sary-General. ATTACKED BY EAGAN.

Says Miles Should be Drummed Out of Camp and Ostracised

by Society. Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.-Most vigorous and sensational testimony was giv-

en before the war investigation commission today by Commissary-General Eagan, who, appearing unexpectedly to meet the allegations against the beef issnes in the war, vigorously arraigned Maj.-Gen. Miles, commanding the army. He read his testimony from a large written statement.

He denied numerous statesments of Gen. Miles, charged that the latter's testhe commanding generals of the expeditions and referred to him as "this same commanding general, Nelson A. Miles," and said whoever called the beef furnished "embalmed beef" was a "liar."

W. B. Miles, in charge of Armour & Co.'s Kansas City plant, appeared for the packing-house. His testimony as to the quality of the canned meats and methods of packing and inspection was practically the same as that of other meathmen.

Gen. Eagan's Testimony. Gen. Eagan's testimony on this point

follows:

"Gen. Miles was asked by your committee how tinned fresh beef became a part of the army ration. His answer is You had better ask the secretary of war or the commissary-general. I think they can tell you. I know it was sent to the army as food and the pretense is that it was sont as an experiment."

was sent as an experiment.'

"Gen. Miles, in saying that this feed was sent to the army as a pretense for experiment,' says that which implies corruption, which 29 out of every 100 people will understand to mean corruption, because it was a pretense of experiment.' cause it was 'a pretense of experiment,' he says, not even giving credit to me for furnishing it as an experiment, but that I furnished it under the 'pretense of an experiment.' This is a serious charge, should not be made by any man lightly, nor without ample evidence to

Calls Miles a Liar.

"Taking the statement in the sense "Taking the statement in the sense it was probably intended, the sense that will be accepted by the country at large, the sense that already the press almost wholly of the United States has accepted—indeed some of that press because of it called for my dismissal from the army and my court-martial—I answer that it was not furnished under the pretense of experiment, nor even as an experiment, and experiment, nor even as an experiment, and when Gen. Miles charges that it was furnished as 'pretense of experiment' he lies in his throat, he lies in his heart, he lies in every hair of his head, and every pore of his body, he lies wilfully, deliber-ately, intentionally and maliciously.

statement itself. I wish to force the lie back into his throat covered with the contents of a camp latrine. I wish to brand it as a falsehood of whole cloth without a particle of truth to sustain it, and unless he can prove his statement he should be driven out of the clubs, barred from the society of decent people and so ostracized that the street bootblack would not condescend to speak to him, for he has fouled his own nest, he has aspersed the honor of a brother officer without a particle of evidence or fact to sustain in any degree his scendalous libelus many degree

Miles Refused to be Sworn.

Gen. Eagan had prepared a typewritten statement covering his side of his case and was allowed to read it. Gen. Eagan referred to the fact that Gen. Miles had refused to be sworn and commented on the fact that he was the only one of 500 witnesses who had so refused. Gen. Eagan said he himself preferred to be

to Gen. Miles appointment of Maj. John D. Black, a civilian, as his chief of staff, and said that this was largely responsible for the trouble that followed. He said that Maj. Black had been furnished \$5000 before starting for Porto Rico and that he had any are that he had a had a hear that he had a hear provide himself a checkbook, not left his signature with etary of the treasury, mand. There were experienced disburs-ing officers in the island who had in the aggregate over \$400,000 in their posses-sion, and yet Gen. Miles had complained that there were no paymasters in the island, so that the soldiers had no money with which to buy food for themselves. Gen. Miles had then called on the depart

Gen. Muss and then caned on the department to put \$50,000 more in the hands of Maj. Black and this Gen. Eagan declined to do, putting \$10,000 to Maj. Black's credit in New York. Sensational Newspaper Reports.

Gen. Eagan referred to the mysterious manner in which papers disappeared from the files of the war department. He said that while Gen. Miles was at He said that while Gen. Miles was at Tampa he wired to the commissary-general to know what stores and supplies were on hand at Tampa and some other point. Gen. Eagan replied in the usual way, though at that time the railroad track at Tampa was piled with millions of rations. Gen. Eagan said he was astounded the following morning to see in the reports of certain papers that

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WILL OF A QUEER MAN.

Strange Developments in Probate

Claire Farmer.

Concerning a Well-to-Do Eau

Eau Claire, Wis., Jan. 7 .- The will of

the late James H. Wilson, a well-to-do

Witnesses testified that Wilson wore

ly covered, no matter how warm the weather happened to be. One provision of the will read: "I here-

by give and bequeath to my daughter,
Adeline E., (her present marriage name
being to me unknown), the sum of \$5.
An adopted son, George Wilson, is cut off
with \$1, and the contestant, Ella B. Wilson, an adopted daughter, gets a legacy of
\$55. All the rest of the preparety went to

son, an adopted daughter, gets a legacy of \$5. All the rest of the property went to the widow. The estate is said to be worth between \$5000 and \$6000. The present Mrs. Wilson was the fifth wife of the deceased, James H. Wilson; Wilson himself had been married five times. Wilson's fourth wife committed

CHICAGO POTATO MARKET.
CHICAGO—There was a brisk demand for all descriptions and the market held firm.
Offerings were only moderate, tracks being well cleaned up. Hebrons, per bus, 33
635c; Peerless, per bus, 33635c; Rose, per bus, 33635c; Burbanks, per bus, 35637c.
Sweet potatoes—Jersey, 2.0062.25; Illinois, 1.2561.50.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

very interesting developments.

ALEX ZEESE IS DEAD.

Pioneer Engraver is Killed by Fall at a Chicago Railway Bitter Words from the Commis-Station.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11 .- Alexander Zeese of the firm of A. Zeese & Co., phoprocess engravers, and one of the pion engravers of Chicago, was killed alst instantly last evening by falling rom the iron stairway at the North-

. Zeese was on his way to his home, 704 Wilson avenue, at the time of the ac-eident. In descending the stairway, which leads into the station from Wells reet, and is used mainly for suburban raffic. Mr. Zeese lost his balance and fell wer the guard, striking on the stone paytwelve feet below. Several persons nessed the accident, and among the t to reach Mr. Zeese was Dr. Thomprailway physician at the station. was extinct when he picked Mr. e up, and the physician gave it as his on that death had been caused by a

The body was taken to Carroll's under-aking establishment, 203 Wells street, where from papers found in his clothing the identity of Mr. Zeese was estab-lished. His relatives and business asso-Zeese was 60 years old and lived his wife and younger children at Wilson avenue. He was president he firm of A. Zeese & Co., and was of the originators of photo-process

The offices of the firm are at 300 and Dearborn street. Mr. Zeese left there at 6 o'clock and remained downtown some time with friends. He then start-ed to catch the 9:30-o'clock suburban

TRAIN'S FATAL WORK. Takes a Track Not Commonly Used

and Kills Four Persons

Near Pittsburg. Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 11.-Four persons vere run down and instantly killed by express train No. 13 near Larimer Staon, on the Pennsylvania railroad, twen-

v-two miles east of Pittsburg. The list f dead is as follows: MARY MILLER. THOMAS MILLER. ALBERT WILSON. WALTER BROWN.

The train dashed into the group of un-ortunates at full speed and the bodies ere terribly mangled. After being gathered up, the remains were taken in charge by friends. On account of a freight wreck near Larimer it was necreight wreck hear Larimer it was nec-ssary to switch the westbound passen-er train to the eastbound track. The express was running at full speed and he engineer blew the whistle, but the on the westbound track as usual. They were all residents of Larimer.

STATES MUST PAY BILLS.

"In denouncing Gen. Miles as a liar same and if it were held that the gov-

W. R. WALKER RESIGNS.

No Longer the General Manager of the Illinois Steel Company.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 11.-William R.

Walker, general manager of the Illinois Steel company at South Chicago, is said to have resigned his position. Just what caused his departure from the plant is not given out by his friends nor the officers of the company.

Mr. Walker was connected with the libric of the company of the compa

Observations Made by a Well-

Known Priest.

FR. SHERMAN'S VIEWS. People Welcome American Rule and

tlarm was unheard, as the victims evilently thought that the train would run nance even on the mountain top; where passions are easily heated and an over-crowded population leaves large numbers crowded population leaves large numbers out of employment—an island whose needs can only be met by the strong hand of the military, aided and abetted by a system of civil piolice and rural guard composed where possible of some of the best class of Porto Ricans and in hold-ing all civil authorities, beginning with

STAIRO SERVINGEN D. C. Jan. II.—I., Mightigue, D. C. Jan. III.—I., Mightigue, D. C. Jan. II.—I., Mightigue, D. C. Jan. II.—I., Mightigue, D. C. Jan. II.—I.,

department the bils could be paid by the
disbursing officers of the government.
The comptroller, however, holds to the
contrary and says:

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whether such delegation could be conferred in such zeneral terms. Public
policy, if nothing else, would prohibit
such an exercise of power so fraught
with possibilities of mischief and uncontrollable expense, and it seems to me
there is nothing in the intended. All the inhabitants of the island,
with few exceptions, are nominally at
least Roman Catholics. Very few of the
men are more than Catholic on name.
There are man Catholics of their
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outcut, and the winter is over. A moderate
number of clergy are not native of the stant state and s

ing a kind of paralysis and consternation among a body of men accustomed to lean on the government and find in it their normal means of support. Religion is dead on the island. Whether it can be revived as a living influence is highly problematical. There is little or no observance of the sanctity of Sunday.

Speaker Reed assumed a new dignity.

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With regard to education Father Sherman says he is not prepared to make anything like a full report. There are many thing like a full report.

thing like a full report. There are many schools both in town and in country. Those in the country are poorly and irregularly attended. The children are bright and quick, develop earlier than ours, and many are capable of learning to read and write much sooner than the American children. The prompt sending of teachers of the lower grades acquainted with both English and Spanish would, he thinks, be the best step to facilitate a change in the system of education and to enable the rising generation to become Americanized. The Catholic colleges both in San Juan and Ponce have had such

were on hand and though and some other were on hand a part for present and the complete form the training of the present form the

any millions of annual output

Reciprocity Treaty with Canada Hinging on the Duty on Lumber and Pulp Wood.

