

U. S. NOW MAINTAINS 47 RADIO STATIONS

Two Are High Powered, with Third
to be Completed Soon on
Pacific Coast

OPERATORS ARE TRAINED

The Four Year Enlistment Includes One
Year's Schooling; Knowledge of
Morse Code Required

OUR RADIO SERVICE TO-DAY—One profession that is not over-crowded in the United States is that of radio operator. The United States is always in need of competent men for its increasing wireless service, and in case of war it would be a difficult matter to secure enough professional operators for all of the ships and stations.

In that emergency the government's only resource would be the 250,000 amateur operators who are using their own instruments in all parts of the country with the permission and under the supervision of the government service. Many of them are just bungling beginners, of course, but there are also a lot of competent operators among them.

The young man enlisting in the national radio service gets a thorough training with one of the largest and most varied equipments in the world. The first of the four years of his term of enlistment is spent at one of the naval electrical schools, which are located at New York, Chicago and on Mare Island, near San Francisco. Here he learns all that the experts can teach him about all the different varieties of radio apparatus, including the telefunken, which is the type used by the German army and by most of the large commercial services.

What Recruit Must Know.

In order to enlist in the government service a man must be able to take dictation in the Morse code at a speed of twenty-five words a minute and must be able to receive twenty words a minute. This modest proficiency may be easily acquired in many technical high schools, where wireless telegraphy is a feature of the electrical work.

After his year in one of the government schools the recruit may be assigned to duty on either a ship or a land station and arrangements are made so that he returns to the school for a short term every year as long as he remains in the service. In this way he keeps in touch with every new development and has every opportunity to become an all around wireless man.

All the nations of the world are engaged in a spirited competition to improve their wireless service and experiments toward that end are always under way at the government stations. Just now the experts are trying to work out a better method of controlling the current so that it may be used simultaneously by more ships and stations.

Many Efficient Men in Service.

Most of the government instruments are manufactured on contract, but there are now so many efficient wireless men in the service that nearly anything could be designed by them and manufactured at the navy yard.

By far the most noticeable improvement in recent years is the reduction of the noise caused by sending from the big stations. For example, the new high-power station at Darien, on the Isthmus of Panama, is scarcely audible at a hundred yards, while the old one at Colon, which was the first tower erected on the Canal Zone, made so much noise that it was a subject of complaint.

The old type of wireless station made a noise exactly like a small sawmill. A rumor that the Germans had set up a secret wireless station in the middle of New York not long ago was traced to a small portable sawmill which was running day and night in the back of a shop.

There has been great improvements, too, in the design of the towers, which are now self-supporting, while formerly they required a number of outstanding guys. One of these self-supporting towers at New Orleans passed through a terrific test in a recent big storm there, which demolished many tall buildings in the vicinity of the station. The tower stood firm.

Rapid Improvement Forecast.

The wireless service of the United States government compares favorably with those of the other great nations and differs from them chiefly in that it has not been standardized. This called for a wider knowledge on

the part of operators and may occasionally cause some delay and inconvenience, but it makes for more rapid improvement in both men and machines.

Germany has completely standardized her military radio equipment, so that only one type of instrument is used. England has a partially standardized equipment, but has introduced a number of innovations since the beginning of the war, including three devices for submarine control patented by the American inventor, John Hays Hammond, Jr.

The United States has absolutely no standards except of quality. Six commercial types of instruments, several European devices and a number devised by the experts of our own service are in use in this country, and the American operator learns how to use all of them.

Two High Power Stations.

Our naval radio service now includes forty-seven land stations scattered all over the world. Two of these are high power stations, having a generating apparatus of 100 kilowatts or more. They are located at Darien, on the Canal Zone, and at Arlington, Va. A third station of the high power type will be completed at San Diego with the next six months, while contracts have been let for two others—one in the Hawaiian Islands and one in the Philippines.

These new stations are being constructed along the most modern lines. It is believed they will have a much wider power of communication than any others in the world and their completion will put the United States distinctly ahead of any other nation in radio equipment.

The big wireless station at Arlington, across the Potomac from Washington, is administration center of the United States radio service. Here

are the offices from which are controlled all the ships of the United States navy. The little town of Radio, Va., has been built up about the big radio administration buildings almost entirely by the people that worked there.

From this station, too, the daily time signals from the naval observatory are flashed all over the country.

Telephone Experiments Aided.

This station has one of the most complete wireless equipment in the world and its advantages are placed at the disposal of all scientists doing serious work in that line. As soon as the men who have been experimenting in wireless telephony demonstrated to the government that there were real possibilities in their idea the Arlington station was placed at their disposal. In its workshops and laboratories were constructed the instruments and equipment through which the human voice was first transmitted over long distances without the aid of a wire.

The big station at Arlington also handles a considerable amount of commercial business, and the stations of the naval radio service are always available for commercial use in places where no commercial stations exist. The service is maintained primarily for government use, however, and it never enters into competition with commercial companies. These are rapidly multiplying, but in many of the way places the United States wireless service is the only means of communication with the outside world. In Alaska, for example, the radio is almost as important a feature of the daily life of the people as the United States mail is in the states.

There are 6,615,805 orange and 941,200 lemon trees in California. As president of the French republic, M. Poincare receives a salary of \$120,000 per annum. In China the building of railroads

THE HAPPIEST HEART.

Who drives the chariot of the sun
Shall lord it but a day;
Better the lowly deed were done
And kept the humble way.

The rust will find the sword of fame;
The dust will hide the crown;
Ay, none shall nail so high his name
Time will not tear it down.

The happiest heart that ever beat
Was in some quiet breast,
That found the common daylight sweet
And left to heaven the rest.
—John Vance Cheney.

PRISONERS ARE ESCAPING.

