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THE NEW WELL AT THE MALT HOUSE FINISHED

F. M. Gray Company of Milwaukee Complete New 1057 Foot Well for L. Rosenheimer Malt & Grain Co.

The new well of the L. Rosenheimer Malt & Grain Co., at the malt house, which was drilled by F. M. Gray, Jr., of Milwaukee under the able and efficient supervision of Chilton Reinhardt from Chicago, was completed last week Monday, after standing the test of furnishing 300 gallons of water per minute, for six hours pumping without lowering the water level to any extent.

The size of the new well is 143 feet 2 inches of 10 inch hole, 833 feet 6 inches of 8 inch hole, 50 feet 11 inches of 6 inch hole, making a total depth of 1087 feet, and is lined with 876 feet and 8 inches of rough iron pipe. The new pump for this well, which has already been set, is of the Keystone Steam Plunger, double acting type, and has a capacity of 300 gallons per minute, at 30 strokes per minute, same will be put into operation as soon as weather conditions will permit putting a building around it.

Not only has the L. Rosenheimer Malt & Grain Co., equipped themselves with good water supply in the malt house, but have connected the new pump with the city water main, in case of fire, instead of having to pump the water into the storage tank first before forcing it into the city water main they can pump 300 gallons of water per minute directly into the city water system.

High School Notes

Report cards were issued Wednesday. At present the Juniors are busy rehearsing "Vixen" for the play. Professor Darling of Milwaukee Normal called on our school Friday. Conclusions of the past six week's examinations were held on Friday.

The program to be given last Thursday was postponed until Friday, March 16. Mr. Modson representing the Allyn-Bacon Book Co., was a pleasant high school visitor Monday. On Friday, March 9, our high school boys suffered their first defeat at Brillion by a score of 21 to 6.

The daily which was raffled by the Wohee Camp Fire Group was won by P. J. Haug. The lucky number being 31.

On Friday evening, March 16, the Campbellsport boys and girls basketball teams play our school teams on the local floor. On Wednesday morning while Ruth Petri was on her way to school she had the misfortune of falling on the icy walk, thereby hurting herself quite seriously.

LOCAL FIVE DEFEAT G. A. C. TEAM HERE

Overlands Take The Fast Milwaukee Aggregation Into Camp By a 17 to 38 Count

The G. A. C. basket ball team of Milwaukee, who defeated the local squad some time ago, by a close score, again appeared on the local floor, in a match game with the home boys, and were defeated by a score of 17 to 38. The score at the end of the first half was 10 to 17. In the second half the hard practice work of the locals began to show, and they easily defeated their opponents in a whirlwind fashion by a two to one score.

The locals are now playing good ball, and undoubtedly can hold their own against any team in the state. Spatz Miller at center plays a star game, Maurice Rosenheimer and Jack Tessar as forwards, also play good ball, doing some excellent basket shooting, while Carl Scheffer and August Bilgo as guards play a consistent game. Aug. Bilgo more than holds his own against his opponents.

On account of the good showing made, the local manager is making arrangements to play more games for the rest of the season. The City Girls basket ball team journeyed to West Bend last Sunday evening, where they played a return game with the girls team of that city, in which contest, on account of rough playing, several of our girls were injured and had to stop playing with the score leading 2 to 2.

Caucus Calls

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the village of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, that a caucus for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various offices of said Village of Kewaskum, will be held in the Village hall on Saturday, March 24, 1917, at the polls of said caucus will be open from 6:30 to 8:30 P. M., on said day. Nominations will be made by ballot furnished by the undersigned caucus committee. Every candidate for regular terms of office of said village is requested to make written application to the undersigned committee to have his name placed on the ballot not later than Friday, March 23, 1917, at 8 P. M. All applications for salaries of office including Trust funds must be accompanied by a fee of \$1.00 which amount will be used in defraying expenses of ballots and conducting the caucus. The caucus will be conducted and votes canvassed in the same manner as at elections.

Dated March 10th, 1917.
L. P. Rosenheimer
John Marx
Edw. C. Miller
Caucus Committee.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the town of Kewaskum, Washington County, Wisconsin, that a caucus for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various offices of said town of Kewaskum will be held in Backhaus' hall on Saturday, March 24, 1917, and that the polls of said caucus will be open from 2 to 4 P. M., on said day. Nominations will be made by ballot furnished by the undersigned caucus committee. Every candidate for regular terms of office of said town is requested to make written application to the undersigned committee to have his name placed on the ballot not later than Thursday, March 22, 1917, at 2 P. M. Each applicant must be accompanied by a fee of \$1.00 which amount will be used in defraying expenses for ballots and conducting the caucus.

Dated March 17, 1917.
Herman Butzlaff
Jos. Helm
Jos. Schoofs
Caucus Committee.

Celebrates Birthday
Mrs. Willie Wunder was agreeably surprised on Sunday evening the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games and singing. At midnight a delicious luncheon was served by the hostess, whose present were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schmidt, Jr., Edwin Krewald, Erwin and Art. Schmidt, Walter, Ed and Carl, George Herber, Rudy Block, Caroline Heberer, Lydia Heberer, Eleanor Krewald, Norma Kunrow and Esther Block. Mrs. Wunder was the recipient of many beautiful and valuable presents. When the guests departed their respective homes they wished Mrs. Wunder many returns of the day.

AN EIGHT WEEKS' TRIP ON WASHINGTON COUNTY ROADS

"ON THE JOB WITH THE ENGINEER"

When we stopped last week at the close of our fifth trip on Washington County roads, we agreed, you will remember that this week we would go on the job with the engineer and find out how to build roads that will earn instead of losing money. Before we start on this week's trip we should understand, first of all, that there is nothing impractical about the theory that a country road can be made to pay dividends as well-managed railroads do. It is primarily a matter of good engineering.

Railroad managers have the foresight to reduce grade, but permit, well drained roadbeds and to lay heavier rails as the weight of traffic increases, knowing that by thus reducing resistance to easy motion a greater tonnage could be hauled in less time and with less power. Dividends are wrapped up in these three points, increased tonnage, speed in movement, and reduction of fuel cost. Right at this point, reducing resistance to easy motion, is where either gain or loss comes in.

Notwithstanding the fact that road building in Washington County now demands the best construction possible, the engineering principles underlying the building of a permanent road system are as simple and easy as falling off a log. The purpose of a road is not, as may be commonly supposed, to support the vehicles passing over it, the weight of which, together with that of the road covering itself, must be actually borne by the soil, but it is:

1. To distribute the pressure of the traffic over a sufficient area of the subsoil, so that the road will not be broken and cut into ruts.
2. To facilitate travel by reducing resistance to easy motion of the vehicle to the lowest practical limit, at the least cost for construction and maintenance.
3. To secure a watertight covering that will not be affected by climatic conditions and will preserve the natural soil under the road from the effects of moisture.

In achieving the above result it is obvious that a hard road surface covering must be put on the road after the foundation or sub-grade has been prepared to remove resistance to easy motion on Washington County roads, the resistance to easy motion is costing us that much more when you stop to figure it out over a period of years.

Railroads have done this work so well that the cost of hauling freight has been reduced to considerable less than one cent per ton mile, making road operation profitable, while on the country

road, failure to remove resistance to easy motion makes the cost of hauling range anywhere from 25 to 35 cents per ton mile, or five cents per ton mile over the U. S. Office of Public Roads places the average cost of hauling on a country road at 23 cents per ton mile. The cost of hauling on a country road after it has been rebuilt so perfectly that it is found to be about nine cents per ton mile.

In view of these facts it is very clear that road building in Washington County, if properly done, is an engineer's job and not a mere matter of fume and flows and scrapers for a few days in the year, as we have been accustomed, to believe. If we go into this road building enterprise right it will mean that where the engineer gets on the job, construction camps will be located all over the county, more home labor will be employed, more money spent for supplies from our local merchants and every part of the county will become a scene of greater activity during the period of construction, which, by the way, could likely cover a period of two or three years in constructing a comprehensive system.

When we go outside and borrow \$300,000 to build these new roads we are bringing in outside capital which will be spent at home, just as surely as if we were to build factories from the outside, but with this difference: Capital brought in to build roads is just that much capital gained, because the new road is built under the right kind of engineering supervision will earn their own cost in the three points already mentioned, increased tonnage, or larger loads, greater speed in movement, with less horse or tractive power. After repaying the investment we are to be permanent, will go on saving, because resistance to easy motion will be permanently removed.

When the United States Government, in the Office of Public Roads, has established the fact, just a question that hauling of dirt roads costs 23 to 35 cents a ton mile and that a hard road reduces that cost to as low as 9 cents a ton mile, is it not reasonable to assume that the investment in the job and make the difference between 23 and 35 cents and 9 cents a ton mile pay for the new roads and have them ever after? It does not seem reasonable, to say the least.

LAST NUMBER OF LECTURE COURSE MONDAY

On Monday Evening, March 19, Miss Flora Prentiss, Impersonator, Will Be at the Opera House

On Monday evening, March 19, 1917, the last number of the lecture course will be given at the Opera House, under the auspices of the Kewaskum Woman's Club. This number will consist of recitations presented by Miss Flora Prentiss, who comes to this village highly recommended as well as experienced in correct ideal impersonation of the character she may be presenting, whether it is in full evening play, a short sketch, a humorous reading or a pathetic tale, and is sure to please each individual of the audience with the program she renders.

With this number of the lecture course, the Womans' Club is offering to the citizens of this community, an entertainment, not only of wholesome, social and amusing pastime, but one which is very educational in every respect. Everyone should make it a point to attend this last number of the lecture course.

Mrs. Daniel Hoffmann Laid at Rest

On Sunday morning, March 11th, 1917, occurred the death of Mrs. Daniel Hoffmann, who succumbed to the infirmities of old age, and a slight stroke of paralysis from which she had an attack the evening before her death.

Mrs. Hoffmann, nee Scharbarker, was born April 23, 1837, in Alburg, Germany. In 1855, she came with her parents to this country and settled in the state of New York. Her marriage to Daniel Hoffmann took place on Jan. 18, 1858 after which they made their home near West Bend, where they only resided a short time. They then moved to Beechwood, where together they celebrated their golden wedding eleven years ago.

Mrs. Hoffmann was a member of the Episcopal church, and died on Feb. 16, 1917. Four years ago Mrs. Hoffmann went to Milwaukee and lived with her daughter, Mrs. Henrietta Schultz at which place she died. Funeral services were held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schultz at Milwaukee Tuesday afternoon, from where the remains were brought to Beechwood on Wednesday to her former home with services at one o'clock p. m. and 1:30 at the Evangelical church. Rev. Schlueter of Milwaukee and Rev. Markus of Batavia officiating. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Ed. Miller of Kewaskum. The floral offering was very many and beautiful. The deceased is survived by the following children: Miss Katie Hoffmann, Mrs. Henrietta Schultz, Mrs. Mary Kublig and Mrs. Amelia Schultz of Milwaukee; Mrs. Emma Holgate of Idaho, John Hoffmann of Montana, and Aug. Hoffmann of Beechwood. Besides these she leaves to mourn her loss fifteen grand children and two great grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. H. Heidner of Cascade and one brother, Chris Scharbarker of Milwaukee and other relatives and friends. Those from afar who attended the funeral were Mrs. H. Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kublig, Albert Schultz and son Harold, Rev. Schlueter and Mrs. John Peter and son Earl of Milwaukee, Mrs. John Tracy and Miss Marie Kublig of Onion River, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lieberstein and daughter Esther and Mrs. Emma Cummings of Cascade and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lieberstein and son Harold of Batavia.

Fond du Lac County Fair Dates

September 18, 19, 20 and 21 have been selected as the dates for the 1917 Fond du Lac county fair. At a meeting of the board of fair managers two weeks ago, dates during the first week in September were selected, but the officers subsequently found that these dates conflicted with those of so many nearby fairs, that it was advisable to select others for the Fond du Lac exposition.

After carefully considering the matter, the officers have reached the conclusion that the third week of the month will be the best for all concerned, and so have accepted the above four days. No races or free attractions will be given on the first day, and no admission to the grounds will be charged. All exhibits, however, will be in place and midway shows and other attractions will be in full swing. Races will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

The Original Katzenjammer Kids Coming to Davidson Theatre, Milwaukee, Week of March 18

"Katzenjammer Kids," the newest cartoon musical comedy, which will shortly play an engagement at Milwaukee, is said to be a distinct departure from any cartoon play ever staged. It is a big song, dance, lun and zing, shown magnificently and massively staged and costumed with the latest creations of famirre fashions.

DEATH SUMMONS PHILIP H. JUNG OF WAYNE

Was Ill Only Five Days. At One Time Was Treasurer of The Township, Also Director in New Bank Here

Philip H. Jung, a well known farmer residing in the town of Wayne, died at the residence at 10:30 o'clock Monday evening, after a five days illness. He was 51 years old.

At one time Mr. Jung was treasurer of the town of Wayne. Up to the time of his death he was a director of the Farmers and Merchants' State bank of this village. With the exception of eleven months, which he spent in this village, Mr. Jung always resided in the town of Wayne, where he was born March 12, 1863. He was married to Miss Caroline Jung, Nov. 15, 1888.

Five children, Mrs. Rudolph Miske, town of Wayne; Mrs. John Eggert, Richfield; Miss Laura Jung, West Bend; and Miss Mabel and Clarence Jung at home; one brother, Henry F. Racine, and a sister, Mrs. Laura Rothenberger, survive the deceased.

The funeral took place at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning from the residence of Rev. J. F. Hefflin, of Oshkosh officiating. Interment was made in Union cemetery at West Bend.

Card of Thanks

We, the undersigned desire to thank all those who so willingly assisted us during the illness, death and burial of our beloved husband and father, Philip Jung, who passed away at his home, where he paid their last respect to the deceased by attending the funeral.

Mrs. Philip Jung and children.
Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McCarty

The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. McCarty, who died at her home in the town of Ashford at 9:45 o'clock Sunday evening was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning from St. Matthew's church, Campbellsport. The Rev. B. July of Campbellsport and Rev. McFarland of Eden officiating with interment in Union cemetery.

Dies at Age of 105 Years

Few people in West Bend knew that our city could boast of the oldest living person in Washington county, if not in the state. Yet this fact was revealed only a few days ago when death called Casper Weiss, an inmate of the County Home. According to records kept in the Home this certainian was born in 1812, making the age at the time of death 105 years. Mr. Weiss was at one time a prosperous farmer of the town of Kewaskum, in which town he still has a number of relatives. For thirty-five years he has been deaf, dumb and blind and practically helpless. About fifty years ago he was brought to the County Home, which was then located in town Jackson, being one of the first public charges to be cared for in the institution. Mr. Weiss' remains were interred in Pilgrim's Rest cemetery in this city Saturday,--West Bend Pilot.

NEW ELECTRIC SERVICE AT CAMPBELLSPORT

Kilbourn-made Electricity to be Used in Fond du Lac County Soon. Farmers Are Wiring Homes

Campbellsport village expects to be using electricity manufactured at Kilbourn, Wis., by April 15. This will mark the first invasion of Milwaukee power interests in Fond du Lac county. The company has now all the poles set to carry the feed wires from Mayville to Campbellsport, but the stringing of wire to come through as rapidly as needed. Mayville is now enjoying light from Kilbourn. It is expected, however, that by the fifteenth of April, the Campbellsport line will be joined with the Mayville wire.

Campbellsport will then receive a full twenty-four hour service for light and power at cheaper rates, according to a report from Campbellsport Tuesday morning. The Campbellsport local plant is being dismantled as it will be superseded by the new service. Another feed line is to enter Fond du Lac county by way of Lomira and Brownsville. This line is projected to feed Brownsville, Byron and Eden and finally Marblehead. The company has already acquired the Eden plant, with privileges from the town to extend its line for the purpose of furnishing power and light at Marblehead.

A large number of farmers residing in close proximity to the feed mains are now wiring their homes and barns with the expectation of becoming patrons of the new company. Throughout the town of Ashford considerable wiring has been done along the route and the poles are now set.--Fond du Lac Commonwealth.

Boy Favorite Dies

Henry C. the five and a half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Scholler died at 7:30 o'clock Saturday evening at the family residence in Campbellsport. The boy had been ill since Christmas time with acute Bright's disease. He was a favorite among the people of the village, being widely known and having many friends among the older people as well as those of his age.