SPLIT ON LUMBER.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.-Repre ntatives of the American and Canadian nber interests met in conference here

Coamo, Aibonito, Cayey, Caguas, Aguas,
Buenos, Juncos and Humocao. All of
these towns he found in perfect peace
and full of the sense of security. Late
in December Father Sherman says he
visited the towns of Vieques, Fajardo
and Carolina with the same result.

People Are Law-Abiding.

On which the United States and Canal
every effort at agreement on a reciprocity treaty. The Canadians have been
willing to make reasonable concessions
for free white pine and have hesitated
to agree to any concessions without important reciprocal advantages on lumber. Free admission to Canada
of American forest products and free ev-

New Yorkers Charged with Certifying a Large Check for Which There Were No Funds.

New York, Jan. 12.-James McNaugh-

orning by the receipt of the following "Manila, Jan. 12.—Adjutant-General, Washington: Conditions apparently im-proving. Citizens feel more secure. Many natives returning. City quiet and Otis."

FIRE NEAR HALIFAX.

Recovered.

Wagon Load of Stolen Goods

ARRESTS TO FOLLOW. William Below Confesses and He and

through the division of customs and insular affairs Father Thomas E. Shernan left San Juan October 19 and visited Arecibo. Utado and Lares, and thence south proceeded to Adjuntas alone and without a witnessing any disorder. Father Sherman left San Juan October 19 and hence south proceeded to Adjuntas alone and without witnessing any disorder. Father Sherman visited Coamo, Albonito, Cayey, Cayans, Aguas, Buenos, Juncos and Humocao. All of these towns he found in perfect peace and full of the sense of sceniis. have to come later on. Just then the object of their search put his head through a doorway and the officers arrested him. He claimed his arrest as spite work and said he could seally assist to the search put his head through a first search put his head through his head h People Are Law-Abidius.

As far as his observations went, Fa-ben starts suburban ple of Porto Rico gentle, docile and kinds in the change of society. The disorderly related by the lemmit is a very small fraction in the lemmit is a very small fraction in the lemmit as yet some accustomed. He says that a fiberal public outlay on the roads of by Start warm.

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position of his wealth it will never be known just how much Mr. Chapin was worth. It is reported that several favorite employes were well rewarded by Mr. Chapin before his death.

QUIET AT MANILA.

Gen. Otis Cables War Department that Citizens Begin to Feel More Secure.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—The secretary of war was much gratified this morning by the receipt of the following

BADGER APPOINTMENTS. Postmasters for Waupun, Plym-

outh, Wauwatosa and Port

Washington. Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.-Four Wisconsin postmasters were recommended for appointment yesterday. At Wau-

REPORT ON RAILROADS.

Commissioner McKenzie's Biennial Statement to the Governor Made Public. Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.-[Special.]-

The biennial report of Railroad Commis oner McKenzie for the two years end- farmer of Bridge Creek, Eau Claire couning June 30, 1898, which was submitted ty, which is being contested in Judge M. to the governor in December, was made | B. Hubbard's probate court, has had some public today. At the outset the commisioner bewails the fact that the reports the same clothes the year round. In the received from the railroads were too mea-

of June 30, ws:

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and injuries

though he would kiss his wife every night before retiring, he never occupied the same room. They were married in Neilsville by a Methodist clergyman four or five years ago, after Wilson's fourth wife had killed herself and Mrs. Wilson had been divorced from her fourth husband. Before retiring at night, Wilson would put on a fur cap and pull it down over his ears. He slept in heavy winter clothing and always were heavy woolen socks The summary of deaths and injuries from railway accidents during the biennial period just closed, is given as foldid not keep his feet well covered he would have them frost-bitten on the way to hell if he should die during the night. Wilson never failed to keep his feet heavi-

wenty-four hours, possibly some other members of the family.

William Below confessed that on the 17th of December he broke into a car at Fond du Lac and took the goods out of the car when it reached Van Dyne, on its way from here to Oshkosh. A brother came to the car with a team and carried off the articles to the place where they were secreted. William and Ernest were field under \$500 bonds and the other two Belows were dismissed.

Wilson himself had been married five times. Wilson's fourth wife committed suicide by hanging herself. His first died a natural death, while his second and third matrimonial career was eventing in the column known as "Others" and is an increase in deaths is in the column known as "Others" and is an increase of 57, as there is a decrease in the death column of the two classes "Employes" and "Passengers" of 2.

The injury columns, however the show as well the injury columns. Wilson himself had been married five times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matural death, while his second and the injury times. Wilson's matura

EX-BANKER'S DEMISE.

Ansel W. Hammond of Durand, Widely Known in Masonic Circles, Passes Away.

Durand, Wis., Jan. 12.—[Special.]—Ansel W. Hammond, a prominent retired property of grade crossings by either elevating the large of the states to change the present method of grade crossings by either elevating the large of the states to change the present method of grade crossings by either elevating the large of the large of the large of the states to change the present method of grade crossings by either elevating the large of the lar

believe there is a question here of importance to the people.

During the last two years thirty-six complaints have been received and were disposed of as follows: Sent to the interstate commerce commission, 3; settled, 12; withdrawn, 2; no cause, 9; pending, 10.

In all cases settled, the companies yielded to the demands of the complainant. The most frequent cause of complaint from the public is the lack of accommodations and connections at junctional points. "It seems as though there was a study on the part of some of the railway systems in the state to avoid making connections rather than to make them," the report says. "While it would be impossible for the reads to make connections at all junctional and better than they are doing."

The report gives tables to show how.

defor appointment yesterday. At Waupun, James W. Meikeljohn is recommended by Representative Davidson.
The other recommendations were filed by Representative Barney, the three offices being in the Fifth Congressional district. W. H. Loudalt is named for postmaster at Wauwatosa, H. L. Coe at
postmaster at Wauwatosa, H. L. Coe at
Port Washington and G. A. Albrecht at
Plymouth.

THE NEW CRUISERS.

Casemates for the Main Decks to Protect the Broadside Guns.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 12.—The
board on designs fur new warships has
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postoffice contest at Waukesha, and says
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Executed to order with neatness and dispatch and

THEY WANT TO TELL

AT REASONABLE RATES.

These Grateful Women Who Have

Been Helped by Mrs. Pinkham. Women who have suffered severely and been relieved of their ills by Mrs. Pinkham's advice and medicine are constantly urging publication of their statements for the benefit of other wo-

men. Here are two such letters: Mrs. Lizzie Beverly, 258 Merrimac

St., Lowell, Mass., writes: "It affords me great pleasure to tell all suffering women of the benefit I have received from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I can hardly find words to express my gratitude for what she has done for me. My trouble was ulceration of the womb. I was under the doctor's care. Upon examination he found fifteen very large ulcers. but he failed to do me good. I took several bottlesof Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, also used the Sanative Wash, and am cured. Mrs. Pinkham's medicine saved my life, and I would recommend it to all suffering women." Mrs. Amos TROMBLEAY, Ellenburgh

Ctr., N. Y.. writes: "I took cold at the time my baby was born, causing me to have milk legs, and was sick in bed for eight weeks. Doctors did me no good, I surely thought I would die. I was also troubled with falling of the womb. I could not eat, had faint spells as often as ten times a day. One day a lady came to see me and told me of the benefit she had derived from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine, and advised me to try it, I did so, and had taken only half a bottle before I was able to sit in a chair. After taking three bottles I could do my own work. I am now in perfect health."

THE LEGISLATURE.

The forty-fourth regular session of the Wisconsin Legislature opened at Madison at noon on January 11. Both houses convened promptly at 12 o'clock and with as much facility as possible elected the officers nominated at the several caucuses. Senator Thayer of Ripon was made president pro tem. of the Senate and George H. Ray of La Crosse speaker of the Assembly. Walter Houser of Mondovi was elected chief clerk of the upper house and W. A. Nowell of Milwankee chief clerk of the lower House. C. A. Pettibone of Oconomowoc and J. H. Agen of Superior were elected sergeants-at-arms of the respective branches. The work was done expeditiously in the Senate, but required more time in the House. There was nothing in the way of floral decorations in either house, but there were a large number of spectators in both, notably in the Assembly. In both houses many ladies were present. In the Senate Chief Clerk Houser made the following appointments: Journal clerk, H. C. Schultz, business manager of the La Crosse Republican and Leader; bookkeeper, H. C. Rood of Palmyra; postmaster, Christ Paulus of Milwankee. Chief Clerk Nowell of the Assembly appointed F. W. Coon chief assistant, Carl Wells of Appleton book keeper, Fred Nelson of Phillips Journal clerk, Henry A. McGraw of Whitewater stationery clerk. In the Senate the follow. of the Assembly appointed F. W. Coon chief assistant, Carl Weils of Appleton book keeper, Fred Nelson of Phillips Journal clerk, Henry A. McGraw of Whitewater stationery clerk. In the Senate the following committees were named: Judiclary-Lamoreaux, Roehr, Whitman, Whelan, Riordan, Whitehead, Kreutzer, Martin, State Affairs-McGillivray, Munson, Jones, Bissell, Harris, Finance, Banks and Banking-Roehr, Baxter, Green, Whelan Munson, Railroads-Witthee, Devos, Dennett, Welton, Mailer, Reynolds, Harris, Earon, Jacobs, Education-Stout, Woodworth, Mailer, Martin, Hatton, Manufactures-Anson, Fearne, Hatton, Devos, Bissell, Assessment and Collection of Taxes-Whitehead, Thayer, Riordan, Corporations-Devos, Thayer, Stout, Green, Stebbins, Town and County Organization-Riordan, Fearne, Mills, Public Lands-Dennett, Knudson, Kreutzer, Public Health-Mailer, Woodworth, Eaton, Printing-Munson, Stebbins, Fish and Game-Green, Knudson, Hatton, Military Affairs-Welton, Baxter, Stebbins, Knudsen, Kreutzer, Privileges and Elections-Jones, Whitehead, Withee, Harris, Fearne, Legislative Expenses-Reynolds, Anson, Whitman, Agriculture-Whelan, McGillivray, Dennett, Bissell, Reynolds, Roads and Bridges-Eaton, Withee, Anson, Clalms-Baxter, McGillivray, Weed, Penal and Charitable Institutions-Stebbins, Woodworth, Stout.

