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## U. S. SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE

### Wisconsin Leads For Constitutional Amendment

## COUNTRY SOCIAL CENTERS

School Houses for Civic Gatherings...  
State Insanity Experts Proposed.  
Mothers' Pension Bill In.

Madison, Wis., Feb.—(Special)—Wisconsin will be one of the first of the states to send to congress ratification of the constitutional amendment for popular election of United States Senators. The people have repeatedly expressed themselves in favor of the reform and its adoption in the nation will soon increase the band in the senate that follows the leadership of LaPollotte.

The state senate last week voted overwhelmingly for the amendment and the assembly will act at an early date.

CIVIC CENTERS IN RURAL DISTRICTS.  
A bill in which the people of the state at large are interested and one of particular interest to rural communities is that introduced by Senator Hoyt of Menomonee Falls which turns the school houses over to the people for public meetings, thus carrying out the social center idea.

Under the proposed law of Hoyt the schools shall be used for all meetings of a non-partisan, non-sectarian, non-exclusive nature and for public meetings in which the community is interested. The plan has been tried out successfully in some localities, particularly in Milwaukee.

INSANITY DODGE GETTING STATE.  
Long drawn legal fights on defenses of insanity are to be shortened if the law proposed by Senator Huber, Dane county, goes upon the statute books.

The chief fault of expert testimony where insanity pleas are entered, it is claimed, is that the experts are employed for either the prosecution or defense, thus prejudicing them. The bill of Senator Huber provides for the appointment by the governor of twenty accredited physicians as state alienists. These appointments will be made in various parts of the state and these men will be chosen by the judges of the trial courts to examine alleged insane persons. This, it is pointed out will secure unprejudiced decisions.

FOR MOTHER AND THE KIDS.  
Mothers' pensions, proposed in a bill by Assemblyman John Schnitzler, De Pere, will not only be a boon to unfortunate mothers and children, but will be a saving of public funds. This is the claim of friends of the measure who say that it is not even experimental and cite facts in proof.

The law is already in force in New Zealand—recognized as one of the foremost in the list of progressive countries—New South Wales; Victoria, British Columbia and the state of Illinois.

The proposed Wisconsin measure, it is said, is better and broader than those in effect in the places named, the framers of the Wisconsin bill having benefited by the experience of others to such an extent that the proposed measure here lacks the faults and inconsistencies said to be found in measures adopted at an earlier date.

IS A HUMANITARIAN MEASURE.  
Back of the decision to frame a mothers' pension law there is a strong humanitarian motive—that of keeping children at home and out of institutions. The study of experts on the subject, it is said, goes to prove that an institutional child does not, as a rule, develop into the highest class of citizens. This is not due to any shortcomings of the Wisconsin school for dependent children at Sparta, however, as that institution is recognized as among the best in the country.

Simplicity marks the plan for carrying out the mothers' pension idea in this state, the law simply providing for the creation of a state child protection agent who has the power to appoint twelve or fifteen county agents in the more thickly populated sections of the state. The duty of the agents shall be to investigate cases where aid is applied for and report after judging what amount is necessary to properly clothe and feed the children.

## IN ALFAFA PRODUCTION

### Wisconsin Has Come to the Front in Recent Years and Now Is at the Head.

The capture of the world's championship award at the national corn exposition by St. Croix county, Wisconsin, adds the last record necessary to place Wisconsin in the lead in the production of this king of forage crops. It is odd that the state during all the years that alfalfa has been the one enthusing word in agriculture has been deemed out of the reckoning should come now and take the world's championship.

Not only does Wisconsin take the world's championship as to quality, but the 1910 census gives the state a leading position among the commonwealths as to yield per acre, and a census of the 2,000 farmers that belong to the Wisconsin Experiment association (44 tons per acre) places the state squarely and completely in the lead.

It is up to the Wisconsin farmer to get busy in this matter, but he should follow the advice of the Wisconsin Advancement association and do the thing right. That organization has been pushing hard on this matter of the extension of alfalfa culture in Wisconsin, but has cautioned the farmers that it is as well, or better to leave the matter alone than to do it wrong.

Those who anticipate starting in alfalfa culture would do well to write to some one who is familiar with the subject and state all the facts involved as to the kind of land available and other conditions. The Wisconsin College of Agriculture will respond to any requests for information and advice.

## CHARGES FRAUD IN DEAL

### Sisters in Lawsuit Over Ashford Farm.—Sold Half Interest for \$40

Charging that she was defrauded out of half interest in 40 acres of land located in the town of Ashford and valued at \$5,000, Mrs. Rosella Smith has brought an action in circuit court against her sister, Mrs. Hattie Baum, for the purpose of having a deed to the property set aside. Mrs. Smith charges that her signature to a quit-claim deed was obtained through misrepresentations and for a consideration of \$40.

The parties to the action are sisters and heirs of Guenther Rauch, formerly a resident of Ashford.

## More Territory.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. H. J. Cary, general agent, and Mr. J. P. Wolf, field superintendent, for the Old Line Life Insurance Company of America, have been so successful that the Company has increased their territory so that they now have control in Washington, Sheboygan, Ozaukee, Calumet and Manitowoc counties.

The annual statement of this Wisconsin company, which appears in this issue speaks highly for the financial strength of the institution and for the conservative and energetic management.

child. Where the family has an income short of what the agent thinks is a living wage he is empowered to add money to bring the total income up to a scale set as a living wage.

Under the present laws it costs the state \$21.96 per month to care for a child at the Sparta home. This is \$9.56 more than would be expended on a child under the mothers' pension. This is in itself answer to the charges of "extravagance" and seems to prove that on the contrary the measure is an economical one to the state. It is merely taking money already used for charitable purposes and applying it in a better manner. Heavy penalties are provided for misappropriation of funds—a condition, that, it is claimed, has arisen under the less well drawn Illinois law.

LOOKS LIKE A SHORT SESSION.  
The number of bills introduced in the legislature this session are fewer in number at the close of the sixth week than they were two years ago. Up to date 450 have been introduced in the assembly as compared to 600 at the same time last session while in the senate the number is 213 while the total last session, at this time was 354.

## LITTLE GIRL IS BURNED TO DEATH

### Lyla Nast, 5-year-old Daughter of Marblehead Man Dies in Terrible Agony.

## DRESS CAUGHT ON FIRE

### Accident Occurred in the Morning and the Child Lived Only a Few Hours.

With her hands and one ear practically burned off and with the upper portion of her body a mass of burns, Lyla, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Nast, Marblehead, died in terrible agony at 10:30 o'clock Thursday night at the family residence at Marblehead.

About 10 o'clock Thursday morning while Mrs. Nast was upstairs in her home, Lyla went into the kitchen of the house and opened the door of the heater, in order to look at the fire. When she closed the stove door, her dress was caught in the hinge of the door and before she could release it, the garment caught fire.

The screams of the child summoned Hugo Nast, a brother who had been at work in a barn some distance from the house. When he entered the kitchen of the residence, the little girl was wrapped in flames, which were also shooting about three feet above her head. Mr. Nast tore the clothing from his sister's body but she had already sustained fatal burns.

Mrs. Nast who had also hurried to the assistance of her daughter was severely burned about the face and hands while attempting to extinguish the flames. At the time of the accident two other little children were standing near the stove, but they escaped uninjured.

Lyla suffered terrible agony until her death which occurred at 10:30 o'clock last Thursday night. Besides her parents she is survived by five sisters and three brothers.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

## State Taxes Are Received.

County Treasurer J. J. Gromme of Fond du Lac county has received checks from all of the town treasurers in Fond du Lac county for state taxes.

The following state tax has been paid to the county treasurer by the various towns and villages in the county: Alto, \$2,273.75; Ashford, \$2,266.10; Auburn, \$2,000; Byron, \$2,775.08; Calumet, \$330.97; Eldorado, \$2,222.67; Empire, \$2,029.97; Eden, \$2,147.89; Fond du Lac, \$4,133.70; Forest, \$1,933.35; Friendship, \$1,388.15; Lamartine, \$2,170.37; Marshfield, \$2,335.12; Metomen, \$3,219.59; Oakfield, \$2,433.33; Oscoda, \$1,417.23; Ripon, \$2,323.34; Rosendale, \$2,149.49; Springvale, \$2,126.01; Taycheedah, \$2,074.55; Waupun, \$2,595.88; village of Brandon, \$621.61; village of Campbellport, \$802.56; village of North Fond du Lac, \$2,706.91; village of Oakfield, \$886.33; village of Eden, \$2,007.97; city of Ripon, \$6,907.49; village of St. Cloud, \$2,469.48.

## Purchase a Large Farm.

A. L. Rosenheimer and J. B. Day, the local real estate men, have again been heard from. On Monday they purchased the 266 acre farm of Louis Gerner, 1 1/2 miles south of Fillmore, in the town of Farmington, together with all personal property for \$36,000. This farm is known to be one of the best farms in Washington county. Possession was given the new owners at once. Whether or not the new owners will have an auction of the personal property is undecided. The personal property is estimated to value at between \$5,000 and \$6,000. The same real estate firm also this week sold the Barthol Beckler 45 acre 2 1/2 miles north of this village for \$4725.

On Wednesday the aforesaid mentioned firm sold their 115 acre farm in the town of Barton to Math Kohn of this village. Consideration private.

## Blamed a Good Worker.

"I blamed my heart for severe distress in my left side for two years, writes W. Evans, Danville, Va. 'but I know now it was indigestion, as Dr. King's New Life Pills completely cured me.' Best for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, constipation, headache or debility 25c at all Druggists. (Advertisement)"

## LOCAL HIGHS WIN GAME

### The Basket Ball Game Played Here Last Week Friday Evening Was One of the Best Ever Played in the Village.

The local high school basket ball team toyed with the high school team from Menomonee Falls at Groeschel's hall last week Friday evening. The final score which was 39 to 24 does not tell the correct story of the contest, as the visitors were no match for the local aggregation.

The visitors played hard throughout, but were outplayed. Their team is composed of a gentlemanly quintette. Never before has there been such a clean game played on the local floor.

The Menomonee Falls center was the main star of the evening. His perfect free throwing and all around playing often brought applause from the audience. All of the locals shared about alike, when it came to starting. Time and time again they missed easy chances, which is the only reason why the score was so close. No time during the game did it look dangerous.

Next week Friday, a double header will be played on the local floor, girls and boys, representing the high schools of Oakfield and Kewaskum. These games promise to be very interesting, a large crowd should come out and help cheer the locals to victory. Last night, Friday, a return game was played at Menomonee Falls.

## Matches.

One hundred seventy-five "match" fires, causing a property loss of \$75,475.00, is the Wisconsin record for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1912.

Of these figures 91 were caused by children playing with matches, and 84 were due to the use of "parlor matches" and general carelessness of matches.

Quite a number of children also lost their lives in these fires. Competent authorities estimate that for the United States a property loss of \$15,000,000 and a loss of 500 lives is the average annual match toll. Some of these fires are due wholly to the use of the so-called "parlor match" or "strike anywhere match," the others to the careless use of matches, even of the safety variety.

The remedy in the one case is simple, viz., prohibit by state law the manufacture and sale of "parlor matches" and all other "strike anywhere matches."

This will compel the use of the "safety match" or double dip match, of which the first dip is non-ignitable on an abrasive surface.

CARELESSNESS is harder to prevent, and we can only urge the observance of a few simple rules: 1. Children under ten years of age should not have access to matches nor be permitted to play with them.

2. Covered earthen or metal receptacles for matches should be placed in each room on the wall, five and one-half feet above the floor, with a like receptacle for burnt matches.

3. Avoid leaving matches on mantels, shelves, tables or in drawers, or carrying them in pockets except in a metal case.

4. Do not use lighted matches to look for things in closets or dark rooms, nor to find gas leaks nor in oil rooms.

5. Never throw away a match just used until it is completely out and no trace of glowing coal is left.

6. Never throw a match just used into a wood box, a cellar way or sidewalk area, waste box or basket, onto the floor, or anywhere else where rubbish may be set on fire.

7. To protect yourself, your family and your property use "safety matches" ONLY.

February 15th, 1913.

T. M. PURTELL,  
State Fire Marshall.

### WHAT SHALL I READ THIS WINTER? WHERE CAN I GET IT?

The coming of the long winter evenings will bring with them the cry "What shall I read and where shall I get it?" The Wisconsin Library Commission aims to supply this need by sending out collections of from 10 to 100 books to any community that will take good care of them and that will return them promptly in exchange for other collections. Write to the Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Madison, Wisconsin, for further particulars.