A steady stream of prisoners of war keeps trickling out of the German empire and reaches the haven of Holland. Hardly a day goes by without an Englishman, Russian, Frenchman or Belgian making his appearance in some Dutch frontier village to become an object of admiration and the recipient of enough cigars to keep him in tobacco for the rest of his natural life. As a rule they are the most energetic men of their company, who could stand detention no longer, and who, after passing through the most terrible hardships, often tumble across the line in a state of complete exhaustion. Many of their fellow sufferers are shot on their way. Often they come to the barbed wire fence which has been built all around the frontier to gaze at their prospective freedom with a sudden bullet in their legs or in their back.

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SELF-INTEREST CLOUDS REASON.

Development of Society Made by
Clash of Blind Experiments.

No man by taking thought can add a cubit to his stature. Can a community, by taking thought, direct its own development? That is a question that has attracted wide attention in recent years. Can people really be reasoned with successfully, or are they creatures of habit and sentiment and will? Many a performer has given up in despair, thinking that all his reasoning was futile and that he was only butting his head against a stone wall.

A Yale professor, Dr. A. G. Keller, has considered the problem in a suggestive volume, "Societal Evolution." The history of the development of society, he finds, shows that in the past progress has been made for the most part by the clash of all sorts of blind experiments. Groups have happened to adopt various customs. The customs that worked best survived. Polygamy went to wall early because the groups that tried it did not hold their own in competition with the groups in which a man was allowed only one wife. Primitive men were cannibals. But without any particular reason, so far as is known, certain tribes abandoned the habit, and their example spread.

In only one department of human activity does Professor Keller discover signs of the dominance of reason. Men have always showed themselves ready to consider rationally the things connected with making a living. They have been slow to accept changes in their religious ideas, for instance, but once demonstrated that a steam loom is more effective than a hand loom and no consideration of sentiment can save the hand loom. In China the building of railroads

was at first opposed on the ground that they would offend the earth spirit. You could have argued the question with a Chinese until you were black in the face and he would not have yielded. But once a railroad was built its concrete results put the earth spirit down and out.

As Professor Keller puts it, any reasonable suggestion in the field of practical affairs can be immediately verified, whereas a suggestion in the field of theory cannot be demonstrated. The Mohammedan might retort to a Christian, for instance, that they would have to wait until they were both dead to see which was right. But the Christian's gasoline engine would prove its worth before their eyes.

Undoubtedly some such considerations as Dr. Keller adduces are what make political speakers try to translate their doctrines into matters of immediate practical interest. Texts, for instance, are useful politically because they constitute an argument that can be immediately perceived. Legislation for social justice does not make rapid headway until the pinch of economic conditions is felt. It isn't necessary to abandon the idea that people can be appealed to on reasonable grounds on very many important issues, to see the force of the argument of "Societal Evolution."—Kansas City Star.

PICTURES OF VALUE TO POLICE.

A "rogues' Gallery" of films is the latest means of criminal identification to be adopted by the New York police department. So far the idea is only in its experimental stages, but Inspector Joseph Fauror, who saw a test made in Chicago three months ago, is sure that the plan can be made practical and has been working out the system for the last few months.

EXPOSE OF CULT 'PRINCE' COSTS HIM ONLY SIX CENTS.

Woman's Sensational Story of Marriage Customs Causes Flying of High Priest as "Debaucher."

Benton Harbor, Mich.—Following the expose of conditions in the House of David colony here, it is reported that the cult will quit Benton Harbor. "Prince Coy" Purnell, heir apparent of "King Benjamin," who was found guilty in the circuit court of slander as charged by Augusta Holliday has paid the damages of 6 cents and costs, as recommended by court. Mrs. Holliday had demanded \$25,000 damages.

She told sensational stories of marriage customs as practiced by the cult after "Prince Coy" had accused her and her sister, Lona McFarlane, of perjury in the expose.

Benjamin Purnell, "the seventh angel of Shiloh," entangled in his retreat in the House of David and father of "Prince Coy" was stigmatized as a "coward, hiding behind the skirts of his wife, Mary," as "a debaucher, under the cloak of religion, of young girls" and as the "king" who had arranged wholesale marriages among young people of the colony to prevent possible exposure of his own intimate relations with the young women who lived with him in the "Garden of Eden" and then held up to them the "law of the faith" that married couples are forbidden to sustain the ordinary relations of husband and wife.

Mrs. Holliday swore that she had been summoned to the "inner court" by Benjamin and that he had told her that he was "all-holy" and pure and could do no wrong." She told the jury that after the first visit to the apartments of the "king" she had gone to her room and wept bitterly, all the time trying to convince herself that under the divine law which was preached in the colony she had done no wrong.

She swore that she and fifty-six other girls of the House of David had been summoned before the leader of Shiloh and threatened with expulsion from the colony, had been commanded to sign and swear to an affidavit to the effect that she had never heard or seen any immoral conduct on the part of any one in the colony.

Mrs. Holliday under cross-examination said she knew the affidavit was false, but in fear that she would be driven from the colony had signed it. She testified that "King" Benjamin told all the young women that it was necessary to obtain their sworn statements for "his and their own protection."

"Later," she testified, "twenty of us were summoned before the potentate of Israel and advised that the time had arrived for us to enter into the marriage state. There was no courtship, no voluntary proposals by the young men of the colony."

The mating, she said, was done by "drawing lots." Each young man and each young woman in the Cupid class was asked to write down the name of his or her choice. If the selection were mutual then no word came from the throne to gainsay it. Otherwise the mating was done according to the judgment of Benjamin and the "pillars" surrounding him. The mate allotted to Augusta Fortney, now Mrs. Holliday, was a young man with whom she had never spoken more than a half dozen times in her life.

A multitude of witnesses, among them the keenest of the "preaching apostles" of the House of David, came into court to deny that the doctrine prohibited husband and wife from consummating their marriage.

CAT CAME BACK; THEY ALL DO.

Return Because They Can't Stay Away, Old Song Says.