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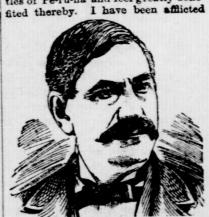
-Russian battle songs are written in

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MILWAUKEE — Four-Firm. Wheat —
Firmer! No. 2 spring, on track, 65c; No. 1
Northeri, on track, 70c, Corn-Firm; No. 3
on track, 334c. Oats-Firmer; No. 2 white,
on track, 294c; No. 3 white, on track, 284;
629c. Barley-Firm; No. 2 on track, 284;
629c. Barley-Firm; No. 2 on track, 524c;
sample on track, 426524c, Rye-Higher;
No. 1 on track, 56c. Provisions-Steady;
pork, 9,92; lard, 5.60.
Flour is firm at 3,70@3,80 for patents;
bakers', 2,70@2,80, and 2,85@3,05 for rye.
Milistuffs are firm and quoted at 10.75
for bran, 10.75 for standard middlings, and
11.75 for white.

CHICAGO — Close — Wheat—May, 70%c;
July, 689c. Corn—January, 35c; May, 374,
4373c; July, 379c. Oats—January, 263c; Has Been Greatly Benefited by Pe-ru-na. Congressman D. Meekison of Ohio, writes

the following letter to Dr. Hartman. Dr. S. B. Hartman, Columbus, O. DEAR SIR:-I have used several bottles of Pe-ru-na and feel greatly bene-



with catarrh of the head and feel en couraged to believe that continued use of Pe-ru-na will fully eradicate a disease of thirty years' standing.

Yours sincerely,

The continued receipt of endorsements like this for Dr. Hartman's great catarrh remedy, prove its value beyond question. Men of prominence everywhere are recognizing the merit of Pe-ru-na and are willing to give expression to their judgment because a certain, absolute cure for catarrh is a public good All druggists sell Pe-ru-na.

PATENT secured or money all returned. Search free.

GEO. NUGENT, Editor.

THE QUESTION OF TAXATION.

The subject of taxation is likely to ter of courtesy, but they are in effect be an interesting one before the Wis- bribes to do the work of the comconsin legislature this winter. The panies. If these are not sufficient, Republican platform pledges the par- the smooth lobyist devises a plan by of Kewaskum were callers here last on the sick list for a week, is convalty to a reform in the laws by which which he can gain the confidence and Monday. taxation shall be equalized, and as the vote of a member. The corporajority in the legislature it will have best talent in this line, as it comes last Monday. full opportunity to fulfill the promise. state will watch the proceedings of of the corporations find themselves to work for J. Hamm. the legislature on this subject, with unable to defeat the passage of a bill unfavorably, they manage to get

That the present laws regarding fact that cannot be denied. Much of will make it unconstitutional or ineffective in some other way, and then the wealth of the state escapes taxathe corporations obtain a veto from ation by methods which are either sanctioned by the laws or devised courts and get it set aside. under their cover to aid people in the effort to avoid paying their due share of the burdens of taxation. It is not the poor man who escapes taxation. What little property he has cannot be hidden. It is always in sight of the whole world, because it must be incessantly used for the purpose of living. The poor man can neither hide his property from the assessor nor fight for his rights in the courts, if his taxes are too high. The result is that he must pay more than his share of the burdens of government, for what the rich man avoids must be made up by those who can not escape the assessor and tax collector.

The burden of taxation falls most heavily on the farmers of the state. Their property consists of their farms that the farm and the personal prop- States senator. In Indiana, where fore. erty may be mortgaged for more the Republicans will elect a successor farmer from paying the full rate of for the nomination. In North Dataxation. His debts may equal or kota Congressman W. N. Johnson is City. exceed the cash value of his property, the leading Republican candidate, but that does not help him; he must but he has been unable at the openpay the full rate of taxation on the ing of the fight to get more than 31 property just the same. It is the votes in the caucus, while 45 Repubtangible property of the state that lican votes are divided among several must bear the burdens of taxation, other candidates. There was a simand there is no escape from the rule lar contest in the Republican caucus be so bad for him if it were not for in a bolt of several members to Mr. ation. Will the legislature help him in that respect?

The rich man has the choice of defeat Carpenter. many expedients through which to hide his property from the assessor. He may not aiways take advantage of them, but they are there, and the ing from la grippe. most of them are supplied by the law itself. The laws regarding taxation are made for the benefit of the rich. Will the legislature remedy this system? The wealthy citizen is usually the only person who knows the nature and the extent of his property, the places where it is located, and the forms under which it exists. It called here last Saturday. is true that he is required by law to make oath that he has given to the kee is visiting her parents here. assessor a full statement of the wealth with which he is endowed, tives here and at Fillmore the past but that oath is too often a mere week. formality. There is an old saying that everything is fair in love and beka spent Sunday at the home of J. war; the rich have extended its scope Lussenden. so that it includes taxes also. It is not generally considered wrong to beat the tax collector; on the other hand it is regarded as a mark of astuteness, and the tax-dodger prides the shoulders of his neighbors, for the full sum of taxes levied on a town, village or city must be paid by those who are unable to avoid payment.

gages, notes and other evidences of town. debt due from others to himself. These he hides and forgets-when the assessor comes around-but when interest day arrives his memory is rubbers at Pool's. fully restored. If he is more scrupulous than usual he sends his money to some other state to invest and then prides himself on the honesty with which he has scheduled all the property he owns in the state for the purpose of taxation. A citizen of here visiting his brother and friends. Wisconsin may have thousands upon thousands of dollars at interest in bridge this week to see her sister, who other states and never pay a cent of is very sick there. tax thereon. This is but one of the ways in which he can avoid his taxes. Oshkosh to resume his studies at the It is no more honest than any of the state normal school. others, but it is easier and does not require the same degree of false swearing and surface dishonesty as the fore part of the week. rest. The result is the same; he pays no taxes on his hidden property, and what he escapes must be paid by his returned here, after spending a month John Hose spent a few days with relaneighbors.

The favoribite way for wealth to escape taxation, however, is to in vest in the stock of a corporation, either within or outside of the state, a corporation has a nominal value, tel Tuesday night with good success. and its real value may be many times V. S. Dieringer and R. C. Canniff William as great. Certain corporations pay are traveling through the country sellof taxation paid by the farmer. In the stock as recommended. have dictated the laws in such chan- Mary C. Raymond, preasurer.

nels as affect them. They have many Hubert Fellenz is on the sick list. ways of influencing the votes of legis-Jacob Roden made a business trip lators. Such votes are not always the result of a transaction in cash; to our burg Wednesday.

some clause inserted in the act that

BOLTONVILLE BUDGET.

Stephen Bradley has leased the

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wendel entertained

a number of friends from Port Wash-

Chas. Weingartner was elected as

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A new stock of genuine snag-proo

Mrs. Evans of Muskegan, Mich., is

Hugo Kuehl is on the sick list.

visiting E. Tuttle.

visiting Mrs. H. P. Eames.

with relatives elsewhere.

Grill, Mrs. Brace's parents.

Members of the Catholic church and

ington last Sunday.

last Tuesday.

home from Sheboygan.

Thos. Riley homestead.

Chicago the past week.

Peter Steilen of Barton called on money, but the corporations get relatives here last Sunday.

ST. MICHAELS MITES.

them just the same when they need August Geier of Milwaukee called them. Railroad passes and express on relatives here last week.

and telegraph franks are given to the John Bresemann left for a few days members of the legislature as a matdays' visit at Milwaukee last Thurs-

Mrs. Hubert Schneider and Mrs.

far cheaper than taxes. When it Math. Theisen, Jr., left for Kohls-On that account the people of the comes to the worst and the agents ville last Monday, where he engaged with her brother John and his wife

> Mrs. John Schmidt of Milwaukee which would affect the corporations Mrs. Maria Lotter here.

> > Sunday at the home of his father-in- wedding of his brother-in-law, near law, Jacob Wiskirchen, here. Peter Schladweiler is working for

the governor or fight the act in the Mr. Carrel, near Campbellsport, who on a Great Northern locomotive some In this connection it may be noted is laid up with typhoid fever. Math. Herriges and Nic. Stockthat there are three separate and dis-

if carried out, aid in rescuing the last Tuesday. legislature from the control of the Lena and Gertrude Marx called on zel Peter's last Sunday evening, and corporations. One is the promise to a particular friend here last Monday they all had a very pleasant time. pass a law abolishing the use of free evening and had an enjoyable time.

passes. Another promises to abolish Call again, girls! the lobby, and the third pledges the legislature to remedy the inequalities last week with relatives at Cecil, of taxation that exist under the Shawano county, and he returued acre farm near Elmore, with the impresent laws. The people of Wisconhere last Monday.

sin have expressed confidence in the Nic. Schneider, Sr., accompanied Republican party because of these promises. They will continue to his sick brother, Mat., to Chicago hope that it will deserve that confiturned the same evening.

Henry Strohm of Nebraska arrived Wisconsin is not the only state Wednesday to visit his folks, Geo. the produce of their fields. The fact having trouble to elect a United have elapsed since he was here be-

Theodore Geier and family returned than the full value to secure the pay- to Senator Turpie (Dem.), there are to their home near Green Bay last Iowa, spent Sunday with the form. ment of debts does not release the no less than eight active candidates Tuesday, after spending a few weeks er's father near St. Kilian. with relatives here and in the Cream Peter Terlinden of Campbellsport same at reasonable prices.

> their home in North Dakota last family a few days this week. Wednesday after spending nearly 5 The wood which was delivered at is no place like home, is there Joe?

for the poor man. This would not six hears ago and it finally resulted the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. in quality. Berres, at the age of 76 years, 10 A party of friends and neighbors of the fact that his rich neighbor can Roach, the Democratic candidate, and months and 6 days. Her husband, P. J. Kenney held a card party at get off by the payment of half a tax he was elected. In the Wisconsin Michael Lotter, preceded her in death his place last Saturday evening, and or none at all, for then the burden legislature, 24 years ago, about one nearly 8 years ago. The funeral was their names follow: Mr. and Mrs. J. falls on him and others who are less dozen Republican members refused to held here last Monday at 10 a. m., D. Byrne, Stephen and Michael Leonfortunate in that respect. The farmer vote for Matt. H. Carpenter, and with Rev. Muenzer officiating. Math. ard and "Paddy." has to carry a double burden of tax- they were finally joined by Demo- Thullen, John Schaefer, Joe Weis, An- Mr. and Mrs. R. McCullough and ton Walters and Julius Geier acted as son Will spent last Sunday as guest crats in the election of Angus Cameron of La Crosse, a Republican, to pall bearers.