## CASE TAKEN TO FOND DU LAC CO.

### Change of Venue Granted in Action Brought by Amelia Enderle vs. Leo and Albert Glander.

## ALLEGES \$750 IS DUE HER

### Attorneys For Defense Opposed the Change But Order Was Signed By Judge Martin Lueck.

Notice of a change of venue from the court at West Bend, Washington county, to the circuit court of Fond du Lac county was filed in the office of Clerk of Court W. Sealy Friday morning in the case of Amelia Enderle vs. Leo and Albert Glander.

The complaint alleges that on November 10, 1908 at the village of Kewaskum the defendants received the sum of \$750 from the plaintiff, promising to pay it back with interest at the end of a certain period. The plaintiff alleges that neither the principal nor interest has been paid and now demands the sum of \$750 together with interest from November 10, 1908.

The plaintiff's attorneys, Sawyer and Sawyer, opposed the change of venue from Washington to Fond du Lac county which was demanded by Duffy and McCrory of this city, attorneys for the defense. The local attorneys requested that the case be taken to either Fond du Lac or Sheboygan county for trial.

The order granting the change of venue was signed by Judge Martin Lueck, of Washington county. Albert Glander, one of the defendants in the action is a resident of this city.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

## Railroad Sanitation.

Great interest has been awakened and splendid results are being obtained from the thorough and systematic work which is being carried out under the supervision of the newly appointed Sanitary Inspector of the Chicago and North Western Railway.

This company is the pioneer in carrying out this work on a completely organized plan.

As an indication of the thorough manner in which this movement is being inaugurated, extracts from a letter of instructions, which has been placed in the hands of employees interested is quoted below:

"At the final terminal of trains, cars must have all refuse cleaned out of them, being particular to see that any accumulation back of or under steam pipes, and radiators, seats, etc., is removed, and at such terminal cars, given a thorough scrubbing, using disinfectants and deodorants, in accordance with recent instructions. Interiors should be dusted, including seat, arm rests, window sills, window glass cleaned inside and out, and not just in the center, but corners as well.

Drinking water tanks are to be cleaned each trip, and thoroughly scalded out so there will be no question but what same are in sanitary condition. In supplying water, it must be pure and free from deposits of any kind, and the same care exercised with ice which must be handled with ice tongs at all times.

Outside cleaning must be taken in hand vigorously, and equipment either dry wiped or scrubbed or swept off before cars are sent out.

The traveling public will no doubt be appreciated of this latest sanitary work, which The North Western Line has inaugurated as a distinctive feature of its service, and in maintaining its reputation for supplying "The Best of Everything."

## PLYMOUTH.

Plymouth, Wis., Feb. 18.—On Sheboygan call board on Tuesday 23 factories offered 842 boxes cheese for sale, all sold as follows: 115 boxes young Americas at 16 1/2c; 43 boxes longhorns at 17 3/8c. On the Plymouth call board on Tuesday 13 factories offered 416 boxes cheese for sale, all sold as follows: 31 boxes of twins at 16c; 85 boxes daisies at 18c; 23 boxes young Americas at 16 1/2c; 147 boxes longhorns at 17 3/8c. Owing to tight offerings a dealer boosted the price of daisies to 18c, which is generally regarded as inflated.

## PURCHASED KISSEL TRUCKS

### Uncle Sam Will Deliver Parcel Post in Washington, D. C. in Kissel Kars.

Uncle Sam has just shown his personal preference in motor trucks by purchasing for his own city of Washington, D. C., five Kissel Kar 1,500 pound delivery wagons for the use of the parcel post. The contract was entered into following an inspection by government engineers of the various commercial cars exhibited at the recent national automobile show in New York.

The motorizing of the parcel post in most parts of the country is a certainty and there is accordingly a keen rivalry among truck builders for this business. The postoffice departments in a number of sections have already motor wagons and more are nearly ready to do so.

Many of them will probably follow Washington's lead in making selection in the event that the new Kissel Kars, which are to be delivered at once, give the satisfaction expected of them.—Hartford Press.

## FROM OUR EXCHANGES

### Adell.

Fire was discovered on the second floor of the residence of Dr. H. W. Liebenstein, Monday afternoon. A telephone call was sent in and the Adell Volunteer Fire Department quickly responded and confined the fire to two rooms, although the other rooms were badly damaged by smoke and water. Most of the wearing apparel belonging to the family was either destroyed or so badly damaged so as render them unfit for use. This is the first time our engine was used at a fire and rendered good and efficient service to the entire satisfaction of those present. The Ebelville Insurance Co. adjusted the loss Tuesday and allowed Mr. Liebenstein \$250.00 on building and contents.—Adell Correspondence.—Plymouth Reporter.

## Farmer's Supply Co. Makes Change.

Theo. Koellig, manager of the Farmer's Supply Co., of Schlesingerville, has withdrawn from the company, and taken over the farm implement and machinery business heretofore handled by the company. The Supply Co. hereafter will only continue in the lumber, cement, coal, wood, flour and feed business, and also the grain elevator. Ben Klug, former bookkeeper of the company, has been made manager, and J. S. Giudice elected director in place of Mr. Koellig.

## Barn Burned.

The barn of William Baumann in the town of Herman, near Iron Ridge was badly damaged by fire last Wednesday. Mrs. Baumann discovered fire in some shredded corn stalks, and as her husband was absent, sent her four year old son to a neighbor for help. The latter called others by phone, and the fire was soon extinguished with the help of the Iron Ridge fire department. In running for help the Baumann boy froze his ears and two fingers.—Hartford Press.

## Under New Management.

Base ball in Hartford will be run under different management the coming season, as the Hartford Athletic association at a meeting held Friday evening decided to accept as offer made by Carl Dinkel and Otto Walters for the purchase of their franchise, which included the lease of the ball park, grandstand, fence and all paraphernalia that was used by the Kissel Kar team last year. Hartford Times.

## Meets With Accident.

While on his way to church Sunday afternoon Fred Dobberphul had the misfortune of falling on an icy walk and as a result fractured his knee cap on two places. He was immediately removed to his home when Dr. Manning was summoned. At present Mr. Dobberphul is getting along very nicely and it is expected that he will soon be able to be around again.—Lomira Review.

## Installed Light and Water System.

F. J. Bristol & Sons Stock Co. of Oakfield, purchased a complete Electric Light and Water System for their stock farm. It is to be located on their farm east of the village. The plants are to furnish light and water for the houses and barns of the company.—Lomira Review.

## ADVANCEMENT ASSOCIATION MEETS

### Committees Are Appointed to Take Charge of the Annual Homecoming to be Held Saturday and Sunday, July 19th and 20th.

## MEETING WELL ATTENDED

### President J. P. Klassen Appoints An Investigating Committee of Three to Investigate the Different Entertaining Propositions.

The regular monthly meeting of the Advancement Association was held in the Village hall last week Thursday evening. It was the best meeting ever held since the organization of the association. All present showed a great deal of interest. Several important questions were brought up, which resulted in considerable discussion. Besides taking final steps for the appointment of various committees to have charge of the annual homecoming this season, propositions were read by the Secretary relating to new enterprises. It was finally decided that the president appoint a committee of three to investigate those propositions and report either at a special meeting to be called by them, or at the next monthly meeting. On this committee the president appointed D. M. Rosenheimer, A. A. Perschbacher and Nic. Rummel.

The various homecoming committees appointed are as follows: Arrangement—E. Rosenheimer, N. J. Mertes, Wm. N. Klumb, Otto E. Lay and John Marx. Subscription—Wm. F. Schultz, Jos. Hoerig and Chas. Groeschel. Advertising—D. M. Rosenheimer, Jos. Eberle and H. W. Krahn. Decorating—L. P. Rosenheimer, Arthur Koch and Val. Peters. Parade—S. C. Wollensak, H. W. Meilahn, Geo. F. Brandt, Ed. Miller and Geo. H. Schmidt. Reception—Board of directors and officers.

Now that all the committees are appointed, it is up to the citizens as well as the businessmen to boost. Plenty of advertising matter will soon be in the field to remind all of this gala event, which no doubt will be the banner event ever held in this village.

The picnic will be held in the North Side Park on Sunday, July 20th. A better park could not be obtained in the state. The arrangement committee is at present busily engaged in securing attraction and etc., in order to make the event socialable for all. There will be no need of going home after the event disgusted.

## BOWLING NOTES.

The scores of the past week were as follows:

MARRIED MEN.	
Schmidt	179 127 132-428
Wollensak	194 155 164-513
Marx	133 146 176-455
Heppe	151 171 168-490
Blind	137 160 142-439
Total	794 759 772-2258

EBERLE'S BUFFETS.	
J. Eberle	144 144 183-428
Brandtetter	174 174 170-518
H. Olwin	158 149 146-453
A. Schaefer	153 163 136-451
Mayer	130 91 144-365
Total	759 721 772-2258

Last Sunday a quintette of bowlers went to West Bend to bowl a return game with Spike's team on the South Alleys, and what the locals did to their opponents is almost a shame to tell, as they beat them on their own alleys.—The scores were as follows:

West Bend	680 673 759
Kewaskum	676 753 814

MARRIED MEN.	
Schmidt	156 200 149-505
Wollensak	157 179 199-585
Lay	157 156 128-441
Marx	159 133 165-457
Blind	106 156 156-418
Total	735 624 797-2256

EXCELSIORS.	
Klumb	129 131 137-397
Endlich	107 134 114-355
A. Schaefer	151 139

Heppe	163 118 128-409
Blind	141 128 92-361
W. Eberle	691 670 600-1961

(Advertisement.)

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## VISIT BATTLEFIELD AT STATE EXPENSE

### SENATE MEASURE PROVIDES A FUND FOR VETERANS WHO WISH TO GO TO GETTYSBURG.

### OTHER BILLS INTRODUCED

One Would Prohibit Lawyers from Serving as Assessors of Income Taxes or on Board of Review—Another Takes "X" from Ballots.

Madison—Veterans of the civil war who participated in the battle of Gettysburg will be interested in a bill by Senator Zophy, introduced in the upper house, for it provides that they may attend the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of that bloody conflict, the state paying their transportation, going and coming.

The bill provides that all soldiers who took part in that battle on the first, second and third days of July, 1863, or any of those days and all surviving soldiers of Wisconsin regiments which took part in that fight, residents of the state at the time of the anniversary.

The adjutant general is required to make an enrollment of the veterans who may desire to attend and make provision for their transportation from their homes to the battlefield and return under such regulations as he, with the approval of the governor, may adopt.

### Cross State Road Proposed.

Officers of the Lake to River Road association and the Oconomowoc-Milwaukee Road association have prepared the draft of a bill which it is hoped to have enacted into law at the present session of the Wisconsin legislature and which embodies a radical departure from the present methods of highway improvement. By its terms, a commission is to be created for the purpose of supervising the construction and maintenance of from two to six cross state roads, east and west, and north and south, at an expense of from \$10,000,000 to \$25,000,000, the state at large to pay four-fifths of the cost and the counties through which these arterial roads would pass to bear the remaining one-fifth.

### Bars Lawyers as Income Assessors.

Senator Perry has a notion that an attorney acting as income tax assessor or member of the board of review might as such official secure information that he might use to the disadvantage of the tax payer and so he introduced a bill which provides that "no person licensed to practice and who is actually engaged in the practice of law in the state shall be eligible to the office of income tax assessor or become a member of the board of review."

### Auto License by Horsepower.

Senator Teasdale introduced a proposal to make the annual automobile license fee \$5 for twenty horsepower and 50 cents for each additional horsepower, the license to expire December 31. Another bill by the sponsor provides that any attorney or other person starting garnishment proceedings to seize exempt property shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and punished by a fine not exceeding \$100.

### Assemblyman Grinde of Trempealeau county would cut off all opportunity for the voter who marks his "X" at the top of the "ticket" and lets it go at that, by making it impossible to vote a straight party ballot. His bill provides that the candidates of all parties be grouped for each office, with the party designation following the name and requiring the voter to mark his choice in each group. Another bill by Mr. Grinde provides that legislative candidates must not only certify that they will serve if elected but also that they will attend the session from the beginning of the session to the end.

### Prominent Baptist Expires.

Sparta—W. A. Barber, member of the state legislature in 1882, and for years a prominent worker in Wisconsin Baptist church circles, died at his home in Warrens of cancer.

### Dane County Pioneer Dies.

Madison—Henry Gilman, one of the best known residents of this part of the state, is dead, aged 85 years. "Hillside Farm," near here, was the Gilman family home for more than forty years.

### Six-Month Sentence for Murder.

Milwaukee—John Frey, charged with striking his wife a blow that caused her death, pleaded guilty to fourth degree murder and was sentenced to six months.

