

Kewaskum Statesman.

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GEO. NUGENT, Editor.

The Chicago daily newspapers are all "machine-set," still they are opposed to "machine-set" politics in Illinois. Then, too, that which "works like machinery" is generally in good shape.

The Lawrence university of Appleton celebrated its 50th anniversary last Tuesday, and the Beloit college will also celebrate the fiftieth year of its existence in 1897.

The inventor of rubber teeth, a New York dentist, says that his process will enable him to make complete sets of excellent teeth for \$1.50 or less and to do a fair profit.

The Rosenkranz bill, by which it is proposed to save the taxpayers of the state \$100,000 or more annually, aims to have the clerks of the various courts summon jurors, etc., by mail.

The proposition to take contributions of corn for starving people in India, will strike the average Western farmer somewhat like contributing towards christianizing the heathen in China while many non-believers are being overlooked at home.

Now that the missionary work of christianizing the Chicago police force is making better progress than was expected, Mr. Stead may have occasion to come over from London and issue a revised edition of his book entitled "If Christ Came to Chicago A. D. 1897."

The record of railroad train "hold ups" during 1896 is twenty-three, in which thirty-two passengers and trainmen were killed and many injured, while only four robbers were killed and two injured. It would be well to have the bounty on wolves extended so as to include train robbers.

The recent protest of Timothy M. Healy against the re-election of John Dillon as chairman of the Irish parliamentary party by acclamation, would seem to indicate that the interests of Ireland are a secondary consideration compared to the personal ambition of either of the above named gentlemen.

The Common council of the providing City has passed a resolution providing for a commission of the county to draft a bill for the abolition of the county and town, and park governments, and annexing all the adjacent territory in Cook county. The measure was introduced by Alderman Madden and is known as the Greater Chicago resolution.

WHAT impartial observer, studying and realizing the enormity of the crime of dishonest capital and the inimical results of blocking the channels of trade with giant monopolies, can doubt that this in itself is sufficient to account for the long-continued prostration of the business of the nation, despite all that prodigal nature, skilled and competent labor and inventive genius could do? The sin has been of gigantic dimensions and the penalty has been in proportion.—Boston Post.

The Knapp-Stout company has more land than the state, but it takes about thirty men to attend to the business of the land office at Madison, while two men attend to like business for the aforesaid company. And then some people wonder why the constitutional amendment empowering the legislature to increase the school superintendent's salary did not carry. As long as public offices are utilized for creating private snags the salary will be averse to increasing the salary of any state official.

The best electric locomotive was invented in France, and is thus described: "It is fifty-seven feet long and of 1,350 horse power. In spite of their size they wear out the rails less than ordinary locomotives, as the weight is distributed on eight axles instead of four or five. It is safer than the others, owing to its elastic character, which enables it to turn curves safely at full speed. Great trains are expected from these contrivances, as they will run from 100 to 115 miles an hour."

The Princess de Chimay, nee Clara Ward of Detroit, Mich., is evidently one of the American girls who have found the name to be the only charm about the life of a princess, as she let the Prince's suit for divorce go by default, so to speak. One would as well expect a bird from the wildwood to warble sweetly within the confines of a mansion as to expect an American girl to settle down and live happily where the surroundings are foreign to her nature. Further, taking up with a homely traveling musician only adds to the impression that the life which the Princess abandoned was very distasteful to her.

In regard to the proposed board of pardons, it would only be an advisory body at best, the opinion of which would have no more weight with the governor than a letter from the judge who sentenced the prisoner; therefore, the expense of such a board had better be saved by letting the pardoning power remain as it is, unless the constitution can be changed so as to give a board full power to act upon applications for pardons. Of course some ardent supporter of Senator Putnam's measure will arise and declare that it would be better to double the expense of the board than to let one guilty party escape from the penitentiary by way of a pardon; but, all will agree that the aforesaid party is already at large.

WHAT is this we hear? A still greater Chicago! Greater New York will have to annex Little Egypt.—Evening Wisconsin. Annexing "Little Egypt" to Gotham would be a great deal like annexing the "Bad Lands" to the Cream City.

The election of ex-Congressman Wm. E. Mason as John M. Palmer's successor in the United States senate was accomplished in the Illinois legislature last Wednesday after one of the most bitterly fought battles in the history of the Republican party of that state.