Big Real Estate Deal

On Wednesday of this week A. Rosenschneider and J. B. Day, our business real estate men purchased the Otto Luedtke farm, together with all personal property, located four miles west of this village, and one and one-half miles east of Wayne. Consideration \$22,000. This farm consists of 114 acres, equipped with modern building, including electric light plant, machine and arid, all modern machinery, silo, etc., fully stocked with horses, cows, pigs, etc. The above mentioned farm is one of the best in this locality and is offered for sale with reasonable terms.

A Bilious Attack

When you have a bilious attack your liver fails to perform its function. You become constipated. The food you eat ferments in your stomach instead of digesting. This inflames the stomach and causes nausea, vomiting and a terrible headache. Take Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver, clear out your stomach and you will soon be as well as ever. They only cost a quarter.

Report of the Financial Condition of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank

located at Kewaskum, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 31st day of March, 1917, pursuant to call by the Commissioner of Banking

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 8,645.00
Overdrafts	708.48
Bonds	49,530.07
Banking house	1,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Due from approved reserve banks	81,562.39
Due from other banks	24,028.21
Checks on other banks and cash items	436.71
Cash on hand	13,386.72
Total	\$78,474.34
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 40,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	13,254.12
Individual deposits subject to check	108,138.81
Time certificates of deposit	450,071.83
Savings deposits	83,223.83
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,748.78
Total	\$718,474.34

State of Wisconsin, ss
County of Washington, ss
I, Elwyn M. Romaine, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, 1917.
Notarial Seal: John Muehleis, Notary Public (My com. expires March 7, 1920)
Correct Attest: Herman W. Meilhaus, Directors
A. L. Simon

U.S. SHIP BLOWN UP BY GERMAN U-BOAT; ENTIRE CREW SAFE

Commander "Too Busy" to Aid Victims.

REFUSED TO TOW SMALL BOAT

American Steamer Algonquin Shelled Without Warning and Then Sent to Bottom—Situation Unchanged—Washington.

London, March 15.—The American steamer Algonquin has been destroyed by a German submarine. The crew was saved, J. G. Stephens, the American consul at Plymouth, reported.

Capt. A. Norberg declared he had no warning before the submarine opened fire with live shells. The Algonquin was a freighter. It was sent down at six o'clock on the morning of March 12. The submarine refused assistance, the consul's report said.

Twenty-seven men have been landed. According to later advices from Plymouth, the German submarine opened fire upon the Algonquin from a distance of 4,000 yards, firing about 20 shells.

These were not enough to sink the steamer, so it was boarded by men from the submarine, who placed four bombs and the Algonquin was then blown up. The crew was given plenty of time to leave the vessel.

Unwarned, Captain Says. "It was just after daylight on Monday when we were attacked," said the captain of the Algonquin, as quoted by the Press association.

"There was no warning. The submarine started fire at a range of three miles. When about 20 live shells had been fired at the Algonquin, of which four hit the ship forward, the crew decided to take to the boats, and pulled away from the sinking vessel.

"Then the submarine approached, and with only its periscope showing, sailed around the steamer several times. Finding that the crew had abandoned the ship, the submarine came to the surface.

"Some of the Germans boarded the Algonquin and placed bombs aft. These were exploded, and within a quarter of an hour the steamer disappeared.

"I appealed to the submarine commander for a tow toward land, in view of the roughness of the weather, but the German gruffly replied: 'I am too busy.'"

Thirteen British vessels of more than 1,000 tons were sunk during the week ending March 11, says an official announcement of shipping losses. Four British vessels of less than 1,000 tons and three fishing vessels were sunk.

Ten Americans Aboard.

New York, March 15.—The Algonquin sailed from this port on February 20 with a cargo valued at \$1,250,000. The ship itself was appraised at \$450,000. It was commanded by Capt. A. Norberg, a naturalized Norwegian.

Four of the Americans on the Algonquin were born in the United States and the other six are naturalized American citizens, according to the records on file here. They are: W. T. Holmes, boatswain, Pittsburgh; Allan Hopkins, Ellsworth, Me.; A. T. Forman, seaman, Baltimore, and Frank Formason, seaman, Gloucester, Mass., all native Americans; and Capt. A. Norberg, Norwegian, Brooklyn; E. G. Yerby, first mate, Belgian, Detroit, Mich.; Charles Schulz, chief engineer, German, New York city; Frank Johnstone, assistant engineer, Irish, whose parents live in Scotland; Alexander Paul, second engineer, Scotchman, Brooklyn, and E. Zimmerman, third engineer, Norwegian, Brooklyn, all naturalized Americans.

Situation Is Unchanged.

Washington, March 15.—In the absence of official dispatches on the destruction of the steamer Algonquin, officials withheld comment, but the unofficial view was that nothing in the incident changes the situation between the United States and Germany.

President Wilson already has taken steps to place the nation in a state of armed neutrality which, with the breaking of diplomatic relations with Germany, is practically the last measure possible short of war.

Armed Ships, U. S. Reply.

American ships now are being armed to defend themselves against unlawful submarine attack. The general view is that arming of ships is the only answer to submarine operations short of a declaration of war, which may be made only by congress.

The real issue of peace or war is expected to come when an American armed ship has a clash with a German submarine.

A series of destructions of American ships probably would arouse congress to a declaration of war, if indeed Germany should not declare war on the United States, as many expect, as a result of the first encounter with one of her submarines.

Up to the present, in the absence of action by congress, all that could be done to meet such a case as the destruction of the Algonquin already has been done. It generally is accepted on first reports as not being the "overt act."

BAGDAD IS CAPTURED

BRITISH TROOPS TAKE IMPORTANT CITY FROM TURKS AFTER LONG CAMPAIGN.

BATTLE IN DUST STORM

Drive of General Maude into Ancient Capital of the Caliphs Called Greatest Victory of War for the Allies—Defeat of Gen. Townshend Recalled.

London, March 13.—Bagdad, the chief Turkish city in Mesopotamia and formerly the capital of the empire of the caliphs, has been captured by the British forces. Announcement of the capitulation of the city was made on Sunday by the British official press bureau.

The statement was issued on receipt of a telegram from General Maude saying the British forces had occupied Bagdad early Sunday morning. No details of the capture of the city were contained in General Maude's dispatch.

During the day the following official report was received concerning the operations against Bagdad, carrying them up to Saturday morning, when the Turks had been forced back to within three miles west and southwest of the city:

"The enemy was driven from this position to another position two miles in the rear.

"During the 9th our forces on the right bank (Tigris) drove the enemy from his second position, bivouacking on the ground gained. This advantage, notwithstanding a blinding dust storm and a violent gale, was pressed on the morning of the 10th, the Turks being pushed back to within three miles west and southwest of Bagdad."

General Maude's drive northward along the crooked Tigris since the capture of Kut is regarded in London as one of the most spectacular and brilliant feats of the war.

YARROWDALE MEN ARE FREE

Germany Releases U. S. Sailors Taken by Raider—Prize Ship Crew Sent to Switzerland.

Berlin, March 12.—Fifty-nine Americans taken from vessels sunk by the German raider in the South Atlantic and brought to Swinemunde on January 1 on board the captured steamer Yarrowdale were released from quarantine Thursday and left at 4 p. m. for the Swiss frontier. The route over which they departed was the one chosen for their return by the United States government.

News of their impending release was conveyed to the men in the detention camp at Brandenburg Wednesday. Most of them were seamen and were unaware that the George and Mount temple, upon which steamers they had shipped, were armed merchantmen, and were considered by Germany as fair prizes.

FRENCH WIN IN CHAMPAGNE

Paris Reports Advance of 1,350 Yards—Loss Is Admitted by Berlin War Office.

Paris, March 12.—German positions on a front of 1,350 yards, varying in depth from 540 to 720 yards, were carried by the attack in the Champagne made by the French, the war office reports.

A German counter-offensive was repulsed after violent fighting. Two German attacks in Avocourt wood, on the Verdun front, were repulsed.

Berlin, March 12.—"In the Champagne the French, after drum fire, attacked the positions south of Ripont captured by us on February 15. They succeeded in entering isolated trenches on height 185 and at Maisons de Champagne. From the latter place they were repulsed. A counter-attack recovered for us the trench sections on the dominating height 185. A farm situated lower down was held by the enemy."

TAUSSIG IS TARIFF CHAIRMAN

Harvard Professor to Head Board—Ida Tarbell, the Writer, May Be Member.

Washington, March 13.—Prof. Frank W. Taussig of Harvard has been elected by President Wilson as chairman of the tariff commission of six members. Daniel G. Roper, a Democrat of South Carolina, former assistant postmaster general, and former Representative William Kent, a Republican of California, are other probable members, and the following are under consideration: E. P. Costigan of Denver, Prof. Irving Fisher of Yale, E. E. Pratt, chief of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, and Miss Ida Tarbell, the writer.

May Avert Strikes in War.

New York, March 14.—Plans for averting labor strikes in case of war were announced here on Monday by the National Civic federation and will be placed before the national council of defense.

Von Bernstorff to Protest.

Christiana, March 14.—Count von Bernstorff will protest to the American state department the delay and methods of examination which the count's party encountered when the Frederick VIII touched at Halifax.

MAD DOG!



CLOTURE RULE WINS CUBANS RETAKE CITY

CHANGE IN RULES IN U. S. SENATE PREVENTS FILIBUSTERING.

Only Three Senators Vote Against Reform—Way Cleared for an Extra Session.

Washington, March 10.—The filibuster is dead. The senate is now almost as free to act on legislation as the other great deliberative assemblies of the world.

The obstruction to the president's legislation is effectively cleared of the difficulties of which he so frankly and indignantly complained.

The way seems now completely open by sufficiently defined constitutional power and through possible congressional legislation for the president to go forward, arm the ships and do anything else that may be necessary in the national emergency.

Senator James Hamilton Lewis' resolution declaring it the senate's sense that "the president's power is equal in defending our foreign commerce as in protecting our domestic trade" will still further clear the way.

And now there is no longer any obstruction in the way of the presidential action in pressing international affairs or in calling an extra session of the Sixty-fourth congress to pass the gigantic appropriation bills which are literally clamoring for enactment.

Day by day the word has come to the Hill that the president was waiting for "cloture" before he was willing to consider action on the armed ships and the special call of congress.

The vote on the resolution to curb debate on bills was 76 ayes and 3 nays. Here are the names of the three senators who voted against the amendment to the rule under which two-thirds of the senate can fix a time for a vote:

Gronna of North Dakota. La Follette of Wisconsin. Sherman of Illinois.

625 DIE IN TROOPSHIP CRASH

British Vessel Carrying African Native Laborers' Contingent Sunk—Two Hundred Saved.

London, March 12.—The British transport Mendi, of 4,230 tons gross, carrying South African native laborers, was sunk after a collision on February 21 and 625 persons lost their lives.

The escort's searchlight could not penetrate the fog, but the survivors were rescued by passing vessels. Twelve European officers and 191 natives were saved. Ten Europeans and 615 natives were lost.

DRASTIC FOOD REGULATION

All Supplies in Petrograd District to Be Placed in Hands of Committee.

London, March 12.—Management of all food supplies in the Petrograd district is to be placed in the hands of the municipal authorities. This decision was reached, Reuter's Petrograd correspondent telegraphs, at an extraordinary conference held to deal with the food problem at the capital, which is said to be urgent.

Year in Federal Prison.

Florence, S. C., March 13.—Eight officers of the German steamship Liebenfels, sunk in Charleston harbor the night of January 21, were sentenced to a year in the Atlanta federal penitentiary and a fine of \$500 each.

Blood Poison Kills Doctor.

Baltimore, Md., March 13.—Dr. Elmer Newcomer, superintendent of the Maryland General hospital, died from blood poison. He cut his hand while performing a post-mortem operation and this became infected.

Envoy Kill Self in Vienna.

London, March 14.—Carlos Jaeger, Brazilian consul general in Vienna, has committed suicide following an attempt at self-destruction by his wife according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the Central News.

CYCLONE HITS NEWCASTLE, IND.; MANY ARE DEAD

Death List Estimated at From 17 to 200.

DAMAGE PUT AT \$1,000,000

Residential Section of City Swept by Terrific Storm and Citizens Are Crushed to Death by Falling Buildings—Doctors Rushed to Stricken Town.

Newcastle, Ind., March 12.—Death and devastation filled the greater part of Newcastle last night following a tornado that wrecked the residential part of the city and left the dead and dying in wreckage and on bare ground.

Seventeen are known to be dead and more than 100 injured. It is feared that the death total may reach 150 or 200.

More than 100 houses were torn to pieces in the worst storm Newcastle ever knew, and over 300 were damaged.

Newcastle is practically destroyed. The damage will be close to \$1,000,000.

The first identified dead are: Gray Davis. Mrs. John R. Davis. Mrs. Archie Fletcher. Edward Donlop. James Nellis. Elizabeth Day.

Mrs. Aclie Williamson and daughter 'Opal. Razer, man. Hayler, girl.

With only one telephone wire in use, the town virtually was isolated from the rest of the world and left to recover its dead alone.

The first calls for help were sent to Indianapolis, whence physicians and nurses started at once for this place.

Victims Trapped by Storm. The storm broke suddenly late in the afternoon. The victims were trapped, as the storm seized upon their homes and tore them to pieces, laying their flat or lifting them from their foundations and bearing them away in the wind.

The powerhouse was torn to pieces, and the remainder of the night was black as the blackest hour of the tornado.

When the storm had passed, leaving black ruin and the bruised and battered bodies of the dead in its wake, men ran about, shouting, carrying lanterns where they could be found.

Women and children ran shrieking from house to house. Members of families were separated and for hours knew not whether they must mourn the lost as dead.

ELECT CARRANZA PRESIDENT

Election of Mexican Senators and Deputies Strongly Contested—Several Disruptions.

Mexico City, March 13.—Elections were held in Mexico on Saturday for president, senator and deputies. The election of Venustiano Carranza, who has dominated Mexico since the overthrow of Huerta, was conceded. There were several disturbances reported, but the disorders were bloodless affairs. Mr. Carranza took an active part in the campaign. The election of senators and deputies was strongly contested, judging from the early returns. It was assumed that the revolutionary government would carry a large majority in both chambers. Mr. Carranza will assume the presidency May 1.

IMMIGRATION S ON INCREASE

English and Scotch Take the Lead in Arrivals for January—Some Are Included.

Washington, March 12.—Despite the submarine dangers and other risks, nearly as many immigrants came to the United States during the last six months as in to entire year 1918, when 298,826 entered, the federal bureau of immigration reported. Of the 24,745 immigrant who came in January with the intention of remaining, 3,397 were English or Scotch, the largest proportion, and 1,020 were from Germany. Three hundred Mexicans, 151 English and 21 French were excluded.

WILSON BACK AT DESK TODAY

President Fully Recovered From Cold Due to Exposure During Inauguration.

Washington, March 12.—President Wilson is fully recovered from his recent cold, due to exposure during the inaugural. Under instructions of Dr. Cary Grayson the president remained indoors on Sunday, but was permitted to read state department dispatches and reports from the navy department as to progress in arming American ships. The president returned to his desk today.

MARKETS

Milwaukee, March 14, 1917. Butter—Creamery, extra, 42c; prints, 43c; firsts, 37c; seconds, 33c; process, 30c; dairy, fancy, 34c; 36c.

Cheese—American, full cream twins, 24c; 24 1/2c; daisies, 24 1/2c; Young Americas, 25c; 25 1/2c; longhorns, 25c; 25 1/2c; limburger, fancy, 2 lbs., 25c; 25 1/2c; brick, fancy, 22c; 22 1/2c.

Eggs—Current receipts fresh as to quality, 24c; dirties, 21c; 24c; checks and cracks, 20c; 22c. Live Poultry—Fowls, fancy, 21c; roosters, old 12c; fancy springers, 19 1/2c.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 1.94@2.00; No. 2 northern, 1.90@1.94; No. 3 northern, 1.65@1.85; No. 2 hard, 1.90@1.95.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.08@1.09. Oats—No. 3 white, 59c; 60c; standard, 59 1/2c; 61c; No. 4 white, 58c; 59 1/2c. Barley—No. 3, 1.29@1.30; No. 4, 1.23@1.25; rejected, 1.23.

Rye—No. 2, 1.58@1.58 1/2; No. 3, 1.54@1.57. Hay—Choice timothy, 16.25@16.50; No. 1 timothy, 15.50@16.00; No. 2 timothy, 13.50@14.50; rye straw, 9.00@9.25.