### Governor Signs First Bill.

Madison—The first bill to be signed by the governor at this session of the legislature is the Nye bill appropriating \$5,500 to assist the state board of public affairs in framing a financial budget.

# TRUST MEN JAILED

## TWENTY-NINE OFFICIALS OF CASH REGISTER FIRM SENTENCED TO PRISON.

### PRESIDENT IS GIVEN ONE YEAR

John H. Patterson, Head of National, Also Fined \$5,000—Officers of Cash Register Firm Sentenced to Prison.

Cincinnati, Feb. 19.—President John H. Patterson of the National Cash Register company, who with twenty-eight other officials or former officials of the company, was convicted of criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, was sentenced here Monday to pay a fine of \$5,000 and to serve one year in jail. The twenty-eight other defendants were sentenced to terms ranging from three months to a year in jail and to pay the costs.

Judge Hollister in passing sentence severely arraigned the defendants, declaring that the maintenance of the competition department with its "gloom room" and "morgue" constituted business methods that should not be countenanced.

One of the defendants was given three months in jail, while three others were sentenced to nine months and the rest to one year. George Edgeter of Dayton, secretary of the company, was given the sentence of three months. William Bippus, treasurer; Alfred A. Thomas of Dayton and Jonathan B. Hayward of New York were given nine months in jail.

The following were sentenced to one year: Edward A. Deeds, Dayton, vice-president; William H. Muzzy, Dayton; William Pfum, Dayton; Robert Patterson, director; Thomas J. Watson, sales manager; Joseph E. Rogers, assistant sales manager; Alexander S. Harned, salesman; Frederick S. High, district manager, Boston; Pliney Eves, district manager, San Francisco; Arthur A. Wentz, Columbus; George E. Morgan, Dayton; Charles T. Walmsey, Chicago; Charles A. Snyder, Elizabeth, N. J.; Walter Cook, Denver; Myer N. Jacobs, Pittsburg; Mont L. Lasky, Detroit; Earl B. Wilson, Los Angeles; Alexander W. Sinclair, New York; John J. Range, Washington; M. G. J. Keith, New York; William Cummings, Brooklyn; J. C. Laird, Toronto; W. C. Howe, San Francisco; E. H. Epperson, Minneapolis.

### "JOAQUIN" MILLER IS DEAD

Famous Poet of the Sierras Dies in Piedmont Hills Home From Senile Old Age.

San Francisco, Feb. 19.—Cincinnatus Heine Miller, better known as "Joaquin" Miller, the poet of the Sierras, died in his one-room cabin, which he built with his own hands in the Piedmont hills many years ago. His daughter, Juanita Miller, and his wife were with him.

Senility was the only cause of death the physician could give. Mr. Miller was born in Wabash, Ind., on Nov. 19, 1834. He was the author of "Songs of the Sierras," "Pacific Palms," "Songs of the Sunland," "The Ship of the Desert," "Life Among the Modocs," "First Families of the Sierras," "The Danites of the Sierras," "Shadows of Shasta," "Memorie and Rime," "Baroness of New York," "Songs of Faraway Lands," "The Destruction of Gotham," "The Building of the City Beautiful," "A Poetic Romance," "Forty-Nine," or "The Gold Seekers of the Sierras," "Chants for the Boer," "True Bear Stories" and of several plays that were well received wherever presented.

### WILSON'S BILLS ARE LAWS

"The Seven Sisters" Measures Passes the New Jersey House and the Governor Signs Them.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 19.—Governor Wilson's corporation bills, christened by him "The Seven Sisters," went to third reading and passed the house of assembly Tuesday. They received the governor's signature immediately thereafter, and thus became law, as they had already passed the senate.

### Vassar President Resigns.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 19.—Dr. James Monroe Taylor, whose resignation as president of Vassar college was announced Monday, maintains strict silence as to his reasons for wishing to quit.

### Prince Henry's Car Hits Child.

Heddernheim, Germany, Feb. 19.—Prince Henry of the Netherlands ran over and severely injured a five-year-old child when driving an automobile through the principal street of this town Monday.

### House Passes Public Building Bill.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The public buildings bill passed the house carrying appropriations of a little more than \$25,000,000, Monday. The vote was 134 to 16. The debate lasted three hours.

### Police Inspector Sweeney Indicted.

New York, Feb. 19.—Police Inspector Dennis Sweeney and two policemen, alleged to have acted as his collectors of police graft, were indicted by the extraordinary grand jury Monday.

### President Hadley on Vacation.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 19.—President Arthur T. Hadley of Yale university was voted a vacation of seven weeks Monday to recuperate after a surgical operation for abscess of the face.

# CASTRO SEEING THE SIGHTS OF NEW YORK



Former President Castro of Venezuela is enjoying himself in New York while awaiting final decision of the question of his deportation. He has been seeing the sights of the great city and even has been entertained at Albany by Governor Sulzer.

## BATHTUB TRUST FINED

### INDIVIDUALS AND CORPORATIONS ARE HEAVILY ASSESSED.

Run From \$1 to \$10,000 on Fourteen Men and Thirteen Companies—Total \$51,007.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 18.—Judge Clarence W. Sessions in federal district court Saturday imposed fines ranging from \$1 to \$10,000 on the fourteen individuals and thirteen corporation defendants convicted in the trial of the "bathtub trust" for criminal conspiracy. The fines totaled \$51,007 and they must be paid before March 1. In the cases of the individuals, if the fines are not paid before that day a sentence not exceeding six months in the Detroit house of corrections will be imposed.

The sentences follow: Standard Sanitary Manufacturing company of Pittsburg, \$10,000; Barnes Manufacturing company of Mansfield, O., \$1,000; J. L. Mott Iron works of New York, \$5,000; L. Wolf Manufacturing company, Chicago, \$5,000; McVay & Walker, Bradock, Pa., \$500; National Sanitary Manufacturing company of Salem, O., \$1,000; Union Sanitary Manufacturing company of Noblesville, Ind., \$1,500; A. Weiskittel & Son company of Baltimore, \$1,500; Wheeling Enameled Iron company of Wheeling, W. Va., \$50; Humphrys Manufacturing company of Mansfield, O., now in the receiver's hands, \$1; McCrum-Howell company of New York, also in the receiver's hands, \$1; United States Sanitary Manufacturing company of Pittsburg, which pleaded nolle prosequere, \$500; the Day-Ward company of Warren, O., also in the hands of creditors, \$1.

Individual defendant fines were: Theodore Ahrens, \$5,000; E. L. Dawes, \$5,000; Frances Torrance, \$500; Frank G. Borden, \$1; A. Weiskittel, \$1,000; Herman Hoelscher, \$5,000; Lloyd G. McCormac, \$1; Howard T. Gates, \$500; J. E. Wright, \$500; A. G. Ward, \$1; A. H. Cline, Jr., \$1,000; J. W. Arrott, \$1.

## ADMITS HE KILLED DETECTIVE

### Chicago Bandit Makes Full Confession of Crimes and Is Promised His Life Shall Be Spared.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Robert Webb, the captive bandit, confessed to State's Attorney Mackay Hoyne that he is the slayer of Detective Peter M. Hart. He also confessed his part in the automobile bandit raids, revealing the strong organization that existed and implicating business men as among his confederates. Many arrests will follow Webb's confession. In return for his confession the death penalty will not be demanded. State's Attorney Hoyne will consent to imprisonment for life as Webb's punishment.

### Honor "Uncle Joe" Cannon.

Washington, Feb. 17.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon of Illinois, former speaker of the house, was the guest of honor at a big farewell banquet Saturday night, given by members of the senate and house and others in public life. After nearly forty years of service in the house, Mr. Cannon goes out in March.

### Many Attend Ex-Mayor's Funeral.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 17.—Hundreds paid tribute to the memory of Robert Smith, once mayor of St. Paul, Saturday afternoon. Prior to the funeral the body lay in state four hours in the Masonic temple.

### Three Arrested as Slavers.

St. Paul Minn., Feb. 18.—William Porter, Albert Porter and Pearl Raymond were arrested at Lake Park Monday for alleged violation of the Mann white slave law. All were wanted in Spokane.

### Newspaper Man Resigns.

New York, Feb. 18.—Chester S. Lord resigned from the staff of the New York Sun Sunday, after forty-one years of service on that newspaper, during thirty-two years of which he has been its managing editor.

### Bind Woman; Rob Her of \$1,000.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 18.—Mrs. Anna Piezcek was overpowered in her home in Kansas City, Kan., Sunday by two men, who, after binding her to a chair, took \$1,000 in currency from a mattress and escaped.

## SCOTT LAST TO DIE

### POSITIONS OF BODIES OF EXPLOREES SHOW CAPTAIN WAS ALIVE AT END.

### WERE DELAYED BY ILLNESS

Leader of Expedition Found With Head Resting on Diary—Food Supply Exhausted Long Before Death Came.

London, Feb. 17.—According to the Daily Mail's Christchurch dispatch, the position of the bodies when found proved that Captain Scott was the last of the three comrades to die in the antarctic disaster. Wilson and Bowers were lying dead in their sleeping bags, but the leader was seated with his head leaning back against the tent pole. In that position he had breathed his last, and between his head and the tent pole, with his last feeble gesture, he had placed his diary with the records of his journey and his last message to the public.

Every ounce of food was exhausted long before death came to Scott's party. Only a small quantity of tea was found with the bodies. Possibly an expedition will be sent for the bodies next summer. A memorial cross to Scott, Wilson and Bowers was erected on Observation Hill.

Members of the expedition indicate the possibility of disappointment at Amundsen forestalling them took the nerve out of Scott's party for the return journey.

"First the party was delayed by the illness of Seaman Evans," Commander Evans states, "and Captain Scott dates the beginning of the failure of the party from the time of reaching the pole. For a month after the pole was left behind Evans delayed the party. In the descent of a glacier he fell and suffered a concussion, making the anxiety regarding him even greater. His final collapse came on February 17. After Evans' death the party pushed on, but once again the condition of one member of the party (Oates) caused delay."

Commander Evans again states that this failure to maintain a higher speed was due to the failing condition of poor Captain Oates, who was a constant tax on the energies of the party and was rapidly weakening them. Dr. Atkinson, one of the search party, found traces of scurvy on the three dead men.

New light is thrown on the mystery by Commander Evans, the successor in command of the expedition, in a long cable message from New Zealand to the Daily Express. He describes in detail the final dash to the south pole and explains that the shortage of food was due to the failure of the party to keep up the average speed expected on the return journey.

"Nine miles a day was the average speed prepared for," he says, "but the records left by the dead heroes show the average was much below this, falling at times to so low as three miles a day."

None of the information contained in the diaries of the dead heroes will be forthcoming for some time.

### Violinist Kubelk III.

Geneva, Feb. 18.—Violinist Kubelk canceled his engagements for a series of concerts in Swiss cities Sunday. His manager wired that Kubelk was seriously ill at his home in Bohemia.

### Dr. Hertz Succeeds Dr. Adler.

London, Feb. 18.—The British federated synagogues elected Dr. Joseph H. Hertz of New York chief rabbi of England Sunday afternoon. Doctor Hertz will succeed the late Doctor Adler.

### Drops Nineteen Stories to Death.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Falling 19 stories down the elevator shaft of the McCormick building here Thursday, M. Edwin Rubel, member of the firm of N. W. Rubel, public accountants on that floor, met instant death.

### Troops Capture Strikers' Camp.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 15.—A company of militia, commanded by Major Davis, surrounded the strikers' camp at Holley Grove on Paint creek and captured 69 men, every man in the camp, Thursday.

## ENVER BEY IS STABBED

### HEAD OF TURKISH ARMY WOUNDED BY HIS OWN SOLDIERS.

### Feeling Over the Killing of Nazim Pasha is Reason for Attempted Assassination.

London, Feb. 18.—Turkish soldiers on Monday attempted to assassinate and succeeded in badly wounding Enver Bey, the Young Turk leader.

A news agency dispatch by wireless from Constantinople says that Enver was stabbed severely several times, but gives no further details.

Enver last week made a disastrous effort to pierce the flanks of the Bulgarian army on the shores of the Sea of Marmora with a foreign hope of Ottoman troops, who were beaten back with terrible losses.

He was one of the leaders in the recent revolt of the "Young Turks," which led to a renewal of the war between Turkey and the Balkan states. Several threats against his life had been made among the disaffected soldiers, who were aroused by the assassination of Nazim Pasha, their beloved commander-in-chief.

Enver was a prominent military leader in the war in Tripoli, and was called by European experts "the best soldier in the Turkish army."

