CABINET

Some report elsewhere whatever is told them: the measure of fiction always increases, and each fresh narrator adds something to what he has heard—Ovid.

Never inquire into another man's secret; but conceal that which is entrusted to you, though pressed both by wine and anger to reveal it.—Horace.

REHEATED DISHES.

To make over remnants of food and not have them messy and unattractive is a most desirable accomplishment and one which practice will perfect. There are many dishes that are more toothsome on their second appearance than on their first. It is not advisable, if one has a finicky household, to mention too often that this is "so and so" warmed over.

What fussy people don't know won't worry them. The woman who tries to spend wisely has little or no waste and it is her ambition to waste nothing. To those of us who have been trained in the New England prudence a burned bread crust is near neighbor to a crime. In these days of want across the water it seems fitting that we should learn economy at home, if for no other reason than to give us more to help those less fortunate, and who are suffering through no fault of their own. Let us then serve plain, substantial meals, have better digestion and have something to give when the request comes.

Savory Minced Meat.—Put a tablespoonful of beef drippings into a hot frying pan, add a tablespoonful of butter, brown in it a half of an onion finely chopped, then turn in a onion chopped meat, beef or lamb or veal. Turn with a fork until well seasoned and mixed, add salt and pepper, and if you have any gravy pour this over the meat just before taking it up.

Warm Over Beef.—Hot roast or well-cooked beef may be prepared in the following tasty manner. Heat a tablespoonful each of drippings and butter in a hot pan, add a half of an onion chopped, and when yellow turn in a cup of tomatoes; when simmering turn in slices of cold beef, cook slowly, seasoning with salt and pepper.

Barbequed Ham.—Lay cold fried ham in the following sauce and reheat. One tablespoonful of vinegar, a teaspoonful of sugar, a saltspoonful of dry mustard, pepper and salt if needed. Lay the meat in this and let it absorb it.

WAYS OF SERVING EGGS.

Eggs are a valuable food and even at 30 cents a dozen are a reasonably priced food. When well and properly cooked they are easy of digestion, and to the inventive housewife offer a wide field in which to originate dishes to take the place of meat on the table.

Curried Eggs.—Slice three onions very thin and put them into a saucepan with two tablespoonfuls of butter. When they are soft put in a teaspoonful of curry powder, a quarter of a teaspoonful of ginger, half a teaspoonful of salt, and one tablespoonful of flour. When these are mixed thoroughly add a cupful of stock or water and stir until it boils. Place halves of hard cooked eggs on a platter and pour over them the curry sauce.

Dainty Breakfast Eggs.—Chop the whites and mash the yolks of a half-dozen hard cooked eggs. Make a sauce of two tablespoonfuls of butter and two of flour, cooked together, add two cupfuls of rich milk and cook until smooth, then add a teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of pepper, mustard and red pepper, then add the chopped whites. Place pieces of hot toast on a hot platter, butter each piece and cover with the seasoned white sauce.

Hard cooked eggs, cooked macaroni, cheese and white sauce with seasonings, put in layers in a baking dish and sprinkled with buttered crumbs, then baked until thoroughly hot, make a fine supper dish.

Poached Eggs and HORSERADISH.—Put two tablespoonfuls of meat fryings into a saucepan, add a dash of red pepper or mustard and break as many eggs as desired into it. Place on each a teaspoonful of prepared horseradish, cover closely and allow to set. Serve with green vegetables, such as beans, peas or spinach.

Potato Neg.—Prepare cold mashed potatoes with an egg and seasoning, and one finely chopped onion. Grease a gem pan and put into each a tablespoonful of potato and shape it, leaving a hollow in the center. Set in the oven to bake. When partly done drop an egg into each and return to the oven to set. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and bits of butter.

Nellie Maxwell.

To Get Pointers in America. The Tasmanian government is sending a representative to Canada and the United States to investigate and report upon such industries as wood-pulping, paper-making, the manufacture of nitralin, aluminum and any other industries adapted to the resources of the state. This representative has also been commissioned to investigate and report to the government where and at what cost the most expert engineer can be obtained to take charge of a system of irrigation for the government.