Thomaston, Conn.—Some persons think this town was once called Thomastown, because of its numerous Thomas cats. Of course, there are plenty of other kind, too, but the Toms are in the great majority. For example, there's "Sard," a 20-pound Tom, 10 years old, who belongs to Minnie Dupree, formerly of Thomaston.

"Sard's" mistress took him to Bristol, seven miles from here, three years ago, and since then he appeared to like the place.

One night recently, however, Minnie called "Sard" and no "Sard" came. Last week residents of Thomaston recognized "Sard" in the big stranger cat that appeared to be perfectly at home in the town. "Sard's" mistress was promptly informed of his presence in the place, but as yet has not declared her intentions. Meanwhile "Sard" is making his home here and there in the old familiar neighborhood and is contented as any Thomas cat can be.

ELECTRIC9 STILL IN INFANCY.

Future to Make Present-Day Wonders Appear Simple.

Inventions even greater than the telephone, wireless telegraphy, automobiles and things belonging to medical science or even air craft are probabilities of the future. One hundred years from today people likely will turn back history's page and wonder at the simplicity of the people.

Comes now Charles H. Stanley of New York with a vastly improved X-ray machine. It is said that surgeons will now be able to operate directly under what is known as the Stanley ray without a preliminary photo of the affected part.

In Philadelphia was started America's first savings bank, and that institution now has about 100,000 more depositors than any other bank in the United States.

THE CHIEF LEGATEE

A STORY OF LOVE & MYSTERY, INVOLVING STARTLING INCIDENTS, COMPLICATIONS & ADVENTURES.

by ANNA KATHERINE GREEN.

AUTHOR OF "THE LEAVENWORTH CASE," "BEHIND CLOSED DOORS" ETC.

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A GREAT SERIAL!

WHY did the beautiful, cultured and wealthy Mrs. Georgian Ransom desert her husband on the way from their wedding in the presence of many friends in a fashionable New York church, especially when she was known to be deeply enamored of Mr. Ransom, who, moreover, fully merited her affection? Why did she make a will, leaving her whole fortune, estimated at more than a million dollars, to Josiah Auchincloss, an inconspicuous trunk-maker of St. Louis, whom she had never seen, and of whom personally she knew nothing?

Such are the vital points of this wonderful mystery story, exclusive serial rights of which have been secured by this paper. For our readers this means a literary feast far beyond the average newspaper serial and one that ranks with the highest class magazine offerings.

THE CHIEF LEGATEE is all-puzzling, thrilling, venturesome, mysterious, and sure to hold your interest to the end. The perplexing personality of a twin sister veils action and narrative in a mysterious fog which alternately lifts and falls, and leaves you always in doubt as to what is really going to happen, when all obscurity shall be dissipated by the sunshine of a happy finale.

Miss Green (now Mrs. Rohlf) is admittedly chief among English writers of detective stories,—tales of mystery. Her LEAVENWORTH CASE became the greatest detective story by a writer of English and created such a literary furore that she was induced to continue in that line of work, with gratifying results. Her latest, THE CHIEF LEGATEE, is one of her best, if not her best.

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NEW FANE

A Happy New Year to All. Paul Retzlaff spent the holidays at Jackson.

Hans Ohldag from Milwaukee visiting with Rev. Gutekunst.

Wm. O. Meilahn of Milwaukee visited with relatives here over the holidays.

Fred Brueser of Madison spent from Friday to Tuesday with the Firks and family.

The German Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will meet at John Metzger Monday, Jan. 3, 1916.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stark of Milwaukee spent Saturday and Sunday with Jos. Laubach and family.

Chas. Suemnicht of Cascade and Moos of Batavia and John Giles of Wayne were business callers at Frank Schultz's Monday.

Ernst Ramthan and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ramel spent Christmas day at Dundee with the former's mother, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. John Schlosser left Monday for West Bend to visit with her son John and wife to whom a daughter was born on Christmas day.

Bad Habits

Those who breakfast at eight o'clock or later, lunch at twelve and have dinner at six are almost certain to be troubled with indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest before taking another. Not less than five hours should elapse between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets, and you may reasonably hope for a quick recovery. These tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally for sale by Edw. C. Miller

WAYNE

A Happy New Year to all. Joseph Niesius of Allenton spent last Sunday here with the John Hawig family.

A number of our young people attended the dance at Kewaskum last Sunday evening.

Arthur F. Martin and John Werner were at Kewaskum Monday afternoon on business.

Several from here attended the funeral of the late Robert Little at St. Bridget's last Monday.

E. Franz of Cleveland, Ohio, called here on relatives and friends last week Thursday evening.

Peter Gritzmacher and Arthur F. Martin attended the Zion's church near Kohlsville last Sunday.

Louis Moll and family of Cascade spent Christmas here with the Wm. Abel family and other relatives and friends.

John Werner, daughter and mother, spent Christmas with relatives and friends at West Bend. The latter remained there for the week. Wm. Foerster took them there with his auto.

Charles W. Bruessel and family spent Sunday with the Mrs. Jas. Honeck family at West Bend. On their return home they also spent a few hours with the Peter Klumb family east of Kohlsville.

Mrs. Henry Stark, son Roman and daughter Adela of Schleisingerville, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kippenhahn and daughter Adeline of Kewaskum spent Christmas here with their folks, Jac. Kippenhahn and family.

Dr. N. E. Hausmann of Kewaskum was summoned to the home of Jac. Kippenhahn to attend to Mrs. Jac. Kippenhahn, who had been very sick. We are however, glad to report that the patient is getting along very nicely.

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

NEW PROSPECT

A Happy New Year to All. Walter White spent Saturday evening here.

Krueger Bros. spent Friday evening here.

Ed. Stahl and R. Dettmann attended here Xmas day.

Jac. Schladweiler and Jac. Tiss were Xmas callers here.

R. Weasler and boys were callers here Sunday evening.

Wm. Molkenthine of West Bend spent a few days with friends here.