The Press club of the Cream City at a recent meeting discussed the subject "If Benjamin Franklin Came to Milwaukee?" If he came to Milwaukee on the occasion of the above meeting, he would likely have made some changes in the printed parts of the menu which quoted him as follows: "God helps them that help themselves." "Never leave that till tomorrow which you can do today."

The governor of Michigan has ordered all of his subordinates to pay their fares, and it is figured that this Pingree policy will cost that state 10,000 this year. Thus it seems that honesty, which prompts state officials to refuse to accept passes from railroad companies, is quite costly for the taxpayers; still, like several other brands of that article, it may be the best policy in the long run.

The point was raised by the counsel for the defense, in the Three Friends filibustering case, that inasmuch as the Cuban insurgents had not been recognized by the United States government they were neither a people nor a body politic, as defined by section 5283 under which the libel was drawn, and Judge Locke sustained the point; so, if the court of last resort sustains the Judge's decision, it would appear that filibustering expeditions will have clearer sailing from the ports of this country, hereafter.

Now that the committee of 100 has refused to grant Milwaukee further time to raise the amount of her bid (\$400,000) for the state semi-centennial celebration, we presume that Wisconsin's 50th anniversary will be formally celebrated at Madison. At any rate, the following suggestion, from the Democrat of the latter place, should be approved by everyone: "Historical societies should be at once formed in every town; and local historians should be stimulated to prepare annals that will give the facts as to early settlement and all interesting events. The churches should prepare church histories, the denominations should each take an inventory of their progress. The Grand Army posts should have annals written of their members and gather in all the diaries of the soldiers and all letters and the like. School districts should make a grand story of their evolution."

Two of a Kind.—The Fond du Lac Commonwealth says: "The papers which say that Hanna ought not to succeed John Sherman in the senate because he is not an orator, are short on history. Philetus Sawyer was not an orator, but he succeeded in passing more bills in the senate than any other man in that body."

The proposition that a homestead, not to exceed in value, say \$2,500, should not be taxable has been made by the governor-elect of Washington. While this may be a Populistic germ idea, at the same time there is much justice in just such a movement. There is another reform that might be made at the same time in this matter of homesteads. Make the exemption at about this amount and amend the present law in this state which protects homesteads to the value of \$5,000 of all assaults of the creditors of the owner of the homestead, so that no owner can mortgage it, no claim whatever to lien except that of the man who built the home in the first place, any work done afterwards to be done at the builder's risk. If it is the object of the state to protect a homestead, why not protect it all the way through? Why should not some men be protected against even themselves? Why should not a man's family be protected in the fullest sense the law can do so? Let us have a reform in the matter of homesteads.—Racine Journal.

THE INAUGURATION BALL. Mend yer black silk, Mandy, An' trim yer bouant flae; Take a fashion magazine An' study each design; Press me doeking 'gainst the wall; They're haeking 'gainst the wall; Make ready for the dancin' An' the inauguration ball; What's that 'bout how I voted? Now, jes' let bygones be; The fac' that he's the President Is quite enough for me; We'll leave our cares behind us—Figs, cattle, tramps an' all—An' you an' me'll be partners At the inauguration ball.—Washington Star.

WAYNE WAITINGS. Herman Marose and wife of Knowles visited the latter's parents here last Sunday.

Wm. Kippenhan spent last Sunday with his brother John at Theresa on a visit. Our town clerk, Peter Benedum, is on the sick list. We wish him a speedy recovery. Chris. Klumb and family of the town of Barton Sabbath with the Henry Martin family here.

The dance in Peter's hall, which was given by Alf. Meritz last Saturday, was not well attended owing to inclement weather. However, twenty couple present had a good time. Schultz's band furnished for the music. The raffle was postponed for some time in the future.

A torpid liver means a bad complexion, bad breath, indigestion and frequent headaches. To avoid such companions take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills.—Charles Miller.

WISE AND OTHERWISE.

Willy—Do animals go to heaven, parson? Parson Goodman—No, William; probably not; or, at least we have no reason to think so. Willy—Then the milk and honey in heaven must be canned goods, I suppose.—The Echo.

A list of persons in Philadelphia worth over \$50,000, published in 1845, contained 718 names. There were only ten millionaires. The Stephen Girard estate leads with \$7,000,000, nearly one-fourth of the wealth of the whole list. Fein-haired people are becoming less numerous than formerly. The ancient Jews were a fair-haired race; now they are generally dark. So it is in a lesser degree with the Irish, among whom 150 years ago a dark-haired person was almost unknown.—X.