Uncensored special dispatches from Constantinople all confirm the utter failure of Enver Bey to land troops on the coast of the Sea of Marmora. His forces, the dispatches say, are now huddled at Gallipoli.

## SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 15.—Col. William Seymour Edwards, candidate for United States senator, was arrested here Thursday on a warrant issued by Justice Marion Gilchrist, charged with bribing Delegate S. U. G. Rhodes, one of the five men arrested February 12. Edwards furnished bonds.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 15.—Gen. Rosalie Jones and a weary band of suffragists, unmindful of the wild demonstration, caring less about the presence of President-elect Wilson and desiring nothing but food, hot baths and beds, limped into this town on the verge of physical and mental exhaustion Thursday night. The hike was over 27 miles of very bad roads in the face of a bitter cold wind.

Denver, Colo., Feb. 18.—Mayor Henry J. Arnold removed George Creel from the position of police commissioner Saturday, after hearing of the charges filed against Creel when he was suspended two weeks ago.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 17.—Their faces stung with powder and their uniforms perforated by revolver bullets, two policemen managed to arrest three members of a band of five alleged automobile bandits Friday.

### O'Rourke Wins Damage Suit.

London, Feb. 17.—The king's branch division of the high court Friday awarded Thomas O'Rourke, the boxing promoter, £250 in his suit for damages against the proprietors of Boxing, a sporting publication.

### Nat Goodwin Loses Auto Suit.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 17.—A. C. Harrington, a Santa Monica grocer, who sued Nat Goodwin, the actor, for \$10,000, was awarded \$1,000 Friday. Goodwin's automobile ran the grocer down some time ago.

### Gen. S. L. Woodford Dead.

New York, Feb. 17.—Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, veteran publicist and former United States minister to Spain, died at his home in New York Friday. He had been ill longer than two weeks.

### Nun Perishes in Ontario Fire.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 17.—Fire destroyed the annex of the Scholasticate of the Oblat Father, Ottawa East, Friday. Sister St. Simone, a nun, fainted in trying to escape, and perished in the flames.

# BANANA A FOOD FRUIT

## ITS NUTRITIVE VALUE IS NOT SUFFICIENTLY APPRECIATED.

Either by Itself or Mingled With Other Comestibles It Gives Variety to the Domestic Menu—Some Hints Worth Heeding.

The banana is certainly a food fruit, and contains, in an agreeable form, all the essential elements of nutrition. It gives, moreover, a variety to the domestic menu and mingles well with other comestibles. It is excellent eaten raw, but must be quite ripe, and that is only when every trace of green has disappeared.

By way of variety, a few recipes are appended. These are all delicious and are bound to be appreciated: **Banana Custard**—Peel six bananas and pass through a sieve; add two tablespoonsfuls of sugar, four well-beaten eggs, two cupfuls of milk and one teaspoonful of lemon extract; pour into a buttered fireproof dish and bake till set in a moderate oven. When cold ornament with cherries cut in halves.

**Banana Salad**—Select large ripe bananas, one for each person; peel and place on a lettuce leaf. Cover with a good mayonnaise sauce and sprinkle with chopped English walnut meats, and serve at once.

Another method is to add one tablespoonful of olive oil by degrees to an equal quantity of vinegar, mixing carefully; then add one teaspoonful of sugar. Peel three ripe bananas, and slice them across in equal slices of medium thickness; place in the salad bowl and pour the dressing over. Dust with white pepper and salt.

**Banana Charlotte**—Line the bottom of a plain mold with a layer of lemon jelly and decorate with strips of neatly cut angelica and candied cherries. Trim the required number of lady fingers and line the sides of the mold so that they fit closely. Beat up three eggs in a basin and stir in two cupfuls of boiling milk, sweetened with three tablespoonfuls of sugar. Return this to the saucepan, add one heaping tablespoonful of powdered gelatin which has been dissolved in half a cupful of boiling water, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract, and stir over the fire with a wooden spoon until it thickens. Remove from the fire, add the pulp of four ripe bananas and when cool fold in one cupful of whipped cream. Just before the mixture sets pour it into the prepared mold and place it on ice to firm. Unmold the shape carefully on to a cold dish and serve.

**Banana Tartlets**—Soak eight tablespoonfuls of chopped cocoanut in sufficient milk to cover, beat up till smooth and the thickness of batter, then add three tablespoonfuls of melted butter, four beaten yolks of eggs, half a cupful of whipped cream, one teaspoonful of vanilla extract and the stiffly beaten whites of two eggs. Peel 12 bananas and rub them through a sieve, then add them to mixture. Line gem pans with pastry and fill with the mixture; bake in a hot oven for ten minutes. Beat up the whites of two eggs until stiff, then add half a pound of confectioner's sugar and one tablespoonful of cornstarch, and mix well together. Put a thin layer over the tartlets and put them in the oven to dry.

**Fruit Whip**—Separate the yolk and white of one egg. Beat the yolk till thick, add half a cupful of milk, one tablespoonful of sugar and a speck of salt. Cook till creamy. Flavor and set aside to get cold. Beat the white of the egg till stiff. Fold in carefully from two to four tablespoonfuls of fruit pulp, a few drops of lemon juice and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Fresh or canned fruit will do, but it must be pressed through a sieve. Apricots or prunes are especially good. The whip should be made just before serving. Put some of the custard around the whip.

**Snow Pudding**—Snow is an excellent substitute for eggs either in puddings or pancakes. Two large spoonfuls will supply the place of one egg, and the article it is used in will be equally good. This is useful, as snow often falls at the season when eggs are the highest in price. The snow may be taken up from any clean spot before it is wanted, and will not lose its virtue, though the sooner it is used the better. The yolks and whites of eggs beaten long and separately make the article they are put into much lighter.

**Beef Roll**—Pass two pounds lean beef through meat chopper, add one tablespoon finely chopped parsley, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon onion juice, one-fourth teaspoon mace, one-fourth teaspoon pepper, one egg well beaten and one-third cup soft bread crumbs soaked in cold water and wrung dry. Mix thoroughly and shape into a roll. Place on pieces of salt pork in a baking pan, bake about thirty minutes in hot oven, basting often.

### Roast Duck.

Prepare your duck for roasting the same as any poultry and stuff with this kind of stuffing: Two good-sized chopped onions, two cups mashed potatoes, one cup bread crumbs, salt, pepper and powdered sage to taste. Sometimes I add an egg, but you can omit it if you wish. Another way is to stuff entirely with small onions (nothing else). Bake about an hour for an ordinary-sized duck.

### Twin Mountain Muffins.

Here is an excellent recipe for breakfast muffins: One-fourth cup sugar, one egg well beaten, three-fourths cup milk, two cups flour, two teaspoons of baking powder. Cream the butter, add gradually the sugar, then the eggs. Sift the flour and baking powder thoroughly and add to the first mixture alternately with the milk. Bake in hot buttered gem pans twenty-five minutes.

### Grease the Saucepan.

Grease with butter the saucepan in which rice is cooked and the rice will not stick to the sides and bottom.

# WILLIAM M'KINLEY



Mr. McKinley of Chicago was elected speaker of the Illinois house of representatives after a long contest.

## MARKET REPORT.

Milwaukee, Feb. 18, 1913. Butter—Creamery, extras, 35 1/2c; prints, 36 1/4c; first, 32 1/2c; seconds, 27 1/2c; renovated, 26 1/2c; dairy, fancy, 32c.

Cheese—American, full cream, new made, twins, 16 1/2c; Young Americas, 16 1/2c; daisies, 16 1/2c; longhorns, 17c; limburger, 17c; brick, 16 1/2c.

Eggs—Current receipts fresh as to quality, 22 1/2c; recanded, extras, 26 1/2c; seconds, 16 1/2c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 14c; roosters, 8 1/2c; springers, 15c.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 93c; No. 2 northern, 91c; No. 3 northern, 86c; No. 1 velvet, 91c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 49c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 34 1/2c; No. 4 white, 33 1/2c.

Barley—No. 3, 64 1/2c; Wisconsin, 53 1/2c.

Rye—No. 2, 64 1/2c.

Cattle—Butchers' steers, 6.10 1/2; cows and heifers, 4.60 1/2; feeders, 5.85 1/2; calves, 9.00 1/2; 10.00.

Hogs—Good heavy butchers, 8.10 1/2; fair to best light, 8.10 1/2; 8.30; pigs, 7.00 1/2; 8.00.

Sheep—Lambs, 7.00 1/2; ewes, 3.00 1/2; 5.00.

## Chicago, Feb. 18, 1913.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 89c; No. 1 northern, 88c; No. 2 northern, 86c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 44 1/2c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 31 1/2c.

Flax—1.35.

## News Notes of Wisconsin.

Madison—State Fire Marshal T. M. Purcell has notified the department from Durand for the arraignment of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Campbell of Arkansas, Peppin county, for arson in connection with the burning of their home and its furniture last fall as a motive for collecting \$2,250 in insurance. In confessing that he and his wife touched the match, the marshal said, the husband claimed he was hypnotized by the wife into lending his aid to the conspiracy to defraud.

Sheboygan.—The fishing tug Sunbeam, which was supposed to have gone to the bottom of Lake Michigan, with a crew of six men, was towed into port by the tug Fearless, which picked up the Sunbeam ten miles out. The engine of the Sunbeam broke down when the craft was twenty-five miles out and the boat was tossed about by a severe gale.

Madison.—Chairman C. E. Estabrook of the assembly committee on municipalities has announced that his committee would take up all bills dealing with county matters the first week in March. The second week in that month will be given over to hearings on city bills.

Washington, D. C.—In the post-Fond du Lac.—Rev. Daniel Thomas, secretary of the board of missions of the Calvinistic Methodist church and moderator of the general assembly in Wilesbarre in 1907, is dead at his home here, aged 73. Mr. Thomas was pastor at Wild Rose for twenty-five years.

office appropriation bill, in the house draft, Madison gets \$350,000 for a new building, Neenah \$80,000, Antigo \$70,000, Merrill \$75,000, Beaver Dam \$80,000, Burlington \$70,000, Mineral Point \$60,000, Tomah \$55,000 and Oconto \$60,000.

Neenah.—The Neenah Business Men's association is planning for the building of a number of dwelling houses to accommodate the increasing number of residents. Forty houses were built here last summer and not one is vacant at the present time.



# WATERPOWER BILL UP TO LAWMAKERS

### SENATOR HUSTING'S MEASURE SEEKS TO ESTABLISH POLICY OF REGULATION.

## TO PRESERVE RESOURCES

#### Bill Makes Provision for Confiscation by Municipalities of Dams and Waterpower Plants and Would Give Franchises Subject to State Rights.

Madison.—Senator Husting's bill relating to the building and maintenance of dams on the navigable waters of Wisconsin seeks to establish a policy of regulation and control that shall "preserve to the people their rights to the natural resources of the state." The bill provides that all franchises granted for the construction and maintenance of dams are given "subject to the rights of the state, whenever it shall have constitutional power, and of any municipality to acquire the property of the grantee constructed or maintained and useful thereunder, including all property necessary and useful in carrying out the purposes for which the dam was constructed by paying just compensation therefor including the value of the riparian property for power purposes; provided, that in ascertaining what is just compensation no allowance shall be made for the franchise." It is provided that such property whether located within or without the corporate limits of any municipality may be acquired by the municipality by proceedings in condemnation for public purposes.

Senator Linley has introduced a bill which provides that city authorities, may by ordinance, require conductors and motormen on street cars to be licensed after examination, before they are permitted to operate street cars. He also had a bill requiring the issuance of transfers on street cars to any cars on their lines, of the same city for a continuous ride.

A remedy for the "redlight" evil is proposed by Assemblyman Frederick, in that houses of ill-fame, the owners of which are convicted of permitting them to be used for immoral purposes, shall be confiscated by the state. Another bill presented by Mr. Frederick would compel the publication of names of persons on a saloon blacklist in cities having a newspaper of general circulation.

Mr. Sharp put in a bill favoring a state board of education, consisting of five members, one of whom shall be the state superintendent, ex-officio. The other four are appointive by the governor, but after the term of the first expires in 1916 the members are to be elected in alternative years for a term of eight years.

## FIGHT TO KEEP STATE FAIR

#### Efforts by Other Cities to Secure Big Attraction Arouses Milwaukee to Action.

Milwaukee.—Milwaukeeans will not sit idly by with their hands folded while representatives of other cities are laboring with the legislators at Madison for the purpose of having the state fair removed from Milwaukee. The people of this city regard the fair as a fixed institution for Milwaukee by reason of the large amount of money invested in equipment and intend making a hard fight on any proposition to remove the fair to any other city. Active work to this end has been begun by the legislative committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association. The contention will be made that no other city in the state can offer the transportation and hotel facilities that Milwaukee affords and emphasis will be laid on the assertion that patronage by the citizens of Milwaukee has saved the fair from a deficit upon several occasions. Oshkosh and Wausau are the cities most active in endeavoring to acquire the state fair.