Certainly Suggestive. Perhaps the old fellow who first pointed out that a man's home is his castle had in mind the way it's almost constantly beleaguered by persons wishing to sell you brooms, potatoes and other commodities that you don't want any more than you already have.—Columbus (Ohio) Journal.

With the Cynic. It is a sin to believe evil of others, but it is seldom a mistake.—Smart Get



"There," She Said, "Will That Do?"

coupe. No sooner was this accomplished than Pedro fled across the little court and up to the studio as if all the devils in the demology were after him, and slamming the door behind him, he proceeded to dance the cotquette at a mad pace, upsetting several articles of furniture in the process.

"And now to find Mr. Sam Hill!" he shouted gleefully, waving the paper above his head.

"Ah! Meestre Samhill," was echoed in a wail from outside the door. "Where, oh! where is he?"

CHAPTER XIII.

Some Adventures With Variations. Pedro started at the door as if transfixed, and then, the wall being repeated, he opened his portal. On the landing stood Guevriere.

"Madre de Dios!" he exclaimed, "what ails thee? Come in!"

"Oh! 'tis terrible!" moaned Guevriere, "that Anna! that irresponsible one! We left her in charge, and when she awoke Nita had vanished. And every one was away. And now Samhill, he, too, is gone! Oh! Merciful Mother!"

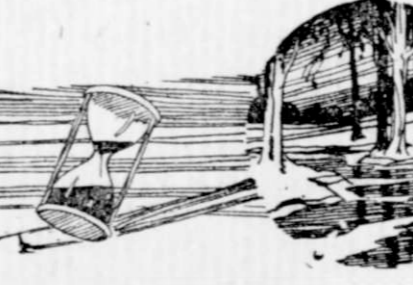
"Sit down and be calm!" cried Pedro. "Tell me all. What has happened?"

SYSTEM SAVES WOMAN'S TIME

Many Farm Wives Lose by Not Mapping Their Work Out in Methodical Manner.

A program is a great labor saver, we are told, but some women use a program as a robin does a pole—something to fly from. They never know what is to be done next, says a writer in Country Gentleman. A regular order, wherein the work is dovetailed, makes for real efficiency. While the woman who does her work bit or miss in the throes of indecision as to what shall be done next, the really methodical woman has her work all mapped out a week ahead. She moves swiftly and surely from one task to the next with no lost time. The amount of work she turns off is a marvel to the other woman.

A good homemaker plans her work and works her plan. She is envied by less executive women, but she must pay the price in careful thought and in an inflexible will that holds her to the prescribed procedure. A weaker woman makes a good plan, but circumstances are forever altering it. She never drives her work, but her work drives her continually. It worries her; it becomes a nightmare. Because



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SYRUP OF FIGS FOR A CHILD'S BOWELS

It is cruel to force nauseating, harsh physic into a sick child.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—caster oil, calomel, cathartics.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs."

Ask at the store for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle.

Literary Travel. "Did you take the fast express out of New York?"

YOUR OWN DRUGGIST WILL TELL YOU. Write to the nearest drug store for a free copy of the book.

Change of Program. "Why do you insist on moving every year?"

WANTED. Butternut and Black Walnut Meats. Write, stating price per pound, number of pounds you can furnish.

No Reason. "But I cannot understand why you say no, your mother has no objection to your marrying me?"

CLEAR YOUR SKIN. By Daily Use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Trial Free.

Wanted More Definite Orders. Comment on the perfect marksmanship now displayed in the navy was made in the form of an anecdote by Sergeant Jones of the United States Marine Recruiting corps.

Had a Familiar Sound. It was just after spring cleaning. She was reading in a low, thrilling voice.

Meaning a Fury, of Course. "Dad, what's a nemesis?" "Son, a nemesis is a married woman whose husband has promised her a new fall hat and hasn't the money to buy one."

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS IF BACK HURTS. Says Too Much Meat Forms Uric Acid Which Clogs the Kidneys and Irritates the Bladder.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally.

At the Telephone. A convenient telephone index is made to slip over the moustache—rather under it, for the moustache must be unscrewed to put the index on.

Yellowstone Park. The Yellowstone park has an area of 2,142,720 acres. The park is in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho.

New Health Officer Named. Wausau.—Mayor John Ringle has appointed Dr. W. E. Zillisch city health officer to succeed Dr. D. Sauerharing, resigned.