A Change of Thought and Labor.

Life for the most part is too much Dwyers at the same time. A number of our people are suffera matter of routine. There is too Boys, look out for the bear, so that Mrs. M. Callahan has returned Nie. Weingartner took a trip to Philip Schneider of St. Michaels Miss Hattie Dettmann of Milwau- brings about a fresh train of thought terns, while their armament consisted W. Mau of Eau Claire visited relaof life and action.

exists a human magnetism which cluded not to capture him-not that M. Mulvanny and wife from Wau- passes from one to another, acting they lacked the requisite courage or upon them for their quickening and force of arms, but because the object benefit. Who has not felt this in of their search proved to be a big. audiences, whether at church, at lec- black dog. At the present writing ture, or at the theater. It comes as we understand that John is paying an actual physical stimulus. It is a off the posse and their sympathizers, great human orchestra, led, guided as fast as possible, by setting up the and played upon by the preacher, or- cigars. himself on the sharpness which has an alternate delegate to the state ator or the actor. All are occupied enabled him to shift his taxes upon convention of Modern Woodmen by by the same theme, by the same key, the county convention at West Bend but giving out from the strings of their being a different tone, which yet in his enthusiasm, believing in Hiram Bolton died at Minneapolis, interweave and produce a symphon Minn., on Jan. 1st, at the age of 91 of feeling which appeals to all, each The rich man who seeks to avoid years. The deceased once resided in experiencing not only his own imthe necessity for paying taxes turns the town of Scott and is well remem-pression but that of those about him. neard. It is not like sitting through a criminal trial. A man's quickness and his wealth into bonds, cash mort- bered by the pioneer settlers of that If the thought is high and noble it eloquence are often assisted there by dra tends to the betterment and uplifting matic details, but in the civil or suof every human unit which goes to

> passions of each.—Harper's Bazar. Henry Norton of Menominee Falls KOHLSVILLE ITEMS.

> > Changeable weather.

Chas. Brandt of Wayne called here Jacob Terlinden of Minnesota is Joe Marx spent a few days of th Mrs. Irwin Miller went to Stock-

week with relatives elsewhere Mrs. Adam Schmidt of Elmore spent things. If need be they begin to eluci-Monday with the H. Kohl family.

Arnold Bannon left last Tuesday for Martin and Joe Hron attended party at the home of their parents last along the centuries, giving a regular Miss Josephine Tillack of Fond du

John Schilssen, who spent a couple Lac called on friends here during the of weeks in the Cream City, has re- and slow, but when they appear before Mr. and Mrs. Burton Tuttle have

tives at Milwaukee this week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brace of Evans-William Dahm passed away in death ton, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. Monday at the age of nearly 81 years.

it matters not which. The stock of school gave a concert at the Eagle ho- the Zion cemetery, with Rev. Stevens officiating. He is survived by his son A collection of her crayon portraits is

Mmes. Aug. Hose and John Hose taxes in the shape of licenses, but ing new and good varieties of seeds, have been called to the bedside of 50 pieces of Faience d'Oiron are now fact the corporations are in complete The following have been elected as here until 1891, when he moved into control of the matter. They fix the officers of the B. Y. P. U. for the enfriends hope for his speedy recovery. teur.

WAYNE WAFTINGS. Petri Bros. filled their ice-house

this week. Geo. Petri spent Wednesday in the

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Byrne have been to Milwaukee lately.

Wm. McCullough of Breckenridge, Minn., has returned home

spending a few days at home. Joe Schoenzer and Jacob Schlosser Mrs. Andrew Martin, who has been

Mrs. J. Clark, who was injured by the party has an overwhelming ma- tions can afford to pay for the very Jos. Fellenz called on Mrs. H. Jung falling on the iee lately, is able to be around now.

> Geo. Kippenhan and Rosa Petri attended the funeral of her mother, had some denntal work done at Kewaskum last Monday.

Katie Martin is spending a week

Henry Miller of Barton spent last Mr. and Mrs. J. Faul attended the St. Kilian last Tuesday.

> Wm. McCullough, who lost an arm time ago, is at home here.

Louisa Hangartner of Campbellstinct promises in the Republican housen made a trip to Adell to visit port spent the fore part of the week platform this year, all of which will, the former's son, Dr. Ph. Herriges, visiting John Petri and wife. A pleasant party was held at Wen

Stephen Donnelly of Brownsville is

taking orders here for picture frames Jacob Roden spent a few days of and the enlarging of photographs. John G. Foerster has bought a 40-

> plements, etc., thereon, for \$3,800. Petri Bros. are still receiving milk every alternate day, and they now make the small Daisy cakes of cheese.

Walter and Theodore Glaeser returned to Appleton last Tuesday, and their herds, their machinery and this year wherein the legislature is Strohm and family. Eighteen years after visiting Jac Knoebel and family

John Schmidt of Milwaukee, Mr. Rosskopf and the Misses Philips of etery stock always on hand.

and Jacob Terlinden from Minnesota Joseph Roden and family left for called here and visited the Schmidt

weeks with his parents here. There the school in Dist. No. 11 has been rejected by the board on the grounds Maria Lotter died last Saturday at that it short in measure and inferior

of Mr. and Mrs. James Dwyer, near Kohlsville. Mr. and Mrs. O'Hollern of Milwaukee were also guests of the

much delving in one thing, the follow- he may not scare you while returning along in a beaten path, the stay- ing home late. Tuesday, at about ing in one rut. It is this more than 10 p. m., John - had proceeded but any other thing that causes the pre- a half-mile west from here when the mature breaking down and wearing sight of a big bruin scared him back out of the human machine. Had to the village, where he sought aid there been a change of occupation to capture the animal. Five plucky and thought, many might have been hunters volunteered, and the party kept in use and repair for years soon set out with our postmaster in longer. The contact with others the lead. They carried but two lanand ideas, suggests new variations of guns, pitch-forks, axes, and other equally destructive weapons. Upon In an aesemblage of people there finding the beast, however, they con-

> Intellect Against Intellect. "If you want to see intellect play against intellect," said a young lawyer,

should go down to the civil or the supreme courts a lawyer must depend make the whole; also, if the purpose emotional tricks. What a delight it is upon his own brain alone and not upon is not high, the effect is equally wide for me to listen to the wit, combats and spread to arouse the evil and the terse arguments of two masters grown gray at the bar! These men have at their mand the reading of twoscore years. They are armed with the humor of experience and the cool sight of age. Their intellects, never having been wasted in idleness, are as fresh as a young girl's dream of life and as unerring as a woodman's rifle. When they take up an argument on an important affair, it is not to make a few palsied remarks. They go deep, plunging into the very core o date law from its inception in the remotest confines of ancient civilizations, and they drift easily and gracefully compendium of history as they go along. To see these old fellows ordinarily you would imagine that they were sleepy the bar their frames become erect, their Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Brinkmann and eyes flash and they thunder and roar as

if with voices of lions."-New Orleans Valuable Pottery.

An interesting story is told of Lady Helen de Hangest-Genlis, who started a He had resided in our town for many small pottery on her estate, chateau of years. The remains were interred in Oiron, about 1524. In this factory was made the famous Faience d'Oiron. She was a widow, cultured and very artistic. said to have been preserved, but it was in the manufacture of china that she these taxes are all far below the rate and those who order of them will find their father, John Bormann, who is known to be in existence. All of them seriously ill at Milwaukee. He resided are small, but of surpassing beauty. rate at which they shall be taxed, if suing six months, viz: Mrs. Loebs, pres- he was terribly mangled by an elk and arabesques and geometrical forms of at all, and many of them escape taxident; Clarence Moore, vice-president; has neaer fully recovered from the tinted clays, yellow and brown, relieved the icy roads and a stone, cutting ation entirely. They have owned the Alvin C. Buslaff, recording secretary; effects of injuries sustained at that with soft colors on a cream white legislature of the state for years, and have dictated the laws in such chan-

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DUNDEE DOINGS. Maggie Arimond of Duluth called friends here Tuesday.

J. G. McDougall of Whitefish Bay spent Monday with his parents here. Garrett Romaine has gone to Campbellsport, where he intends learning telegraphy.

Chas. Corbett has a horse that is in bad shape as a result of falling on

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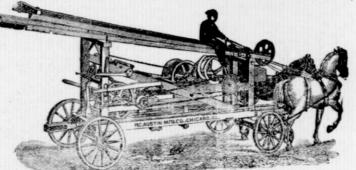
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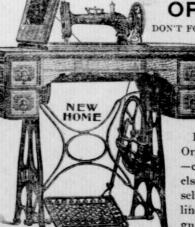
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AMUSEMENTS.

Jan. 21.-Masquerade in Schneid- many who have tried it. er's hall here.

Jan. 24.-Masquerade in Guenther's hall at Campbellsport.

LACONICAL LOCALS.

Wanted:-Wood on subscription. FOR SALE: - A village residence. In-

-Fifty cents per bushel is being paid for barley here.

this office on short notice. -Miss Martha Grittner left for Milwaukee last Thursday.

learn to write it more easily.

FOUND-A finger ring, at the postoffice. Owner, call at this office!

waukee is visiting at home here.

-Rev. F. X. Heller of Newcassel

Groeschel spent Tuesday at Fond du ke, who often serves here.

wise improved it.

Robert Backhaus each shipped livestock last Tuesday. -G. B. Wright was out again this

his home with la grippe.

Monday until Wednesday. -Nic. Remmel has added emery wheels of all sizes to the stock of

hardware in his machine shop. -Albert Stark, who fires an engine

in the C. & N.-W. vards at Milwaukee spent Sunday at home here.

-Farmers' institutes will be held the same dates, Jan. 17th and 18th.

Jacob Becker and wife here Sunday.

-Don't let your horses suffer from Opgenorth, Charley Schleiff, Joseph L. S. Guth, blanket for jail-bunk. the cold for want of blanketing them. Meyer and Henry Fellenz. "The merciful man is merciful to his

-W. C. Mayer of Campbellsport and Edward Campbell of Marshall, Minn., called on David C. Mayer and in Kewaskum from 1876 till 1892, mother here Tuesday.

weeks visiting relatives.

to 28c per bushel for potatoes, and shipments of the tubers are made

from here almost every day. -A. C. Wynobel of the Wynobel & Schroeder commission house at

Milwaukee called on mercnants here relatives here this week. and in the vicinity yesterday. -Seek the plumber's sympathy if

your water pipes burst from freezing. Jack Frost has no respect for one's Monday and returned Tuesday. feelings at any stage of the winter. -Henry Stark had some ducks bran from Neenah last Tuesday.

stolen from his place last Tuesday night. The thief was traced to the day party in Guenther's hall at Campvillage, but here all track of him was bellsport last Monday.