Julius Glander and friend Hy. Backhaus called on friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Tuttle spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Falk and family.

Henry Uelmen and Herman Krueger took in the dance at Fillmore Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bartelt of Campbellsport spent Xmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartelt.

Paul Urban and brother John Wm. Bassil and Geo. Brandstetter of Kewaskum were village callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Koch and daughter Beulah spent Xmas and Sunday with the latter's parents at Waldo.

Aug. Jandre and brother Walter Erich Falk and brother Edwin attended the dance at Fillmore on Sunday night.

The box social given by Marie Bowen and pupils was well attended. The boys got busy and boxes were bought at a good price.

Fred Melius while on business in this section of the country was riding along slowly, when to his surprise he found that his auto had got funny and side tracked into the ditch, but Julius Glander who is always so willing to come to the aid of those in trouble got his fine team of horses out of the barn, took a binding twine and tied it around Lizzie's neck, fastening it to the whiffle tree with a bow knot and with one jerk Lizzie got her breath and stood on the road unharmed. Fred said he was rather glad he bought the Ford even though she was a little tricky at times.

FIVE CORNERS

A Happy New Year to All. Miss Rose Schleif was a guest of West Bend relatives Sunday.

Art Lade of Madison spent a few days of last week at the F. Harter home.

Mrs. Jos. Eberle and son Joe were guests of Mrs. E. Volz and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ruseh of Elmwood visited with the Wm. Feiber family Sunday.

Miss Luella Harter of St. Mary's Springs Academy, Fond du Lac is spending the holidays at the F. Harter home.

Mrs. Shatterly of Milwaukee and Mrs. Alex Harter of Marathon City were guests at the F. Harter home Monday.

Richard Adams of Waupaca and Rob Adams of Beaver Dam spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Adams.

ELMORE

A Happy New Year to All. Duncan Buddenhagen was a caller at Kewaskum Monday.

Christ Schmalz of Theresa called on friends here Saturday.

Christ Mathieu of South Elmore spent Friday with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schrauth spent Thursday at Fond du Lac.

Miss Ella Rauch spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. John A. Gudex.

T. L. Johnson of North Ashford was a business caller here Wednesday.

Miss Lola Zielicke spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schmidt.

Jake Blum of Hartford spent over Christmas with Wm. Rauch Sr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gudex spent Christmas with the latter's parents.

Miss Josephine Hess of South Elmore spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Helen Schill.

Royal and Minor Zielicke of Pierce county are visiting with the Wm. Zielicke family.

Mrs. William Rauch Sr. visited a few days with relatives and friends at Campbellsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Haessly and sons Carroll and Vincent spent Christmas day with Mrs. Helen Schill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kleinhan spent Saturday afternoon with the Kilian Strobel family at St. Kilian.

Math Thill and son Clarence and Charles Struebing of South Elmore were village callers Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Reinhardt and Mrs. Henry Appel of Milwaukee are spending the week with Mrs. Jacob Guntly.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Struebing and son Lester of South Elmore spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Christ Struebing.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kohn and sons Clayton and Lester of New Prospect spent Sunday with the Frank Kleinhaus family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kleinhaus and son Wesley of Milwaukee spent Sunday and Monday with the Frank Kleinhaus family.

Miss Dora Guntly and brothers and Mrs. Christ Guggesberger spent Christmas day with Mrs. Jacob Guntly and daughter Anna.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schmidt and daughter Sylvia and Mr. and Mrs. John Mathieu spent Wednesday evening with Peter Boegel and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Struebing and children and Mrs. John Struebing and son Harry and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Jr. and son Lester spent Sunday with the Mike Gantenbein family at St. Kilian.

Mr. Andrew Schrauth, aged 63 years and 11 months, died at his home near Elmore Monday morning at one o'clock, after an illness of ten weeks duration, death being due to cancer of the stomach. Mr. Schrauth was born near St. Kilian, Feb. 2, 1852 and in 1874 was married to Kathryn Flasch, their union was blessed with twelve children of which two died in infancy. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow and ten children namely: Daniel of Melton, Wis.; Andrew of West Bend; Mary, Mrs. Ed. Yearling and Kathryn, Mrs. John Regel of Barton; Francis, Mrs. Joseph Fisher of Campbellsport; John, Frank and Herman from here and Anna and Margaret at home. Also eighteen grand children, two brothers, Daniel of St. Kilian and Anton of Five Corners and one sister, Mrs. Frank Flasch of St. Kilian. The funeral was held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the St. Matthew's church, Rev. B. July officiating, with interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Mr. Schrauth was a member of the Catholic Knights. He was a beloved husband and father a hard worker and kind neighbor. He was one who was held in high esteem by all neighbors and friends.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire hereby to express our sincere thanks to the many kind friends and neighbors, who so willingly assisted us in our late bereavement, the illness, death and burial of our beloved husband and father, and all those who paid their last respect by attending the funeral.

Mrs. Kathryn Schrauth and Children.

WAUCOUSTA

A Happy New Year to All. School closed here Friday for a few weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ford were sick with LaGrippe.

Willie Iding of Forest was a caller here Christmas day.

Frank Burnett and family spent Christmas day at Campbellsport.

Mrs. August Schultz and children are spending the holidays with relatives in Milwaukee.

Martin Engles and two sisters Anna and Lizzie of Armstrong spent Christmas with friends here.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mr. John Naughton at Campbellsport on Monday.