FOUND THINGS HAD CHANGED

Auto Made It Impossible for De Wet to Repeat Famous Deeds on the Veldt.

Christian De Wet was the most picturesque, resourceful and elusive figure on the Boer side of the South African war a dozen years ago.

Hence when General De Wet went into Insurrection against the Union of South Africa and on the side of England's foes there was general expectation of a gamesome time.

He and his followers rode and raided with all his old skill and invention. The difference was that they never had a chance to rest.

The Herald has before suggested this should be termed "The Automobile War." The running down of De Wet, the unequal horseman of the veldt, emphasizes the merit of the suggestion.—Chicago Herald.

DEADLY POISON FLY PAPERS. List of Accidents Covering Only a Few Days Shows the Danger in Their Use.

Considering the safe up-to-date methods of destroying that pest, the domestic fly, it is remarkable that people will persist in using the poison fly papers.

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OTHERS ASSIST RECEPTION

Governor-Elect E. L. Philipp to Take Oath of Office in the Assembly Chamber of State Capitol at Noon.

Madison.—The general committee on the state inauguration ceremonies met at the executive office and announced the following lists of escorts, reception committees and special committees, respectively:

Escorts: marshal, Col. J. G. Salsman; chaplain, the Rev. W. J. McKay, to be escorted by Mayor A. H. Kayser; Chief Justice Winslow, by President Van Hise; Gov.-elect Philipp, by Gov. McGovern; Lieut.-Gov.-elect Dithmar, by Lieut.-Gov. Morris; Secretary of State Donald, by Burr W. Jones; State Treasurer Henry Johnson, by T. C. Richmond; Atty.-Gen. Owen, by L. L. Butler; State Supt. of Schools Cary, by M. M. Quail; Justice Marshall, by Judge E. Ray Stevens; Justice Timlin, by Judge John C. Fehlant; Justice Slesbecker, by Judge A. G. Zimmerman; Justice Barnes, by Dr. Charles H. Vilas; Justice Kerwin, by Alfred T. Rogers; Justice Vinje, by Mangus Swenson; Judge A. L. Sanborn, by L. S. Hanks, and Ex-Gov. Davidson, by E. B. Stevensland.

On Jan. 4 the governor-elect and various other dignitaries will meet at the executive chamber late in the forenoon, leaving again just before 12 o'clock and proceeding to the main staircase on the west side of the capitol, thence to the assembly chamber, where the formal ceremonies of the inauguration of the various state officers will take place.

The receptions in the various state offices will take place from 3 to 5 p. m., and the First Regiment band is to furnish two orchestras to play in the east and west wings, respectively, during that time.

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Portage.—John Muir, explorer, naturalist, philosopher and artist, who died in Los Angeles, Cal., on Thursday from pneumonia, spent a large part of his life here, and his death will recall to many Wisconsin people incidents surrounding his career in this state.

Mr. Muir was born in Dunbar, Scotland, in 1838, and came to Wisconsin at the age of 11 years, was graduated by the University of Wisconsin with the class of 1864.

His descriptions of the Yosemite valley first brought it into national fame. To the great glacier Muir discovered in Alaska in 1881, his name was given, and as a member of the De Long relief expedition he made further valuable polar reports.

Although he removed from this state many years ago members of his family continued their residence here. His mother died in Portage in 1896. His brother, David, was a member of the firm of Barry & Muir, a leading mercantile firm here many years.

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Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Cascarets immediately cleanse the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret to-night will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep. A 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels regular for months. Adv.

WHERE RASTUS FELL DOWN

Rather a "Giveaway" Was His Eager-ness to Demonstrate He Could File an Alibi.

At a special session in Washington reference was made to the matter of making bad breaks, when Congressman James A. Frear of Wisconsin was reminded of an incident along that line.

Some time ago, he said, a farmer out his way began to miss his chickens, and in order to better protect them he had a dog of the dog fitted with iron bars. Still the fowls disappeared, and finally a party named Rastus was arrested on suspicion.

"There seems to be no evidence against this man," said Rastus' lawyer to the judge at the subsequent trial, "and I ask your honor to discharge him."