## PRATT HEADS PHONE MEN

#### Menominee Falls Man Elected President of Wisconsin Telephone Association at Madison Meeting.

Madison.—The Wisconsin State Telephone association elected officers as follows: President, J. A. Pratt, Menominee Falls; vice president, W. I. Smith, Neilsville; secretary, P. J. Weirich, Monroe; treasurer, W. F. Goodrich, La Crosse; directors, the officers and F. H. Runkel, porters; F. M. Cole, Ashland, and E. R. Bowler, Sheboygan. No action decided upon next year's convention day was taken.

## Wolves Are Eating Deer.

Couderay.—Trappers and Indians report that timber wolves are more numerous in this section than for several years. The remains of several deer killed and devoured by the wolves have been found.

## Water Low in Fox River.

Neenah.—Water in the Fox river has reached the lowest stage known in two years. Many factories have been running almost entirely on water power.

## Expect to Get 800 Bills.

Madison.—Up to February 14 about 500 bills had been introduced in the assembly and 125 in the senate. It is expected 800 measures will come before the legislators before the time limit expires.

## Holiday Bill Presented.

Madison.—Assemblyman Zopy introduced a novel bill to make Lincoln's birthday a legal holiday in odd-numbered and Washington's birthday in even-numbered years.

## WOULD LICENSE 'MOVIE' MEN

#### Assemblyman Hull's Bill Asks That Picture Machine Operators Pass Rigid Examination.

Madison.—Assemblyman Hull introduced a bill providing for the creation of a moving picture show commission which shall have the power to examine and license operators of moving picture shows. An annual fee of \$3 is to be charged, and each moving picture operator is to be examined for qualifications. The license of operators may be revoked for incompetency.

Assemblyman Peavy introduced a bill providing for farm loans to be made from the state trust fund for the development of northern Wisconsin lands. The land commission, who are to have indirect charge of the funds, are empowered to appoint a superintendent to make examination of the land offered for security, and when the money is to be advanced upon the real estate, unimproved, it is to be deposited in a general bank, and drawn upon by the buyer annually, as he makes the improvement. The rate of interest is 5 per cent per annum.

## SEAT IS VOTED TO O'DAY

#### Assembly Committee on Elections Awards Contest to Lincoln County Man—Accept Missing Ballots.

Madison.—Assemblyman John O'Day of Merrill will retain his seat in the lower house if the action of the committee on elections is approved by the members when the question is brought to a vote. The committee, after two days of hearing, decided five to two to report favorably for Mr. O'Day and against the claims of Ralph Clark.

The eight ballots which Mrs. Mc Clausland found in the booth the next morning after the election were accepted as valid and counted by the committee. These ballots were six for O'Day, one for Clark and one blank. Without these, the vote as found by the committee was 1521 for O'Day and 1522 for Clark, giving the latter one majority.

## ASSEMBLY ENDORSES DAVIES

#### Emulates Senate's Action by Passing Resolution Urging Wisconsin Man for Wilson's Cabinet.

Madison.—The assembly adopted a resolution endorsing Joseph E. Davies as a member of President-elect Wilson's cabinet. The resolution is identical with that adopted by the senate. It was introduced in the lower house by Assemblyman Conway of Grand Rapids.

## Pension Is Approved.

Madison.—Senator J. T. Bishop introduced a joint resolution memorializing congress in behalf of a pension for Mrs. Arthur MacArthur. The resolution asked congress to testify its appreciation of the great service rendered by the late general by voting his widow a pension of \$2,500 a year. The resolution was treated as privileged and was adopted by a unanimous vote. Copies will be sent to congress and Wisconsin representatives and senators. The assembly later concurred in the resolution.

## McKinnon on Grain Board.

Madison.—Gov. McGovern has appointed Edward McKinnon, Superior, to be member of the Wisconsin grain and warehouse commission in place of W. H. Crumpton of Superior, whose term of office has expired. Mr. McKinnon formerly was sheriff of Douglas county and one of the most popular officials in northern Wisconsin. The salary of the new position is \$2,500 per year. The term is three years.

## Defendants Number 135.

Marinette.—One hundred and thirty-five stockholders of the Northern Chautauque assembly are made defendants in a suit for \$6,000 filed here by Fred Carney, Jr.

## Medical School Rated High.

Madison.—The medical school of the University of Wisconsin has been placed in the highest class by the council on medical education of the American Medical association, according to its recent report.

## Fire Damages Packing Plant.

Jefferson.—Fire originating in a defective chimney destroyed the offices and warehouse of the Charles Stoppenbach Sons' packing plant. The loss will probably be \$6,500.

## Farmer Hangs Self.

Wautoma.—Dependancy over the death of his wife is said to have caused the suicide of Christian Madison, a farmer, found hanging in his barn near here.

## Misses Cat Kills Friend.

Spring Green.—George Randall, part owner of the Randall cheese factory, near this city, was accidentally killed by the discharge of a revolver in the hands of Allen Hoxie, who was shooting at a cat.

## \$50,000 Milk Plant Burns.

Madison.—The plant of the American Milk Producers' company at Capron, near here, was burned with a loss of \$50,000. Fifty men are thrown out of work.

## Mine Run by Electricity.

Florence.—Electricity from the Twin Falls power plant, four miles from Iron Mountain, has been turned on at the Florence mine. Heretofore the machinery at the mine was run by steam.

## Work for 'City Beautiful.'

Madison.—The women of this city are organizing to make Madison the "City Beautiful." They announce intention to make it the cleanest city in the state.

# SENATE INDORSES DAVIES FOR POST

### REPUBLICANS VOTE UNANIMOUSLY TO URGE APPOINTMENT FOR WILSON'S CABINET.

## MOVE SETS PRECEDENT

#### Wilson Holds Cabinet Names Until in Office—No Announcement of Choice for Portfolios Until He Sends Nominations to Senate.

Madison.—A splendid tribute to Joseph E. Davies, of Madison, and an endorsement of him for a place in the cabinet of President-elect Wilson resulted in the senate, when a resolution, introduced by Mr. Snover and advocated by Mr. Bosshard, received a unanimous vote. The resolution was treated as privileged and Senator Bosshard spoke vigorously in its support.

"It may appear unusual," said the senator from La Crosse, "for this body of Republican senators to pay tribute to a member of another party. I feel, however, that we honor ourselves and our commonwealth when we honor the high quality, ability and honorable standing of Mr. Davies.

Mr. Bosshard said he had a personal interest in the resolution as he and Mr. Davies were classmates in the university and close friends from that time. In 1899 they both were members of the university literary society that met in Minnesota in joint debate, and were victorious. Following their graduation, he said, was elected district attorney in his county, and each has held the other in high esteem ever since.

A dispatch from Princeton, N. J., says that President-elect Wilson will make no announcement of his cabinet at all but will send his nominations to the senate after his inauguration. This plan is decided upon after the "authoritative" announcements from Washington that he was to announce his cabinet tomorrow. These Washington dispatches have been most annoying to the president-elect. The Washington stories printed were more than ruffling to his temper. In response to a query, he said: "I will not make any announcements at all. I will send the names to the senate in the good old-fashioned way."

## ELECT THOMAS PRESIDENT

#### Columbus Man Heads Southern Wisconsin Teachers—Resolution Favors Women Suffrage.

Madison.—Miles Thomas, principal of the Columbia county training school, Columbus, was elected president of the Southern Wisconsin Teachers' association; Principal John Dixon, Elkhorn, first vice-president, and Miss Mary Stafford, assistant principal of the Green county training school, Monroe, second vice-president; County Supt. J. C. Bockert, Lancaster, Secretary.

Resolutions were passed favoring woman suffrage and asking the men to do a simple act of justice and support such a measure, and that no high school or elementary school should ever change their courses to fit the entrance requirements to a college or university.

A resolution was passed requesting that means be provided for the dissemination of knowledge as to the value of animal and bird life, the necessity of conservation and protection of the same, together with the laws adopted to that end.

## Pian Convent Addition.

La Crosse.—An annex to cost \$45,000 will be added to the St. Rose convent which will make the building one of the largest of the kind in the country. The building will be joined to the Chapel of Perpetual Adoration which was built at a cost of \$400,000, and is one of four in the United States.

## Sheboygan Fair Sept. 3-6.

Sheboygan.—The board of control of the Sheboygan county fair has decided to hold this year's fair Sept. 3-6. A grain growing contest among school children will be a feature.

## Announce Wage Increase.

Fond du Lac.—The Soo line has announced a voluntary increase of 5 per cent in wages in the blacksmith department of its shops here. The increase affects seventy-five men.

## L. A. Rossing Dead.

Areys.—L. A. Rossing, one of the oldest merchants in this section of the state, is dead. For over forty years he had conducted a large department store here.

## Short Course Student Trip.

Madison.—The annual short course inspection trip will be taken by the short course students on Feb. 21 and 22. The inspection will include the big dairy and stock farms around Waukesha and Oconomowoc.

## Will Build Automobiles.

La Crosse.—La Crosse capitalists have completed plans for the erection of an automobile factory, which will manufacture an \$500 car, by the Horweller brothers.

## Would Pension Judges.

Madison.—A bill introduced by Assemblyman Hedding would give supreme and circuit judges the privilege of retiring on a pension equal to half of their salary at the age of 65 years.

## Want Parcel Post Auto.

Racine.—This city, which has a fire auto, ambulance auto, and a patrol auto is now trying to secure an automobile to be used in the delivery of parcel post packages.

## ODE TO WASHINGTON.

The following ode was found in an old scrap book, and is supposed to have been written by Mayor Gaynor of New York when he was still too obscure to persuade the magazines to publish his literary efforts.

Again we celebrate the birth  
Of one of the greatest men of earth—  
Great in peace and great in strife,  
Great in the council hall:

Great in the  
sight of a critical  
world—  
The greatest thing  
of all.

Neither a saint nor  
a demigod,  
Just a sprout from  
the virgin sod,  
Faint he had as  
have other  
men.

He sowed a seed  
But he did his  
duty sublimely  
when  
He found that the  
thing to do.

Weak in the flesh,  
he still could  
stand  
Columbus-like for his native land.

Brave in the face of the jealous foe,  
He smirked at his looking-glass,  
And was plunged in the deepest depths  
of woe.

By a treacherous country lass.

Of one of the greatest men of earth!  
To fame's highest place, since he  
A fool of himself as others do:  
When women praised him he displayed  
A human greed for flattery, too.

Let us praise him,  
Let us raise him  
To fame's highest place, since he  
Though so great in council hall  
And in war was, after all,  
So very much like you and me.

For the honor of his Dedication  
and for the friendly & favorable sentiments  
which are therein expressed, I pray  
you to accept my acknowledgment &  
thanks.

"Not having read the Book, it follows  
of course that I can express no  
opinion with respect to its Political  
contents—but I can venture to assert,  
beforehand, and with confidence, that  
there is no man in either country,  
more zealously devoted to Peace and  
a good understanding between the  
two Nations than I am—nor one who  
is more disposed to bury in oblivion  
all animosities which have subsisted  
between them & the Individuals of  
each.

"Peace with all the world, is my  
sincere wish—I am sure it is our  
true policy.—And am persuaded it is  
the ardent desire of the Government.—  
But there is a Nation whose intermed-  
dling, & restless disposition, and at-  
tempts to divide, distract & influence  
the measures of other Countries, that  
will not suffer us, I fear, to enjoy this  
bleeding long, unless we will yield to  
them our Rights, & submit to greater  
Injuries and Insults than we have al-  
ready sustained, to avoid the calamities  
resulting from War.

"What will be the consequences of  
our Arming for self defence, that  
Providence who permits these things  
in the Disturbers of Mankind, & who  
rules and Governs all things, alone  
can tell.—To its all powerful decrees  
we must submit, whilst we hope that  
the Justice of our Cause if War must  
ensue will entitle us to its protection  
—With very sincere respect I am  
"Revd. Sir, Your Most Obed. Servant,  
"Go. WASHINGTON."

Washington powdered his hair and  
wore a shirt which was made of the  
material that was used for lace cur-  
tains. He was not a statesman who  
felt that it was necessary to affect a  
slouch hat and proclaim his unwilling-  
ness to be seen in evening clothes,  
in order to win the support of the  
low people.