-H. W. Krahn attended the ananal convention of Modern Wood- to attend the wedding of her brother men of the county at West Bend last John. Tuesday, as a delegate from the local

ATTENTION, FIREMEN!-The annual oint meeting of the departments will e held in Ziegler's hall on Monday evening, Jan. 16th, and all are urgently requested to attend .- CHIEF.

-John Schladweiler of Farmer, S. D., who has been visiting relatives On Monday last Mr. and Mrs. H at Newfane and St. Michaels for the Gottsleben of this place celebrated past month, was here Tuesday, and their golden wedding at their home we acknowledge a pleasant call.

-The ice harvest is at its height here. Everybody who wants a sup- of the kind ever held in the village. ply of congealed water seems to be housing it now, and some of that inal settlers of the county, having being cut on the mill-pond is 20 imigrated from Hildesheim, Hanover,

Fond du Lac. 9:05 11:20 1:35 5:10 2:55 8:50 Monday. Lawrence is looking for a who arrived from Austria a short clerkship at the present session of the time previous. The couple resided legislature, and it is authoritatively on the farm for 16 years. when they had relatives. He resided there for 2:30 6:00 3.45 10:00 stated that he will succeed in getting gave it up, owing to Mrs. Gottsten years, when he moved to Mil-

A freight train going south at 11:10 a. m. and saloon at St. Michaels, canvassed †Daily, ‡Daily, except Sunday, §Sunday only. F. C. Gottsleben, Agent. which he makes according to an old recipe which his father used, and the opened a millinery store, which she remedy is highly recommended by conducted for some time.

> Wilke, died at the home of his par- is 82 years old, while his wife is ten ents in the town of Scott last Thurs- years younger. Both are hale and day at 1 a. m., aged 27 years. The hearty, however, and we hope they funeral will be held tomorrow (Sun- will live to enjoy many more years day) at 1 p. m., from the house, with together. interment at Silver Creek.

-A farewell party was tendered Miss Minnie Brown last Thursday night, in Ziegler's hall, anent her departure for Marathon county, after a 3-weeks visit here. About twenty--Masquerade posters printed at five couple were present, and dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

-The masquerade season is on, and from Jackson, J. E. Liebig and fam-Philip Guenther of Campbellsport ily from West Bend, W. A. Zilley and himself He has always lived a reg--As 1899 wears on the majority has half-sheet posters out for a mask family from Beloit, Mrs. Weiss from ular life and is a firm believer in the ball which will be held in his hall Milwaukee. there on the 24th inst. As usual, he will award four prizes-to the best friends here and the Frauen Verien of masked lady and gent, and the most the Reform church attended, and a -Miss Mathilda Fellenz of Mil- comically masked lady and gent. See bunch of fifty yellow roses from the large bills for full particulars.

-The Ev. Peace congregation held called on Rev. Vogt here Thursday. a special meeting last Wednesday -The cold snap nipped the cellar afternoon for the purpose of deciding vegtables of a number of our citizens. upon a permanent pastor; but, as Rev. Grunewald of Fillmore had -Learn to labor and to save, and been engaged to serve here until the present year will prove prosper-next June, action was deferred until that time, when they expect to hire -Mrs. N. J. Mertes and Mrs. Chas. Rev. Grunewald's assistant, F. Jan-

-Mrs. Pat. McLaughlin has been winter. Though as yet there are but large vein and causing him to bleed on friends here lately. on the sick list for the past two few cases in this locality, many peo- to death. -John Webber is having a well dug kee and a number of the large cities young man were with him but a Sunday. at his residence premises on Prospect east of there. La grippe is a germ short time previous and had gone Chas. Koch made a trip to Mil--S. E. Witzig has painted the in- by a particular bacillus, according to a driveway for hauling out the wood and farm produce lately. terior of his harness shop and other- the health authorities of New York. when the accident occurred. It ap- John Janssen, who has been at his

prisoner last Tuesday night. Wm. been found on the ground. week after a week's confinement to the town of Auburn, came down here Dr. Lindbeck last Wednesday forethat day and used such obsence noon, with P. J. Smith, Arey Persch -Mrs. Chas. Miritz visited her son language while at the American bacher, Geo. Petri, G. F. Brandt and Oscar, near Fond du Lac, from last house that Geo. J. Petri had him ar- Charles Behnke as jurymen, and a Heming \$5 and costs, in default of with the facts stated above. which he "languished in durance vile" The deceased was the oldest son of Kahne appeared and paid the bill.

the 19th anniversary of the birth of Ev. Peace congregation officiated. at both Alleton and Beechwood on his daughter Tina. It was quite a surprise to the latter, and her delight -Lizzie Keller returned here last can be imagined better than ex-Monday evening, after spending two pressed. Dancing was indulged in weeks with relatives at West Bend. until midnight, when the guests de--Miss Alma Mierke and Mrs. H. parted for their respective homes in Sievers of West Bend were guests of high hopes that Tina may witness many returns of the day. The following were present, viz: Francis Miller; -Dr. Hausmann attended a quar- Mary, Maggie and Marth Grittner; terly meeting of the Brainard medi- Amanda Groeschel, Anna Klug and cal society at Milwaukee last Wed- Theresa Opgenorth; also Nic., John and Joe Remmel, Albert and Willy

-Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Wagner and Mrs. Wm. Miller returned last Chas. J. Schaefer, repairing.. -The Cinch club met in regular Tuesday from Oconto Falls, where weekly session last Wednesday night they attended the funeral of Philip at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner, who was well known in this village, where he once conducted -Wm. Shinners, our new sheriff, a blacksmith shop. His death rewas up from West Bend last Satur- sulted from pneumonia on the 6th day and selected Jac. Schlosser as his inst., at the age of 56 years. He imigrated to this country from Germany in 1862 and located at Young America. In 1871 he married Christina Wagenknecht, and they resided

when they moved to Oconto Falls, -Misses Clara Stagy and Clara where he conducted a blacksmith Bloom returned last Saturday from shop until taken fatally ill. He leaves Fond du Lac, where they spent two a wife and 8 children, the youngest of whom is 12 years old. The funeral morrow on account of the quarterly

ELMORE ETCHINGS.

Alma Klumb went to Milwaukee the pastor will preach the preliminary

last Monday. Peter Klumb of Germantown visited

on Chris. Schmalz last Sunday. Ulrich Senn went to Milwaukee last

Wm. Guenther received a carload of

Some of our boys attended a birth-

Miss Maggie Haessly went to Auburndale, Wood county, last Saturday

A party of young people gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John the 29th inst. Don't fail to attend! Litscher last Sunday night and had an enjoyable time.

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here in the presence of numerous relatives and friends. It was a rare occasion and likely the first celebration

and settled on a farm near West -L. H. Burgess accompanied As- Bend in 1847. Two years later he and was born in Brist, near Berlin, semblyman Guth to Madison last married Pauline Rohn of Jackson, on January 13, 1806. He imigrated len's loss of a limb in a runaway and 10:27 12:46 3:07 10:37 1:15 3:35 6:50 4:45 11:05 —Nic. Schaefer, who formerly kept their children being too small to help. when he moved to Kewaskum with lived there for 31 years. At first he has resided here ever since. kept a eigar store, and later Mrs. G.

For the past five years the couple have resided here, where they have a -William, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. commodious home. Mr. Gottsleben

The following relatives from elsewhere attended, viz: J. Everly and wife from Greenbush, Fremont Gottsleben and family from Winneconnie, Robert Gottsleben and family from Mayville, Florian Lauer and family and Mrs. J. Klumb from West Bend, I. E. Standish and family from South Milwaukee, Fred. Rohen and family

Besides the above mentioned, near latter organization was among the

A PECULIAR DEATH.

lives 2 miles south of here, was killed last Tuesday while chopping wood on the swamp-land of his father's farm. He had hewn down a tree, from which a dry limb evidently fell and struck him on the neck, an inch -La grippe is again raging this above the collar-bone, penetrating a

disease-a form of influenza caused but a short distance away to clear wankee with two loads of poultry who declare that it can be produced pears that upon being wounded he home near Kohlsville the past week, started for home but sank exhausted returned here Wednesday. -Our new lock-up received its first from loss of blood, pools of it havi

Heming of Milwaukee, who had been A post mortem examination was visiting his cousin Edward Kahne in held before Squire Noworatzki and rested. Justice Noworatzky fined a verdict was rendered in accordance

until 1 a. m. Wednesday, when Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weiss, unmarried and 36 years of age. The funeral took place last Thursday at -Last Tuesday evening a number 1 p. m., from the family home, with of young folks gathered at the home interment in the Van Vechten cemeof Peter Fellenz on the occasion of tery, and Rev. F. Janke of the German

VILLAGE ROARD PROCEEDINGS.

KEWASKUM, Wis., Jan. 9, 1899,) 8:00 p. m.

The board met in postponed session of the regular meeting, with President Rosenheimer in the chair and all members present except Wm. Krahn and

Minutes of the previous meeting

were read and approved. The following bills were allowed: Rosenheimer, merchandise..

Charles Fechtner, trimming street lamps Kewaskum Electric Light Co., current for street lamps during Dec.....

A bill from J. P. Klein, of \$41.54 for sewer pipes, was laid over for further consideration.

Mrs. Elmira Eames tendered an instrument to the village dedicating streets from Fond du Lac avenue to the railroad, to be known as Prospect aveuue, Clinton street and Elm street. N. J. Mertes moved to accept the in-

strument and order the clerk to file it, which motion was carried. On motion the board adjourned. JOSEPH SCHMIDT, Clerk.

German M. E. Church Services There will be no Sunday school to -Our merchants now pay from 25 was held at Oconto Falls last Sunday. meeting at West Bend, which Rev. H Peters of Milwaukee (formerly pastor here) will conduct. This (Sat.) evening

sermon at West Bend.

Preaching services here Sunday at p. m., on "Fanaticism" or "False Enthusiasm." Singing by the choir Nathan Haessly of Theresa called Everybody is cordially invited to at tend all these services.