"I will let him off with a suspended sentence," answered the judge, "providing he can file an alibi. Can you file an alibi, Rastus?" he continued, turning to the defendant.

"Yassah, boss. Yassah!" was the prompt response of Rastus. "I kin if dey ain't no harder dan de babs on Mistah Johnning's chicken coop."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

How "Sake" Is Made.

The crown prince of Japan sent a consignment of "sake" to the British crews attacking Kiaochau. This beverage, which should be drunk warm to appreciate its full flavor, is of a clear, light yellow color and tastes like highly-seasoned sherry. It is made of steamed rice, treated by a process which converts the starch in to sugar; fermentation sets in and sake is produced.

The character of the liquor that results, however, is the best quality of sake only the best water is employed. An excise duty equivalent to 25 cents per gallon is levied on sake, the amount thus raised in 1912 totaling \$28,000,000. The name is said to be derived from the town of Osake, which, from time immemorial, has been famous for sake brewing.

GRANDMA USED SAGE TEA TO DARKEN HER GRAY HAIR

She Made Up a Mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to Bring Back Color, Gloss, Thickness.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray; also ends dandruff, itching scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays, by asking at any store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of the famous old recipe for about 50 cents.

Don't stay gray! Try it! No one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy.—Adv.

Not Quite.

She—I see in this paper, Henry, where a German officer rode in a commandeered automobile.

He—Well, what of it?

She—is that one of the new makes?

Constipation Vanishes Forever

Prompt Relief—Permanent Cure. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver.

Stop after dinner distress—cure indigestion, improve the complexion, brighten the eyes. SMALL PILL, SMALL DOSE, SMALL PRICE. Genuine must bear Signature.

When the right girl meets the right young man, the person's wife gets a chance to go buying instead of shopping.

W. N. U., MILWAUKEE, NO. 1-1915.

WORMS.

"Worms," that's what's the matter of 'em. Stomach and intestinal worms. Nearly as bad as diphtheria. Cost you too much to feed 'em. Low's Spohn's Cure kills 'em, improves the appetite, and tones 'em up all round, and don't 'physic' 'em on grains and blood. Full directions with each bottle, and sold by all druggists.

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SPHON'S CURE FOR WORMS. A Different Thing. "Did Bill break his poor old father's heart by his gambling?" "Not much, he broke the bank."

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THE GOOD JUDGE UNDERSTANDS THE GRAIN BUYERS HASTE.

**"RIGHT-CUT" growing!**  
Why, every man who tries it is spreading the news of the *Real Tobacco Chew*. Once let a man get the taste of pure, rich, sappy tobacco, seasoned and sweetened just enough—and it'll fall off with the old kind. Get a pouch at your dealer's. Try it—and see for yourself.

Take a very small chew—less than one-quarter the old size. It will be more satisfying than a mouthful of ordinary tobacco. Just nibble on it until you find the strength chew that suits you. Tuck it away. Then let it rest. See how easily and evenly the real tobacco taste comes, how it satisfies without grinding, how much less you have to spit, how few chews you take to be tobacco satisfied. That's why it is *The Real Tobacco Chew*. That's why it costs less in the end.

It is a ready chew, cut fine and short shred so that you won't have to grind it with your teeth. Grinding on ordinary candied tobacco makes you spit 100 much.

The taste of pure, rich tobacco does not need to be covered up with molasses and horvies. Notice how the salt brings out the rich tobacco taste in "Right-Cut."

One small chew takes the place of two big chews of the old kind.

**WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY**  
50 Union Square, New York

BUY FROM DEALER OR SEND 10¢ STAMPS TO US

# GROCERIES

**JOHN MARX**  
Kewaskum, Wis.

# FLOUR and FEED

# A HAPPY NEW YEAR

May the year 1915 be one of prosperity to our many friends & patrons

**H. J. LAY LUMBER CO.**  
KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN

I Wish all my Friends and Patrons a Very HAPPY NEW YEAR

**Edw. Miller**  
LICENSED EMBALMER  
Kewaskum, Wisconsin

## MANY PRACTICE FALSE ECONOMY

Farmer Saves 15 Cents, Squanders Big Sum.

FORGETS HOME MERCHANT.