It is alleged that Washington once  
threw a silver dollar across the Potomac  
river, but he never threw away  
money by purchasing lobster for a  
chorus girl.

A set of false teeth that were worn  
by Washington are preserved in the  
National museum at Washington. One  
is surprised when one examines them  
to find that there is no trade-mark or  
other sign upon them to indicate  
that they were "made in Germany."

If all the men and boys who have  
been named for George Washington  
could be drilled and armed and gathered  
into a cohesive force they could  
whip any army in the world.

Washington was the richest man  
in America when he retired from public  
office, and a large majority of the  
office-holders who have followed him  
seem to have had a desire to claim  
the same distinction.

The father of his Country possessed  
small ability as a public speaker.  
When it was necessary for him  
to deliver an address he read it from  
manuscript and became so nervous  
that he could hardly keep the pages  
from eluding his grasp. He never  
had the advantage of early practice  
at a high school commencement.

Attempts have been made by  
genealogists to trace Washington's  
descent from royalty, but Wash-  
ington never would consent to confer  
distinction upon royalty by admitting  
that he was descended from it.

An examination of documents in  
Washington's handwriting show that  
he was not a good speller, but it must  
be remembered that he lived before  
Noah Webster invented spelling.

Some men think that inability to  
sign their names so that they may  
be deciphered is an indication of  
greatness. Washington does not ap-  
pear to have regarded that as an in-  
fallible sign.

When Washington was a candidate  
for the presidency there were many  
people who feared that he would up-  
set business and wreck the govern-  
ment owing to his inexperience as a  
chief magistrate. He insisted, how-  
ever, that it would be possible to have  
a president who had not had to be-  
gin somewhere.

We have no proof that Washington  
ever rolled a cigarette or tasted  
grape-fruit, or bought on margins or  
had himself paged in a hotel or tried  
to write a play or attempted to be-  
come a fiddler or posed as a village  
cut-up or threatened to stop his job  
because he did not like the editor's  
policy.

Washington never traveled abroad,  
never saw a baseball game, never  
played golf and never hooked his  
wife's waist; but it is alleged that  
he did lay a cornerstone or two.

Chosen Without Opposition.  
Of 99 electoral votes cast for the  
first president Washington got 69.

## WAS DISTRUSTFUL OF FRANCE.

#### Washington, With Prophetic Eye Foretold the Conflict That Later Sundered the Two Countries.

George Washington was not one of those who was disposed to consider France as a trust worthy friend of this country. He had been reluctant to take up arms against England, and after the Revolution he was deeply re-estab-lish and main-tain friendly relations with the mother country. A letter which he wrote in 1789 to a former friend in England throws an interesting light upon his feeling at that time. The letter is as follows:

"Mount Vernon, 15th August, 1798.

"Revd. Sir,  
I know not how it has happened,  
but the fact is, that your favour of  
the 8th of Novr. last year, is but just  
received; and at a time when both  
public & private business pressed so  
hard upon me, as to afford no leisure  
to give the 'View of the Causes and  
Consequences of the American Revo-  
lution' written by you, and which you  
had been pleased to send to me, a  
perusal.

"For the honor of his Dedication  
and for the friendly & favorable sentiments  
which are therein expressed, I pray  
you to accept my acknowledgment &  
thanks.

"Not having read the Book, it follows  
of course that I can express no  
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"Go. WASHINGTON."

George never saw an Ibsen play  
The hobnob of Alexander's band:  
The noblest act in George's day  
Remained a thing as yet unexplained:  
He never had Wall street to fight  
Nor found insurgents to entrain,  
And when he journeyed home at night  
He did not dangle from a strap.

No manourist laid  
A shining polish on his nails;  
With dynamite he never played,  
Nor bought his shirts at bargain sales;

He never dodged a taxicab  
Nor feared the teeth in Teddy's mouth:  
He never started out to grab  
A delegation from the South.

He never heard Caruso sing  
In anybody's phonograph;  
He never wrote an ode to spring  
And Champ Clark never made him  
laugh;

He never heard of "Schedule K"  
Nor drew three cards to fill a pat;  
He never walked the Gay White Way  
To see the actors strolling there.

He never met a suffragette  
Nor ever traveled fast or far,  
He never had to go in debt  
To get his wife a motor car.  
He never sent for Morgan when  
A panic threatened or began,  
Nor ever used a fountain pen—  
Poor, unsophisticated man!

Another Washington House Razed.  
The historic house at Van Court  
and villa, near Peekskill, built in  
early colonial days, has been torn  
down. The old building was a popu-  
lar way-side inn, and during the Revo-  
lution is said to have been a regular  
stopping place for parties of Wash-  
ington's forces going up and down the  
river. The general himself often vis-  
ited the place. A party of troops  
guarding the British spy, Major John  
Andre, took breakfast in the room to  
the right of the porch on their way to  
West Point on the morning of Decem-  
ber, 26, 1780.

Washington.  
If our American institutions have  
done nothing else but furnish to the  
world the character of Washington,  
that alone would have entitled them  
to the respect and admiration of man-  
kind.—Daniel Webster.

# THE KITTEN CABINET

### DIGNITY comes not from pos- sessed honors, but in the consciousness that we deserve them.

## SOME PLAIN DISHES.

A plain beef stew is an appetizing dish when nicely prepared, and one which gives variety.

**Beef Stew.**—Cut all the fat from the meat and put it into a frying pan to try out all the fat. To a pound and a half of the meat allow a large onion cut fine, two tablespoonsful of minced carrot and the same of celery. Cut the meat in small pieces. Put the vegetables into the fat of the pan and cook until well heated through, then add the meat, which has been rolled in flour, and cook until well browned; add two tablespoonsful of salt, a few dashes of cayenne pepper and water to just cover. Set on the back part of the stove where it will simply keep hot for two or three hours. The last hour add a pint of sliced potatoes, and when the potatoes are done, serve at once.

**Apple Croquettes.**—Add half a cup of bread crumbs to a pint of thick sour apple sauce, mix well and shape in balls, dip in egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat.

**Brown Bread.**—Take two cups of Graham flour, a cup of white flour, a cup of nuts and a cup of raisins mixed, a teaspoonful each of soda and salt, a teaspoonful of baking powder, half a cup of molasses, and a cup and a half of sour milk. Bake one hour in a slow oven.

**Corn Souffle.**—Melt a tablespoonful of butter and stir in a tablespoonful of flour; when well cooked add a pint of hot milk, poured on slowly; add one by one the yolks of three eggs, beating well. Add a cup of corn chopped or put through a meat grinder; season with salt and cayenne. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs and put the mixture into a well-greased baking pan, set the pan in hot water and bake twenty minutes. Test it with a knife—if it comes out clean the souffle is done.

**S**MALL kindnesses, small courtesies, small considerations, habitually practiced in our social intercourse give a greater charm to the character than the display of great talents and accomplishments. —N. A. Kelly.

**DELICACIES FOR OCCASIONS.**

When a change from the ordinary is desired, try making a banana salad like this: Use a potato scoop and cut out the balls from firm bananas; put back into the carefully opened skins, cover with French dressing, and serve.

**Frozen Cheese With Figs.**—Mash two good-sized cream cheeses, beat them with a half cup of whipped cream, sweeten to taste, pack in a mold and bury in ice and salt four hours. Cut in rounds with a biscuit cutter, make a depression in the center of each with a spoon and place in each a preserved fig, stem end up.

**Cream of Spinach Soup.**—Fry a cup of cooked spinach through a sieve, add a pint of thin white sauce and a pint of chicken broth. Season with salt and white pepper, and serve, poured over the yolks of two eggs mixed with a half cup of cream.

**Oysters in Grape Fruit Cups.**—Save the shells of halves of grapefruit; chill by standing in cold water, fill with chipped ice, lay an oyster on each half shell in depressions in the ice with a lemon quarter in the center, or a shell of lemon peel filled with a sauce to be used on the oysters.

**Celery Boulettes.**—Chop some celery and cold boiled potato until you have a cupful of each, add an egg yolk, a tablespoonful of butter, half a cup of pecans. Moisten with milk and mold into balls; dip in egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat. Serve with a sprig of parsley on each.

**Steamed Salmon With Potato Balls.**—Pick up the contents of a large can of salmon, add salt, pepper and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Fold in a small cup of cream, which has been whipped; put into a buttered mold and steam three-quarters of an hour. Turn out and surround with potato balls dipped in butter and rolled in parsley.

**Nellie Maxwell**

**Place for the Thermometer.**

If you have only one thermometer, sacrifice your curiosity as to the outside temperature and hang it in your living room, that you may preserve your health by keeping the room "just warm enough."

**Fruit Notes.**

Grape fruit is at length becoming popular in Germany. It is not so many years ago since it began to become popular in the United States, and it should be remembered that Germany was first to eat the tomato.—Christian Science Monitor.

**Rough on the Sultur.**

Her Papa—"Is my daughter willing to marry you?" Her Sultur—"Yes, sir." Her Papa—"Is it an election bet or is love really blind?"—The Club Fellow.

**Keep It Mum.**

If you have not slept, or if you have slept, if you have the headache, or leprosy, or thunderstroke, I beseech you by all the angels to hold your peace and not pollute the morning.—Emerson.

**That Kind of a Man.**

"What kind of a man is Squire Simmons, anyway?" "Well, I'll tell ye. You've seen them snowstorms along airy in the winter, when there's a good deal of wind, but not much sleighing? That's the sort he is."

# HOW MRS. BROWN SUFFERED

### During Change of Life—How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman.

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**WAYNE**

The weather has been very ideal since Valentine Day. Several autos were in our hemlet last Monday afternoon. Walter Belger and sister spent last Sunday here with friends. A. Krebs of St. Lawrence called on old time friends here last Sunday. The Frauen Verein met at the home of Charles Wehling last Sunday. Nat, Roman and William Darmody spent last Saturday in our burg. Arthur Martin assisted John Simon cutting wood the past few weeks. Louis Petri and John Simon delivered some potatoes to Kewaskum this week. Geo. F. Brandt, the veterinary surgeon of Kewaskum, was here on business Monday afternoon. Some of the West Island boys called in Wayne last Sunday evening and had an enjoyable time. George Kippenhan and Louis Krueger and their families attended the Bartelt-Klumb wedding last Saturday. Wm. Foerster sold cooking stoves to the following this week: Rev. Shattos, John Ammerling and Henry Brandt. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt Sr. spent Monday and Tuesday with the Herman Marosa and Fred Borchert families at Knowles. It seems that some of our young men are not so much afraid of getting married and go to house-keeping, than some of the older boys. Wm. Zielicke and wife and youngest daughter from near Elmore spent last week Friday with the August Zielicke family west of here. John Basler and family from near Allenton called on Andrew Sr. and family last Sunday. While here they engaged Arthur Martin as farm hand for the coming summer. Quite a number of farmers are hauling their potatoes and barley to Allenton and Kewaskum this week. A good price is being paid for farm produce at the present time. Anton Sheddle and wife of St. Kilian passed through this burg one day this week enroute to Geo. Reindl's place near Kewaskum, where the latter will spend a week. Jacob Kudeck and family spent one day of last week with the Peter Kirsch family. Mr. Kirsch is not in the best of health at the present writing. We hope for a speedy recovery.

**Big Reduction Sale**

of our entire stock of Felt Shoes and Slippers, also Rubbers. Look over these prices, note the savings, quality the best, every pair guaranteed.

Rubbers		Warm Shoes	
Warm lined storm Rubbers.			
Men's.....	95c	Women's.....	79c
Misses'.....	69c	Children's.....	59c
One buckle articles, fine jersey tops.			
Men's.....	1.39	Women's.....	95c
Misses'.....	89c	Children's.....	79c
Men's 1 buckle Ontarios, pair.....	1.45	Women's all felt lace shoe with felt soles, now per pair.....	1.29
Men's heavy weight one buckle articles.....	1.45	Misses' and children's warm slippers, maroon, with pretty ribbon.....	89c
Men's 18 in. leather top rubbers.....	3.19	Misses' pair.....	79c
Men's 16 in. leather top rubbers.....	2.98	Children's pair.....	69c
Men's 12 in. leather top rubbers.....	2.98		

Basement Savings		Grocery Savings	
14 qt. tin dish pans.....	10c	Peas, per can.....	10c
14 qt. blue and white enameled dish pans.....	15c	Per doz.....	1.05
1 lot 25c granite ware, each.....	25c	Corn, per can.....	6c
1 lot 15c granite ware, each.....	9c	Per doz.....	68c
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**ELMORE**

Farmers are busy hauling potatoes. J. H. Kleinbans was at Fond du Lac on business Thursday. Mrs. Emil Phiel of Medford is visiting here with her parents. Miss Alma Klewin of Fond du Lac spent a few days of last week here with Miss Martha Geidel. J. H. Kleinbans transacted business at Milwaukee Monday and Tuesday. Jos. Meixensperger and Wm. Wodde were pleasant callers here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hess of South Elmore spent Saturday with F. Mathieu. Christ Becker was a business caller at Milwaukee the forepart of the week. Gus Scholl spent Friday with the Chas. Struebing family at South Elmore. John Raush is busy moving his household goods onto the Bach farm which he has rented. Mrs. Helen Schill and children and Elsie and Lydia Heberer spent Monday evening at the home of Christ Becker. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Struebing and daughter Anita visited with Wm. Klink and family at Campbellsport last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Corbett and daughter of Dundee visited from Saturday until Monday here with the Wm. Mathieu family. The Misses Estella Mathieu, Viola Scholl and Hilda Bohland spent Sunday at the home of Wm. Schleit near Five Corners.