Potatoes—Homegrown or Michigan, out of store, 2.40@2.65. Hogs—Prime, heavy butchers, 14.80@14.90; fair to prime light, 14.00@14.55; pigs, 11.50@12.75.

Cattle—Steers, 6.75@11.00; heifers, 6.00@9.75; cows, 6.25@7.50; heifers, 6.00@7.50; calves, 11.75@13.00.

Minneapolis, March 14, 1917. Wheat—No. 1 hard, 2.00@2.07; No. 1 northern, 1.90@1.94; No. 2 northern, 1.86@1.94.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.04@1.05. Oats—No. 3 white, 55c@57c. Rye—1.53@1.54. Flax—2.85@2.94.

Grain, Provisions, Etc. Chicago, March 13. Open—High—Low—Close.

Wheat—No. 1, 1.73 1/4; No. 2, 1.62 1/2; No. 3, 1.51 1/2; No. 4, 1.42 1/2; No. 5, 1.31 1/2; No. 6, 1.20 1/2; No. 7, 1.09 1/2; No. 8, 1.00 1/2; No. 9, 0.91 1/2; No. 10, 0.82 1/2; No. 11, 0.73 1/2; No. 12, 0.64 1/2.

Flour—Spring wheat, special brands, in wood, \$10.30 per bbl.; hard spring wheat patents, \$5 per cent grade, in Jute, \$9.20; straight, in export bags, \$9.00; first clear, \$8.50; in Jute, second clear, \$6.50; low grade, \$5.75; fancy soft winter wheat, patents, in Jute, \$9.00; standard soft winter wheat, patents, in Jute, \$8.50; fancy hard winter wheat patents, \$9.00; in Jute; standard hard winter wheat patents, \$8.50; in Jute; first clear, \$7.50@8.10; in Jute; second clear, in Jute, \$6.50; pure white rye flour, \$8.50; in Jute; pure dark rye, \$7.70; in Jute.

HAY—Choice timothy, \$16.50@17.50; No. 1 timothy, \$15.00@16.00; No. 2 timothy, \$14.00@15.00; No. 3 red top and grassy mixed timothy, \$13.00@14.00; light clover mixed, \$13.50@14.50; heavy clover mixed, \$13.00@14.00; crushed timothy, \$12.50@13.50; alfalfa and Oklahoma timothy, \$14.00@14.50; No. 1, \$14.00@14.50; No. 2, \$12.50@13.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 40c; extra firsts, 38c; firsts, 34c; seconds, 32c; packing stocks, 28c; 29c; ladies, 28c; process, 31c.

EGGS—Firsts, 28c; 28 1/2c; ordinary firsts, 25c; miscellaneous lots, cases included, 25c; cases returned, 24c; 25c; extra, 25c; process, 28c; dirties, 23c; 24c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 20c; fowls, 15c; 16c; spring chickens, 21c; roosters, 15c; ducks, 21c; geese, 13c@16c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 20c; fowls, 15c; 16c; spring chickens, 21c; roosters, 15c; ducks, 21c; geese, 13c@16c.

POTATOES—Bulk, white, Wisconsin, \$2.00@2.25; Minnesota, \$2.10@2.20; western, \$2.15@2.25.

New York, March 13. WHEAT—Irregular demand quiet; No. 2 red, \$2.06; No. 1 northern, \$2.19; No. 2 hard, \$2.08.

CORN—Stronger, demand is moderate; No. 3 yellow, \$1.22; No. 3 yellow, \$1.21.

OATS—Steady, fair inquiry; No. 2 white, 74c; standard, 73c; No. 3 white, 72c; No. 4 white, 71c; ungraded, 73c@74c.

Live Stock. Chicago, March 13. CATTLE—Good to choice steers, \$11.00@12.50; yearlings, good to choice, \$10.50@11.50; fair to good steers, \$9.00@10.00; stockers and feeders, \$7.50@9.00; fair to good cows, \$6.00@8.25; good to choice heifers, \$7.00@9.00; canners, \$4.50@6.25; cutters, \$5.00@6.00;ologna bulls, \$7.00@9.00; butcher bulls, \$8.00@9.00; good to prime calves, \$11.50@13.50.

HOGS—Prime light butchers, \$14.45@14.80; fair to fancy, \$13.75@14.75; medium weight butchers, \$10.25@11.50; \$14.00@14.50; prime heavy weight butchers, \$15.00@16.00; \$14.50@14.90; choice heavy packing, \$14.00@14.70; rough heavy packing, \$14.25@14.50; pigs, fair to good, \$11.00@13.50; stags, \$11.00@15.00.

SHRIMP—Yearlings, \$11.00@13.25; fair to choice sweet, \$10.00@12.25; westerns, fair to choice, \$11.00@12.50; westerns, \$11.75@14.75; feeding lambs, \$13.50@14.50; native lambs, \$13.00@14.50.

New York—A students' rush upon "radicals" featured a mass meeting at Columbia university of which 500 of the students signed applications to join a Columbia training corps for reserve officers.

Winnipeg—Western interests have received word that the Canadian government at the request of the British government probably will endeavor to fix maximum and minimum prices on wheat in Canada this year.

Washington—Purchase of sixteen nonrigid dirigible airships for coast and harbor patrol work at a total cost of \$649,250 was announced by the navy department.

Sofia—An official denial was issued here of a report that the Bulgarian government had addressed a note to the United States, which had resulted in the rupture of diplomatic relations between the two countries.

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HEART OF THE SUNSET

By Rex Beach

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ALAIRE AUSTIN AROUSES THE BRUTAL COVETOUSNESS IN GENERAL LONGORIO'S NATURE AND HE BEGINS TO PLAN ACCORDINGLY

Mrs. Alaire Austin, a handsome young matron, mistress of Las Palmas ranch, gets lost in the Texas desert and after an all-day struggle wanders into the little camp of David Law, a ranger, hunting a Mexican murderer. Circumstances force her to stay 24 hours in the camp. Law catches his man, kills another and escorts her home. "Young Ed" Austin, drunken wastrel, berates his wife and makes insinuations about the ranger. Austin is secretly in league with Mexican rebels. Alaire starts for her ranch La Feria, in federal Mexican territory, to secure damages for cattle confiscated by soldiery.

CHAPTER V—Continued.

"I was coming to that. Your husband, senora, is an active Candelista."

"For a moment Alaire was at a loss; then she replied with some spirit: "We are two people, he and I. La Feria belongs to me."

"Nevertheless his conduct is regrettable," Longorio went on. "Probably evil men have lied to him."

"For the first time Dolores stirred. She had watched her countryman with a peculiar fascination. Now she said, as if freed from a spell:

"Bah! Nobody pays heed to Senor Ed. We do not consider him."

Alaire turned upon her with a sharp exclamation, conscious meanwhile that the woman's tone, even more than her words, had enlightened Longorio to some extent. His lifted brows were eloquent of surprise and curiosity, but he held his tongue.

"Am I to understand, then, that you rob me because of my husband's action?" Alaire asked.

"No. I shall help," Longorio beamed enthusiastically. "It shall be the object of my life to serve you, and you and I shall arrange this matter satisfactorily. I have influence, believe me. Duty calls me to Nuevo Pueblo, and you shall return with me as the guest of my government." He rose to his feet, but his eagerness soon gave place to disappointment.

"Thank you," said Alaire, "but I must first go to La Feria and get all the facts."

"Senora! It is a wretched journey. See!" He waved a contemptuous gesture at the car, crowded to congestion. "There is no food; you have no one to wait upon you. In my company you will be safe. Upon my honor, you will enjoy the highest courtesy."

"Of course. But I must go on. I have Dolores and Jose to look after me." Alaire indicated Sanchez, who had edged his way very close and now stood with admiring eyes fixed upon his hero.

"Yes, my general," Jose exclaimed, eagerly, "I am here."

Longorio scrutinized the horse-breaker critically. "Your name is—?"

"Jose Sanchez."

"You look like a brave fellow."

Jose swelled at this praise, and no doubt would have made suitable answer, but his employer held out her hand, and General Longorio bent over it, raising it to his lips. He called one of his subordinates closer and ordered that a lieutenant and six soldiers be detached to act as an escort to Mrs. Austin's party. "Senora, the hours will drag until I may see you again and be of further service. Meanwhile I shall be tortured with radiant dreams. Go with God!" For a second time he bowed and kissed the hand he held, then, taking Jose Sanchez intimately by the arm, he turned to the door.

Dolores collapsed into her seat with an exclamation. "Caramba! The man is a demon! And such eyes. Uf!"

Dolores was interrupted by Longorio's voice beneath the open window. The general stood, cap in hand, holding up to Alaire a solitary wildflower which he had plucked beside the track.

"See!" he cried. "It is the color of your adorable eyes—blue like the sapphire gem." He placed the delicate bloom in Alaire's fingers and was gone.

"Cuidado!" breathed Dolores. "There is blood in it; the blood of innocents. He will burn for a million years in hell, that man."

Jose Sanchez came plowing into Alaire's car, tremendously excited. "Look, senora!" he cried. "Look what the general gave me," and he proudly displayed Longorio's service revolver. Around Jose's waist was the cartridge belt and holster that went with the weapon. "With his own hands he tucked it about me, and he said, 'Jose, something tells me you are a devil for bravery. Guard your mistress with your life, for if any mishap befalls her I shall cut out your heart with my own hands.' Those were his very words, senora. Caramba! There is a man to die for."

Nor was this the last of Longorio's dramatic surprises. Shortly after the train had got under way the lieutenant in command of Alaire's guard brought her a small package, saying:

"The general commanded me to hand

you this, with his deepest regard." Alaire accepted the object curiously. It was small and heavy and wrapped in several leaves torn from a notebook, and it proved to be nothing less than the splendid diamond-and-ruby ring she had admired.

"God protect us, now!" murmured Dolores, crossing herself devoutly.

CHAPTER VI.

Blaze Jones and His Neighbors.

Blaze Jones rode up to his front gate and dismounted in the shade of the big ebony tree. He stepped back and ran an approving eye over another animal tethered there. Of course the youths of this day were nothing like the youths of his own, and yet—Blaze let his gaze linger fondly on the highbred mare and her equipment—here at least was a person who knew a good horse, a good saddle and a good gun.

As he came up the walk he heard Paloma laugh, and his own face lightened, for his daughter's merriment was contagious. Then as he mounted the steps and turned the corner of the "gallery" he uttered a hearty greeting.

"Dave Law! Where in the world did you drop from?"

Law uncloaked himself and took the ranchman's hand. "Hello, Blaze! I been ordered down here to keep you straight."

"Fshaw! Now who's been giving you orders, Dave?"

"Why, I'm with the Rangers."

"Never knew a word of it. Last I heard you was filibustering around with the Maderistas."

Blaze seated himself with a grateful sigh where the breeze played over him. He was a big, beaklike, swarthy man with the square-jawed, deep-lined face of a tragedian, and a head of long, curly hair, which he wore parted in a line over his left ear. Jones was a character, a local landmark. This part of Texas had grown up with Blaze, and he possessed a splendid indifference to the artificial fads of dress and manners. He was plainly an outdoor man.

"So you're a Ranger, and got notches on your gun." Blaze rolled and lit a tiny cigarette, scarcely larger than a wheat straw. "Well, you'd ought to make a right able thief-catcher, Dave, only for your size—you're too long for a man and you ain't long enough for a snake. Still, I reckon a thief would have trouble getting out of your reach, and once you got close to him—How many men have you killed?"

"Counting Mexicans?" Law inquired with a smile.

"Nobody counts them."

"Not many."

"That's good." Blaze nodded and relit his cigarette, which he had permitted promptly to smolder out. "The force ain't what it was. Most of the boys nowadays join so they can ride a horse cross-cuts, pack a pair of guns, and give rein to the predilections of a vicious ancestry. They're bad rams, most of 'em."

"There aren't many," said Paloma. "Dave tells me the whole force has been cut down to sixteen."

"That's plenty," her father averred. "It's like when Cap'n Bill McDonald was sent to stop a riot in Dallas. He came to town alone, and when the citizens asked him where his men was, he said 'Ain't I enough? There's only one riot.' Are you workin' up a case, Dave?"

"Um—yes! People are missing a lot of stock hereabouts."

"It's these blamed refugees from the war! A Mexican has to steal something or he gets run down and pore. If it ain't stock, it's something else."

Dave Law's duties as a Ranger rested lightly upon him; his instructions were vague, and he had a leisurely method of "working up" his evidence. Since he knew that Blaze possessed a thorough knowledge of this section and its people, it was partly business which had brought him to the Jones home this afternoon.

Strictly speaking, Blaze was not a rancher. He had speculated heavily in raw lands, and for several years past he had devoted his energies to a gigantic colonization scheme. It was by no means a small operation in which he was engaged. The venture had taken foresight, courage, infinite hard work; Blaze was burdened with responsibilities that would have broken down a man of weaker fiber.

But his pet relaxation was reminiscence. His own experience had been wide, he knew everybody in his part of the state, and although events in his telling were sometimes colored by his rich imagination, the information he could give was often of the greatest value—as Dave Law knew.

After a time the latter said, casually, "Tell me something about Tad Lewis." Blaze looked up quickly. "What do you want to know?"

"Anything. Everything." "Tad owns a right nice ranch between here and Las Palmas," Blaze said cautiously.

Paloma broke out impatiently. "Why don't you say what you think?" Then to Dave: "Tad Lewis is a bad neighbor, and always has been. There's a ford on his place, and we think he knows more about 'wet' cattle than he cares to tell."

"It's a good place to cross stock at low water," her father agreed, "and Lewis' land runs back from the Rio Grande in its old Spanish form. It's a natural outlet for those brush-country ranches. But I haven't anything against Tad except a natural dislike. He stands well with some of our best people, so I'm probably wrong. I usually am."

"You can't call Ed Austin one of our best people," sharply objected Paloma. "They claim that arms are being smuggled across to the rebels, Dave, and, if it's true, Ed Austin—"

"Now, Paloma," her father remonstrated mildly. "The regulars and the river guards watched Lewis' ranch till the embargo was lifted, and they never saw anything."

"I believe Austin is a strong rebel sympathizer," Law ventured.

"Sure! And him and the Lewis outfit are amigos. If you go pirooting around Tad's place you're more'n apt to make yourself unpopular, Dave. I'd grieve some to see you in a wooden kimono. Tad's too well fixed to steal cattle, and if he runs arms it's because he's a 'galvanized Gringo' himself—married a Mexican, you know."

When mealtime drew near, both Jones and his daughter urged their guest to stay and dine with them, and Dave was glad to accept.

"After supper I'm going to show you our town," Blaze declared. "It's the finest city in south Texas, and growing like a weed. All we need is good farmers. Those we've got are mostly back-to-nature students who leaped a drug counter expecting to 'light in the lap of luxury.' In the last outfit we

"Paloma's getting mighty pretty."

"She's as pretty as a blue-bonnet flower," he father agreed. "And she runs me around something scandalous. I ain't got the freedom of a peon." Blaze sighed and shook his shaggy head. "You know me, Dave; I never used to be scared if nobody. Well, it's different now. She rides me with a Spanish bit, and my soul ain't my own." With a sudden lightning of his gloom, he added: "Say, you're going to stay right here with us as long as you're in town; I want you to see how I cringe."

In spite of Blaze's plaintive tone it was patent that he was inordinately proud of Paloma and well content with his serfdom.

Jonesville proved to be a typical Texas town of the modern variety, and altogether different to the pictured frontier village. Al in all, the effect was much like that of a prosperous, orderly northern farming town. To its happy founder it seemed well-nigh perfect, and its destinies roused his maddest enthusiasm. He pointed out the Odd Fellows hall, the Palace Picture theater, with its glistening orange lights and discordant electric piano; he conducted Law to the First National bank, of which Blaze was a proud but somewhat ornamental director; then to the sugar mill, the ice plant and other points of equally novel interest.

Everywhere he went Jones was hailed by friend for everybody seemed to know him and to want to shake his hand.

"Some town and one body of men, eh?" he inquired, innately, and Dave agreed.

"Yes. She's got grand framework, Blaze. She'll be just as big as Fort Worth when you fash her up."

Jones waved hisbig whip in a wide circle that took in the miles of level prairie on all sides. "We've got the whole blamed tate to grow in. And, Dave, I haven't got an enemy in the place! It was many years ago that certain people allowed I'd never live to raise this town. Why, it used to be that nobody dared ride with me—except Paloma, and she used to sleep with a shotgun at her bedside."

"You sure have ben a responsibility to her."

"But I'm as safe as if I was in church."