Catalogue House Cannot Enter Community Where Local Pride is Considered—Be Frank With Merchant and Ask Him to Be Same With You. A Town Worth While.

(Copyrighted, 1914, by Thomas J. Sullivan.) If you know how to spend less than you get you have the philosopher's stone.

Economy is the parent of integrity, of liberty and of ease and the beautiful sister of temperance, of cheerfulness and of health.

Willful waste is a cruel and crafty demon that gradually involves her followers in dependence and debts and so fetters them with irons that enter their inmost souls.

Economy is a procedure by which a certain sum of money can be saved and waste, on the other hand, by which the same sum of money is dissipated. To illustrate, a farmer wishes to buy an ax. The local merchant's price is \$1.40, but the farmer can buy "an" ax from the retail catalogue house for \$1.25. He is economical and is going to save that 15 cents.

Abandons Machinery in Field. The previous summer the economical farmer bought a new mower with which to harvest his hay and paid therefor \$85.

The machine was nice and new and shiny, and when the farmer completed the cutting of his hay he promptly unhitched his team and abandoned the pretty new mower to the tender elements of the hayfield, and there it remains, the seat and tongue protruding from a huge snowdrift.

That seems to be a case where waste took economy by the hand and led it into the fields and lost it.

Neglect is Noticeable. It is a regrettable fact that the practice is not uncommon; that it is the rule rather than the exception among farmers.

Look out of the window of any train as you pass through the country, and almost the first thing that meets the eye is a neglected piece of farm machinery standing in a vacant field unprotected from the rains of the summer, the winds of the fall, the sleet, ice and snow of winter and the mud and mire of spring.

What must be the condition of that machinery when in the course of time the farmer is again ready to put it into service?

Have rust, neglect and the elements added to its value and efficiency?

Depreciated 50 Per Cent. Have they not depreciated it at least 50 per cent in every way? Neglect of this kind is willful waste.

There is no better field in all the world in which the farmer can practice economy than in the proper care of his machinery.

Some farmers protect their machinery all right from the elements. They haul it in under a shed.

The barnyard fowls have also discovered this "nice shed" and find that machinery makes the nicest kind of roosting place, with the result that when the machines are again brought out into the sunlight they are things of sordid appearance rather than of worth and beauty.

Machinery Rusts Out. The back door robs the house, and the back door leads to the machinery shed and to the open fields. Go out and see if your machinery is protected from both the weather and barnyard dirt.

Remember it is better for machinery to wear out than to rust out. Saving 15 cents on an ax and losing \$50 on a mowing machine is false economy, the practice of which leads past the gate of tariff and industry and up to the door of "woeful want and willful waste" and to the fireside of indolence and neglect.

The man who neglects and abandons his farm machinery in the field is not only the most indolent man in the world, but also the most stupid.

And the strangest part of it all is that a man will admit his indolence, but will fight if called stupid.

He sort of persuades himself to believe that indolence cherishes all the peaceful virtues and that without destroying the others it merely suspends their functions.

Be Frank With Dealer. Be frank and open and manly with yourself, and ask your dealer to be the same.

Then there will be more consumers in the town to feed, and the farmer will profit by it. So will the retail merchant and also the consumer, citizens of the town, the professional man and the employee, as they will be profitably employed and earning money.

When the citizens of a town have money in the bank or jingling in their pockets a town worth while is in evidence; a farming community worth while is also very noticeable.

What helps one helps all, and no catalogue house can better conditions in a locality that works together in this way.

Selfishness, jealousy and stubbornness are a certain kind of harpoon that cuts deep.

Stop The Child's Colds, They Often Result Seriously

Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough are children's ailments which needs immediate attention. The after effects are often most serious. Don't take the risk—you don't have to. Dr. King's New Discovery checks the Cold, soothes the Cough, allays the Inflammation, kills the Germs and allows Nature to do her healing work. 50¢ at your Druggist. Buy a bottle today.

## CAMPBELLSPORT.

A Happy New Year to all. Eugene Glass was in Milwaukee Saturday.

J. McEnro transacted business at Eden Saturday.

C. R. Van De Zande was at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

B. Ullrich went to Fond du Lac on business Monday.

Mrs. Michael Jaeger is visiting relatives at Lomira.