H. W. KARNOPP, Pastor.

FILLMORE FLASHES. A saw-mill has been erected here by Gustav Eisentraut. Miss Josephine Gordon now boards

at E. W. Wittig's place. Wm. Haendel transacted business at Milwaukee last Saturday.

Edwin Rieke left for the Milwaukee business college last Wednesday. The Turners will hold a masquer ade dance in the Turn hall here on

While Albert Rudolph was taking Rev. Janke to Fredonia last Sun-

Active at Ninety-three.

Martin Pieper, a well-known and respected resident of this place, yesterday attained the age of 93 years, tives at West Bend. with none of his faculties impaired, and he seems to be hale and hearty. His trade is that of a spinning-wheel Mr. Gottsleben is one of the origmaker, which he has worked at for the past 76 years and still follows to

to this country in the spring of 1856 and settled at Sheboygan, where he visiting Miss Jennie Klotz here. waukee, where he resided until 1867, They then moved to West Bend and his son-in-law, Chas. Kuehn, and he



He is remarkably active for one of his years, being still able to shave maxim of "early to bed and early to nap after dinner.

Last summer he spent three weeks offered for the best masqueraders. Charles, son of Edward Weiss, who ber of great-grand children, all of ious lunch was served at 11:30, and whom are proud of his longevity.

> BEECHWOOD BEAMLETS. Koch & Butzke harvested ice this

Fred. Schuler of Boltonville called

ple are under treatment in Milwau- Two brothers of the unfortunate ited Frank Saulter and family last Hendricks, vice-president; H. A.

prepared for the meetings, which will serve as object lessons.

ST. KILIAN SHARPS. Frank Strobel went to Milwaukee

last Monday.

Andrew Strahota spent Monday in the Cream City. Rev. Burrelbach transacted busi ness in Milwaukee last Wednesday. A boy has been born to Mr. and

Mrs. Casper Straub. Congratu'a-John Steichen of Hartford called on his father here this week, as the lat-

ter is on the sick list. Misses Rosa Strobel and Lizzie Zwaschka went to Milwaukee last 4.00 Monday and they intend to remain 40.00 there for some time.

NEWFANE NEWS.

A. C. Wynobel of Milwaukee called here Thursday. The wedding of A. Ramel and Mrs. Buss took place in the Lutheran kirk

at 3 p. m. Thursday. A raffle and dance will be held in Dehm's hall Sunday night, Jan. 29th, cluding both raffle and dance.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY,

Notice is hereby given that at the general erm of the county court to be held in and for aid county at the probate office in the city of Vest Bend, in said county, on the first Tues-lay of February, 1899, the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Flora Fleischmann for the

appointment of an administrator of the estate of Charles Fleischmann, late of the village of Kewaskum, in said county, deceased. Dated Jan. 6, 1899. By Order of the Court. H. W. SAWYER, County Judge BARNEY & KUECHENMEISTER, Atty's. [First publication Jan. 7.]

LOCAL MARKET REPORT.

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1	Spring wheat, No. 2 60
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1	Red winter 58
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	Butter { Roll, fair to choice
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3	Unwashed wool
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came ill, and they had to return here. \$1.75 a year. Call at the postoffice. | could only assent.-X,

CAMPBELLSPORT CULLINGS

Mrs. Freeman Johnson is quite ill with erysipelas.

Mrs. A. C. Richter is visiting rela-

Frank Kaas of Newfane called here on business last Monday. E. C. Stratton of Adell was here

on business last Monday. Little Lyall Johnston has been very sick for the past few days.

Guy Cole of Milwaukee spent last Sunday with Ernest Martin. Miss Gormigan of Fond du Lac is

The Gld Bachelor's club will meet soon and elect a new set of officers. Rev. P. J. Stupfel of West Bend called on the Kohlers last Tuesday. Our public school resumed work last Monday after a 2-week's vaca-

Noah Saemann of Adell spent last Monday with his cousin John Loebs and family.

Mrs. Chas. Vohs, who has been seriously ill the past four days, is a little better.

Miss Josephine Tillack of Fond du Lac was a guest of Miss Olga Wedde last Monday. J. H. Paas went to Fond du Lac

last Tuesday as a delegate to the county convention of Woodmen. Henry Fellenz, Roland Raymond and attorney T. L. Doyle of Fond du Lac attended the party here Monday

Miss Bessie Piehl of this place was married to C. A. Hutchings at Waukesha last Monday, and the couple

now reside in the Cream City. Philip Guenther has bills out for rise," etc. He retires regularly at 7 his annual masquerade dance, which p. m. and invariably indulges in a will be held in his hall on Tuesday night, Jan. 24th. Four prizes are

visiting relatives in the Cream City | A surprise party, in honor of Misses beautiful floral gifts which the aged and enjoyed the trip very much. His Mamie Goss and Olga Wedde, was wife died before he left Europe, but given in Guenther's hall last Monday besides his daughter, Mrs. Kuehn, he evening. Hallows & Church of Fond has 4 grand children and a like num- du Lac furnished the music. A delicall certainly felt that it was one of the most enjoyable fetes of the sea-

At the annual meeting of the Campbellsport Mutual Fire Ins. Co. last Monday evening the old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year, viz: Louis and Lizzie Kreutzinger vis- Ignatius Klotz, president; O. G. Wrucke, secretary; J. H. Paas, treasurer; L. C. Kohler, C. R. Van de Zande, Jac. Arimond, M. L. McCullough and E. F. Martin, directors. The company is reported to be in a

flourishing condition. The following officers were installed w the Isage Hendricks nost at the Everybody, from far and near, G. A. R. hall last night: J. B. Hughes, should remember and attend the commander; Chr. Loose, senior vice; Farmers' institute next Tuesday and O. S. Raymond, junior vice; C. A Wednesday. An entertainment is to Ebert, officer of the day; F. Yankow, be given in the evening of the first officer of the guard; M. E. Helmer, day by home talent, which promises chaplain; Platt Durand, adjutant; to be of great magnitude. The insti- Wm. Reinhardt, quartermaster; Nic. tute will be conducted by Geo. C. Gantner, sargeant; O. S. Raymond, Hill, and prior to the first session delegate to the encampment; Philip several hundred books will be dis- Schleiff, alternate. Supper was served tributed free. Farmers are invited and a social time had after the into bring samples of the products of stallation. The 10th anniversary of their land. A set of charts have been the post will be celebrated on Feb. 7.

ASHFORD ACTIONS.

M. Mauel has returned from the H. C. Scholler spent Sunday with

friends at Byron. Harry Pierret is now residing in Bernard Sheridan of Fond du La

Mrs. M. Hall and son Leonard vis ited relatives last Wednesday. Michael Thelen made a business trip to Fond du Lac last week.

gave us a call last Saturday.

Mrs. H. Scholler is on the sick list; also Mrs. P. Berg and Jos. Berg. The S. M. C. spent a very social evening in the school hall Sunday.

Herman Knarr has returned from St. Francis on account of ill health. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Joulitz of Lo-Tuesday.

Henry Thelen and Mr. and Mrs. A. Loechler of Lomira visited relatives

here Monday. Rev. M. Schmitt spent Monday attending the wedding of his daughter by Frank Ramthum. Tickets 25c, in- Maggie, who was married Tuesday

to John Haessly. Miss M. Walsh and Jos. H. Scholler left for their homes at Janesville, Wis., after spending two weeks with

relatives and friends here. The Young Men's Society will give a dramatic performance at the St. Martin school hall tomorrow (Sunday) night. All are cordially invited. John Haessly and Maggie Greif, who departed about 3 weeks ago, were maried Tuesday at Auburndale, Wood county, where they will reside

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berg and family spent the 1st inst. at Auburndale, Wood county, with his brother Pete. He also visited Marshfield and other places, returning last Wednesday.

Too Rich for the Minister.

A country merchant visited the city to purchase goods. He bought a cheap but pretty table-castor for a dollar. On reaching home he put on it a tag marked \$14 and presented the castor to a Methodist minister, whose church his family attended. The minister took the package home, after thanking the donor, but the next day he brought the \$14-tagged present back and said to the merchant, "I am too poor in this world's goods to afford to display such a valuable castor on my table; and, if you have no objections, I should like The STATESMAN and either the weekly to return it and take \$14 worth of day morning the horse suddenly be- Sentinel or Wisconsin of Milwaukee for groceries instead." The merchant

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Spain and the Spaniards.

It is not true that the Spaniard is naturally eruel. The ferocities of which he has unquestionably been guilty have come from his unbusinesslike indolence. He lets trouble come from want of precaution in time, and it finds him unprepared. Then he falls into the rage of the indolence, and strikes savagely. Conduct of that kind proves his incapacity for government, and is seen at its worst where he has to deal with Creoles, who repeat his own faults in an exaggerated form, and with half-breeds. For that reason, among others, he has lost his colonial empire. It would be a mistake, however, to suppose that Spain is decaying. The population has nearly, if not quite, doubled in the present century, and the country in itself is infinitely better off than it was 100 years ago. The loss of Cuba will be no evil for Spain, but a gain, for it will stop a dreadful drain of life and treasure. When there is no colonial market to think of, the immense resources of the country itself will probably be better worked. The mere mineral wealth of Spain ought to be enough to make it rich. If it has begun Spain and the Spaniards. It is not true that the Spaniard is natration .- David Hannay in economy amounted to positive genius

the Pail Mall Magazine.

The Plain Truth.