"I'm glad to hear Jonesville is prosperous," he told his host. "And they say you're in everything."

"That's right; and prosperity's no name for it. Everybody wants Blaze to have a finger in the pie. I'm interested in the bank, the sugar mill, the hardware store, the ice plant— Say, the ice plant's a luxury for a town this size. D'you know what I made out of it last year?"

"I've ben here."

"Twenty-seven thousand dollars!" The father of Jonesville spoke proudly, impressively, and then through

habit called upon his daughter for verification. "Didn't I, Paloma?"

Miss Paloma's answer was unexpected, and came with equal emphasis: "No, you didn't, father. The miserable thing lost money."

Blaze was only momentarily dismayed. Then he joined his visitor's laughter. "How can a man get along without the co-operation of his own household?" he inquired naively. "Maybe it was next year I was thinking about." Thereafter he confined himself to statements which required no corroboration.

Dave had long since learned that to hold Blaze Jones to a strict accountability with fact was to rob his society of its greatest charm. A slavish accuracy in figures, an arid lack of imagination, reduces conversation to the insipidness of flat wine, and Blaze's talk was never dull. He was a keen, shrewd, practical man, but somewhere in his being there was concealed a tremendous, lopsided sense of humor which took the form of a bewildering imagery. An attentive audience was enough for him, and, once his fancy was in full swing, there was no limit to his outrageous exaggerations. A light of crudity in a hearer's eye filled him with prodigious mirth, and it is doubtful if his listeners ever derived a fraction of the amusement from his fabrications that he himself enjoyed. Paloma's spirit of contradiction was the only fly in his ointment; now that his daughter was old enough to "keep books" on him, much of the story-teller's joy was denied him.

Of course his prolixities occasionally led to misapprehensions; chance acquaintances who recognized him as an artful rascal were liable to consider him generally untruthful. But even in this misconception Blaze took a quiet delight, secure in the knowledge that all who knew him well regarded him as a rool of integrity. As a matter of fact, his genuine exploits were quite as sensational as those of his manufacture.

When, after supper, Blaze had hitched a pair of driving mules to his buckboard, preparatory to showing his guest the glories of Jonesville, Dave said:

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Dave had long since learned that to hold Blaze Jones to a strict accountability with fact was to rob his society of its greatest charm. A slavish accuracy in figures, an arid lack of imagination, reduces conversation to the insipidness of flat wine, and Blaze's talk was never dull. He was a keen, shrewd, practical man, but somewhere in his being there was concealed a tremendous, lopsided sense of humor which took the form of a bewildering imagery. An attentive audience was enough for him, and, once his fancy was in full swing, there was no limit to his outrageous exaggerations. A light of crudity in a hearer's eye filled him with prodigious mirth, and it is doubtful if his listeners ever derived a fraction of the amusement from his fabrications that he himself enjoyed. Paloma's spirit of contradiction was the only fly in his ointment; now that his daughter was old enough to "keep books" on him, much of the story-teller's joy was denied him.

Of course his prolixities occasionally led to misapprehensions; chance acquaintances who recognized him as an artful rascal were liable to consider him generally untruthful. But even in this misconception Blaze took a quiet delight, secure in the knowledge that all who knew him well regarded him as a rool of integrity. As a matter of fact, his genuine exploits were quite as sensational as those of his manufacture.

RAILROAD WORKERS DEMAND 8-HOUR DAY BEFORE WAR STARTS

Brotherhood Chiefs Say Carriers Delay Concessions.

ASSURE LOYALTY IN WAR

President Wilson Prepared to Act if Strike Situation Becomes Acute—Conference Between Union Chiefs and Managers Thursday.

DAYS MOVES IN STRIKE CRISIS.

Strike orders received by Chicago trainmen. Railroads assert they will look to president to prevent a tie-up. Wilson is ready to step into breach.

Brotherhood chiefs declare compromise will not be accepted; assert eight-hour question should be settled before war comes. Conference in New York will be held tomorrow. Walkout is set for Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Washington, March 14.—Declaring the problem of an eight-hour day should be solved "and industrial peace restored before our country becomes involved in war," the presidents of the four great railroad brotherhoods here in a public statement announced the railroad employees in the Southeast had endorsed their latest eight-hour demand.

The brotherhood chiefs said they would "once more seek a peaceful settlement" at a conference with the railroad managers in New York Thursday.

They declared the railroads had sought to postpone settlement of the demands "until either a war or a panic" should halt the negotiations.

Assures Loyalty in War. The announcement carried the assurance that in the event of war the railroad employees would "support the country."

It is pointed out that for more than a year the railroad men had sought to settle the eight-hour day question. The statement was issued by W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen, and was signed by himself, L. E. Sheppard, acting president of the conductors; W. S. Stone, president of the engineers, and W. S. Carter, president of the firemen.

The statement said: "All the members of the general committees representing a number of railroads in the southeastern territory conferred here and gave thorough consideration to the application of the basic eight-hour work day as authorized by the chief executives, which was presented to and refused by the national conference committee of the railroads last December."

"It was then hoped by the brotherhoods that an application of the so-called Adamson law could be agreed upon that would give train, engine and yard employees at once the benefits intended by the president when proposing the eight-hour law.

Charge Purposeful Delay. "The proposition submitted at yesterday's meeting by the chief executives was unanimously rendered by the various general committees, thus authorizing the chief executives to again renew their attempt to effect a peaceful settlement with the conference committee at the meeting to be held in New York Thursday, March 15."

"All insinuations that transportation employees are not loyal citizens because of their attempt at this time to secure from their employers the benefits contemplated by the law is absurd and intended to support our country, should war be declared, has been given to the president of the United States."

"Surely the public must recognize that for more than a year we have made every effort to secure a shorter workday and our membership realizes that this question should be disposed of and industrial peace restored before our country becomes involved in war, which now seems probable."

Seemingly it has been the purpose of the railroad companies to postpone final settlement of this question until either a panic or a war should defeat our demands."

President Ready to Act. President Wilson will act promptly and decisively to prevent any general tieup of the commerce of the country through a great railroad strike during the present international situation.

Convinced both the railroads and their employees will put aside their own differences to join in the defense of the country, the president is prepared to step once more into the controversy if the strike threat becomes acute.

Gets Data on Situation. Although confined to his room, the president conferred at length with Secretary of Labor Wilson and received a detailed report of the situation. He will be kept advised as to the progress of discussion between the "big four" brotherhood chiefs and the conference committee of railroad managers in New York which begins Thursday.

Under his direction the federal board of mediation and conciliation will be prepared to act at once and exert all of the federal government's influence

EXPECT WILSON TO ACT

RAILROADS BELIEVE PRESIDENT WILL HALT STRIKE.

Strike Orders Received by Workers at Chicago—Certain Trains to Run Five Days.

Chicago, March 14.—Railroad officials of the United States look to President Wilson to avert a strike.

This information reached Chicago during the day. It was also said at the New York meeting on Thursday the general conference committee of railroad managers definitely will refuse to grant the basic eight-hour day with ten hours' pay.

Then, it is believed, the president will intervene. The strike situation has been in his hands since he called the brotherhood and railroad officials to Washington last August.

It was also learned brotherhood executives had notified the memberships that the United States commission on mediation and conciliation would not be permitted to intercede after the expected break in negotiations at New York tomorrow.

For that reason the railroad officials believe the president will call the leaders to Washington and use his influence against the strike set tentatively for Saturday.

All local and general chairmen of employees of the railroads where the strike will be effective received circulars signed by the chief brotherhood executives, in which the plan of campaign is outlined. After a detailed statement of the action taken in Cleveland Saturday it states:

"While we are prepared for the worst, the die is cast. There is no turning back. But we hope and believe a strike can be won without the passenger men leaving the service."

"If it becomes necessary to leave the service on any property, we will not hesitate to call upon as many lines as necessary to make this movement a success; and while it is necessary for some system or group of lines to make the issue first, our confidence in our membership on all the lines is the same should it be necessary to call on them."

The chief executive also explained why the passenger, milk and mail trains will be permitted to run for five days. They state the object is to inconvenience the public as little as possible, but it is also pointed out in strikes that last any time, passenger trains are run to greater or less intervals.

If the general conference committee rejects the brotherhood ultimatum and President Wilson fails to intervene, the first strike will begin at 5 p. m., eastern time, Saturday night.

to prevent a clash. The board met today and reviewed the situation, but no announcement was forthcoming.

"Big Four" Chiefs Meet. In a secret meeting W. S. Stone of the engineers, W. S. Carter of the firemen, L. W. Shepard of the conductors and W. G. Lee of the trainmen went over with the brotherhood chairmen from the southeastern lines the proposal which will be submitted to the railroad managers Thursday.

The local representatives endorsed the proposal, which will not be made public until it is laid before the railroad representatives. It was stated in railroad circles, however, the new proposal will demonstrate the sincere desires of the brotherhoods to avert a strike in the present crisis.

The Southern, Norfolk & Western and Chesapeake & Ohio local organizations were represented at the meeting.

NEW GERMAN RETREAT IS ON

British Headquarters Says Teutons Fall Back on Three and One-Half-Mile Front.

London, March 14.—Further retirement of the Germans in France is reported both officially and unofficially.

The official report from British headquarters in France announces the abandonment by the Germans of their main defensive system west of Bapaume on a front of three and one-half miles. The British troops drove back the German rear guard to a depth of a mile and occupied Grevillers and Loupart wood.

A Reuter dispatch from the British front says the retirement was on a front of between 4,000 and 5,000 yards and to an unknown depth. The movement was still in progress when the dispatch was sent. The correspondent says the retirement followed a heavy British bombardment and was made under cover of hazy weather.

U.S. STEAMER RUNS BLOCKADE

American Freighter Navajo Arrives in New York—Left Liverpool February 19 in Ballast.

New York, March 14.—The American freight steamship Navajo arrived here after running the German submarine blockade. The Navajo left Liverpool on February 19 in ballast.

Fight Duel With Shotgun.

Terre Haute, Ind., March 14.—William Tryon, a white man, and Aleck Canthorn, Jr., a negro, who live in houseboats on the Wabash river, engaged in a shotgun duel, as a result of which Canthorn is in a hospital here with his chest and head filled with shot. Tryon was wounded, but not seriously. Canthorn is expected to recover. The men quarreled over some chickens.

Boschee's German Syrup

We all take cold some time and everybody should have Boschee's German Syrup handy at all times for the treatment of throat and lung troubles, bronchial coughs, etc. It has been on the market 31 years. No better recommendation is possible. It gently soothes inflammation, eases a cough, insures a good night's sleep, with free expectoration in the morning. Druggists and dealers everywhere. 25c and 75c bottles. Don't take substitutes.

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Could Tell Him That. Client—"How much will your opinion be worth in this case?" Lawyer—"I am too modest to say. But I can tell you what I'm going to charge you."—Boston Transcript.

BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK "CASCARETS"

Gently cleanse your liver and sluggish bowels while you sleep.

Get a 10-cent box. Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

See Our Complete Line of
Boys' Confirmation Suits.
 In spite of the high woolen market we can save you money on your clothing purchases, having bought our Spring line months ago, before the recent big advance took effect.
Boys' Blue Serges, Norfolk style, full lined, double sewed seams, all sizes, 8 to 18. **5.00 to 9.00**
 Special values at.....
 A Spring Cap Free with every suit.
Boys' Cassimere Suits. Well made, many Spring patterns, some with 2 pair of pants. All sizes 7 to 18, at..... **3.50 to 9.00**
 We will give a Spring Cap Free with every Suit.
New Easter Ties. We are receiving new novelties in Spring ties every week **25c, 50c to 1.00.**
Shirts for Boys. Plain white and fancy patterns at **50c, 75c, and 1.00 each.**
Suits for Men. Come in and look over the new Spring Suits. Special values at **12.00 to 25.00.**
Buster Brown Shoes for boys and girls. For Easter and Confirmation. None better made. A pair **2.50 to 3.75.**
Easter Jewelry. Tie pins at **10c to 50c.** Cuff links, a pair **25c to 75c.**
New Spring Coats for women and girls are arriving daily, **5.75, 6.50, 7.50 up to 25.00.**

Dress Materials for Confirmation
 White crepe de chien, a yd.....1.50
 White Georgette crepe, a yd.....2.00
 White tub silk, a yd.....1.00 and 1.25
 Silk figured organdies, a yd......85c
 Plain white voiles, a yd.....25c to 65c
 1.25 white silk poplins, a yd......85c
 White silk gloves, short and elbow lengths, pr 50c to 1.50
 Many new pieces of lace and trimmings. New line of Easter Hair Ribbons

Grocery Specials
 O. K. Brand very finest select milk herring, keg. 1.10
 O. K. Mixed Herring, a keg.....1.00
 Uneda Biscuit, 6 pkgs. for.....1.00
 Fancy 8c Head Rice, a pound......6c
 Box of 100, per box.....1.0c
 Chocolate Marshmallow Eggs, a doz......75
 Jell-O, all flavors, a pkg......8c
 Monarch Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. for.....25c
 25c Santos Coffee, a lb......21c
 5 lb. can Calumet Baking Powder......95c
 10 lb. sack pure Buckwheat Flour......72c
 Phone us your orders for Fresh Vegetables, Oranges, Apples, Etc., Etc.

No-Milk Calf Food
 MR. FARMER—Feed your calves No-Milk Calf Food in place of high priced milk.
 Price per 100 lb. sack.....\$8.75
 Price per 24 lb. sack.....\$1.00

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REPUBLIC MOTOR TRUCKS
 3-4 Ton, with Top and Body, Complete \$ 795.00
 1 Ton, with Top and Body \$1195.00
 1 1-2 Ton Chassis \$1375.00
 2 Ton Chassis \$1785.00
 3 1-2 Ton Chassis \$2675.00

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 1 Ton Chassis \$1650.00
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 Well Printed Letterheads, Envelopes and Billheads Indicate **A LIVE WIRE IN BUSINESS**
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The tired business man who has made almost enough to permit him to retire to the country is always delighted to meet the retired farmer who has come to town to end his days in peace.

A western doctor advises wives to put love and brain into their coffee as a tobacco cure. Won't do. There's altogether too much stuff going into the coffee that shouldn't be there now.

Four-fifths of the money loaned in 1914 to Americans caught short of funds abroad has been repaid. The other one-fifth it seems, are willing to let an easy creditor do the worrying.

WAYNE
 Peter Haug of Kewaskum was a caller here Sunday.
 Lila Petri spent last week with relatives at Milwaukee.
 Wm. Kippelhar, last week, sold a Ford car to E. Metzger.
 P. Steicher, of Milwaukee spent several days with his sister here.
 The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Firkis was christened last Sunday.
 John and Ben Werner transacted business at Kewaskum last week Friday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Bartel of Cascade spent Sunday with Mrs. Wm. Petri and family.
 Henry Guertler, Wm. Foerster and John Werner were at Kewaskum Monday on business.
 Dr. Hausmann of Kewaskum called on Jac. Kippelhar Sunday evening the latter being on the sick list.

NOTICE—I will grind feed every Wednesday and Saturday at a cents a bag.—Wm. Foerster, Wayne Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy left for Byron Tuesday to attend the funeral of the latter's mother, which was held Wednesday.

SPRING COLDS ARE DANGEROUS
 Sudden changes of temperature and underwear bring spring colds with stuffed up head, sore throat and general cold symptoms. A dose of Dr. King's New Discovery is sure relief, this happy combination of antiseptic balsams clears the head, soothes the irritated membranes and what might have been a lingering cold is broken up. Don't stop treatment when relief is first felt as a half cured cold is dangerous. Take Dr. King's New Discovery till your cold is gone.

BEECHWOOD
 Miss Ella Diekenliver entertained several of her friends at a quilting bee Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Krahn returned to her home at Cascade Saturday after visiting since Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hintz and family.

Mrs. Oscar Muench and daughters Clara and Edna and Mr. and Mrs. John Held visited Sunday with the A. C. Hoffmann family. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reysen and family visited Sunday with the Julius Reysen family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Engelman entertained the following at their home Wednesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartel, Mr. and Mrs. Siegfried and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reysen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jarsen and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Gatzke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Dettman, Frank Schultz and Dave Hanrahan.

NEW FANE
 August Stange lost one of his horses last Tuesday.
 Nick Schiltz and Alfred Firkis spent Sunday at Milwaukee.

A town caucus will be held at Wm. Hess' hall on Friday, March 23, 1917 at 2 p. m.