**BOLTONVILLE**

Mrs. C. Klunke is on the sick list. Mrs. Turner is seriously ill at the present writing. S. Row is again able to be out after being sick for two weeks. Arthur Groeschel spent the week with relatives at Port Washington. F. M. Schuler of Milwaukee was a business caller in our burg last Friday. Evelyn Woog and A. Wilk of Random Lake were village callers Sunday. Wm. Brazelton and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Woog last Sunday. Mrs. J. Frohman and daughter Lola visited relatives at Plymouth last Saturday. Pleasant Brazelton transacted business at Random Lake last week Wednesday. Oscar Bartelt and wife are spending a few days with relatives west of here. Dan Enright of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother and brother here. Relatives and neighbors of Jas. A. Bolton helped him celebrate his ninetieth birthday last Wednesday. Max Grubbe and wife were at Fillmore Monday evening to visit her father, Mr. Hartz, who is seriously ill.

**CEDAR LAWN.**

John Uelmen was at New Prospect last Tuesday on business. August Schultz transacted business at Eden last week Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Gust Huettner of Ashford called here last Sunday. Several from here delivered stock to Campbellsport last Monday. John Gudex made a business trip to Fond du Lac on Wednesday. Mrs. A. D. Chesley called on friends at Fond du Lac last Saturday. P. A. Kraemer made a pleasure trip to Fond du Lac on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Adam Jaeger visited with friends at Ashford on Tuesday. N. J. Mertes of Kewaskum made a business trip through here last Saturday. Leonard Gudex attended to important business at Fond du Lac on Saturday. Farmers from here attended the monthly stock fair at Campbellsport last Monday. John Dalton of Eden passed through here on Tuesday, while enroute for Campbellsport. Mrs. John Schneider was taken to the St. Agnes hospital at Fond du Lac last Monday for an operation. William Walter Chesley, who went to western Iowa in 1877, is visiting his father and a host of friends and acquaintances in this section.

**DUNDEE.**

Jas. Reilly transacted business at Plymouth this week. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Roehl on February 12th. Ezekiel Bowen left this week for Plymouth, where he expects to remain. Chas. Hafferman moved onto the Bartelt farm this week, which he recently leased. Wm. Bartelt moved his household goods to Campbellsport last Monday, where they will reside in the future. Chas. Baetz last week purchased the 50 acre farm of Owen Cummings. Mr. and Mrs. Cummings will soon move to Sheboygan, where they will make their future home.

**LOCAL MARKET REPORT.**

Barley.....	50c
Wheat.....	75c
Red winter.....	87
Rye, No. 1.....	96
Oats.....	30
Butter.....	20.25
Eggs.....	21
Unwashed wool.....	24
Potatoes, new.....	25.00
Hops.....	1.00
H.P.F.....	15.00
Hides (calf skin).....	12
Cow Hides.....	14
Honey.....	10
Apples.....	75c
Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs.....	11.00
White.....	25.00
Alfalfa.....	16.00
Hickory Nuts.....	1.50

**LIVE POULTRY.**

Spring Chickens.....	12
Hens.....	10
Old Roosters.....	10
Ducks.....	11
Geese.....	14

**DRESSED POULTRY**

Chickens.....	12
Ducks.....	13
Geese.....	15

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No. 141	8:49 a.m. Sunday only
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No. 216	5:37 p.m. daily except Sunday
No. 108	7:32 a.m. daily
No. 241	11:35 p.m. Sunday only
No. 202	7:26 p.m. Sunday only

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—Made in the good old Fashioned way—Town Boost 5c Cigar.

—Legal papers for sale at this office.

—Edw. C. Miller was at Milwaukee on business Tuesday.

—Washington's birthday anniversary to-day, Saturday.

—Frank Kaas spent Monday at Campbellsport on business.

—Sebastian Pflum and wife were West Bend visitor on Monday.

—F. E. Colvin was a business caller at the County Seat on Saturday.

—Miss Belinda Backhaus was a West Bend visitor last week Saturday.

—Wenzel Gulda was a business caller at Campbellsport on Wednesday.

—L. P. Rosenheimer made an auto trip to Milwaukee on business Tuesday.

—Frank Heppie spent from Saturday until Wednesday with his folks at Hartford.

—Miss Leona Klessig of Newburg spent Saturday here under the parental roof.

—Miss Lena Schoofs spent the week with her brother and sister at West Bend.

—Otto E. Lay attended the Lumbermen's convention at Milwaukee on Wednesday.

—H. W. Meilahn and P. J. Haug were business callers at Milwaukee last week Friday.

—D. M. Rosnhimeer was a business caller at Schlesingerville on Saturday and Sunday.

—Sam Grosse of Campbellsport attended to business matters in the village on Monday.

—Val, Peters and family spent Sunday with Fred Backhaus and family near New Fane.

—Mesdames Jacob Becker and Herman Geidel were Pond du Lac visitors on Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mertens of Newburg spent Sunday here with their respective parents.

—Miss Olive Werner of West Bend spent last Sunday here with the John H. Martin family.

—Mrs. Joseph Eberle and son Joseph were at West Bend last week Saturday on business.

—Edw. Miller and family spent Sunday with the Ig. Mueller family in the town of Ashford.

—Fred Metzger and wife of Pillsmore were the guests of friends here on Saturday and Sunday.

—August Peterman was at Fond du Lac on Wednesday, where he attended to business matters.

—Fred Jung of the Theresa Auto Supply Co., of Theresa, spent Wednesday here on business.

—Your last chance to get those 12 dozen cabinets at the Miller Studio. Open all day Sunday.

—Martin Walters of the West Bend Brewing Co., of West Bend called on the trade here Tuesday.

—Only seven more days to get those \$3 and \$4 cabinet photos at the Miller Studio for \$2 per dozen.

FOR SALE.—A team of horses weighing about 2200 lbs. Inquire of Walter Belger, Kewaskum, Wis.

—Adv. 2t.

—Mr. and Mrs. August Ebenreiter attended the Lumbermen's convention at Milwaukee this week.

—Peter Wittman and family of West Bend spent Sunday here as the guests of the Sebastian Pflum family.

—Miss Ella Trost left Wednesday for Campbellsport for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

—Wm. Eimermann of Richfield was the guest of the L. D. Guth family here last Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. Frank O'Meara of West Bend spent Sunday here with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Schoofs.

—Mrs. Peter Mies left Saturday

for Milwaukee where she will visit with relatives and friends for a few weeks.

—Mrs. Jos. Opgenorth and son returned home on Saturday from a two weeks visit with her folks near St. Kilian.

—Mrs. Joseph Hoerig and son Arnold spent last Saturday and Sunday with the Peter Stoffel family at Lomira.

—Wm. Rimmel and family of Mayville spent Sunday here with John Tiss family and other relatives and friends.

—Remember the offer of the Miller Studio of \$2 per dozen for their \$3 and \$4 cabinets expires Saturday March 1st 1913.

NOTICE.—Installation of officers of the G. U. G. G. on next Monday evening. All members are requested to be present.

—Do you know that the Miller Studio will save you from one to two dollars on every dozen of photos during the next seven days?

—Emerson Olwin this week purchased a two speed Indian motorcycle from "Motorecycle Bill" Endlich. The machine will be delivered this spring.

—On account of Washington's birthday anniversary being a legal holiday and the rural carriers do not cover the routes, we are this week obliged to publish our paper one day earlier than usual.

—If you did not get any of those \$3 and \$4 cabinet photos at two dollars per dozen during the special offer time at the Miller Studio, you can still do so by getting busy during the balance of this month.

—Jos. Opgenorth, who had charge of the station at Campbellsport during the absence of E. F. Roethke, returned home on Saturday, and is again in charge of the second truck of the local station.

—Joseph Schmidt, Secretary of the Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance Company attended the Mutual Underwriters meeting at Madison on Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Schmidt is first Vice-President of the association.

—Ig. Strohmeier Jr., left Tuesday for Scott City, Kansas, where he will remain. Mr. Strohmeier recently purchased 160 acres of land near the aforesaid mentioned city. Before leaving an order for a year's subscription to the STATESMAN was left at this office.

—Edw. Miller the local furniture dealer and undertaker returned home last week Friday from Milwaukee, where he took a four weeks course in Johnson's College of Embalming. Mr. Miller is a graduate of said school and was awarded a diploma. His standing was 95.

—Mich. Lehnertz of the Town of Wayne was arranged in Justice Rosenheimer's court last week Friday on a charge of having his team of horses tied to a hitching post longer than the time allowed by the village ordinance. The defendant pleaded guilty and was fined \$1 and cost, amounting to \$3.

—The Oakfield Herald has discontinued publication owing to insufficient support. The Waupun Leader will assume the subscription obligations of the paper and that paper will be sent to Herald subscribers who have paid in advance. Mr. Klebs was the editor of the Oakfield Herald. He is well known in this community, having at one time for a few years been employed in the News office at Campbellsport.

## BEECHWOOD.

Herman Hausler was at Boltonville Saturday on business.

John Held and wife visited Tuesday with relatives at Batavia.

John Krautkramer and wife spent Sunday with L. J. Kaiser and wife.

Henry Becker and family moved into the Adolph Claus house Saturday.

A. L. O'Connell and Jake Horning were at Kewaskum Tuesday on business.

Theo. Mertens and wife spent Sunday evening with B. C. Hickens and wife.

B. C. Hickens and wife spent Sunday with Jake Held Sr., and family at Batavia.

John Van Blarcom served a rabbit lunch to his patrons Saturday evening.

Henry Reysen and Wm. Dickel held a bee Monday, hauling lumber to Kewaskum.

Mrs. Ed. Laubach entertained the Ladies Aid Society at her home last Friday afternoon.

## ST. MICHAELS.

Joseph Weiss was a business caller at Stratford last week.

Math. Geib of Boltonville was a caller in our burg on Sunday.

Pete Mies, the Kewaskum barber called on Rev. Beyer last Sunday.

John Koelsch of Milwaukee is spending some time with his mother here.

Rev. J. F. Beyer is laid up with the grippe. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Katherine Meeth of Barton is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Math. Schladweiler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Herriges of Waukeke were here Sunday to spend the day with relatives.

Miss Martha Schmitz was seriously ill last week with the grippe and a slight attack of pneumonia. We sincerely wish her a speedy recovery.

Since the tax-paying time is about over the average citizen feels so light in his pocket that he is obliged to carry stones in his pockets to prevent him from going up in the air.

Mrs. Nic. Schneider left for Milwaukee one day last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. John Schladweiler, who underwent an operation in St. Mary's hospital some time ago. She is reported as improving and that she will soon be as well as ever.

## \$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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(Advertisement.)

## ST. KILIAN.

Andrew Strobel is visiting with relatives in Milwaukee at present.

Jos. Zwaschka Jr., of Hartford spent Sunday here with his parents.

Maurice Eisenhut of Athens is visiting with friends here since Tuesday.

Martin Walter of West Bend was in our burg on business last Saturday.

John Miller of Milwaukee is visiting with his brother Anton here since Saturday.

Wm. Rimmel and family of Theresa autoed through here enroute for Kewaskum last Sunday.

Mrs. F. J. Plaseh returned home from Milwaukee last Monday after spending several weeks there with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Jacob Mollerius and daughter Marie of Milwaukee were the guests of the Jos. Wonda family and other relatives here the forepart of last week.

A number of friends and relatives surprised Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ruppinger at their home last Saturday evening in honor of their 15th wedding anniversary.

## FIVE CORNERS.

Miss Florence White spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Waunona.

Frank Volz visited relatives at Milwaukee from Saturday until Monday.