The public is getting very sick of Hobson, and the sooner he sails out of sight and returns to duty the better it will be for all concerned. His public kissing exhibitions on the stage, after his lectures in various Western states, have disgusted decent men and women, and they have not hesitated to say so. It is not surin various Western states, have disgusted decent men and women, and they have not hesitated to say so. It is not surprising to hear that naval circles at Washington were annoyed by Hobson's peculiar conduct, nor, in the light of the latest exhibition of his vanity, is it any wonder that the wreckers who were engaged with him to raise the Maria Teresa place the responsibility for the failure of the enterprise on Hobson, who, they say, insisted on rushing the Teresa into American waters before she was seaworthy and against their protests, based upon ican waters before she was seaworthy and against their protests, based upon long experience in wrecking operations. Hobson's bravery on the Merrimac put him on the pinnacle of fame, and it is to be regretted that he was unable to keep a level head on his shoulders and wear the honors of a here with becoming mod-

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are going into consumption." They are anamic, doctors tell them, which means that they have too little

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nealthy girl until about a year ago, when she grew weak and pale. She lost her appetite, was as tired in the morning as on retiring, and lost flesh until she became so emaciated that her friends hardly knew her. The docthat see became so emacated that are triends many and the control of the disc. A physician who was visiting in Gasport prevailed upon her to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. She did so, and was benefited at once. She is now well and strong-the very picture of health .- Buffalo (N. Y.) Courier

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### t Grows in Bushnell Park, and China

THE POK WAH TREE.

men Like Its Nauseating Fruit.

piness. It was evident that he was engaged in a task that he liked. The fruit had a very offensive odor, and the China-

man handled it in a nauseating manner. He had a fair-sized basket, into which he threw the stones of the fruit, leaving

the soft substance which covered it on the turf. His hands were besmeared

cer Strickland calls them the Chinese plum trees.—Hartford Times.

Girls Studying Farming.

A Stroke of Economy.

It was George Eliot who, in describing her mother, said that her capacity for

There was an expression of supreme contentment on the face of the Chinaman Madison, Wis., Jan. 12.-Following is as he sat under a tree in Bushnell park on Monday afternoon, picking up fruit that had fallen from it. His loose blouse and wide pantaloons flapped in the wind, and his pigtail described circles, triangles, the full text of Gov. Scofield's message to the Legislature delivered at noon to

day:

To the Honorable the Legislature: You are assembled at the beginning of what promises to be the most prosperous period in the history of our state and nation. Our country is again at peace after a brief struggle with a foreign power; the majority of the volunteers called to meet the emergency of war have resumed their peaceful avocations; every legitimate industry is thriving, and every man who desires employment can secure it. We may well congratulate ourselves upon these evidences of material prosperity, though we may feel the comparative insignificance of material prosperity, in the presence of the profoundly important responsibilities recently imposed upon us as a nation. In view of these new duties, it is vastly more important to be a citizen of the United States today than it was a year ago; and to be a legislator of a state charged with the duty of selecting men who are to assist in solving the new problems is indeed a grave responsibility. At a time like this, personal or selfish interests should be bried from sight, and only the deep need of the nation for wise counselors should be given consideration. If our country is to pass through the present crisis in honor and safety, it will only be by the exercise of the highest human wisdom and the aid of Divine Power.

Under a provisions of the constitution it and his pigtail described circles, triangles, all manner of lines and various other geometrical forms as it yielded to the fitful gusts of wind. It was chilly enough, and Officer Strickland, as he looked at the industrious Chinaman did not feel his heavy blue overcoat a bit uncomfortable. But the Chinaman did not seem to mind the wind in the least. His teeth might chatter, his nose might take on a bluish tint, and his fingers might suffer from numbness, but he continued his work with unremitting industry, and kept his happy look unclouded by anything that was even suggestive of unhappiness. It was evident that he was enwith the substance.

In reply to the questions of Officer Strickland and a Times reporter, the Chinaman said the tree which yielded the fruit was called the Pok Wah tree in China. The fruit is considered a delicacy in the Celestial kingdom, and even Li Hung Chang—the statesman that can look wise and ask embarrassing questions of a personal nature—considers himself Divine Power.
Under a provisions of the constitution becomes my duty to submit to you at this time a brief review of the condition of the state and such recommendations as seem to me expedient.

look wise and ask embarrassing questions of a personal nature—considers himself in luck when his chef serves him with a dish of the fruit. The outer substance, which is nauseating to the stomach of anyone but a Chinaman, is made into Chinese catsup that always occupies a place of honor at the mandarin's table when birds' nests, sharks' fins and other appetizing dishes are served. The meat of the stones has a medicinal property of high value. The Chinaman, whom Officer Strickland called "Charley," a name that seems a favorite one in the nomenclature of Chinamen, stated that in China the stones of the fruit are cooked just as I desire first to present for your considthe stones of the fruit are cooked just as we cook chestnuts, and that after they are boiled they are opened and the meat taken out.

A woman passed through the park later in the afternoon. Seeing the Chinaman picking up the fruit, she was curious to see what it seemed like. She took one of the plums—if the sweet, luscious fruit of the American orchard is not degraded by applying its name to the disgusting thing of Chinese lineage that resembles it—and broke it open. The stench from it was so strong that she dropped it immediately. She wore gloves, which she was obliged to discard in order to free herself from the offensive color.

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be regreted that he was unable to keep a level head on his shoulders and wear the honors of a hero with becoming modesty.—Leslie's Weekly.

China's Porcelain Art Declines.

During the last 100 years there has been a great decline in the art of porcelain manufacture in China. There are few choice specimens in the markets, and all that gets there is bought at high prices by American and English collectors. The so-called imperial manufactory, however, continues to produce choice specimens.

—The final volume of the British Museum catalogue of birds has just been completed. The catalogue was begun a quarter of a century ago, and is said to be a complete list of every bird known. There are twenty-seven large volumes all of which are illustrated by innumerable woodents.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

It was always included among of the Louise power of the better of mannates and yet I never saw it used. Curiosity got the better of mannates and yet I never saw it used. Curiosity got the better of mannates eventually, and I asked my hostess, and the state of laught photosy, he had accidents with the fruit since you have been here; but my carless boys and girls generally manage to stain the line with fruit juice, and then the starch is useful." I then learned that power continues to produce choice specimens.

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The French Don't Bake.

In France no family makes its own bread, and better bread enamot be eaten than can be bought at the appropriate that the appropriate who, making this their sole profession, get it up with a care and nicety which can seldom be equalled in any family.

The French Don't Bake.

In France no family makes its own washing. The family's linen is all sent to wome who, making this their sole profession, get it up with a c -If Li Hung Chang lives until next February he will be 76 years old. If re-port be true he is the richest man in the world.

The complete of the control of the part of

university for 1800 and 1900 no special apportance of the specimal special special special special will be distributed for the mount which will be readed in the property of a farm of the property of the pro

for the purpose of carrying on the state government in all its various departments comes from the above mentioned sources.

The interest on the trust fund includes interest on the common school fund, normal school, university fund (the latter including again agricultural college funds), and interest on the drainage funds. These funds, which are known as trust funds, and the interest received on which goes to their respective departments, come first from the sale of lands which were granted by the United States government for the purpose indicated by the title of the funds or designated by the statute. The second item given as a source of income is the annual tax, levy. This, as will be readily understood; varies according to the needs of the cast. The third item, the suit tax, as the name indicates, is the amount received from the various counties as taxes on civil suits begun in the courts. This also varies somewhat, running at the present time somewhat, running at the present time somewhat, running during the last few years from \$125,000 a year. The fees from the railway companies also vary, but are running during the last few years from \$125,000 a year upward. The fees from the railway companies, which are paid in lieu of all taxes, are by far the largest; source of the state's income. Those received are not large. The state receives in the neighborhood of \$10,000 each from the palace and sleeping-car companies are, like the railway companies, and lesser amounts from the loan and trust companies and the boom companies in the way of fees.

The state expenditures are made through four avenues, which may be specified as administrative, legislative, fudicial and edu
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The Sleeping Car and Express Companies.

In a special message transmitted to the Legislature in 1897, returning without my approval, for reasons stated therein, bills taxing sleeping-car and express companies doing business within the state, I took occasion to express my views on the subject in the fellowing language:

I desire to call your attention to the importance of these measures, and to arge upon you the necessity for properly enacting both bills before the adjournment of this session. If we are to maintain in this state a righteous system of taxation, it is necessary that we see to it that large corporations doing business within our borders, and receiving without discrimination or stint the full protection of our laws, shall not escape paying their just share of the expenses of the government.

I here reiterate that recommendation. These companies should contribute through taxation, their fair preparition to the expenses.

| The following state<br>state treasurer show<br>several funds in the<br>close of business Dec | s the balai  | ury at the                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| General fund (over-                                                                          |              | *** *** **                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| drawn)                                                                                       | ****         | \$39,745.84                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| School fund                                                                                  | \$259,947.93 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| School fund income                                                                           | 159,354.15   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| University fund                                                                              | 57,534.92    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Agricultural college                                                                         | 17 000 00    | DESCRIPTION OF THE PARTY OF THE |
| fund                                                                                         | 17,360.33    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Normal school fund                                                                           | 79.523.15    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Drainage fund                                                                                | 4,504.25     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Delinquent tax fund                                                                          | 307.01       | 0.000                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Indemnity fund                                                                               | 1,700.07     | HET STATE OF STATE OF                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| Deposit fund                                                                                 | 10,888.95    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| St. C. & L. S. R.                                                                            | 408.02       | Hama Salland                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| R. Deposit fund                                                                              | 151.92       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Redemption fund<br>Wis. R. R. F. M.                                                          | 101.02       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| Land Co. fund                                                                                | 4,446.64     | LE SELECTION OF THE PERSON OF  |
| Columbia and Sauk                                                                            | 4 === ==     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Cos. Indemnity fund                                                                          | 4,573.76     | 000000000000000000000000000000000000000                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Calumet and Manito-                                                                          |              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| fund                                                                                         | 916.54       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Allotment fund                                                                               | 910.04       | THE PERSON                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Menominee Indian                                                                             | 9.548.10     | 12/24/2015/19/1                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Reserv. Tres. fund                                                                           | 9,548.10     | 571,566.03                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Cash on hand                                                                                 |              | 071,000.03                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|                                                                                              | \$611,311.87 | \$611,311.87                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| Special funds:                                                                               |              | The state of the s |
| Bank redemption fund                                                                         | \$5,015.00   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Wand and Smith fund                                                                          | 1,111.43     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Ward and Smith fund                                                                          | 1,111.40     | 1 C - 1 1 P. S. 1 P. S |
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fund
Normal school regents'
fund
It is to rical Library
building fund
Depositr fund (Land
department)
Cash on hand of March 3, 1883, it was competent for the court to render judgment upon it.

The claim of Wisconsin does not appear to have been specifically presented within six years after it necrued, as was the claim of New York, and therefore it seems that the obstacle, and the only obstacle to lits payment, is to be found in section 1060 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which declares as follows: RECAPITULATION. \$571,566.03

\$648,007.98 \$648,007.98 INVESTMENTS, DECEMBER 31, 1898. 294,024.80

58,438,09 \$156,000.00 13,250.00 350.00 6,172.00 \$123,141.67

Several years ago there was loaned to the State Agricultural society, to enable them to purchase state fair grounds, the sum of \$90,696 from the school funds and \$77,782.03 from the general fund. Part of this loan was made through the purchase of incumbrances held against the grounds, but they constituted as a whole a loan to the amount of \$168,448.03.