Chas. Schneider had the misfortune to break his arm one day this week by falling on the ice.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Brown returned from the northern part of the state last week. Mr. Brown recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Sloan's Liniment For Rheumatism
 The torture of rheumatism, the pains and aches that make life unbearable are relieved by Sloan's Liniment, a clean clear liquid that is easy to apply and more effective than musky plasters or ointments because it penetrates quickly without rubbing. For the many pains and aches following exposure, strains, sprains and muscle soreness, Sloan's Liniment is promptly effective. Always have a bottle for gout, lumbago, toothache, backache, stiff neck and all external pains. At drug-gists, 25c.

There is any number of people who can be perfectly happy if they have, provided they get everything they want without ever having to get a nickel to anything or pay any taxes.

NENNO
 Geo. Bath of Hartford spent Sunday with his parents.
 Nick Gebhard of Allenton was a business caller here Friday.
 James Dwyer of Minnesota is spending a few days with his mother.
 Mrs. John Gurdum of Richfield spent last week with her daughter Katie here.
 Mrs. L. P. Newburg transacted business at Milwaukee Wednesday and Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Blank of Allenton visited with the Jas. Dwyer family Tuesday.
 Rev. Joe Gabriels assisted at a thirteen hour devotion at St. Anthony Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Louis F. Gundrum of Hartford visited the former's sister here Friday.
 Mrs. John Pfeifer returned from the Columbia hospital at West Bend last Saturday.
 Miss Marie Wolf of Milwaukee is spending a few days with relatives in this vicinity.
 Miss Rose Blank of Allenton spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. James Dwyer and family.
 A little boy brightened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zugschneid last week. Congratulations.
 Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schmidt of Allenton came Saturday to spend a few days with the L. P. Newburg family.
 Mrs. Al. Hartman went to Milwaukee last week where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Albert Gundrum and family.
 The little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Pfeifer were christened last Sunday receiving the names Justina Anna and Florisinta Margaret.
 Miss Katherine Bath left for West Bend last Tuesday where she will be employed in the packing department of the Enger-Kress pocket book factory.
 The Nanno Literary Society will have their next program on Thursday evening, March 15. The program will be as follows:
 Roll Call Society
 Recitation Clarence Leichter
 Newspaper Herbert Held
 Duet Herbert Held, Emil Schmidt
 Talk Edwin Dwyer
 Address Ray Heffer
 Recess Edgar Wolf
 Song Nerno Quartette
 Comic Reading Ervir Leichter
 Original Story Alex Wolf
 Recitation Gregor Heffer
 Piano Solo Margaret Heffer
 Recitation Joseph Wolf
 Home Sweet Home.

TOWN LINE—SCOTT
 Too Late for Last Week.
 Charles McDonnell was a Plymouth visitor Saturday.
 Paul Mc Mullen had a wood chipping job Thursday.
 Dr. Morgenroth of Kewaskum were on business Sunday.
 Crosby and Reilly of Parrell were business callers here Tuesday.
 Joseph Bown of Durdee spent Tuesday at the Frank Bezzar home.
 James King, Geo. Kileoyre and Alfred White of Dundee were here on business Tuesday.
 Mrs. Ed. Coney of Parrell is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Anna Bezzar.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kaiser of Plymouth spent Monday and Tuesday with the Jos Kaiser family.
 Otto Smith and Charles Smith of Dundee were here Tuesday to attend the auction on the Kaiser farm.
 Mrs. Mary Mc Donnell returned to her home at Plymouth Saturday after a week's visit at the home of her son Chas.

KOHLVILLE
 Rev. Schneider spent Thursday at Hartford on business.
 Mrs. Adan Kohl visited with relatives at Milwaukee for a week.
 Miss May Schields visited with friends at Kheisingerville Sunday.
 Miss Maggie Rahlf of Allenton is spending a week with the Adam Kohl family.
 Frank Rech, Wm. Bartelt and Herman Mrohl made a business trip to West Bend Monday.
 The Fraenverein of the St. John's congregation met at the home of Mrs. Walter Endlich last Sunday.
 The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kol was christened Sunday, he received the name of Otto. Those present were John Illian and family, Chas. Endlich and family, Adam Kol, Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Schmeisser and Miss Grominski of here, Miss Maggie Rahlf of Allenton and Mrs. Albert Hamm of Milwaukee.

MIDDLE TOWN
 August Teise was a caller at the H. Bartel home Monday.
 Viola ad Adela Bartelt were callers at Frank Jacobitz's Wednesday.
 The farmers of this vicinity were obliged to open the roads here Sunday.
 Frank Innett installed a milking machine for Henry Howard at Ashford Thursday.
 Evelyn and Albert Schultz were pleasant callers at the home of Elsie Bartel Sunday evening.
 Oscar Bartel had the misfortune of cutting one of his fingers, while chopping wood, Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. Bartelt spent Saturday and Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. Wm. Bartelt of New Prospect, who is seriously ill with rheumatism.
 Herman Schultz and Walter Bartelt were fishing on Mudlake Sunday morning and Herman had the pleasure of landing a hundred and seventy pound sucker.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT
 Barley.....1.15-1.25
 Wheat.....1.50-1.60
 Red Winter.....1.50-1.60
 Rye No. 1.....1.35-1.45
 Oats.....50-55
 Timothy Seed, hd.....\$7.00-\$7.50
 Butter......35-38
 Eggs......26-28
 Unwashed Wool......26
 Beans......6.50
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DAIRY MARKET. SHEBOYGAN.
 Sheboygan, Wis., Mar. 12—On the Sheboygan call board on Monday 15 factories offered 869 cases of longhorns; 116 sold at 24 1/2c; 751 at 24 5/8c.

PLYMOUTH.
 Plymouth, Wis., Mar. 12—On the Plymouth call board on Monday 12 factories offered 1,254 boxes of cheese. All sold as follows: 202 boxes square prints, 25 1/2c; 65 boxes twins, 24 1/2c; 587 boxes daisies, 25c; 12 cases young Americans, 25c; 318 cases longhorns, 24 5/8c; 70 cases longhorns, 24 1/2c.

Extensive Spring Showing of Garments and Dress Skirts.

We have made special efforts to gather for your inspection a most representative line of Spring garments and dress skirts. Our efforts are well rewarded, the pleasure of having the many favorable comments about the attractive styles, the beautiful colors, the general attractiveness, are a pleasure to us. Don't you think you would do well making your selections early?

Millinery for Spring
 We take pleasure announcing to our large trade the opening of this popular department. Our milliners have spent weeks in Chicago and Milwaukee copying New York and Paris pattern hats. Our selection is larger and better than ever before.

Ribbon Special
 Silk plaid ribbons, attractive color combinations up to 6 1/2 in. wide, a yd. 29c
New Spring Hats and Caps for Men.
 Let us show you the newest styles

Spring Shoes
 The dressiest up-to-date shoes in town are shown here.

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Sales, Want Ads, For Rent, Etc., Under this Heading, 5 cents a line straight. All notices of an advertising nature appearing among the Locals or on the Front Page will be rated at 10 cents per line.

FOR SALE—My 23 acre farm with personal property and good buildings, located at Schrauth's pond, Elmore, Wis. For further information inquire of Hy. Damm, Campbellsport, Wis. R. D. 31 tf.

FOR SALE—10 to 12 head of choice thoroughbred Holstein cattle, including cows, heifers and bulls. Call on or write to P. D. Nigh, Campbellsport, Wis. R. D. 32 2-24-tf

—Lost—A very small ladies' purse, at the Campbellsport-Kewaskum basket ball game last week. The purse, which was about the size of a silver dollar, contained some money and jewelry. As the purse was of great value to the owner, the finder would confer a great favor by returning same to this office.

FOR SALE—Good show case, 2 ft. 3 inches x 7 foot. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Good dry maple wood. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Man to work on farm Inquire of John L. Gudez, Campbellsport, Wis. R. D.

FOR SALE—My General Store, Saloon and Dwelling.—F. Kleinhaus, Elmore, Wis. 3-10-5.

FOR SALE—A two year old well bred Holstein Bull. Inquire of Chas. Westermann, Kewaskum, Wis., R. D. No. 2 3-17-2

FOR SALE or Rent—My 160 acre farm located 5 1/2 miles southwest of the village of Kewaskum—Mrs. Geo. Schuppel, R. D. 2, Kewaskum, Wis. 3-17-4.

(Washington County Court)
 In Probate.
 Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county at the probate office in the city of West Bend in said county, on the first Tuesday of April, 1917, the following matter will be heard and considered:
 The application of B. H. Rosenbeimer of Kewaskum, in said county, to prove and admit to probate an instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Johann Casey late of said county, deceased, and for granting of letters testamentary thereon according to law. Dated this 28th day of February, 1917.
 By the Court, P. O'MEARA, County Judge
 Bucklin & Gehl, Attorneys for Estate 3w
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In many other recipes the number of eggs may be reduced one-half or more by using an additional quantity of ROYAL Baking Powder, about a teaspoon, in place of each egg omitted.

EGGLESS, MILKLESS, BUTTERLESS CAKE

1 cup brown sugar
1 1/2 cups water
1 cup seeded raisins
2 ounces citron
1/2 cup shortening

1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups flour
5 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder

The old method (fruit cake) called for 2 eggs

DIRECTIONS—Put the first eight ingredients into saucepan and boil three minutes. When cool, add the flour and baking powder which have been sifted together; mix well. Bake in moderate oven in loaf pan (round tin with hole in center is best) for 35 or 40 minutes. Ice with white icing.

Booklet of recipes which economize in eggs and other expensive ingredients, mailed free. Address Royal Baking Powder Co., 135 William Street, New York.

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MOTHERS

Should see that the whole family take at least three or four doses of a thoro purifying system cleaning medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier and get along if the blood is given a thoro purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter, accumulated in the system driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the very best and surest Spring Remedy to take. Get it at once and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel fine and be well and happy. 25c. The best Spring tonic laxative, purifier.—Edw. C. Miller.

—Peter Scherer of Two Rivers spent Saturday to Monday with the Metz family in the village.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fancher Colvin visited with relatives and friends in the Cream City Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. Louis Hess was quite seriously ill the past week, but is greatly improved in health at present.

—Miss Agnes Schaefer is employed as nurse at the home of Wm. Bartelt at New Prospect at present.

—Arnold Kumrow of Jackson was an over Sunday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Kumrow.

—Mrs. John Marx was confined to her home a few days the forepart of the week with an attack of pleurisy.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schaefer of Wabeno spent several days this week with relatives and friends in the village.

—Edgar Romaine boarded the train here Saturday for Milwaukee, where he will visit friends for a few days.

—Mrs. Kathryn Goring of West Bend spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Oppenorth and family.

—Mrs. Edw. Liepert of West Bend spent a few days with the B. Hauschild family east of the village.

—Rev. P. West assisted Rev. Stupfel of West Bend in their four devotion Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

—R. S. Demarest has announced his candidacy for the office of Village Treasurer at the coming spring election.

—Miss Estelle M. Hoehner of Seattle, Washington spent a few days this week with the Buss and Staeger families.

—Miss Erma Wittenberg and brother Wilbur of Dundee spent a few days here with the C. C. Schaefer family.

—The Misses Helen Remmel, Lily Schlosser, Edna Schmidt and Mrs. R. L. Davies were callers at Milwaukee Tuesday.

—Dr. and Mrs. Karl Hausmann and Miss Alma Hombel spent Sunday with the Dr. Wm. Hausmann family at West Bend.

—Adolph Rosenheimer Jr., left for St. Agnes hospital, Fond du Lac, Friday where he will be operated upon for hernia.

—The annual meeting of the Ozaukee County Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Association was held at Cedarburg Wednesday.

—Miss Evelyn Powers, Glenn Hill and Wm. Guertner of Campbellsport called on the Ferdinand Raether family Sunday.

—A new company has been formed at Horton with a capitalization of \$50,000 for the manufacture of barn equipment.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fromm returned to their home at West Bend Saturday after a few days visit with relatives and friends.

—Mrs. Fred Schultz returned home from Elmora Saturday, where she had been to attend her mother, who had been quite ill.

—Fred Witzig returned home from Milwaukee Saturday, where he had been taking treatments. Fred says he feels like a new man.

—Dr. N. Edw. Hausmann spent Thursday and Friday at Sheboygan where he was called to appear as a witness in the Naumann will case.

—Miss Josephine Luis of Casper, Wyoming and Mrs. Anna Herman of Milwaukee visited over Sunday with their sister, Mrs. S. E. Witzig and family.

—Wm. F. Schultz and Jacob Schlosser have been drawn on the jury for the March term of the circuit court which will convene at West Bend.

—Mrs. Jos. Eisehele, who had been spending some time here with her daughter, Mrs. Roman Smith, and family left for her home in Tomah, Monday.

—Mrs. John Van Der Horst and nephew of Milwaukee spent a few days of this week here with the Fred Klein family and other relatives and friends.

—William Endlich was elected treasurer of the Milwaukee District Jewelers' club, which met in banquet at the Blatz hotel in Milwaukee on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Leonard Volm and son William spent last Saturday with Miss Mayme Volm at the St. Agnes hospital. At the present she is getting along nicely.

—Miss Esther Backus, stenographer for the Cutler-Hammer Co. of Milwaukee spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Backus and family.

—The motion picture show at the Opera House last Sunday evening was largely attended and enjoyed by all. The pictures shown were the best ever put on the local screen.

—Joseph Ott, the venerable ex-mayor of West Bend, celebrated his 70th birthday anniversary last Saturday. Mr. Ott is still hale and hearty and carries his age very lightly.

—C. E. Gaurke, who conducted a tailor shop in the C. C. Schaefer building, for the past few months discontinued the business and left for Milwaukee, where he expects to work at his trade.

—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Schmidt returned home Monday from their Easter trip. They also attended the inaugural of President Wilson at Washington. They were very highly pleased with their trip.

—Tomorrow, Sunday, is the anniversary of the birth of Ex-president Grover Cleveland, deceased, who was born on March 18, 1827. On Monday, March 19, 1860, William Jennings Bryan was born. 57 years ago.

—Grace Hendricks, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hendricks has been sick the past week suffering with a bad attack of rheumatism, which affected her heart. For a time she was a mighty sick girl, but with good care she is getting along nicely.—Mott Pioneer Press.

—Val. Peters moved his household goods into the Marx building over the post office, Tuesday, where the Peters family will make their home during the remodeling of their residence at Pond du Lac avenue.

—The schafskopf tournament held at Karl Meier's place last Sunday was quite well attended. The prizes were distributed as follows: Henry Ramthun, first; Roman Smith, second; Walter Schneider, consolation.

—A very severe sleet storm visited this community Tuesday and hindered traffic to a great extent. Trains were all late and the telephone, telegraph and electric wires were put out of commission in a number of places.

—One of the scenes of "Katzenjammers Kids," is laid in the Hawaiian Islands. This scene is said to be one of the most picturesquely beautiful stage pictures ever seen, being a riot of beautiful colors harmoniously blended together, that will surely please the eye.

—Big Shoe and Rubber Sale at Gus Konitz's from Saturday, March 17th, to Wednesday, March 28th. Have a fine line of shoes and rubbers at reasonable prices. Do not miss this big sale. Please call on me and be convinced.

—Read the following changes of ad in this week's issue: Hill Bros. Co., Weymar-Brunton Co., Poul Mercantile Co., Wm. Forster, Pick Bros. Co., Farmers & Merchants State Bank, West Bend Brewing Co., Royal Baking Powder Co., Urban Schladweiler, Kewaskum Amusement Co., A. G. Koch, Pauly Motor Truck Co.

—The railroad brotherhoods and managers of the big railroads failed to come to an agreement and a general strike has been declared on all lines, to take effect today, Saturday. Over 400,000 members of the four big brotherhoods will be affected. This strike if carried out will mean an awful loss to the shipper.

—The members of the St. Matthew congregation of the town of Auburn, Fond du Lac county, have filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State and Register of Deeds of Fond du Lac county. Archbishop Messmer notified the congregation that they would have to do this in order to get a resident priest to conduct services there. No services have been held there for some time. This congregation was formerly presided over by Rev. July of Campbellsport.