Miss Stella Paas was a Milwaukee visitor Tuesday.

J. L. Gudex was at Fond du Lac on business Tuesday.

B. Jaeger transacted business at West Bend Tuesday.

N. Hort spent last Saturday at Oshkosh on business.

W. Kloke visited with relatives at Kewaskum Tuesday.

Wm. Meyers spent Tuesday at West Bend on business.

John Gravidiger was a pleasant caller here Tuesday.

John Grill was at the County Seat on business Tuesday.

Miss M. Flynn called on friends at Fond du Lac Monday.

Jake Meyer was a business caller in Fond du Lac Monday.

Miss Agnes Kuehl of Sturgeon Bay is home for the holidays.

Rev. P. Vogt of Kewaskum called on Rev. July here Tuesday.

Chas. Jandrey of Dundee was a village business caller Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Furlong is visiting friends at Northport this week.

Miss Alma Braun is spending the week with friends at Van Dyne.

Miss Veronica Zwashka spent Saturday with friends in Oshkosh.

Chas. Henning of Iron Ridge spent Christmas here with friends.

Miss Mary Roesler was a Fond du Lac visitor Saturday afternoon.

Oscar Guenther of Centralia, Ill. is home for a few days vacation.

H. Braun attended to business matters at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Miss M. Fellenz visited with relatives at the County Seat Tuesday.

Miss Laura Ebert of Milwaukee visited her mother here over Sunday.

Mrs. Sophie Kuehl visited relatives in Fond du Lac for a few days.

Arthur Lade of Mt. Calvary is spending the holidays at his home here.

Henry Wenzel of Milwaukee is spending the week with relatives here.

Wm. Bonesho of Oshkosh is spending the week with relatives here.

J. J. O'Connell of Plymouth transacted business here last Saturday.

John Rinzel and F. J. McNamara were business callers at West Bend Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Parrott spent Tuesday with relatives at the County Seat.

A. Koepke and daughter of Milwaukee spent last Sunday here with relatives.

Mrs. Albert Leisses of Milwaukee is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bauers.

Joseph Hutter and son George of Fond du Lac were here on business Saturday.

Miss Mary Gremminger of Clintonville is visiting relatives here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weis and son Raymond spent Saturday with relatives at Beaver Dam.

Mrs. L. Majerus, sons Joseph and William were business callers at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoltz and children of Darlington are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Redfearn.

B. Peck and family of Milwaukee spent the latter part of last week here with relatives.

Joseph Schields of Neilsville spent Friday and Saturday at the home of Mrs. Anna Dengel.

A number of young people from here enjoyed a sleighing party to Kewaskum Tuesday evening.

Rev. T. J. Reykdal left last Thursday for a weeks visit with his parents at Westboro, Wis.

Miss Lillah Harder returned to Milwaukee Sunday after several days' visit with relatives here.

The Misses Dolores Kohler and Lily Behnke are spending the week with friends at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hendricks of Fond du Lac spent the latter part of last week here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Doepke of Milwaukee were guests of the Philip Guenther family for a few days.

The Misses Irene and Viletta Murphy of Milwaukee spent Friday with the John Naughton family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Peck and son of Lethbridge, Canada, are guests at the home of E. L. Peck this week.

Dr. A. B. Zwashka of Wauwatosa and Leo Zwashka of Oshkosh visited relatives here Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lisle of Rockford, Ill., are guests of the latter's

# HILL'S STORE NEWS

"IT PAYS TO HITCH TO THE HOUSE OF HILL'S"



## OUR JANUARY CLEAN-UP OPPORTUNITY.

January is the month we always plan on opportunity, for the many customers of this **BUSY DAY-LIGHT STORE**, to secure remarkable merchandise at unusual savings. Every Department, every floor will offer splendid values at wonderful savings.

Many of our regular customers look forward each year, with much satisfaction, to our January saving opportunity. They know that real savings are always to be found here. The good business woman does not buy cheap things, but she never lets slip an opportunity to buy good things cheaply.

### FIRST FLOOR

Embroideries, Laces, Dress Goods, Silks, Linens, Gloves, Belts, Wash Goods, Notions. In each of these departments, you'll find wonderful values at saving prices.