All the different forms of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema and indolent ulcers, can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great skin cure.—Chas. Miller.

B. G. Romaine has his saw-mill in order for sawing logs.

Miss Della Romaine returned last Monday from her visit to Tacheedah.

W. J. Romaine spent the latter part of last week with his sister in Sheboygan.

P. G. Van Blarcom and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

FOR SALE.—Good 2-story house, with lot, in Campbellsport. Inquire of Dr. Fols, New Cassel, Wis.

R. Rice and wife of Aurora spent the greater part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. L. B. Reed.

Mrs. L. B. Van Blarcom and daughter Maude spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. R. N. Gage, in Campbellsport.

While Jo. Doyle was cutting wood last Friday, the ax slipped and cut a large slash in the top of one of his feet. Dr. Hoffmann dressed the wound, and it was doing well at last reports.

P. G. Van Blarcom's new residence here is nearly completed. He drove to Fond du Lac last Saturday and got the plate glass front, which is now being put in place. The furnace is complete, also the water works. Any one selling door bells will do well to call at P. G. Van Blarcom's office in Fond du Lac.

Chicago, Pa. "Herald." Richard Vessel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so-called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vessel said it assisted his children through a very bad time of convalescence. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectation very easy and rapid.—Charles Miller.

NEW FANE FLATS.

S. Windisch made a trip to Milwaukee last Monday.

John Schiltz is busy storing up ice for the coming summer.

Martha and Ernest Krueger visited Mrs. Krueger last Sunday.

Mrs. Fred. Backhaus moved into her new residence here last Friday.

Wm. Backhaus made a business trip to the Cream City last Monday.

Some of our young people are selecting parts for an entertainment, which is to be given some time next month.

The bicycle raffle, at S. Windisch's last Sunday, was not well attended owing to a snow storm, so the same was postponed till Feb. 21st.

Charles Ficks was arrested by a deputy sheriff from the East last Saturday; that, Charley made a bold move, and the finally was forced to draw his paper-cap gun. Ficks escaped by jumping his bail.

A weed in the garden can be easily destroyed when it first starts. Consumption can be nipped in the bud by One Minute Cough Cure.—Charles Miller.

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Miss Gertrude Corbett called on Miss Anna Fellenz last Wednesday.

Miss Lena Schneider is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. H. Voltz.

The marriage of Miss A. Schladweiler to W. G. Van Beck will take place next Tuesday.

Fred. Geise of Milwaukee attended the funeral of Charles Lippert at Beechwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Schaefer of Kewaskum called on the Chris. Schneider family here last Sunday.

The Messrs. Brown and Boesewetter of West Bend passed through here last Sunday and called on Mr. O. Haback.

A social party was held at the home of Emil Geier last —day, and all who attended have reported as having had a good time.

Those of our people who attended the funeral of Charles Lippert at Beechwood last Monday were: Mrs. Oeder and family, J. Schlosser, M. Schladweiler and daughter Susie, J. Kamless and family, J. Laubach, M. Stahler; Miss Katie, Peter and Andrew Roden; Miss Anna and Peter Fellenz.

OBITUARY. DIED.—LIPPERT.—AT Beechwood, Jan. 15, 1896, Charles Lippert, aged 23 years, 6 months and 9 days.

The death of the deceased young man was a surprise to his friends here, as he had only been taken ill with lung fever about a week previous to his demise, at 5 p. m. of the 15th inst. He was known here as the young man of Sterling character, beloved by all. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved relatives and friends.

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If you want a 240 or a 160-acre farm 7 miles from Fond du Lac at \$50 an acre, or an 80 three miles from Kewaskum at \$90 per acre, call at the Eagle hotel.

J. V. Kohout, an old resident of West Bend, died at Ashland last Sunday at the age of 70 years, and the remains were interred at the former place last Wednesday.

Dr. Wm. Hausman has been appointed as clerk of the School board by the town clerk, Wm. Colvin, instead of Wm. Weddig, who vacated that office upon assuming the duties of sheriff.

The early morning mail train, due here at 6:24 a. m. yesterday, met with an accident near Eden, which delayed traffic for a few hours. The tire of one of the drive-wheels of the engine broke.