WEEK'S DOINGS AMONG OUR BOWLERS

BUFFETS			
Erwin Koch	153	158	183-494
Spatz	173	151	122-451
Carl B.	172	147	123-442
Joe. Mayer	162	148	204-514
Total	665	604	632-1901

OVERLANDS			
El. Romaine	189	144	150-483
M. Beisbier	221	142	123-489
Al. Schaefer	219	160	114-493
W. Eberle	177	221	179-577
Total	770	629	553-1952

STATESMAN			
A. Schaefer	137	166	171-474
B. Brandstetter	190	152	129-471
El. Romaine	165	115	154-434
Alex Klug	191	134	182-527
Total	683	567	636-1906

MALSTERS			
B. Rosenheimer	175	156	172-503
Art Koch	131	143	162-436
M. Rosenheimer	229	203	175-607
S. Wollensak	164	156	177-497
Total	699	658	686-2043

AVERAGE STANDING.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Buffets	26	15	626
Malsters	23	19	548
Statesman	17	24	405
Overlands	17	25	405

Beauty.

Beauty is as real a need to the civilized man as anything else. Any one who doubts this should reflect what money and thought he and his expenditure on beauty as he sees it in one form or another, in their houses, furniture, clothes, gardens and what not; how every one, rich and poor, spends according to his means for these things and insists on having them as good and handsome as he can afford and understand.—New York Times.

Bracelets and Lunatics.

Bracelets have been worn from time immemorial, but few wearers of the golden bands of the present day know that they were once used to distinguish the insane. Before lunatics were confined to asylums they wore an armband for distinction.

Very Capable.

Mrs. Newlywed—I want a cook, but she must be capable. Head of Employment Agency—Madam, I have several on my books capable of anything.

Hard Fish.

Salt, water and turpentine form a solution which is often used by boxers to harden their hands.

The Alexandrian Library.

The most celebrated of ancient libraries was that at Alexandria. It contained 700,000 volumes.

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Kewaskum, Wisconsin

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Our New Line of Spring Dress Goods, Hats and Caps

have arrived and are now ready for your inspection. Be sure and look over our excellent line before buying your Easter outfit.

We are closing out certain lines of Shoes at Bargain Sale Prices
Our full line of Sport Shirts and other Shirts for men and boys is exceptionally large.

Our complete line of Ladies', Misses', Children's, Men's and Boys' Summer Underwear just received and ready for you

Madam Grace Corsets are the best on the market

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Kewaskum, Wisconsin. Quality Merchandise

DON'T FORGET OUR MADE-TO-ORDER SUIT DEPARTMENT
Quality, Service and Satisfaction Guaranteed Place Your Order for that Easter Suit Now

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—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

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. Adv.

Wasting Time.

"Are you an efficiency expert?"
"Sure am."
"To what extent?"
"Well, for one thing, I think it is a waste of time to wink at a girl in the dark."

CANADA'S BONUS TO FARM LABORERS

Offering 160 Acres to Farm Hands.

Canada today, with the great demand that is made upon it for foodstuffs, finds itself almost in the throes of a labor famine. A novel means of solving the problem has been evolved by the Canadian Government at Ottawa on Wednesday last, when it was decided to practically bonus every farmhand going to Canada, by giving him 100 acres free as a homestead, and to allow the time he would be working out for, the good wages offered, to count as residence duties on the homestead. Western Canada has been a big producer of grain and it is estimated that there is a shortage of over thirty thousand men, necessary to produce an average crop in 1917. This shortage has been caused by so many young men having left the farms to go to war, and it is essential to make an unprecedented offer of this kind, to fill their places on the land at once.

It has been required in the past to do three years' duties on homesteads to get title, but an additional inducement has been offered by practically reducing this term to two years. As explained by an official of the Canadian Government, Canada's need for farm laborers is intense, and exceptional inducements are being offered to get the needed farm workers at once. A farmhand will make his entry for one of the 100-acre farms, satisfy the Government that he is working for a farmer and that time will apply as residence on the land filed for, just the same as if he was actually living on it.—Advertisement.

Revival of Tatting.

We see that tatting has been revived in our best circles, but we don't suppose it will be any more difficult for a thoughtful man to hold his wife's undivided attention as he discusses the tariff in its various aspects and ramifications than it has been under the fillet-crochet regime.—Ohio State Journal.

FALLING HAIR MEANS DANDRUFF IS ACTIVE

Save Your Hair! Get a 25 Cent Bottle of Danderine Right Now—Also Stops Itching Scalp.

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf.

There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its luster, its strength and its very life; eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrivel, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, luster and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance; an incomparable gloss and softness, but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.—Adv.

A recently patented porch and lawn seat can be converted into a swing or crib for a small child.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Words of frank cheer, glances of friendly eyes. Love's smallest coin, which yet to some may give The morsel that may keep alive a starving heart.

DRIED APRICOTS.

Apricots dried are more valuable as a food than in the fresh stage, the water is evaporated and sugar is added making a more concentrated food with all the aroma, flavor and color still present.

Dried apricots stewed and put through a sieve, using sugar and cream, a pinch of salt, then frozen, makes a most dainty ice cream of delicious flavor.

Apricot shortcake is the ordinary shortcake served with stewed apricots and the sauce thickened slightly, with a little butter added for richness.

Raisin Pie de Luxe.—Stew together a cupful of seeded raisins and a quarter of a cupful of currants (dried) in a pint of apricot juice. Add three tablespoonfuls of butter and two egg yolks and a tablespoonful or two of lemon juice, sugar if needed, cook slightly. Put into a shell, previously baked, cover with a meringue made with the whites of the two eggs and four tablespoonfuls of sugar.

Fifteen-Minute Pudding.—Take a cupful of flour, a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt and a teaspoonful of baking powder, sift together and add just enough rich milk to make a drop batter. Butter some cups, either custard or any pudding cups, put into each a spoonful of the drop batter, then drop in two or three apricots with a tablespoonful of the juice, add another spoonful of the dough on top, then put into a pan of boiling water to steam, allowing the cups to set in the water, not too deep, as the water will boil into the cups. Cover tightly and cook 15 minutes. Serve with whipped cream with a few chopped apricots stirred into it.

Apricot dumplings may be made as one does apple dumplings: roll two or three pieces of the fruit in a square of biscuit dough, cover the dumplings with the apricot juice with bits of butter and bake for a half hour in a hot oven.

A coffee cake is made quite fancy by rows of stewed apricots placed on top just before it goes into the oven. Such a cake may be served hot with a sauce for a dessert if so desired.

We all know we cannot always make ourselves well, but few perhaps realize how much we can do to keep ourselves well.—Sir John Lubbock.

LENTEN DISHES OF SALMON.

If eggs continue at their present high price, dishes of other foods will of necessity need to be served to save their cost. Salmon is such a favorite fish and either fresh or canned is always to be found on the market.

Salmon Cups.—Chop fine the contents of a can of salmon, add to it a half cupful of soft bread crumbs, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one of lemon juice, two beaten eggs, salt and pepper to taste and a half cupful of rich milk. Mix until well blended, then pack in greased cups, set into a pan of water and bake until firm. Turn out and serve hot on individual dishes with white sauce.

Salmon Soup.—Cook a grated onion for ten minutes in a quart of milk. Add two tablespoonfuls each of flour and butter, cooked together; add salt and pepper and half a can of salmon. Cook ten minutes, press through a sieve and serve very hot.

Fried Smoked Salmon.—Make a marinade of four tablespoonfuls of olive oil, two of vinegar, two cloves, a bay leaf and six pepper corns. Pour this over a pound of smoked salmon and let stand for several hours. Then fry the slices in a good salad oil and serve at once, garnished with slices of lemon.

Salmon Souffle.—Flake a can of salmon, add to it the well beaten yolks of three eggs, a half cupful of bread crumbs which have been soaked in warm milk, salt, pepper and a little lemon juice. Beat the whites of the eggs until stiff, then fold them into the mixture. Bake in a moderate oven in a buttered dish set in hot water.

Scalloped Salmon With Peas.—If canned peas are used drain them from the liquor, put a layer of salmon, free from skin and bones, with a cupful of bread crumbs and two cupfuls of thin white sauce in layers with the peas and white sauce, using the crumbs buttered to cover the top. Bake until the crumbs are brown.

Potatoes may be used in place of peas. Salmon made into a loaf and steamed, then garlished with cooked peas with a sauce, makes another delicious and nourishing dish of peas with salmon.

Fish Souffle.—Make a white sauce, using two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour, adding the flour when the butter is bubbling hot; add a cupful and a half of milk, a teaspoonful of scraped onion, a tablespoonful of minced parsley, and two cupfuls of canned fish. Beat three egg yolks and add to the fish, then fold in the beaten whites and bake in a moderate oven until firm in the center. Serve with a white or tomato sauce.

Nellie Maxwell

What Well Dressed Women Will Wear

Your party frock may have a high waistline, or a normal waistline (a little bit pinched in), or no waistline at all, like the frock shown in the picture. Choose whichever style looks best on your figure with the assurance that it has the approval of some world-famed costumer back of it.

The pretty dance frock shown in the picture has a double skirt of net, one of them finished in points about the bottom, bound with narrow satin ribbon. Over this a second skirt of net, finished with a border of three rows

much she may devote herself of mornings to splashy-dashy sports clothes, or how uncompromisingly tailored her street dress may be, trust the woman of today to garb herself in something alluringly soft and utterly feminine-looking, before the sun goes down, or mightily shortly thereafter.

The pretty lingerie dress has returned in all its glory of fine lace and fine handwork on fine materials. Sheer cotton and linen fabrics, and laces, dear to the hearts of fine ladies, are put together with painstaking needle-



NET A FAVORITE IN PARTY FROCKS

of satin ribbon, is draped in double points at each side and gathered into the waistline.

The overbodice is of lace bound with ribbon and fastens at the back. It is finished at the top with a border and suspenders of crepe georgette and at the bottom with little silk balls. The dress is worn over a slip of taffeta.

Among new models in net there are some having underpetticoats of net and crepe instead of silk, and the effect is wonderfully soft. Net in two colors, hemstitched together, provides some novel effects in draperies and a favorite combination is paprika, or tomato red, and white. The dress pictured is

work in these frocks. They never fail to captivate women possessed of good taste, and the French have an axiom that explains it. "There is nothing so beautiful as care," it runs.

Besides these sheer gowns there are others of soft silk crepe, or light woolen fabrics, that are of the same character. One of them is shown in the illustration, and it might be made of crepe de chine, chailles, satin, silk-and-wool poplin or any other supple material. It is a one-piece dress with lengthwise plaits down the front and three wide tucks in the remainder of the straight, full skirt. The sleeves are full and gathered into a frill at the



FEMINE SOFTNESS IN AFTERNOON GOWNS

all in white with silver ribbon in binding and border and in the ball trimming, but the same idea is carried out successfully with colored ribbons on white net. The silk underslip might be in a tint instead of white.

A coarse-meshed silk lace, used in the bodice, stretches sufficiently to accommodate itself to the lines of the figure, and may be re-enforced with a lining of net or crepe georgette.

The eternal feminine will assert itself in soft and frilly or demure frocks for afternoon wear—and let us be thankful therefor. No matter how

waistline. There is a soft girdle and a sailor collar of silk with a collar of net-top lace draped over the collar of silk. The frock fastens at one side with snap fasteners, but ornamental buttons are set over them.

Even these afternoon gowns are not much lengthened as to the skirts. But this is a matter that the individual may decide for herself because authorities are of two minds about it.

Julius Bottomley

U. S. VESSELS ARMED

WASHINGTON NOTIFIES ALL FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS THAT SHIPS HAVE GUNS.

GERMANY WILL BE TOLD

Steamer in Service of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium Is Torpedoed Without Warning—One of Crew Dead.

Washington, March 14.—Formal notice that American ships traversing the German submarine zone are to carry "armed guard for the protection of the vessel and the lives of the persons on board" was sent by the state department to embassies and legations of all foreign governments in Washington.

Following is the text of the communication as made public by the state department:

"In view of the announcement of the Imperial German government on January 31, 1917, that all ships, those of neutral included, met within certain zones of the high seas, would be sunk without any precaution being taken for the safety of the persons on board, and without the exercise of visit and search, the government of the United States has determined to place upon all American merchant vessels sailing through the barred areas an armed guard for the protection of the vessels and the lives of the persons on board."

The notification, it is expected, will be sent to Germany by the Swiss legation here. No obstacle will be placed in the way of such action. Whether other neutral governments will admit American armed ships to their ports is a question for them to decide, but it is not expected here that objections will be made. Holland is the only neutral known to have barred armed merchantmen from her harbors.

State department officials did not wish to make it clear whether it was mandatory for all American vessels to have arms or whether they might sail without them if they so desired.

London, March 14.—The sinking of the Norwegian steamship Storstad, in the service of the American commission for relief in Belgium, occurred in latitude 51.20, longitude 11.50 (in the Atlantic off the southern end of Ireland). The submarine fired about fifteen shots at a range of three to four miles. The Storstad stopped and hoisted the Belgian relief signal. The submarine submerged, but half an hour later the Storstad, which had not resumed her voyage, was torpedoed without warning as she lay stationary in the water with all the crew on board. She sank at 12:10 p. m. The crew, including one American, has been accounted for in its entirety, but the fourth engineer died of exposure before the men were rescued.

KAISER FINANCED INDIA PLOT

Federal Authorities Told \$250,000 Was Used to Pay Cost of Revolt Against the Allies.

New York, March 14.—The German embassy "squandered" approximately \$250,000 on a group of three men under arrest here on charges of promoting a gigantic rebellion in India.

The men are Chandra Chakraborty, Hernando L. Gupta and Dr. Nathias Sekunna.

This trio made their first complete report to federal authorities here. The report would have been intensely interesting to Franz von Papen, formerly military attache of the German embassy, and Wolf von Igel, now with Bernstorff en route home.

A summary of the report follows: Chakraborty received \$80,000, life expended, it is estimated \$45,000. Gupta received between \$40,000 and \$50,000; expenditures unknown. Sekunna received, it is estimated, \$100,000.

Philadelphia, March 14.—Government agents continue their investigation into the activities of persons under arrest charged with smuggling ship chronometers from the German auxiliary cruisers interned here.

CHINA TO BREAK WITH KAISER

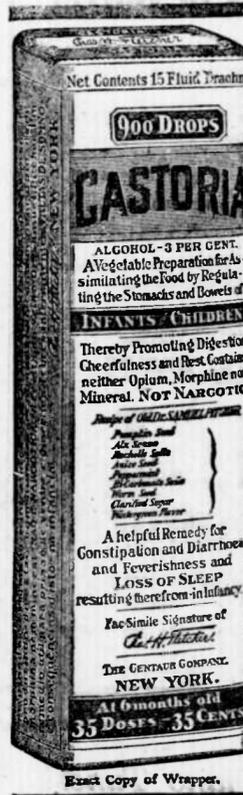
House of Representatives Approves Severance of Relations by Vote of 431 to 87.

Peking, March 14.—Premier Tuan Chi-Jui, accompanied by the entire cabinet, appeared before the house and the senate and stated that the cabinet and the president had decided that China should sever diplomatic relations with Germany. The house approved severance of relations by a vote of 431 to 87. The senate was to vote. It was expected to support the cabinet. The premier said the cabinet would not make a declaration of war without submitting its decision to parliament.

Ship Pere Marquette Sunk.

Boston, March 14.—The British steamer Pere Marquette sprang a leak and sank 60 miles east of Nauset, Captain Cross, her commander, reported upon arrival aboard a schooner which picked him up with the crew.

Sugar Company Official Is Shot. San Diego, Cal., March 14.—William Clayton, vice president and managing director of the Sprackles' companies, was shot twice by Lorenzo Bolamo, a bootblack. Clayton is believed to be fatally wounded.



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For Infants and Children. Mothers Know That Genuine Castoria

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We Forget. What did the girls go in for before they wore spats?—Kansas City Journal.

With the Fingers! Says Corns Lift Out Without Any Pain

Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority. At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection. This new drug is an ether compound, and dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding skin. Just think! You can lift off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or soreness. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

The oldest fan in existence is in the museum near Cairo. It dates from the seventeenth century B. C.

Cole's Carbolicase Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 50c and 60c. Ask your druggist, or send 2c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a pkc-adv.

Always look on the bright side of things and if you are going to invest your coin therein, look on both sides.

Sudden Death

Before an insurance company will take a risk on your life the examining physician will test your water and report whether you are a good risk. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog, you suffer from backache, sick-headaches, dizzy spells, or twinges and pains of lumbago, rheumatism and gout, or sleep is disturbed two or three times a night—take heed, before too late!

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BADGER STATE NEWS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN A FEW LINES.

NEW SCHEDULE HITS CLERKS

Federal Order Changes Postal Service Trains Between Chicago, Milwaukee, Portage and La Crosse. Runs of Men Shifted.