A. C. Buslaff and family and Carrie Buslaff attended the Christmas entertainment at the Baptist church in Campbellsport Friday evening.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—Oswald Ties spent Xmas with relatives at St. Kilian. —A very good program at the Movies Sunday evening. —The cattle fair last Wednesday was fairly well attended. —Marion Gilboy was a Campbellsport visitor on Monday. —Lorenz Guth of West Bend was a village visitor Wednesday. —Jos. Gundrum spent last Saturday with his parents at Allenton. —Emerson Olwin of Milwaukee spent Sunday under the parental roof. —Dr. H. Driessel won the set of dishes given away at Koch's store last week. —Wm. Erier of West Bend was a business caller in the village Wednesday. —A. L. Simon and family visited with relatives near Sturgeon Bay the past week. —Mrs. Nic Marx and son Leo were business callers at West Bend on Monday. —J. H. Martin and family were the guests of the Geo. H. Martin family last Sunday. —Ed. Kreuzinger of Beechwood spent the holidays here with the John Weddig family. —Mrs. Wm. Colvin of West Bend called on relatives and friends here Tuesday. —Albert Koepke of Campbellsport called on the Aug. Bilgo family here Tuesday. —Heriman Gottsleben of Kimberly, Wis., was the guest of his parents here on Christmas. —Miss Ella Frensz spent the Christmas holidays here with the Louis C. Brandt family. —Henry Habeck and wife were the guests of the latter's folks at Dundee on Christmas. —Jos. O'Meara and Frank Davo of West Bend transacted business in our village last Tuesday. —S. N. Casper and wife spent Sunday afternoon with relatives and friends at West Bend. —Wm. Pitt of Waldo arrived here on Wednesday for a visit with relatives and friends. —Miss Edna Altenhofen is spending the week with relatives and friends at West Bend. —Come and see Charley Chaplin at the Movies next Sunday evening. A laugh every minute. —Mrs. S. E. Witzig and son Fred visited with the E. E. Smith family at Menasha on Christmas. —Miss Kathryn Schoofs of West Bend spent Saturday and Sunday here under the parental roof. —J. A. Welsch of the Barwig liquor house of Mayville, was a caller in the village Wednesday. —FOR SALE—New single buggy harness with flynet. Inquire of John R. Schmidt, 21. —Miss Esther Bingenheimer of Fond du Lac was the guest of relatives and friends here Sunday. —John Kohn and wife of West Bend were the guests of relatives and friends here Christmas. —Miss Ella Schmidt visited with relatives and friends at Lake Fifteen for a few days this week. —Byron Rosenheimer and Edw. C. Miller attended the Movies at Campbellsport last Sunday evening. —Roman Smith and family spent from Saturday until Tuesday with relatives and friends at Tomah, Wis. —Miss Edna Groeschel of Ladysmith was the guest of her parents here the forepart of the week. —Lawrence Haessly and family of Campbellsport spent over Sunday here with the John Groeschel family. —H. W. Schoofs and William Schoofs of West Bend were business callers in the village Wednesday. —Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dalphe of Milwaukee spent from Friday until Sunday here with the Val Peters family. —"The Toast of Death" a four part Mutual Masterpiece at the Movies Sunday evening. Do not fail to see it. —Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fraenke of Boltonville spent Saturday and Sunday here with the Baekhaus family. —Miss Erna Baekhaus of Manitowoc spent the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baekhaus. —Anthony Schaeffer and family were the guests of the John Schmidt family in the town of Barton on Christmas. —Mrs. Aug. Buss and son Walter visited with the Haentze family at Fond du Lac the latter part of the week.

—Albert Stark and family of Milwaukee spent the latter part of last week here with the Stark and Krahn families. —Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Miller of Milwaukee visited with the Jos. Miller and C. Urban families the forepart of the week. —Paul and Frank Urban of Milwaukee were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Urban the forepart of the week. —Frank O'Meara, Henry Schoof, William Schoofs and their respective families spent Sunday here as the guests of the Theo. Schoofs family. —John McLaughlin and family of Wausau spent the holidays here with the Pat. McLaughlin family and other relatives and friends. —Mrs. Jac Remmel and Mrs. Ed. Schellenberg and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Groth at Jackson Saturday and Sunday. —Miss Esther Schmidt of Fond du Lac was the guest of the Carl Bleck family and other relatives and friends here the forepart of the week. —Dr. Alvin Baekhaus and Miss Hedwig Roebken of Cedarburg spent from last week Friday until Monday here with the Wm. P. Baekhaus family. —Frank Strube and family of West Bend spent the latter part of last week here with the John W. Schaefer family and other relatives and friends. —The Misses Mollie Seefeldt and Laura Schaeffer accompanied by Miss Lydia Motzkus returned to Milwaukee this week after a visit here with relatives. —Herbert Werner and Lydia Motzkus who are attending school at Milwaukee visited with relatives and friends in this neighborhood the past week. —Albert Wesenberg and wife of the town of Auburn and William Breseman and wife of the town of Wayne were the guests of the Emil Baekhaus family on Sunday. —The Christmas dance held in Baekhaus' hall last Sunday evening was largely attended. A large number of visitors from the surrounding villages being in attendance. —Frank Fleischman and family of the town of Ashford and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Greiten of Grafton spent the latter part of last week here as the guests of the Math. Beisbier family. —FOR SALE—28 acres of excellent farm land, together with good buildings and plenty of running water on the place, located in the village of Kewaskum. Inquire at this office. —William, George and Rose Brandstetter, and Arthur Hanson and family of Milwaukee, and Herman Brandstetter of the town of West Bend, spent Christmas here with the Mrs. C. Brandstetter family. —Sickening headaches, constipation, indicate unhealthy condition of stomach and bowels. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea assists the bowels to work naturally, thus aiding your health in general. Begin tonight.—E. C. Miller. —Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klumb of South Dakota, who have been visiting with relatives and friends here for the past four weeks left Tuesday for Rockfield where they will spend about a week with relatives before returning to their home. —A teaspoonful of fresh herbs and leaves in a cup of hot water and you have a natural medicine for stomach, liver and bowels. Relieves headaches, sour stomach and constipation. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Not drastic, does not gripe.—E. C. Miller. —Adolph Haase and family and Leo Ockenfels of Rockford, Ill., Earl Donahue and wife of Reedsturg, and Nic. J. Braun and family and Miss Rose Ockenfels of Jefferson spent the holidays here with the J. M. Ockenfels family. —Messrs. and Mesdames L. P. Rosenheimer, D. M. Rosenheimer and Otto E. Lay and Mrs. H. J. Lay attended the banquet given by the Masonic order at West Bend last Monday evening after installation of officers. Mr. L. P. Rosenheimer being honored as one of the officers. —Carp Fishing Gives State \$5,558 A Madison dispatch is authority for the statement that 321 tons of carp have been caught in that state under the supervision of the state conservation commission during the present season. This figure does not include fish caught and impounded, which will be reported at the time of their shipment. The revenue taken by the state on these 321 tons amounts to \$5,558. —Tell your neighbors to subscribe for the Statesman and get all the neighborhood news.