R. J. Eaton, real estate agent of Waupun, will be at the Eagle hotel until Jan. 28. If you contemplate buying a farm, it will be worth your time to find out about those No. 1 farms at \$50 to \$80 an acre.

Last Tuesday, Jan. 19th, was the 60th anniversary of the birth of J. N. Perschbacher, and the occasion was appropriately observed at his home, 2 miles north of here. We wish him many a happy return of the day.

A progressive cinch party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schlei, last Thursday, at their home in the town of Auburn, and it was largely attended by friends of the couple, who concluded the occasion with dancing in the evening.

A. F. Backhaus purchased 185 shares of the stock of the Marshfield Brewing company at its par value last Tuesday. This gives him the controlling interest in the brewery. The company was reorganized Wednesday and the following officers were elected: President, A. F. Backhaus; vice-president, Phil. H. Adler; Emil P. Schebe, manager.

The mild winter which we are having has caused some alarm among city ice dealers, and we understand that some inquiries have been made here in regard to ice available for shipment. If so, we may have the lively times of six winters ago, when 500 carloads of ice was taken out of the Milwaukee river and thus furnished employment to many residents at good wages.

Platt Durand and Stuart Campbell attended probate court last Tuesday in Fond du Lac.

Peter, the sport of St. Kilian, may be all right sawing logs but he is not in it playing *sawduff*.

Gustave Koepke, principal of the Kewaskum school, visited his parents here last Sunday.

Clarence Flint and Miss Ellis were guests of Mrs. and Edna Flint last Saturday and Sunday.

Philip Bonesho, who has been here for a few days' vacation, has returned to work at Milwaukee.

H. Yankov is reported to be the champion hunter of this vicinity. He says that he has the belt.

Wm. Meyer is very happy, as he does not have to pass the cemetery since his sweet-heart is in town.

J. H. Paas went to Fond du Lac last Thursday to meet the bishop on business pertaining to the cemetery.

Mrs. Lavina Phillips of Milwaukee, who spent a few weeks with friends in this vicinity, left last Friday for the Cream City.

Katie Bonesho and brother Albert went to Milwaukee, last Sunday, where the latter is to be treated by an oculist.

O. Hull gave a chopping bee at his place last Thursday and a dance in the evening. A few of our young people attended.

C. R. Van de Zande and wife attended the funeral of her father at Oostburg last Monday and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Fellenz, who taught the primary department of the Kewaskum public school the past three weeks, has returned home.

John P. Schmitt is very busy sawing logs. Everbody says he is doing good work and at a very reasonable price—\$4.00 per 1,000 feet.

The teachers' meeting and reading circle in the High school last Saturday was well attended, about 22 teachers having been present.

Wm. Hall is reported to be the champion pool shark. The two champions met and played a game which resulted in favor of William, who now carries the belt.

We would advise the girls of this town to bait their hooks, as it is reported that there is going to be some nice young men to be caught in the near future.

Mrs. Fred. Piel and her daughters Mary and Clara made a call on Mrs. Martin Boeckler last Tuesday evening, and May tried the new piano while her hostess smiled approvingly.

Ernest Martin and Guy Matteson made a business trip to the Five corners last Monday, and also made it a part of his business to visit a certain school house before they returned.

An entertainment was given at the residence of Mr. Kniekel last Friday evening for the benefit of the Methodist church. A very pleasing programme was rendered and the vocal talent was especially praiseworthy.

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The members of the Young Ladies' Sodality will give an entertainment at the Catholic school hall on Feb. 2. The programme will consist of songs, recitations, a drama and a farce. The complete programme will appear next week.

CAMPBELLSPORT CULLINGS.

J. Loeb has purchased a new pino. Guy, the guy is still guying the guys. F. D. Campbell is still on the sick list.

Freeman Borchert's daughter is still quite ill. Gottlieb Phiel lost a very valuable horse this week.

F. Meenk made a business trip to Batavia last Thursday. Dr. Hoffmann has purchased a very fine Indian pony for his son Gregor.

E. F. Martin made a business trip to Taycheedah last Monday. Philip Guenther went to West Bend last Saturday on business.

Farrel and Meixensperger shipped a carload of cattle this week. Rev. Reul of Dundee spent Monday with the Arimond family here.

David Wenzel of Milwaukee is spending a vacation with his parents. It is reported that the G. A. R. will have a masquerade on Feb. 22.