J. Schrooten and family were guests of Wm. Ferber and family Sunday.

Misses Viola and Rose Ferber and Rose Schief were Kewaskum callers on Tuesday.

Misses Olive and Ella Tindl are spending the week with their grand mother, Mrs. Emma Volz.

Messrs. J. Volz and J. Ferber were business callers at Milwaukee Saturday and Sunday.

Mesdames Tiss and Ockenfels of Kewaskum called on Mrs. Chas. Raether on Monday afternoon.

The following were guests of Wm. Schief and family Sunday: Misses Viola Schief, Stella Mathieo of Elmora; Ottilie Raether, Lyda and Frances Ferber, Amelia Petri and Mr. and Mrs. R. Hirsig and family.

The following spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Steinmel in North Auburn: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferber and family; Mrs. Emma Kneger and son Walter; Elmer and Frank Friedl; Ed. Yohann and Fred Schief and sister Rose.

## AUBURN.

Otto Schwartz of Eden was a business caller in this vicinity Friday.



# FEBRUARY OFFERS

## MORE PRETTY SPRING GOODS

are arriving every day and our shelves are filling to their capacity. The past week we received our new Muslin Underwear and Shirt Waists. The patterns are very pleasing. New Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Laces, Embroideries, Lace Curtains and Trimmings are here for your investigation.

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offers the best of security to its depositors in the shape of \$400,000.00 of clean, unimpaired, quick assets and demands good and stable security from its borrowers. It invites your business on a conservative banking basis, whether large or small, and the special personal attention of its officers is given all matter entrusted to its care and attention.

## BANK OF KEWASKUM

KEWASKUM, WIS.

The Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Madison, Wisconsin, will gladly send further particulars.

Wm. McKinley Recommended Libraries. William McKinley said: "There is no way in which a community can more benefit itself than in the establishment of a library which shall be free to all citizens."

MENTAL MEDICINE FURNISHED BY THE STATE

Efforts are being made in a few states to use the library as a remedial agency in the state's charitable and penal institutions. A special officer has been appointed in Iowa whose function it is to superintend the libraries of these institutions and so to study the needs and causes of the inmates as wisely to select and apply the literature likely to be most helpful to the different classes of defectives. As the result of experience already acquired this officer expresses the opinion that books can be applied with as much confidence and directness to the healing of various mental and moral diseases as medical remedies are applied by physicians. If this be true, what an added argument it furnishes, on grounds of both humanity and economy, for the supply of the book by the state or community before the state of mental or moral disease is reached! How much easier and how much less expensive to the community is prevention than cure! When one realizes the part that a great public library plays in administering to mental health one wonders at the shortsightedness of a community in not establishing such an institution. There are 185 free public libraries in Wisconsin, but there are still a few communities in the state that could afford to maintain public libraries that have not yet secured them. There are also isolated districts that could use traveling libraries to great advantage. The Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Madison, Wisconsin, will gladly aid any community to secure a public library and will send traveling libraries to all who desire them.

## FREE CORN AND FREE BOOKS WILL ERASE MOB

Free corn in old Rome bribed a mob and kept it passive. By free books and what goes with them in modern America we mean to erase the mob from existence. There lies the cardinal difference between a civilization which perished and a civilization which will endure. The Wisconsin Free Library Commission, a state board with headquarters at the capitol at Madison, is making every effort to reach every part of the state with good books, thus promoting a more intelligent and better type of citizenship. It will welcome every opportunity to place books in any hamlet, town or village that will ask for them and that will use them wisely.

## Books and Children Should Be Brought Together.

An inexhaustible mine of pleasure is open for the boy or girl who loves good books and has access to them. Without effort on the part of the parent they are kept off the street and from the company of the idle and vicious and are storing their minds with useful knowledge, or are being taught high ideals and noble purposes. Thus they develop into men and women who are an honor to their parents and worthy citizens of our great republic. The Wisconsin Free Library Commission sends out good books for boys and girls to supplement the oftentimes meager school libraries. It also puts in its collections books for people who have been deprived of school privileges and also books for those who wish to fill idle hours with wholesome reading. A public or traveling library is a necessity, not a luxury. Every community which secures a public or traveling library realizes this and proclaims itself an intelligent, progressive town and one worth living in.

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  - Horton—Frie & Scharf
  - Mt. Calvary—Math. Abler
  - Van Dyne—H. W. Kremer
  - Iron Ridge—A. Schwartz
  - Oakfield—T. J. Crage
  - Wild Rose—Chas. Davis
  - Juneau—L. W. Schaefer
  - Plymouth—W. Feldmann
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  - Princeton—E. Kidman
  - Red Granite—Chas. Weiland

## "Feed Dr. Hess Stock Tonic on Three Months Test at Our Expense."—Dr. Hess & Clark.

John Marx, Kewaskum, Wis.  
Dear Sir:—We want every stock raiser that comes into your store this Fall to go home with a package, sack or pair of DR. HESS STOCK TONIC. This is asking a good deal, but if you will read the conditions of this request we believe you will agree with us that there is not a single, solitary farmer in your whole community that would not avail himself of this opportunity. Here it is:—  
"My Friends:—Take home from your dealer's store a package, sack or pair— or a pair if you like of Dr. Hess Stock Tonic, feed it to your horses, cows, hogs, etc. all Winter and Spring. It costs less than a cent a day for a horse, cow or steer, and 8 cts. a month for the average hog. If, after it is used you are not satisfied with the extra profit it has made you, in increased growth and milk production, besides keeping your animals healthy and free from worms, take back the empty packages and your dealer is compelled to refund your money."  
We authorize you to make the same iron-clad guarantee on DR. HESS POULTRY PAN-ACEA, to make hens lay, to shorten the moulting period.  
INSTANT LOUSE KILLER we guarantee to destroy lice on horses, cattle, sheep ticks, etc.  
Refund every cent if these preparations fail and we will reimburse you.  
Very truly yours,  
DR. HESS & CLARK.

To meet the demand of this guarantee, we have a large stock of Dr. Hess Stock Tonic, Poultry Pan-acea, Etc. on hand. Come in and take home any quantity you desire. We will have more goods on the way, so we can supply every customer.  
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NO GREATER mistake can be made than imagining that it is economy to buy the cheapest Harness and Saddlery Goods because the price seems low. The shoddy character of cheap goods takes away all apparent saving and always conduces to dissatisfaction. I make a special point on the character of workmanship and all material. The lowest price consistent with a high standard of excellence always obtained at my place. I earnestly invite inspection of goods and prices. I positively mean to do the best I can by my patrons. Now is the time to have your Harness Oiled and Repaired and get your Horse Goods at **VAL. PETERS** KEWASKUM, WIS.

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Ayer's Hair Vigor keeps the scalp clean and healthy. Promotes growth. Checks falling. Does not color.  
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No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at all Druggists. (Advertisement.)

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## CAMPBELLSPORT.

Mrs. John Thuesch is on the sick list.  
C. R. Van De Zande was at Milwaukee Monday.  
Arthur Vohs has recovered from his recent illness.  
Miss Eva Allen spent Saturday here with friends.  
Rev. Wm. Landseidel was at Juneau on Sunday.  
Mrs. Chas. Jandrey was at Fond du Lac on Saturday.  
Henry Kloke spent Saturday at Milwaukee on business.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Peck went to Fond du Lac Saturday.  
Jacob Scheid called on friends at Fond du Lac on Friday.  
Hazel and Louis Arimond spent Saturday at New Prospect.  
Ed, Martin and Ig. Klutz were Cream City visitors on Sunday.  
Miss F. White called on friends at Fond du Lac on Saturday.  
Mrs. A. D. Chesley was a Fond du Lac caller last week Saturday.  
Gust Harder was a business caller at West Bend on Monday.  
B. Rothenberger of Marshfield visited his brother here Friday.  
Jacob Ferber called on relatives and friends at Milwaukee Saturday.  
Miss Meta Hogen of Fond du Lac visited friends here on Sunday.  
P. Schlaefler attended to business affairs at Madison on Saturday.  
Miss Irene Ward of Van Dyne spent Sunday under the parental roof.  
Frank Beggan of Milwaukee spent Sunday here with his parents.  
Lydia and Clarence Vetsch were Fond du Lac callers Monday forenoon.  
Wm. Knickel was a business caller at Fond du Lac last week Friday.  
Miss Lillah Harder of Milwaukee visited her parents here over Sunday.  
Jacob Kleinhans was a business caller at the County Seat last week Friday.  
Mrs. H. Peters of Milwaukee spent Friday here as the guest of friends.  
Drs. P. A., M. A. T. and Gregor Hoffman spent Tuesday at Fond du Lac.  
J. H. Paas was a business transactor at Fond du Lac on Monday.  
Leopold Schimmelpennig is at present having his residence remodeled.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Guepe of Fond du Lac Sunday here with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kloke were County Seat callers last week Thursday.  
Miss Kitty Klotz of Fond du Lac spent Sunday under the parental roof.  
Mrs. Albertina Howard and Mrs. Alfred Howard were in Fond du Lac Monday.  
Dr. Gregor Hofman of Hartford visited his parents here Monday and Tuesday.  
Math. Schlaefler was a business caller at Milwaukee on Sunday and Monday.  
Gust Tunn has leased his residence in this village last week to Mrs. Majerus.  
Jos. and Kilian Strobel of St. Kilian were business callers here on Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Terlingen of Byron spent last week Friday here with friends.  
Miss Gretchen Paas is spending a week with relatives and friends at Oakkosh.  
Jos. Rodler and Wayland Helmer of Oakkosh spent Sunday here with their folks.  
Remember the Home Talent Play here to-night Saturday, in the New Opera House.  
Mrs. H. A. Wrucke and daughter Lucile visited in Fond du Lac Saturday and Sunday.  
T. L. Doyle and family of Fond du Lac visited with relatives and friends here on Sunday.  
Mrs. Prehn and Mrs. McSchooler of Omro visited relatives and friends here over Sunday.  
Dr. P. A. Hoffmann and J. Gilboy attended the funeral of Mrs. July at Saukville on Monday.  
Miss Bertha Smith was at Fond du Lac last week Friday, where she spent the day with friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gilboy were the guests of relatives and friends at Milwaukee last week Friday.  
John Guntly of Dundee was the guest of relatives and friends here the forepart of the week.  
Ed. Campbell and family of Kewaskum were the guests of the Mrs. John Dengel family here on Monday.  
A new barber shop was opened on Saturday in the New Star hotel building under the management of Paul Krueger.  
Mr. and Mrs. Platt Durand and E. F. Roethke and family returned last week Friday from an extended visit to Florida.

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## LAST YEAR'S GREAT PROGRESS

From The Company's Annual Statement. January 1st, 1913.

Cash Capital, Surplus, and Legal Reserves held for Protection of Policy Holders	\$1,011,782.38
Assets December 31, 1912	1,018,731.87
Insurance Paid for in 1912	1,943,500.00
Insurance in Force December 31, 1912	3,684,500.00

Gain in New Business over 1911—Over 33 1/2 %  
Gain in Assets 59,196.40  
Gain in Insurance in Force 1,651,500.00

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H. A. Wrucke attended the annual meeting of the City and village Mutual Fire Underwriters convention at Madison Tuesday and Wednesday.  
The basketball game played here last week Saturday evening between Fond du Lac high school and the City team resulted in a victory for the home boys by the score of 38 to 15.  
Mrs. Margaret July, aged 53 years and nine months, died at the home of her daughters, Mary and Margaret July, in Milwaukee at 6 o'clock last week Friday morning. Mrs. July has been a resident of Campbellsport for the past twelve years. Two weeks ago she left for a short visit with relatives in Milwaukee, and was taken ill with pneumonia from which she died Friday morning. She is survived by four sons, Rev. B. July, pastor of St. Matthew's church, Campbellsport, John of Saukville, Nicholas of Milwaukee, and Rev. A. July of Mazomania; and five daughters, Mrs. Barch of Newburg; Mrs. Eva Meyer of Kansas; Mary and Margaret of Milwaukee, and Anna of Campbellsport. Funeral services were held at Saukville on Monday morning at the Immaculate Conception church with interment in the adjoining cemetery. Rev. F. M. Berg officiating.

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John Witzig and Alex Klug of Kewaskum were callers in our burg last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Uelmen visited with relatives in Milwaukee on Saturday and Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Hegler and son Gerhardt spent Sunday with relatives at Random Lake.  
Several from here attended the program given by the pupils of the Waukegan school Friday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. Rinzel and son Leander returned home this week after a weeks visit with relatives in Milwaukee.  
Herman Molkenhuth will hold the annual cheese meeting at the New Prospect cheese factory on February 28th, at 7:30 P. M.

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