Portage—Two hundred and thirty-one railroad postal clerks operating between Chicago, Milwaukee, Portage and La Crosse are affected by a new schedule which is operative March 15. The post office department is inaugurating a postal terminal system which will reduce the force of men at work on mail trains very materially. Fifty-one men will be transferred to the St. Paul and Chicago terminal stations and runs of the men will be shifted. The order probably will require many clerks in cities about the state to sell their homes and move to the terminal city in order to hold their runs. Twenty mail clerks having homes in this city are affected by the new order.

Charged With Attempted Murder.

Kenosha—Sam Powell, 23 years old, is dying at the Kenosha hospital and Mrs. Mary Omarzo said to be his sweetheart is held at the county jail on charges of attempted murder. Powell was shot through the head with a twenty-two calibre revolver at the apartment of Mrs. Omarzo. The woman declared that the shooting was accidental.

Plan Co-operative Delivery System.

Stevens Point—The co-operative delivery plan is being investigated by the Retailers' association here and may be soon introduced. A committee has been named to investigate the operation of the system at Grand Rapids recently started and said to be very successful.

Leaves Money to Colored Servant.

Oshkosh—Through the will of Mrs. Ellen Robinson, Grace Stevens, a young colored woman, who was the constant companion of the decedent, receives practically all of Mrs. Robinson's estate, which is variously estimated at from \$3,500 to \$10,000.

Constructs High Power Auto.

Hancock—Edward Hanson of this village has constructed an eight-cylinder automobile by combining two four-cylinder engines. The motors can be run together or separately, and the machine is capable of attaining a high rate of speed.

New Factory for Sheboygan.

Sheboygan—A branch of the Aluminum Goods company of Manitowish is soon to be opened here, it is stated. A plant will be erected in the southwestern part of the city. Two hundred men will be employed.

Want City Fuel Yard.

Oshkosh—Oshkosh trades and labor council, composed of delegates from all the labor organizations of the city, has petitioned the commission council to establish a municipal fuel yard. The matter was referred.

Arrives Safe in Russia.

Beloit—A cablegram received by Mr. and Mrs. Elgel Neilsen of Beloit, announced the safe arrival of their son, Orson, at Moscow, Russia, where he has gone to be connected with the American consulate.

Summer Camp for Girls.

Stevens Point—A summer camp for girls of the city and county is to be established at Lake Emily this summer. The success of the boys' camp last year encouraged the new plan.

Sues for \$4,900 After Twelve Years.

Milwaukee—After losing a limb in a railroad accident more than twelve years ago, Joseph Hanke has filed suit in circuit court against the Milwaukee road for \$4,900 damages.

Pay Big Income Tax.

Darlington—Taxpayers of Lafayette county will pay an income tax of \$106,398.06. The town of Benton, the home of several lead and zinc mines, alone raises \$68,468.28.

Big Class Initiated.

La Crosse—Judge R. W. Cowie of Whitehall, E. M. Wing, La Crosse banker, and sixty-one others were initiated in the local lodge of Elks.

Former Oshkosh Mayor Dies.

Oshkosh—William Diekmann, 67 years old, retired grocer and manufacturer and former mayor of Oshkosh, died here of internal disorders.

Body of Missing Man Found.

Beloit—The mysterious disappearance last November of Fred Fulton, 30 years old, was solved when his body was found in the Rock river.

War Veteran Dies.

Manitowoc—William A. Rickaby, 85 years old, civil war veteran, died here. He was a member of Company A, Fifth Wisconsin, the first company sent from Manitowoc in response to President Lincoln's call.

Consider Cash and Carry. Neenah—A number of local merchants are considering installing cash and carry systems. Under the new plan it is said that the number of deliveries can be decreased.

Advocate Low Grade Dynamite.

Madison—The use of low grades of dynamite, at a considerable saving over old methods of using high percentage dynamite for farm purposes, and the use of the explosive in combination with stump pulling machines instead of explosives alone, is advocated in a technical study of land clearing and cutover forest lands and woodlots, issued by the University of Wisconsin. The report is written by Carl D. Livingston, agricultural engineer of the university, who was in charge of the land clearing special trains which for eleven weeks last summer touched nearly a score of counties in northern Wisconsin, and is a technical abstract of the comparative results achieved in all methods of clearing cutover lands.

Farmers Hit by Spud Embargo.

Grand Rapids—A potato embargo has been established in Wood and Portage counties. The public, exasperated by high prices, refuses to buy, the farmers refuse to bring in their potatoes at the slump in prices, and dealers are not looking for them. Scarcely any spuds are brought to town, and it is expected that the farmers will be left with lots of potatoes on hand.

May Change Power.

Neenah—Recommendation is to be made by the local board of water works commissioners to the common council to supplant the present steam power equipment at the water works plant with electric power. A considerable saving will be effected, it is claimed.

Plan Cavalry Troop.

Green Bay—The organization of a troop of cavalry for Green Bay has been inaugurated here. Petitions for 100 men were put in circulation. Adj. Gen. Holway has stated Green Bay can secure a troop to be known as Troop C if successful in securing 100 men.

Dose of Kerosene Fatal.

Stevens Point—An inquest into the death of Adam Malinowski, a Dewey farmer, who died suddenly with no doctor present, was held here. It was found at the autopsy that an overdose of kerosene, taken to relieve stomach pains, had caused the man's death.

Maj. Winters Is Honored.

Racine—Maj. Winters of the John B. Zaun company, No. 6, U. R. K. of P., was elected lieutenant-colonel of the First regiment of this city. In honor of the occasion Lieut. Col. Winters gave a banquet to the members of Company No. 6.

Charged With Highway Robbery.

Green Bay—Charles Thomas of Chicago is under arrest here and will be charged with highway robbery, according to District Attorney William Cook. Thomas is alleged to have attacked John Hannick, lumberman, and robber him of \$100.

Lake Freighters in Demand.

Ashland—The demand for lake freighters reaches out into every lake port for vessels which will be utilized during the coming season, which bids fair to be record breaker. The H. D. Coffberry, which has been sunk here for four years, probably will be raised.

Kenosha Newspaper Man Dies.

Kenosha—Samuel S. Simmons, 47 years old, publisher of the Kenosha Evening News and a well known newspaper man of Wisconsin, died at the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago, as a result of an illness which had extended over many months.

Road Opened to Automobiles.

Neenah—For the first time in six weeks travel between here and Appleton is possible by automobile. Because of the deep snow drifts it has been almost impossible to make the trip by team.

Woman Ends Life by Hanging.

Hartford—Brooding over the thought of parting with her hope is thought to have prompted Mrs. John Schauer to take her life by hanging. Mrs. Schauer owned a farm which she sold recently.

Schools to Supply Cheap Lunches.

Stevens Point—A free or penny lunch system is being started in the city school and the first school was supplied this week. Citizens and the Women's club are donating money and equipment.

May Light Fair Grounds.

Janesville—Plans for the wiring of the Park association grounds for electricity with a view of conducting a night fair during the Janesville fair in August are being discussed.

DePere to Improve More Streets.

DePere—The common council has voted to pave five more streets of DePere next summer. If the present rate is kept up all of DePere's streets will have been paved before 1920.

Heads Suffrage Body.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Guy Nash was elected president of the Grand Rapids Equal Suffrage association.

Establishes Potash Plant.

Oshkosh—Joseph Hanser of Milwaukee has established a potash factory in this city. Wood ashes are shipped in by the carload and the liquid potash is shipped in iron tanks to Milwaukee, Chicago and other centers.

Council Passes Bond Ordinance.

Stevens Point—The city council has passed a \$30,000 bond ordinance to cover the cost of an added site for the proposed new Soo headquarters depot and for a small park adjacent.

BILL TO REPEAL LAW IS KILLED

Personal Off-Set Act Defeated in Senate, 26 to 5.

NEW MEASURE IS INTRODUCED

Wilcox Bill, Reducing Number of Pre-emptory Challenges in Murder Trials From 24 to 12 is Advanced.

Madison—The senate by a most decisive vote has killed the bill to repeal the personal property off-set law as affecting income taxes. There was no debate on the bill, it having been unfavorably recommended by the committee. The measure was defeated by vote of 26 to 5. The bill was recommended by Governor Philipp and had the support of the state tax commission.

Senator Bray immediately introduced a new personal property off-set bill, which provides that the off-set shall be used when the income to be taxed shall be derived from personal property only.

The senate advanced the Wilcox bill reducing the number of pre-emptory challenges in murder trials from 24 to 12 and regulating the procedure in criminal and civil cases.

"Round Robin" Against La Follette.

Stevens Point—A committee for a hearing, the legislature seemed determined to get some action immediately regarding Senator La Follette's stand on the filibuster recently directed in congress by him. Senator Bennett today said that he would circulate a "round robin" informing the president that Wisconsin is loyal and condemning Senator La Follette for the stand he has taken in opposition to the president. Senator Bennett claims that he already has promises from more than a majority of the senators.

The first resolution on the La Follette proposition has been received in the assembly. It comes from Watertown. This resolution is signed by 53 residents and opposes any action that the legislature may take on the matter. It praises La Follette for his opposition to the arming of American merchantmen and the granting of autocratic power to the president.

Antwar Petition.

Later in the day Senator Al C. Anderson of Dunn county filed with the senate an antiwar petition signed by G. A. Nelson of Milltown, who stated that it was forwarded by direction of a mass meeting. The resolution declares that Wisconsin should stand by the policy as outlined by Washington and Monroe. It declares that the war talk in this country is being augmented by the munition makers, and asks congress to place an embargo on foodstuffs.

Pieper's Resolution Treated Lightly.

Little interest was manifested by the legislature in the resolution offered by Assemblyman Pieper criticizing the junior promenade when the matter came up for hearing before the assembly committee on education. Assemblyman Pieper said that he was serious about the resolution, although one member of the committee told him he had been inclined to treat the matter as a joke. No one spoke in opposition to the resolution, although a score of students were present to hear the Dunn county assemblyman describe the affair. Assemblyman Pieper's resolution called for a reduction in the salaries of professors attending the prom. to \$300.

Town Has Oodles of Money to Spend.

Barkesdale, Wisconsin, claims to be one of the richest towns in tax money in the United States. The town actually has so much tax money that it has had to come to the legislature to get special permission to spend it. The town is located in northern Wisconsin, near Lake Superior, and in it dominates one of the plants of the Du Pont Powder company. Wisconsin has an income tax that assesses corporation net profits 6 per cent. Of this tax money 10 per cent is retained by the state, 20 per cent by the county and 70 per cent by the locality. This powder plant brought \$120,000 in income taxes to Barkesdale town this year, and the amount for next year will be \$250,000. The town never raised more than \$20,000 in taxes in money before. So it came to the legislature to obtain special permission to use the money in erecting a high school and in the building of roads. These measures are being pushed through the legislature.

The Assembly Advanced the Gampier Bill to Repeal that Section of the State Insurance Fund Law which Permits the State to Insure County Buildings, Town Buildings and School District Buildings. The Gampier Repeal Bill was Advanced by a Vote of 52 to 33.

Senator Fred A. Baxter of Superior has a bill relating to the hours of labor on public works.

Bar Violators of Hunting Law.

"The best way to deal with violators of the hunting laws is to take their licenses away from them."

This is the statement of Assemblyman C. N. Saugen of Eau Claire in explanation of his bill in the legislature on this subject. Mr. Saugen has introduced a bill which provides that for the first violation of the game laws of the state the license shall be revoked and the person shall not be permitted to take out another license until the expiration of a year. For the second offense the person is thereafter disqualified from procuring a license.

Fate of Evjue Bill.

The Evjue dry referendum will probably not be disposed of on the floor until next week. During the week the bill will be reported out by the committee on excise and fees. But unless its report comes very early, which is unlikely, no place on the calendar will be given the measure earlier than Friday. Attendance is usually scant on this day. The managers of the bill want to put every assemblyman on record, and they will likely maneuver the bill over.

The committee is claimed by the wets by one of two votes. That they will get a committee report to kill the bill is disputed by the dries, who believe the committee will return the measure without recommendation, as is sometimes done when a committee is evenly divided.

W. T. Evjue, author of the bill, makes no forecast of the results on the floor beyond stating that he expects a close vote and that he is hopeful of winning. The fate of the bill seems to be in the hands of half a dozen members, whom neither side has so far been able to put on record.

Big Crisp of Amendments.

There are rumors that an amendment campaign will break out next week, and that suggestions will be offered to change the date of the referendum to the spring election and to take a referendum on the exclusion from the state of liquors containing more than 10 per cent alcohol. The spring referendum amendment is desired by T. J. Mahon, representing the whisky men, who argued for it in the committee. The 10 per cent amendment, if it comes in, will be sponsored by brewers living outside of Milwaukee. Two years ago a bill embracing this idea was introduced by Senator Bossard, La Crosse, with the backing of it is understood, of brewers in his part of the state.

State Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

Provision for the building of a state tuberculosis sanatorium in northwest Wisconsin is made in a bill which Senator Baxter of Superior is preparing to introduce in the senate.

Senator Baxter's bill provides for the location of the institution north of the center line of the state, and that it shall be known as the Northern State tuberculosis sanatorium in northwest Wisconsin. The hospital is to be equipped for the treatment of pulmonary tuberculosis, especially for cases in the incipient and moderately advanced stages. The selection of a site and erection of the building is left to the state board of control. An appropriation of \$40,000 is asked.

New Conference Rules.

The University of Wisconsin faculty has sanctioned the following conference regulations to govern players' eligibility and coaches' duties: That will be adopted by the conference as soon as the other big nine schools give their affirmative vote; That the date for the opening of football practice be moved from September 20 to September 15. That all employees of the athletic department who take part in professional football should be dismissed from employment. That members of teams participating in professional football contests before graduation shall forfeit their letters and be recommended to the faculty for further discipline.

Woman Athletes to Meet.

The first conference of college women's athletic associations will be held at the University of Wisconsin on March 9 and 10. It will be composed of representatives from most of the colleges of the middle and far West. Colleges near Madison will send a number of women each to the conferences. Among the topics to be taken up in the addresses and discussions will be the point system of awarding athletic honors, the question of athletic awards such as sweaters and numerals, the organization of sports, financing of an association and basis of membership.

Would Require Three-Fourths.

Change in the law for submitting liquor questions to a vote of the people, including a proposal to allow saloons to operate for a certain number of hours on Sunday, are contained in a bill offered in the house by Assemblyman Charles F. Hart of Oshkosh. The present law provides that these questions may be submitted to a vote of the people when 10 per cent of the people petition for same. The Hart bill provides that one-third of the number of votes cast at any general election for governor in the city or town must be obtained.

The present law provides that the question of "license or no license" shall be submitted, but the Hart bill allows all questions, including Sunday closing, to be submitted to a vote of the people. His measure further provides that the submission of any question under this law shall not be made oftener than once in five years.

Best Methods of Clearing Land.

Senator Wilkinson has introduced a bill indorsed by the cut-over land conference at Eau Claire providing for investigation by the state of the best method of clearing land. Zimach offered an old-age pension bill for allowances up to \$300 annually for workers over sixty-five years old.

University Men in Assembly.

Fifteen members of the present Wisconsin legislature are graduates of the university, or were formerly enrolled in its colleges. Seven members are graduates of the Wisconsin Law school. Of the seven senators who formerly attended the university, five were graduated from the law school. They are Charles Mulberger of Watertown, Henry H. Huber of Stoughton, Frank H. Hanson of Marston, Theodore A. Renney of Sheboygan, Platt Whitman of Highland, Isaac P. Witter of Grand Rapids and Timothy Burke of Green Bay.

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CAMPBELLSPORT.