John Guenther and Willy Ulrich are on the sick list; also, Pat. Calvy. Mrs. Wedde and Miss Phillips spent a few days at Mayville this week.

Maggie Mueller visited her sister Annie at Kewaskum last Sunday. Wm. Johnson of Milwaukee spent Wednesday in our burg with friends.

Patrick Murry of Marblehead shook hands with friends here last Monday. The Modern Woodmen did not meet this week on account of other business.

Mrs. E. F. Martin and Mrs. T. Ferber went to Fond du Lac last Tuesday. Fred. Pohlmann is hustling for N. C. Michaels, selling the Champion binder.

Wm. Handgartner of Wayne spent Wednesday here with friends and relatives. Charles Ebert and Philip Guenther made a business trip to Jersey last Tuesday.

L. Rhodes and wife called on relatives and friends in Waupun a few days this week. Platt Durand and Stuart Campbell attended probate court last Tuesday in Fond du Lac.

Peter, the sport of St. Kilian, may be all right sawing logs but he is not in it playing *sawduff*.

Gustave Koepke, principal of the Kewaskum school, visited his parents here last Sunday.

Clarence Flint and Miss Ellis were guests of Mrs. and Edna Flint last Saturday and Sunday.

Philip Bonesho, who has been here for a few days' vacation, has returned to work at Milwaukee.

H. Yankov is reported to be the champion hunter of this vicinity. He says that he has the belt.

Wm. Meyer is very happy, as he does not have to pass the cemetery since his sweet-heart is in town.

J. H. Paas went to Fond du Lac last Thursday to meet the bishop on business pertaining to the cemetery.

Mrs. Lavina Phillips of Milwaukee, who spent a few weeks with friends in this vicinity, left last Friday for the Cream City.

Katie Bonesho and brother Albert went to Milwaukee, last Sunday, where the latter is to be treated by an oculist.

O. Hull gave a chopping bee at his place last Thursday and a dance in the evening. A few of our young people attended.

C. R. Van de Zande and wife attended the funeral of her father at Oostburg last Monday and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Fellenz, who taught the primary department of the Kewaskum public school the past three weeks, has returned home.

John P. Schmitt is very busy sawing logs. Everbody says he is doing good work and at a very reasonable price—\$4.00 per 1,000 feet.

The teachers' meeting and reading circle in the High school last Saturday was well attended, about 22 teachers having been present.

Wm. Hall is reported to be the champion pool shark. The two champions met and played a game which resulted in favor of William, who now carries the belt.

We would advise the girls of this town to bait their hooks, as it is reported that there is going to be some nice young men to be caught in the near future.

Mrs. Fred. Piel and her daughters Mary and Clara made a call on Mrs. Martin Boeckler last Tuesday evening, and May tried the new piano while her hostess smiled approvingly.

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BEECHWOOD BEAMLETS.

Mary Miller of New Prospect is visiting Mrs. G. W. Koch this week. The O'Connell family entertained quite a number of relatives and friends last Sunday.

Frank Dickmann and family of New Prospect made a brief call on friends here last Tuesday.

August Krentzinger and sister Lizzie visited relatives and friends near Sheboygan Falls last week.

Chas. Miller, a former employe of A. F. Drescher & Co., is at present staying here with Mr. Drescher.

Nic. Mertes, the genial host of the Central hotel of Kewaskum, made a brief call on friends here last Sunday.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Heberer died of croup and was buried in the Lutheran cemetery last Sunday.

Garry Romaine, a highly polished gentleman from New Prospect, paid his respects to one of our young ladies last Tuesday. Oh, how sudden!

A little son of Martin Hansen broke one of his arms last week, but we are glad to learn that he is getting along nicely under the circumstances.

Charles Lippert, who had been staying with his brother, Wm. Deckliver, died from inflammation of the lungs after suffering for nine days. He had been here but a short time and was to leave on the day of his attack for Illinois, where he had been previously employed.

He was born in Milwaukee 23 years ago. His remains were laid to rest in the Beechwood cemetery under the auspices of the Methodist church, last Monday.

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BOLTONVILLE BUDGET. Miss Paulina Hauser is visiting relatives at Sheboygan. Otto Plaun spent Saturday and Sunday in the Cream City.