ST. KILIAN A Happy New Year to all. Walter and Osear Batzler spent a few days with relatives at Fond du Lac. Miss Angela Beisbier of Fond du Lac is visiting with relatives since Wednesday. And Strachota attended to business matters at West Bend last week Tuesday. Kilian Schrauth left last week Tuesday for Medford, Wis., to visit with his brother Jos. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schmitt of Richfield spent Christmas with the John Ruplinger family. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Petersick and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kirsch of Milwaukee spent the holidays at home. Jos. Oppenorth and family of West Bend spent Saturday and Sunday with the Casper Straub family. Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Andrew J. Schrauth at Campbellsport Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Anton J. Miller spent Saturday and Sunday with the Geo. Ruplinger family near St. Mathias. Peter Krahl and family and Regina Flasch of Milwaukee are guests of the Mrs. F. Flasch family and other relatives here this week. Mrs. John Weber and children of Auburndale, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bishop of Milwaukee are guests of the And. Strobel family since Friday. Miss Gertrude Kaiser returned to her home at Stratford, Wis., last week Thursday after spending several weeks with the Peter Kirsch family. BOLTONVILLE A Happy New Year to all. E. Morgenroth and wife were village callers Saturday. Wm. Brazelton and family visited relatives at Adell Sunday. B. Wierman and family visited with relatives at Adell Sunday. Miss Sophia Kraetsch wishes for a young lady apprentice to learn sewing. Miss Lizzie Wiskirchen of West Bend spent a few days with C. Klunke and family. Francis Pietschman, for many years a resident of this village, died at four o'clock on Monday, Dec. 27, after an illness of several months duration. Deceased was born in Province of Brandenburg, Frankfort on the Oder, New Lindor, Germany on Feb. 20, 1848. He immigrated to this country in the year 1873. They were the parents of nine children, two of whom preceded their father in death. Those who survive are: Clara, Mrs. T. Russell of Milwaukee, Bertha, Mrs. F. Brotmiller of Fillmore, Richard of Waukegan, Ill., Alb. of Fredonia, and William at home. Deceased had been a resident of this village for the past 28 years. His widow also survives to mourn the loss of a kind husband. He was an affectionate parent and a good neighbor. Funeral services were held on Thursday of this week from the residence at one p. m., and were conducted by Rev. Kuene of Silver Creek. We extend to the sorrowing relatives our sincere sympathy. CEDAR LAWN A Happy New Year to all. The gripe has got the John L. Gudex family. Theo Werner of Five Corners called here on Christmas. Paul Chesley of Ripon spent the holiday vacation at home. Dr. P. A. Hoffmann of Campbellsport passed through here last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Gudex and son Vernon spent Christmas at the Wm. Rauch home at South Ashford. Miss Ella Rauch of Ashford, who visited her sister, Mrs. John A. Gudex and family last week returned home last Sunday. Mrs. Elizabeth Lavelle of Stanley is visiting her sister Mrs. Johana Majerus for a few weeks. Mrs. Lavelle is sick with gripe. NEW STAMPED ENVELOPES TO BE ISSUED SHORTLY The postoffice department will shortly issue stamped envelopes bearing an embossed postage stamp of new design. The new stamp is printed in red ink and is in the form of a circle about 1 1/16 inches in diameter. In the center is embossed the head of Washington in profile, looking to the left. The sides and upper portion of the border carry the words, "United States Postage" in the border beneath the head is the border beneath the head is the word "cents" with the numeral "2" on each side inclosed in a small white circle. For a while the department cannot fill all requirements with the new envelopes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Most Effective "I have taken a great many bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and every time it has cured me. I have found it most effective for a hacking cough and for colds. After taking it a cough always disappears," writes J. R. Moore, Lost Valley, Ga. For sale by Edw. C. Miller.

We desire to thank our many friends and patrons for the liberal patronage accorded us the past year and extend to you all heartiest NEW YEARS GREETINGS L. ROSENHEIMER Kewaskum, Wisconsin

ST. MICHAELS A Happy New Year to All. Albert Herriges was under a doctors care the past week. Bora to Mr. and Mrs. Math Theisen a boy on Monday, Dec. 20th. Frank Stellflug Jr., was a Cream City visitor last week Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stellflug of Kewaskum spent Sunday with the former's parents. Quite a few people in our burg and vicinity are laid up with the gripe and severe colds. Frank Rodenkirch of Random Lake spent Sunday with his brother Andrew and family here. Rev. John Herriges arrived here from Jefferson Monday for a visit with his brother Joe and family. Mrs. John Schlosser and children and Mrs. Ig. Schiller are at present confined to their homes. Mrs. Joe Weiss and daughter Olive spent from Friday to Monday with relatives at Fredonia Station. Jake Schaeffer returned home from Chicago Thursday, after spending two weeks there with friends and relatives. Miss Tillie Schaeffer of Farmington and Philip Brodzeller of Kewaskum are employed by Ig. Schiller and family since Monday. Mrs. Ig. Schiller received word of the serious illness of the only daughter of Edward J. Dricken at White Fish Bay, and uncle Frank Dricken at Barton. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Suarz left Monday for their home in Chicago after spending the Christmas holidays here with the latter's parents and other relatives. Word was received here Monday, announcing the death of John Bendel at Madison, Minn., which occurred Sunday night. Mr. Bendel is well known in this vicinity and leaves a large number of relatives and friends. A cinch party was held at the home of Frank Stellflug Tuesday evening. Prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies Ist-Anton Schladweller; Ladies Ist-Gertrude Handke; Ladies Booby-Art Schacht; Ladies Booby-Lizzie Schladweller. New Stamped Envelopes to be Issued Shortly The postoffice department will shortly issue stamped envelopes bearing an embossed postage stamp of new design. The new stamp is printed in red ink and is in the form of a circle about 1 1/16 inches in diameter. In the center is embossed the head of Washington in profile, looking to the left. The sides and upper portion of the border carry the words, "United States Postage" in the border beneath the head is the border beneath the head is the word "cents" with the numeral "2" on each side inclosed in a small white circle. For a while the department cannot fill all requirements with the new envelopes