E. Bowen called on friends here Tuesday. Rev. Wm. Zenk spent last Friday at Jackson. E. Stiffled was at Sheboygan on Wednesday. Jake Meyer was a Fond du Lac caller Monday. James Farrell called on friends at Eden Tuesday. F. Sook was a pleasant caller in the village last week. E. Senn was a business caller at Milwaukee Wednesday. W. Myers was a business caller at West Bend Tuesday. Chas. Van De Zande was a Kewaskum caller Thursday. Otto J. Cole of Milwaukee spent Sunday at his home here. Edward Martin and Frank Bauer spent Sunday at Milwaukee. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hendricks Sunday. W. Hatch and son called on friends at Milwaukee Friday. Jos. Straub looked after business interests at Eden Friday. P. M. E. Walther spent Sunday and Monday at Medford. R. F. Mayer, who spent the past month at Kiel, returned home. Chris. Rothenberger spent a few days at Marshfield on business. P. A. Hoffman was a professional caller at Fond du Lac Saturday. M. C. Tolman of Lomira was in the village on business last Friday. E. P. Haskin of Milwaukee called on relatives here last Saturday. Germaine Paas of Milwaukee visited at her home in the village. Farrell and Meixensperger shipped stock to Cudahy last Monday. Chas. Hughes spent a few days with his father at Markeean, Wis. Charles Lade of Oshkosh spent Saturday and Sunday in the village. Ray Stowe spent from Friday until Sunday at Oshkosh and Fond du Lac. James Hodge returned Saturday after spending several months in Virginia. Mrs. Geo. Yankow called on relatives and friends at Fond du Lac Saturday. Mrs. F. Schmidt called on relatives and friends at Red Granite last week. M. Theisen and S. Grossen were business callers at Fond du Lac Thursday. Miss Irma Walther of Oshkosh spent from Saturday to Monday in the village. Mr. and Mrs. J. Barns called on relatives and friends at Kewaskum Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Straub and Mrs. A. L. Yankow spent Tuesday at Milwaukee. Miss Stella Hilmes of St. Michaels is the guest of relatives here for a few days. Mrs. Chas. Hughes spent last Thursday and Friday with her son Harold at Oshkosh. R. B. Ellis, cashier of the First State Bank spent Sunday and Monday at Oshkosh. F. Greninger, H. Loomis and John Gravindinger were Kewaskum callers one day this week. Mrs. Wallace Ward and children of Milwaukee visited relatives here the latter part of last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. Flitta, F. Flitta, and R. Hodge were pleasant callers at Fond du Lac Thursday. Mrs. M. Helmer, Miss Alice Burchard and A. Bauer were week end visitors at the County Seat. Rev. I. W. Ellis spent Wednesday at Fond du Lac, where he officiated at the funeral of Perry Ward. R. Romano, F. Schmidt, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Schultz called on relatives and friends at Fond du Lac one day this week. John Hilbert, P. H. Guertner, W. Warden, Mrs. Chas. Hughes and P. M. Schlaefter were business callers at Fond du Lac last week Friday. Mrs. A. D. Chesley and Lydia Vetsch, members of the M. E. Sunday School, were elected delegates to attend the annual County Sunday School convention which will be held at Rosendale next Monday and Tuesday, March 19 and 20. A teachers' meeting was held at the Campbellsport high school building last Saturday afternoon at which teachers of the surrounding districts were present. Miss Gieve, supervising teacher of Fond du Lac also was present at the meeting. Henry, the 3 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Scholler of this vil-

lage, died last Saturday night at 8 o'clock of acute Bright's disease. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Matthew's Catholic church, with interment in Union cemetery. On Saturday evening, March 3, two sleighloads of young people enjoyed a sleigh ride to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hughes, the occasion being Mr. Hughes' birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games, music and singing. At ten o'clock Mrs. Hughes served a delicious lunch, after which the guests departed, wishing Mr. Hughes many more happy returns of the day.

ROUND LAKE

Earl Johnson spent Sunday at Durdee. Mr. Marquardt was a caller here Tuesday. John Bohlmann was a caller at Durdee Tuesday. M. Calvey was a caller at New Prospect Monday. Vircent Calvey spent Sunday with Earl Hering. Ira Stratton was a caller at Campbellsport Saturday. Herman Ramthun was a business caller at Durdee Tuesday. Ed, and Vircent Bowen were callers at Kewaskum Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beggan spent Sunday at the A. Braun home. Miss Delia Bohlmann spent Tuesday with Misses Cecelia and Delia Calvey. Mrs. Otto Krueger and children spent the past week with her parents here. Jerry Crosby and Rob Ninneman of Mitchell were business callers here Friday. Dr. and Mrs. Berdixen were entertained at the Dan Calvey home Saturday evening. Miss Irma Witterberg spent Thursday and Friday with relatives at Kewaskum. Miss Lily Stern of Kewaskum is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Henry Ramthun. Miss Rose Schenk returned home Thursday after spending a week with friends at Fond du Lac. Henry Wittenberg and Clyde Henning were entertained at the M. Calvey home Sunday evening. Misses Cecelia and Delia Calvey and brother Vincent, Mrs. Otto Krueger and Miss Milly Krueger spent Thursday evening with Miss Marie Bowen.

WAUCOUSTA

Will Wach was a Campbellsport caller Friday. Rolland Buslaff went to Fond du Lac Tuesday. A. C. Buslaff made a business trip to Campbellsport Friday. Arnold Sook of Milwaukee spent Sunday with his parents here. Elsie Sook is spending a few days with Mrs. M. Panagiar at Eden. Dora and Carrie Buslaff are visiting relatives and friends in Fond du Lac this week. Clarence Kuehl attended the teachers' meeting, held at Campbellsport Saturday. Mrs. Chris. Indermuel, who has been visiting relatives here for the past few days, returned to her home in Jureau Friday.

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Children suffering from worms are dull and irritable, puny and weak, often grind their teeth and cry out in sleep, being a constant source of worry to their parents. Kickapoo Worm Killer is a mild laxative remedy in candy tablet form that children like to take. Promptly effective, it kills and removes the worm from the system. Irregular appetite and bowel movement, lack of interest in play are sure signs of worms. Relieve your child of this burden. At all druggists, 25c.

CEDAR LAWN

John L. Gudex attended to business at the County Seat Thursday. Justice of the Peace John L. Gudex looked after business at Kewaskum last Saturday. Miss Rosa Will of St. Cloud came on Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. George Gudax. Joseph Calhoun left for Milwaukee on Tuesday, where he expects to purchase a team of horses for farm service. Navigation to and from Campbellsport, was made precarious during the past few days, due to climatic conditions.

VALLEY VIEW

Harold Johnson spent Sunday with friends in North Ashford. Harold Johnson spent Saturday as a guest of friends at Kewaskum. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brietzke were business callers at the County Seat Saturday. Charles Hughes returned home Tuesday after a brief visit at Markeean. Mrs. Charles Hughes spent Friday and Saturday with relatives at Oshkosh. Lee Norton was a Sunday evening caller at Barthol Jaeger's in North Ashford. Wm. Baumhardt of West Eden was a pleasant caller at Robert Norton's Sunday. Miss Blanche Murray of Woodside spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here. James Loomis of Fond du Lac spent Sunday as a guest of the Merry Welsh family. Joseph Calhoun of Riverside was a pleasant caller at Frank Murray's Sunday evening. Lee Lorgue was a pleasant caller at the home of Miss Daisy Furlong Sunday evening. Misses Blanche Murray and Ruth Schneid attended a teachers' meeting at Campbellsport Saturday. Thomas Johnson and son Henry of North Ashford were business callers at George Johnson's Friday. Miss Ruth Scheid of North Ashford was a business caller at the G. H. Johnson home Friday evening. Mrs. Arthur Chesley and daughter Amy and son Marshall called on friends at Campbellsport recently. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Jaeger and son Bertram spent Monday evening with Barthol Jaeger and family at Ashford. Miss Theresa Schommer returned home Sunday after a two weeks visit with Henry Schommer and family at Milwaukee. Misses Martha and Johanna Campbell and brother William of North Ashford spent Sunday with N. J. Klotz and family. Henry Welsh and family and B. Jaeger and family of North Ashford entertained at the home of Robert Norton and family Saturday evening. Messrs. Nic, Klotz, John Seefeld, Peter Schommer, Louis Tuttle, Wm. Brietzke and Ig. Prindle were business callers at Campbellsport recently. Frank Welsh and sister Margaret of Ashford, Miss Blanche Murray Herman Rehstor, Lee Norton and Alvin Seefeld were callers at Geo. Johnson's Sunday.

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ELMORE

Henry Johnson of Ashford was a village caller Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmidt of Ashford spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gartenbein. Mrs. Frank Kleinhaus Sr., returned home Friday from a week's visit at Kaukauna with relatives. Philip Klumb of Mequon spent the latter part of the week here with the Frank Kleinhaus family. Miss Olive Rusch returned home Wednesday after a weeks visit with relatives at Fond du Lac and Ripon. George Mathieu and sisters Helen and Estella are spending the week with relatives at Osceola and Eden. Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Fond du Lac attended the wedding of their son George, which took place here Saturday. The marriage of Miss Lavinia Doms to George Williams of Fond du Lac, took place Saturday at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schmidt. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Geidel, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Klotz and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Geidel and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bachhaus.

ASHFORD

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth McCarty, nee Lloyd, died at her home at Ashford at 10 o'clock Sunday night. She was the widow of Thomas McCarty, who died some eight years ago. Mrs. McCarty was born in New York state on May 11, 1847. She is survived by four sons, John at home and George, Frank and Louis of Dakota, and one daughter, Mrs. John Murphy of Wayne, Wis. The funeral was held at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning from the St. Matthew's Catholic church at Campbellsport. Cold Storage Plant For Campbellsport The S. J. Stevens company of Sheboygan is making preparations to erect a cold storage plant for the handling of dairy products at Campbellsport. The company has secured ground near the railroad tracks, and is expecting to start operation in the spring. The company will deal largely in cheese. Ice for the new plant will be shipped in. The Kiel Woodware company of Kiel, Wis., is also planning the erection of a new manufacturing plant at Campbellsport this summer. The company has purchased five acres of ground for a manufacturing site, with spur track conveniences. Special attention has been given to the costuming of the big fashion plate chorus who will appear in "Katzelammer Kids". Here is a show that boasts of a real fashion parade with all the beauties of the chorus gowned in the most stylish and up to date feminine creations.

SOUTH EDEN

Fred Seefeld delivered stock at Eden Monday. John Koehne was an Osceola caller Tuesday. Mrs. Kops called on Mrs. C. Bomaster Tuesday. Erwin Seefeld was at Eden Monday on business. Edw. C. Baumhardt was a Fond du Lac visitor Friday. Wm. Baumhardt called on North Ashford friends Sunday. Clarence and Emmet Ryan are cutting wood this week. Walter Seefeld of Fond du Lac was in this vicinity recently. Alvin Seefeld was a caller at the Fred Baumhardt home Monday. Wm. Baumhardt and sister Ida were Campbellsport callers Monday. Mrs. C. Bomaster had the misfortune of being bitten by a dog recently.

DRAFT

Were it not for the radiator on an automobile the engine would become so hot from the explosions that it would refuse to run and would soon be destroyed. Every boy, and most adults know how water is circulated around the hot explosion cylinders and then into the radiator which is constructed in a form and of material which permits of rapid discharge of heat. It has generally been found necessary to help out the cooling process by the added use of a forced draft fan. It is not so generally understood that the body presents a similar engineering problem and is provided with a similar cooling system. And it is important to understand something of it because this explains why a person, like the owner of an automobile, should take necessary care of the mechanism before it becomes rusted or too rapidly worn through misuse. Our old ideas of ventilation were proved to be wrong to a great extent because we were thinking mainly of what the air might contain and not giving enough attention to what it might be doing. Today, scientists are less concerned with the composition of air than they are with the movement of it. The discharge of heat from the blood, through the capillaries of the body, is now known to be quite as important as the discharge of the impurities which are given off in the lungs by the blood. This has had a part in charging our ideas concerning drafts. Currents of air do much more than bring in a supply of new air to replace the worn out air. They are cooling the radiators of the human machine. The radiator in this instance is the skin, to which the blood, in the skin, the thousands of vessels are conducting the blood. In the skin, the currents are thinned out so as to expose the greatest possible amount of blood to the cooling process. This is so like the automobile radiator as to be very striking. A human being, like an automobile, may be ruined by too much exposure. Gentle air currents, however, won't do it. They preserve and prolong life.

The Fifty-Pound Cow

A new world's record for all breeds for butterfat production in the seven day division was established by the purebred Holstein-Friesian cow, Segis Fyane Johanna 114658, in a test ending January 5, 1917. This remarkable cow produced 56.88 pounds of butter in seven consecutive days, and the official test was conducted by supervisors from the New York State Agricultural College, Ithaca, N. Y. Segis Fyane Johanna, by her wonderful achievement, is now the best talked of cow in the world, her sensational record marks a significant triumph in the forward march of the Holstein-Friesian breed. She was bred by A. A. Cortelyou of Somerville, N. J. and her present owner is Oliver Cabana, Jr., proprietor of the Groves Farm, Elma Center, N. Y., at which noted establishment four other world's record holders have been developed during the past six months. The new world's record holder finished at the age of 8 years, 2 months and 17 days. She is four-fifths white, weighs about 1450 pounds, and is sired by King Payne Segis 46767. Her dam is Vikina Johanna 84385, a daughter of Johanna Rue 3d's Lad and Vikina Clothilde. The test was made under perfect conditions, absolute quiet, systematic feeding and milking, and a roomy stall constructed of clear white enameled walls.

Mrs. Christina Wolf Dies

Mrs. Christina Wolf, nee Wurzbacher, Lomira, died Monday morning at the age of 90 years. Mrs. Wolf was born November 9, 1826 in Seelis, Germany and was married to Gottlieb Wolf, May 16, 1849. She came to this country in 1849, first residing near Milwaukee. Then she went to Wayne, Washington county, and remained there till 1906, when she moved to Lomira with her son August. Mrs. Wolf remained with him until last fall when she went to live with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Luedtke at Lomira. Mr. Wolf died in 1912 and a daughter Ernestine in 1913. She is survived by six children: Mrs. Johanna Schneider, Davenport, North Dakota; Mrs. Fred Luedtke, Lomira; Mrs. J. E. Klein, Appleton; Mrs. A. J. Klein, Lomira; Mrs. Fred Muehlins, Wayne, Wisconsin and August Wolf, Lomira. The funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Salem Evangelical church and burial at Lomira. Rev. G. W. Reichert and J. C. Klein of Appleton, officiated.

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Circuit Court Meets Monday

Judge Martin L. Lueck will convene circuit court in West Bend next Monday. The calendar for the March term contains twenty-four cases—two criminal, thirteen issues of fact for the jury, and nine issues of fact for the court. The ratification of foreigners will not occupy the attention of the court at this term, but the petition now on file will be taken up on the first Monday of June. The cases listed in the calendar are as follows: Criminal State of Wisconsin vs. Tony Lechner—Bastardy. State of Wisconsin vs. Alex Fuchscherer—Assault with intent to rape. Jury Cases, Carl B. Leidersdorf vs. H. C. Meissner. Walter Behrens vs. Adam Bierter. William Rahmig vs. E. V. Wright Gustav Dunst vs. West Bend Maltng Co. and Burrell Engineering and Construction Co. C. A. Zimmermann vs. Wm. Felsing. Louis Chatam, an infant, vs. Fred Sommer. A. P. Lehrer vs. C. & N.W.Ry Co. Frank Day vs. Luc. Zambreycki et al. John Ebeling vs. Calvin Hartleb Nic. Dopp vs. Henry Schreier. Louis Neuy vs. Wisconsin Lakes Ice and Carriage Co. William Volkmann vs. Frank Day. Helena Mopper vs. Frank Day. Circuit Court Cases, Peter Weber et al vs. Emil Lehmann et al. Frank Krick vs. Joseph M. Holnitz. Wm. Quandt vs. Fred C. Backhaus. Nathan Perelles, Jr. vs. The Kissel Motor Car Co. et al. Esther Lehmann, an infant vs. Emil Lehmann. Ferdinand Neitzel et al vs. Lucas Zambreycki et al. Caroline Borkerhagen vs. Geo. Borkerhagen. Marie Finch vs. Frank Finch.

Splendid Bowling Record

A bowling record was made in this city Sunday afternoon which, we believe has never been equalled in the county and perhaps never will be. The honor of holding this record belongs to Math Bruhy a member of the Electric's bowling team of the Southside league. He and Oscar Burckardt had gone into the Klassen alleys for a few friendly games. Mr. Bruhy was in fine form and finished his first game with a score of 232. He came right back with a 201 score, and then capped the climax in the third. He chalked ten perfect strikes. His eleventh ball hit the pins a trifle fine, but a strike might have resulted. Nine pins were swept off the alley and the remaining pin wiggled but refused to fall. On his twelfth ball he cleared this pin, giving him the splendid score of 289, just 11 pins less than a perfect score (300). His total for the three games was 729, an average per game of 243. Math has the score sheet and ought to treasure it all his life. It is positive proof of his ability as a bowler.—West Bend Pilot.

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