Mrs. A. Heipp spent a few days of this week in the Cream City. Miss Francis Campbell of Hilbert, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Mary Goldman left last Thursday to spend some time in Chicago. Miss Cora Bailey of Langlade county is spending a few weeks at her home here.

Will Brigham of New Prospect, is a frequent caller at the home of G. F. Strohm. Miss Celia Bradley entertained a number of her schoolmates last Friday evening.

Martin Kenney resigned his position at A. Heipp's store and left last Monday for the Cream City.

Mrs. Robert Rice died Jan. 13, 1897, at the advanced age of about 80 years. The deceased suffered a stroke of paralysis nearly a year ago, and had been unable to leave her bed after it; but, strengthened by a truly Christian faith, she bore her sufferings uncomplainingly.

Six children survive her, a husband having preceded her in death eight years ago. The funeral took place last Friday at the St. John church, Rev. Muenzer officiating.

Mrs. C. E. Bolton, nee Arnold, died on Jan. 10, 1897, at the age of 72 years. The deceased was born in Marlborough, Vermont, in 1824. She came to Wisconsin in 1846 and married James A. Bolton at Silver Creek in 1850. They moved to Boltonville in 1866 and resided here ever since.

Besides a husband, two sons and six daughters survive her. Her latter days were attended with much suffering, but were made peaceful by the loving ones about her. Mrs. Bolton was an earnest follower of the teachings of her church, and her life was a fitting example for others to follow.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. Miller of Campbellsport, assisted by Rev. A. D. Whaley. Those who attended the funeral from abroad were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Hall and daughter, G. F. Arnold and Mrs. Etta Arnold of Appleton; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Arnold, E. Arnold and Mrs. Nora Arnold of Fond du Lac; Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson of Port Washington.

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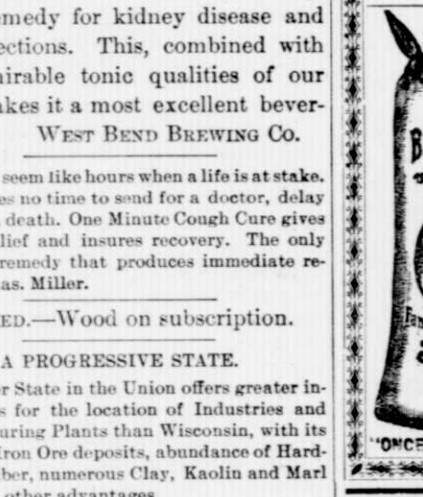
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Wisconsin Patents. Patents for the following Wisconsin inventions are reported for this week by Erwin, Wheeler & Wheeler, 38 and 50 Wisconsin street, Milwaukee, Wis. These attorneys will furnish the Inventors' Handbook free.

M. Cooke, assessor, danger for stores; H. D. Davis, Eau Claire, binding or wrapping; Wm. J. Ellenhorn, Eau Claire, Thomas, Wisconsin, automatic cabinet; E. M. Minton, Union Grove, hand cultivator; F. Wauwatosa, moving machine; J. P. Wessing, assessor, Fremont, spring counter; Charles Whitford, Milwaukee, combined jointer and land-grader.

An organ has been shipped from Lacombe, N. H., to a missionary in Shanghai, China.

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The receipts of the Denver postoffice for 1906 showed an increase of \$26,000 over 1905.

How Our Meat Trade is Injured. Ten or fifteen years ago, 75,000,000 a business man quoted by the Philadelphia Record, "the canned meat put up in square tins by American houses were sold in great quantities in Samoa. It was not long before Australia and New Zealand packers came to the market, missing a good thing, so they sent out agents who circulated a story among the natives that the effect of cheap American meats were causing the natives to lose their hair, and that the process of preparing the bones of the dead cannibals for shipment to the Celestial Empire from San Francisco had been canned and labeled 'beef' for Pacific island consumption. The story gained credence to such an extent that the natives shunned the square tins and could only be induced to buy the round, flat tins put up by Australian and New Zealand houses. That prejudice exists today to such an extent that United States Consul Mulligan has mentioned in his report to the state department."

An English explorer, Edward A. Fitzgerald, has set out with an elaborately equipped party to try to climb Aconcagua on the borders of Chile and the Argentine Republic. This mountain is 23,000 feet high, the highest peak outside of the Himalayas.

Bounty has been paid on more than 40,000 sparrows in Gratiot county, Mich. During the past year, and yet the birds seem to be as numerous as ever.