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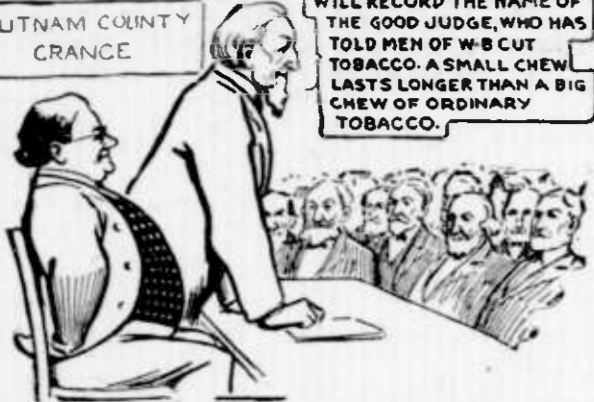
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week. Miss Laura Ebert of Milwaukee spent Christmas here with relatives. John Ketter was at Fond du Lac Friday to attend to business matters. Harry Noll, of Milwaukee was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kohler Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Menger left Tuesday for their home at Edgar, Wisconsin. Miss Rose Murray of Milwaukee is spending the week with relatives here. N. Schlueter of Jackson spent last Sunday here under the parental roof. Miss Edith Brown of Milwaukee is spending the week with relatives here. Attorney T. L. Doyle of Fond du Lac spent Wednesday with relatives here. The funeral of the late John Naughton last Monday was largely attended. Mrs. G. Piper visited with relatives and friends at West Bend last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas Brandt of Kewaskum spent Sunday here with friends. Dr. Walters and wife were the guests of friends at Fond du Lac last week Friday. Mr. and Mrs. John Fellenz of New London spent the holidays here with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. C. Kibbel visited their son Ed. Kibbel and wife here for a few days. Miss Margaret Paas of Detroit, Mich., is spending a few days here with her parents. Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Reykdal and children of Appleton spent Christmas here with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. B. Raymond spent Sunday at Fond du Lac as the guests of relatives and friends. Harry F. Kohlmeier left Wednesday for a three months visit with relatives at Somerville, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. M. Tunn were at Fond du Lac Friday where they spent the day with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Guenther of Centralia, Ill., are spending the holidays here with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. J. Fellenz and children of Royalton are here for a few days visit with relatives and friends. L. M. Brown who had been confined to his home with pneumonia is again able to perform his duties as mail carrier. Miss Ruth Scheid and brother Marvin went to Ripon Saturday to spend a few days with their sister Mrs. F. Rusch. William Little was called to St. Bridgets Tuesday on account of the serious illness and death of his brother, Robert Little. Miss Hazel Armond of St. Mary's Springs academy, Fond du Lac, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Arimond. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. James went to Wausau Christmas day. Mr. James returned home Monday, but Mrs. James will spend the week at Wausau and Stevens Point. Mrs. J. Lanfer and children of Milwaukee arrived here Tuesday to take up their residence with Mr. Lanfer who opened a general merchandise store on East Main street last week. Edw. C. Miller, President and Byron Rosenheimer, Secretary, of the Kewaskum Amusement Co. attended the Movies here Sunday evening. The two were well satisfied with the pictures shown. Dr. Jacob Terlinden of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kleinschay of Watertown, Miss Olive Terlinden of Mondovi and Miss Meta Terlinden of Oshkosh are here to spend their Christmas vacation at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Terlinden. The funeral of John F. Naughton, a member of the county board and one of the most prominent residents of this village, who died last Wednesday evening, was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Matthews Catholic church. A requiem high mass was held at the church, the Rev. B. J. J. officiating. Interment was at the Union cemetery. The services were attended by hundreds, marking the funeral one of the largest that has been held in the village for a long time. The pall bearers were A. J. Tesser of Milwaukee, J. J. O'Connell of Plymouth, and James Ward T. Johnson, Michael Jaeger and William Warden. Among those who attended the funeral were many county officers and many members of the county board. Included among those from Fond du Lac who were present at the services were Supervisors Al. Jens, John Rosenbaum, Geo. Treleven and Charles Freisberg, County Highway Commissioner M. Costello, County Clerk James C. Crew, Register of Deeds E. C. Kramer, Mr. and Mrs. John Carey, W. T. Reilly, M. J. Commo and Fred Kastorf. Delores L. Menger, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Menger died at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zielicke in the town of Ashford Thursday morning, December 23rd. She was born November 30, 1915. Besides her parents she leaves one brother John and one sister Eleanor. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. Church at Campbellsport. Rev. T. J. Reykdal officiating and interment taking place in Union cemetery. We had little treasure, And she was our joy and pride. We loved her, Oh perhaps too well For soon she left and died. With patience she suffered, Her troubles she bore, But now it is ended, She suffers no more. She sleeps, we will leave her In quiet to rest. The parting is painful.