### SECOND FLOOR

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Furs, Shirt Waists, Sweaters, Corsets, Petticoats, Undermuslins. Here is up to date ready to wear garments—the saving prices will surprise you.

### THIRD FLOOR

Rugs, Lace Curtains, Draperies, Linoleums. This floor will give you an opportunity to fit out your home at a comparative small cost.

Remember Our January Opportunity—Remember The Store

**HILL BROS. DRY GOODS COMPANY**  
FOND DU LAC, WISCONSIN

# HERE IS YOUR CHANCE

JOIN THE KEWASKUM STATESMAN PICTURE PUZZLE CONTEST VALUABLE PRIZES.

What Play Does This Picture Represent?



PICTURE PUZZLE NO. 16

My answer to Puzzle No. \_\_\_\_\_  
is \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

This is a contest of skill and judgement open to everyone. Three prizes will be given absolutely free by this paper, viz: **First, \$25; Second, \$10; Third, \$5.** The puzzles will be printed one each week for twenty weeks. Every contestant will be permitted to submit as many sets of answers as he wishes but each set must contain only one answer to each picture.

All answers must be neatly written or printed on coupons published in this paper and must have the name and residence of the contestant on each coupon.

Any or all members of a family may enter the contest. In case there are no complete sets of correct answers, prizes will be awarded to the persons submitting the greatest number of correct answers.

In case of a tie awards will be made on the basis of neatness and accuracy.

All employees of this paper and their families are absolutely barred from participating in this contest.

Under no circumstances send answers until the end of the contest, then arrange them in sets, in numerical order, and send them all in together.

Bowers, the artist, the only person who knows the correct answers, has personally placed them under seal which will be broken in the presence of witnesses.

The prizes will be awarded **One week after close of contest.**

Guide Books that contain among others the correct answers to all pictures, including back numbers containing coupons, may be had at this office, price 40 cents.

**Frank W. Bucklin**  
LAWYER  
Opera House Block, West Bend  
In Kewaskum Wednesday of each week  
Office in J. Schmidt Bldg.

**MRS. K. ENDLICH**  
Carpet Weaver  
Kewaskum, Wis.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Johnson for a few days.

The Osceola Polo Club will stage a first class play at the Opera House on January 9th, 1915. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Van Blarcom of Fond du Lac, son Schuyler of Chicago and daughter Lillian of Oklahoma spent Sunday at the home of E. L. Peck.

Miss Christene Roesler and Wren and Lee Garber of Pontiac, Ill., arrived here last Thursday to visit their aunts, Mrs. J. B. Giboy and Miss Mary Roesler over the holidays.

The local basketball team defeated the New Prospect team here last week by a score of 91 to 11. Next week they will play two games Wednesday evening at Lomira and Saturday evening at Kewaskum.

Leo Hoffman held the lucky number that won the diamond ring given away by Math Schaefer the jeweler, and the other four prizes were won by Mrs. Chas. Behnke, Agnes Cole, Ewald Scheidt and Herbert Martin.

### Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease, Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Prop., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### BOLTONVILLE

Miss Lizzie Wiskirchen returned Sunday to her home at West Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stautz spent Sunday with relatives at West Bend.

Bernard Weirman and family spent Christmas with relatives at Adell.

Armo Stautz and family of West Bend spent Christmas with E. Blau and wife.

Henry Reis, a former resident of this locality died recently at Waukesha, following an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Keis and children of Random Lake spent Sunday evening with Peter Geib and family.

### Jewelry and Barberism.

Even in the stone age woman was fond of jewels. But it was man, the brutal master, who wore them. The heavy necklace that descended upon his breast was the emblem of his superiority and power. Even before he had progressed so far as to cover himself with the skin of the stag he wore a necklace of shells, of teeth of animals or glittering flint. The elegant dame or demotuelle who rolls by in her limousine is not so distant a relative of the cave man as she may try to appear. She likes jewels better than dress, since each season we see her more and more bejeweled and less and less clothed. The joy of jewels is of the same infantile quality with the coquette of today, that is was in the early barbaric times. A thread of metal, upon which are strung some shining pebbles, a thread of silk over which are placed some small round concretions of lime, found rolling in the liquid of a diseased oyster!