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Crichton Campbell writes as follows to the New York Press:

"I have a love of humanity and help to popularize the baked banana as an article of food for rich and poor, especially the poor. No poor child need go to school hungry. One cent will buy a banana, and a loaf of bread when baked in a good-sized banana, which when baked in a tin in an oven for fifteen or twenty minutes until it is quite soft and bursts open, alone makes a full meal. Now, the banana sold in the streets is not the banana which I am talking of. It is the banana which I have calculated the food product of the plantain, compared with the potato, as 4 to 1, and composed of 20 per cent of water, 10 per cent of starch, 10 per cent of sugar, 10 per cent of fat, 10 per cent of protein, and 10 per cent of cellulose. From personal experience that three bananas weighing one pound are equal in nourishment to a pound of potatoes. Bananas must never be eaten raw; they are full of animal germs and are productive of tapeworm.

Bananas are very indigestible. Youngsters fed on raw bananas nearly always suffer from diseases of the intestines and convulsions. Physicians call such children 'banana babies.'

Baked bananas are also the ideal food for nervous persons and anaemias, also brain workers. I learned that the best nerve tonic is mental effort in India. If Wall Street brokers and lawyers would on two mornings every week include a couple of baked bananas in their menu and fasten on them, they would be much better off. I am as hard a brain worker as any person in New York and I have substituted for years on end on baked bananas. When I see lean, blood-poor persons, I advise them to eat baked bananas, and they unflinchingly build up and gain flesh. The Latin name of the plantain, *musa sapientum*, signifies 'of the wise.'

This subject, which might not inappropriately be called the 'Banana Cure,' because many illnesses can be cured by eating baked bananas, merits your earliest investigation. The introduction of the potato was a great boon to the people, but I predict that the spreading of the banana will prove of still greater benefit.

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circumstances and exceptions, it is often of little value because it cannot be applied. Under such circumstances a good application of common sense will prove of more value to the farmer than an application of the best barnyard manure, or of the more expensive use of the best fertilizers in the market. A constant application of good common sense by the farmer himself will most certainly keep any farm in good running order.—Farm News.

A Home-made Bed Hoister. The hoister shown below is suitable for use with beef or hogs. Two 4 by 12 timbers, 14 feet long, and fastened together near the top, are set firmly in the ground. Eight feet from the top place another pair like the first. In the middle of the two timbers a strong pulley is fastened to a pulley. Between the supports and a little to one side set a stout stake and to its top attach another pulley. Then with an or-

dering fence wire. For some years past we have been using a fence wire to ground the wires each spring to ground the wires every twenty rods or such a matter, and thus avoid the danger of having the lightning, when a fence is struck, making the round of the field and killing any stock that may be near it. The subject was brought up at the late meeting of the mutual insurance companies and discussed somewhat fully, says Wallace's Farmer, and the almost universal experience was, that when wires had been grounded as above suggested, there had been little or no damage to stock. This is a matter of great importance, as will readily be seen by any man who examines his assessment and discovers that a large per cent. of the losses are those of cattle by lightning and in open fields. We do not claim that grounding the fence wires will avoid the danger altogether. What we claim is that the fence where the wires are grounded are much safer than cattle in the open field, for the reason that a properly grounded fence acts as a lightning rod to the parts of the field adjacent to the fence.

This pest of poultry is a small tick of a white or grayish color when unfed, but of a red color when filled with a chicken's blood. They have eight legs in later stages, but when quite young have but six. The mouth parts, illustrated in Fig. c, are capable of extension so as to penetrate the skin of the bird. They remain on the chickens only while feeding, and are to be found in great numbers secreted in the cracks and corners of the poultry house or adjacent places. On this account

the simplest and cheapest protection is coating lark with some substance offensive to these animals. Among them is a thick wash made of cow manure with water, with enough water slaked lime to render the mixture of a dull, white appearance, or rather of a greenish-gray. Rabbits do not like this kind of condiment with their food. A stronger mixture is made by mixing gas tar, but for young trees with tender bark, it should be cautiously or sparingly used, or it may injure them. The mixture is applied with any old broom or coarse brush. A moderate portion of asafetida in the mixture is said to give it additional efficiency as a rabbit repellent.