But God knew best. CARD OF THANKS. We desire hereby to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us in our late bereavement, the death and burial of our beloved daughter and sister, and to all those who paid their last respect by attending the funeral. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Menger and Children. ROUND LAKE A Happy New Year to All. Leo Rosenbaum was a caller at Dundee Monday. Otto Krueger was a caller at M. Calvey's Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ramthun and family spent Saturday at Kewaskum. Marion Gilboy of Kewaskum spent Saturday with Dundee friends. William Henning and son Earl spent a few days of last week at Fond du Lac. Miss Daisy Furlong has closed her school in Dist. No. 4 for a weeks vacation. Charley Romaine called on his brother B. G. Romaine at New Prospect Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. William Bauman visited the Herman Bauman family at New Prospect Saturday. James Furlong was a pleasant caller at the Round Lake school Dist. No. 4, Tuesday afternoon. Miss Edna Thayer and brothers Raymond and George visited Sunday evening at the M. Calvey home. Mr. and Mrs. M. Calvey and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henning and family. Mr. and Mrs. William Stanton of Schiocton are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Habeck of Kewaskum spent Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henning. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Skelton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Skelton were entertained at Dan Calvey's Christmas day. A number from here attended the dance at Bauers hall at Campbellsport Monday evening and all had an enjoyable time. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henning and Mr. and Mrs. M. Calvey attended the golden wedding held at the Ira Stanton home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nickman and family of Shebovgan motored here Thursday evening to help celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Stanton.

DUNDEE

A Happy New Year to All. Mrs. A. Newton is visiting relatives at Mayville. Geo. Twohig of Armstrong called here recently. Otto Steiner of Lomira spent Saturday in this burg. Miss Marie Bowen spent Christmas with Mitchell friends. H. Murphy of Nasbro spent Christmas with relatives here. A few from here attended the dance at Campbellsport Monday evening. Irene Murphy is spending her Christmas vacation at her home in Milwaukee. Mrs. A. Brown returned Monday from a few days visit at Armstrong. Dr. B. O. Bendixen and Roy Henning were Fond du Lac visitors Monday. Carl Aeppler of Madison is spending a few days with his parents here. A number from here attended the funeral of John Naughton at Campbellsport Monday. Loraine Gariety of Campbellsport is spending her Christmas vacation at her home here. Mrs. Wm. Calvey and children attended the family reunion held at the Doyle home at Campbellsport Sunday. Cards have been received here announcing the approaching marriage of Dr. H. P. Bowen, formerly of this place, but now of Johnson Creek to Miss Florence Imig of that place. The wedding will take place at Milwaukee. Jan. 4.

AUBURN

A Happy New Year to All. August Koch and son William spent Thursday at Kewaskum. Otto Mehlke of Kewaskum spent Monday with his brother here. Arthur Lade of Madison is spending his vacation with the Gustave Lawrence family. Oscar Huecker of New Holstein spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schrooten and family. Ed. Terlinden returned home Saturday after visiting three weeks with relatives in Minnesota. Several people from here attended the funeral of J. F. Naughton, which was held at Campbellsport Monday. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fleischmann and family moved their household goods to Campbellsport last week where they will reside. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kleinschay of Watertown, Miss Olive Terlinden of Mondovi, Miss Meta Terlinden of Oshkosh, Miss Clara Volkerts of Ripon, Dr. W. Senn of Milwaukee, Dr. J. H. Terlinden of Jackson and Wm. Dins Jr., spent Christmas with the Peter Terlinden family.

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Looking Ahead to 1916



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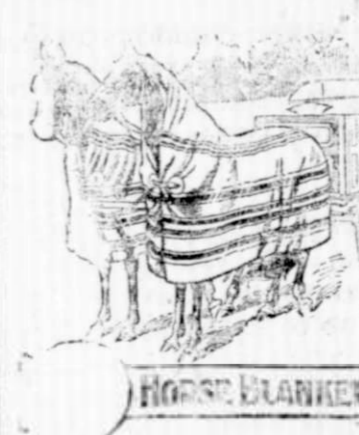
We appreciate the patronage you have entrusted to us and it is our earnest desire for a continuance of the cordial relations existing between us. If we have not been favored with your patronage, we hope and may say expect that some time, sooner or later, you will become one of our satisfied customers. All good wishes for 1916.

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Influenza on Rampage The fact that in the two year period 1912-13 there were 611 deaths from influenza or grippie in the state of Wisconsin should offer sufficient refutation of the common idea and frequent assertion that genuine grippie is not a serious disease. It is true that but a small proportion of afflicted die of the disease, but that over 600 died in a two year period makes the disease nothing to scorn. And those two years were not epidemic years. We are now in the midst of an epidemic which many physicians consider to be as extensive but not so virulent as the great epidemic of 1889-90. Grippie is a contagious spread by spitting, coughing, sneezing, exchanging of saliva covered pencils and many other ways by which infected nose, throat, and lung discharges may be transferred from sick to well. The fact that it is a contagious disease makes it quite likely that there are many more cases in the cities than in the country. Nevertheless, of the above cited 611 deaths, 457 occurred in rural districts and 154 in the cities of the state. Wisconsin is almost equally divided in its rural and urban population. A possible explanation of the fact that three rural dwellers to one in the city die of this disease is that the latter have better opportunities to go to bed and take care of themselves when they have influenza than do farmers and their wives. It seems reasonable to believe that the great difficulty encountered by country people in securing adequate help for chores and household duties during illness offers a very possible explanation. Persons under attack of genuine influenza, marked by back and leg ache, chills, fever, some cough, discharging nose and a feeling of prostration out of all proportion to the other symptoms should go to bed and stay there until they are well. Oscar, one of the greatest medical authorities in the world, has called influenza one of the most serious of all general diseases. Its victims should have the most skillful medical and nursing attention and should be guarded against other diseases prone to follow this one. All cloths, handkerchiefs and other articles that may become contaminated by the nose, throat and lung discharges should be burned or thoroughly boiled to prevent a possible spread of disease. Remember always that this is a contagious disease.

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