No interest was ever pald upon this land, and there was no likelihood of the state ever being able to reimburse itself, so proceedings were begun to fereclose the mortgages upon the grounds in June, 1897, and judgment of foreclosure and sale was entered. The total amount due, with the accumulated interest, at that time was \$201,176.66. Pending the foreclosure proceedings, two receivers were appointed by the circuit court for Milwaukee county, to take charge of the presents.

boders, and receiving without discrimination or steepe paying their past share of the expenses which have been asked and to which reference will be made later, are \$8.87.37.32; while the estimated income for the same with the called the calle

Status of War Claims.

It is my duty to advise you of the status of the claim of Wisconsin against the United States to indemnify the state for expenses incurred during the War of the Rebellion. The claim was filed by a previous administration. It has within the last two years received careful attention from the attorney-general and other state officers, and at the proper auditing department of the United States, with a view to classifying the claim and separating the ftems which fall clearly within legislation heretofore enacted, from those not at any time heretofore provided for. It seems to be very clear that over \$600,000 of this claim.

he state.

The state of New York made similar claim gainst the United States and brought suit in the court of claims to recover. The delence of the statute of limitations was incrposed, and it was held in that case, as the country of the state of the s terposed, and it was need in that care, we the claim had been specifically presented within the six years to the proper department of the government, that when transmitted to the court of claims under the act of March 3, 1883, it was competent for the

Every claim against the United States, cog-nizable by the Court of Claims, shall be forever barred unless the petition setting forth a state-ment thereof is filed in the court, or transmitted to it by the secretary of the Senate or the clerk of the House of Representatives as provided by law, within six years after the claim first ac-rues.

At the last session of Congress an amendment was offered to the Southern war claims bill, which had passed the House and was pending in the Senate, removing the bar of this statute of limitations from any claim of states for costs, charges and expenses incurred under the acts of 1861 and 1862 above referred to. The amendment was adopted by the Senate, and the bill is now pending before a conference committee upon a difference which does not relate to this amendment. It is reasonably hoped that before the end of the present session of Congress the bill will have passed and the way thereby made easy to secure this act of justice to the state.

The Land Department.

The Land Department.

In my recommendations two years ago concerning the state service, I referred to the land department, and expressed the belief that the expenses of carrying on that department might be greatly reduced with out injury to the service. There was under the new law very little, if any, reduction made, I think, in the force in this department. I call your attention here to the recommendation made in his last report by the retiring state treasurer, who was one of the land commissioners, and competent to judge intelligently of the needs of the land department. Mr. Peterson recommends the entire abolition of the land department on the grounds that the office of the state treasurer, with the addition of one or two clerks, might do all the necessary work now being done by the large force employed. Whether this would be the better way to dispose of it, I am not prepared to say; it is possible that the work might be more efficiently carried on in some other department. In any event, I am thoroughly satisfied that the department as now organized and conducted is entirely unnecessary and inexcusably burdensome in expense to the people. I carnestly recommend that as a distinct of fice it be abolished; that the duty be im-The Land Department.

BETTER HALVES IN REALTY.

Causes that Probably Give to French Women Business Ability.

It is doubtful if the business instinct and ability of women are so greatly deand ability of women are so greatly developed anywhere else as in France. Certainly not elsewhere in Europe. They really keep the smaller hotels and shops, take produce to market and are often the better half of a partnership. In endeavoring to account for this state of affairs the Chautauquan says that probably the murderous wars that have so largely drafted the male population from home are somewhat responsible. But the vitacity, quick wit and perception of the women rendered them apt pupils at first women rendered them apt pupils at first and able teachers afterward. Another teason for this business activity is the fact that the French bride almost always brings more or less capital as her marriage dower. It is often her own patient segmings of sayings. She cannot well be required to the Fifth avenue churches. She gets \$50 earnings or savings. She cannot well be denied an active interest in the partner-

The Epiphany.

The word Epiphany is of heathen origin and denoted among the ancient Greeks a festival held in commemoration of the appearance of a god in any particular place, says the Detroit News-Tribune. It passed subsequently into the usage of the Christian church and is used to designate the manifestation or appearance of Christ upon earth to the Gentiles, with special reference to the manifestation to the three wise men who came from the east to wise men who came from the east to

The primitive Christian celebrated the feast of the nativity for twelve days, observing the first and the last with great solemnity and both of these days were denominated Ppiphany, the first the greater Epiphany from our Lord having on this day become incarnate, and the latter the lesser Epiphany from the manifestation of his godhead to the Gentiles.

In England January 6 is also known as Old Christmas and for many years was celebrated with festivities second only to Christmas day itself, the only vestige of Christmas day itself, the only vestige of the control of the

celebrated with festivities second only to Christmas day itself, the only vestige of which is now left is the custom of raffling for cakes at the confectioners' shops of London and other towns. The occurrence of two Christmases was brought about by the change of dating by the Gregorian calendar instead of the Julian calendar, which was effected on September 2, 1752, when 11 days were dropped and the following day became the 14th. This change made the 13th of December the 25th or New Christmas day, while the 6th of January took the place of Old Christmas. January took the place of Old Christmas.

Class of '00s Yell.

The pharmacy juniors don't seem to know their class yell. I give it again for the benefit of those who don't know it, Moves the bowels each day. In order to be healthy this is necessary. Acts gently on the liver and kidneys. Cures sick headache. Price, 25 and 50c. and now "let's get a move on us" and let

Physostigma venenosum!
Philocarpus nodulosom!
Staphisagria, Bergamot!
Pharmacy, Pharmacy!
Naughty Naught!
—Providence Journal.

In Winter Use Allen's Foot-Ease. A powder to be shaken into the shoes. During winter your feet feel uncomfortable, nervous, and often cold and damp. able, nervous, and often cold and damp. If you have perspiring, smarting feet or tight shoes, try ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE. It warms and rests the feet and makes walking easy. Cures swollen and sweating feet, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and is a certain cure for Chilblains and Frostbites. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package mailed FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

Microbes to Steal Away Pain.

A German dentist, Dr. Herz, proposes to put microbes into our mouths to steal away our pains. His discovery consists

in an inoculant prepared from microbes he cultivates for the purpose. When ap-plied in the case of a decayed tooth it

stops the pain, but does not destroy the nerve; further, it again fixes the toot

and makes it possible to put in a lasting stopping. He has already treated a num-ber of cases with it, and they have proved

What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourish-

ing, and takes the place of coffee. The

more Grain-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. Grain-O is made of pure grains,

and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee, but costs about ¼ as much. All grocers sell it. 15c.

keeps Visitors Out of Friedrichsruhe.

Prince Herbert Bismarck has just is-

sued orders that strangers shall no longe be admitted to Friedrichsruhe or to Sach senwald, which have been heretofore s

much used as picnic grounds by the people of Hamburg.

Coughing Leads to Consumption. Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist today and get a sample bottle free. Sold in 25 and 50cent bottles. Go at once; delays are dan-

-Miss Elizabeth Cheney of Wellesley,

Mass., has presented to Colorado college a valuable pipe organ for the auditorium

of the new building now being erected on the college campus. It is given in memory of Miss Cheney's brother, Charles Paine Cheney, who died at Colorado Springs in February, 1897.

LUCAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Tolado, county and state aroresaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Swarm to before me and subscribed in my

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

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucons surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

-Denmark, the village where the late Senator Brice was born, is in Morrow, not Ashtabula county, O. His brother-in-law, the late Gen. L. M. Meilly, was adjutant-general of Ohio under Gov.

Apparently the only way to get the Maria Teresa into American waters is to annex Cat island.—Buffalo Express.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, SS LUCAS COUNTY.

Piso's Cure for Consumption has saved me large doctor bills.—C. L. Baker, 4228 Regent Sq., Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 8, 1895. -A London woman has obtained two guineas' damages from a restaurant-keeper because a waiter dropped the whitebait into her lap.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrce for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle. -"Hamlet" has made more money than

Queen Victoria's Crown

the remnants of old ones and set with rare old gems. Chief among these is the ruby which blazes in the center of the diamond-studded maltese cross which sur-

quest came into the possession of the kings of Castile. After the battle of Nagera, where the black prince fought with Don Pedro, then King of Castile,

best paid soprano, he says, sings in one of the Fifth avenue churches. She gets \$50

the Fifth avenue churches. She gets \$300 a week. The average annual salary of a first-class soprano in a rich choir is from \$800 to \$1200; tenors, from \$800 to \$1200; contraltos, from \$600 to \$1000, and bassos, from \$400 to \$800. And the man or woman with a voice has to have a pull with the musical committees of the

On a Long Island farm is an apple tree which bore two crops of fruit the past year, and the farmers are taking unusual interest in this peculiarity of nature. Just as much

interest is being shown in Hostetter's Stom-

ach Bitters, which cure dyspepsia, indiges

tion, constipation and blood disorders when other remedies fail to benefit.

Ask your Grocer today to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink

that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of

Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach re-ceives it without distress. 14 the price of

offee. 15c. and 25 cts. per package. Sold

-Switzerland annually exports co densed milk valued at over 500,000 pounds, nearly all of which is sent to

-The nails of the Chinese nobility sometimes attain the length of eighteen inches, being protected by long silver

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet.

-The largest sewing machine in the

world is said to be in operation in Leeds. It weighs 6500 pounds and sews cotton

by all grocers.

big churches at that.

When Queen Victoria was to be

any other play in the language. WANTED.—Case of bad health that R:I-P\*A:N\*S will not benefit. Send 5 cents to Ripans Chemical Co. New York, for 10 samples and 1,000 testimonials. -Small nostrils are said by physiolo -A letter travels from Khartoum to

Pains and Aches

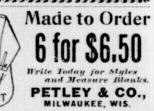
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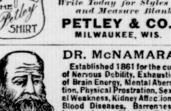
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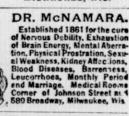
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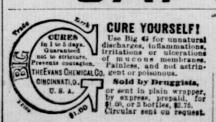
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