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Don't Wash the Frying Pan. It is a mistake to wash a frying pan. If any housewife doubts this, let her try it and prove the result. The pan should be placed over the fire, to melt thoroughly all the fat which has remained in it; and while this is hot the inside of the pan should be rubbed with clean, soft paper until it is quite clean. The paper must be screwed up and used vigorously. Frying pans treated in this way will never burn their contents until they are actually wearing out.

A Strengthening Diet. It will be of interest to housewives to know that the celebrated foreign physicians are recommending the marrow bone for a strengthening diet and tonic. The marrow bone is served up in a piece of hot dry toast. When it is to be eaten, the marrow is taken out and spread upon the toast. It is also served upon small portions of fillet of beef, and in this manner is considered a desirable course for luncheon parties.

Delicious Orange Dessert. Shred half a dozen juicy oranges, leaving all the pulp. Pile these small pieces up in a china bowl. Make a rich syrup by boiling a pound of cut sugar in water and a little lemon juice. Pour this syrup over the oranges and set away in a cool place. Before serving spread over the top a small quantity of whipped cream. This makes a delicious dessert for either luncheon or dinner.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Plain Plum Pudding. One pound of crackers rolled; one pound (generous measure) of stone raisins; three quarts of rich milk; four eggs, half cup of butter; a dessert spoonful of cinnamon and half dessert spoonful, each, of cloves and allspice. Butter a pudding dish, turn the batter into it and bake four and one-half hours, slowly.

Helps for the Cook. Fill punchbowl with well-dried coffee grounds, for mice and moths will never touch them, and the needles and pins will not rust.

When storing raisins, rub a little butter on the fingers and then dip them in a little lemon juice. This will prevent the raisins from becoming sticky and discolored.

A heaped tablespoonful of jam of any kind to a quart of boiling water, covered and strained when cold, makes a wholesome drink for children.

Don't throw away the yeast when it begins to sour; instead, add two teaspoonfuls of sugar to each cup of the yeast, and let it stand awhile before using.

Don't throw away the small quantity of sweet and a little water which is left from dinner, for a very little of either will make a nice pie, if prepared in the same manner as pumpkin.

Don't throw away grease of any sort, besides the drippings that can be used for frying purposes; put the seemingly useless grease into a pail, and when nearly full add some water and a pound of polish, and only a little boiling will be required to make it into nice soap.

Parachutes. The ordinary parachute is made on the principle of the umbrella. Every one knows the difficulty of carrying an umbrella in a high wind, the force of the blast being such as to furnish a considerable motor power. While the principle is the same, the construction varies in some particulars with the parachute. It is made of a material which is not so heavy as the ordinary umbrella, but consisting of a large circular sail, with cords from various points in its circumference, uniting in a knot or handle a number of feet below. This last variety is considered especially dangerous, as it comes down open when needed, and allows the aeronaut who has trusted himself to it to fall directly to the ground without its support.

The editors of the Zoological Record have recently drawn up a table that indicates approximately the number of the living species of animals. The following are the figures given: Mammals, 2,500; reptiles and batrachians, 4,400; turtles, 900; brachiopods, 150; crinoids, 20,000; myriapods, 2,000; echinoderms, 3,000; coelenterata, 2,600; protozoans, 6,100; birds, 12,500; fishes, 12,000; mollusks, 50,000; bryozoans, 1,800; arachnids, 10,000; insects, 230,000; vermes, 6,150; sponges, 1,500. General total, 298,000 distinct species.

"Music for the Deaf" was the subject of a very interesting paper in the physiological section by Prof. McKendrick of Glasgow. He found it possible to give some deaf people a hearing with vibrations to deaf people by putting their hands in saline solution through which an electric current from the phonograph was passed. It gave a new sensation to the deaf person.

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HOUSEHOLD CONGRESS.

Senate. The Senate on the 14th passed the measure known as the free homestead bill, which has been under discussion since the holiday recess. It is a measure of far-reaching importance, particularly to the West, and the interest in it was shown by the fact that a plank concerning it was featured on several national platforms. The effect of the bill is to open to settlement, free of any payment to the government beyond the minor office fees, and to release from payment those who have heretofore settled on the lands. The number of acres to be opened to settlement is estimated by the commissioner of the general land office, as 32,254, which would have yielded the government, at the prices heretofore established, \$3,345,000. To offset this amount it was brought out during the debate that the lands were mainly arid, and that those who had settled upon them were unable to make payment on account of the scanty products of the soil. 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