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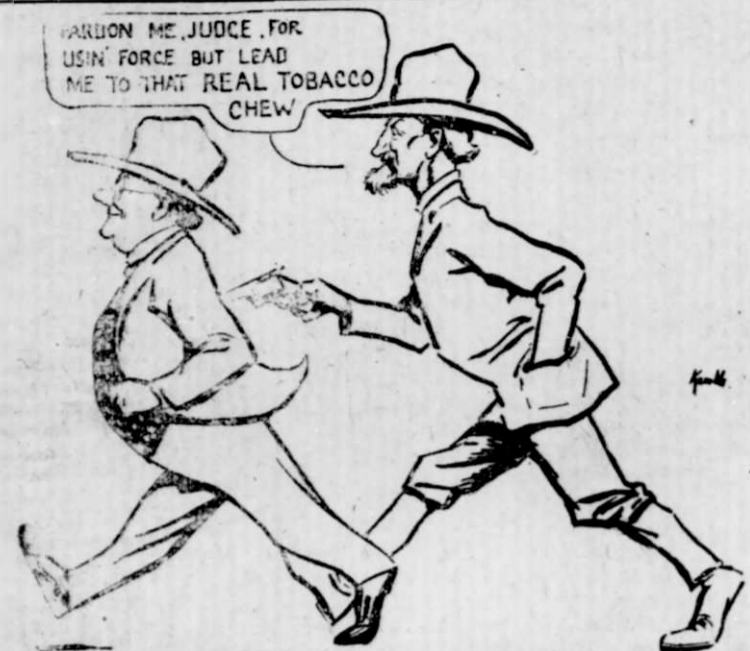
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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss A. Krahn of Fond du Lac was a visitor at the High School Tuesday.

At a meeting of the Senior class last Tuesday a class motto and flowers were chosen.

The Junior class is sending out invitations this week for the Prom to be given May 1st.

Joseph Schaenzer visited school Tuesday forenoon.

School was closed on Wednesday afternoon for the annual Easter vacation. It will re-open on Tuesday, April 14th.

The Senior Physics class is studying the subject of electricity in connection with interesting experiments.

NEW FANE.

Miss Lora Schroeder left Tuesday for her home at Clintonville. Mary Backhaus returned home after visiting a few weeks with relatives at Chicago.

Miss Anna Schneberger left Monday for Milwaukee to visit a few days with relatives.

Adolph Fenerer had a telephone installed in his house Saturday.

The following children were confirmed at St. John's church on Sunday: Martin Oppermann, Alfred Klug, George Backhaus, Gretchen Gutekunst, Olga Petermann, Elsie Ramel, Marie Schultz, and Normal Kumrow.

Mr. Pruechek and Mrs. Gutekunst from Herly visited with Rev. Gutekunst this week.

MURDER RESULT OF QURREL

Charge of assault against Soo Road operator changed to murder

A. H. LaPointe, a telegraph operator for the Soo road at Rugby Junction, was taken before Justice Guidice at Schleisingerville Tuesday on a charge of murdering Thomas Karr, a telegraph operator at the same station, on the night of March 8, during a quarrel in a coach at Rugby.

The charge against LaPointe was originally for assault, but was changed to murder. LaPointe has secured O'Leary & O'Meara of West Bend as his attorneys. Dist. Atty. H. A. Sawyer appeared for the state. LaPointe was bound over to the circuit court.—Hartford Press.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION

B. Schaefer of Schlingerville, the well known organ builder, is lying ill at the Sacred Heart sanitarium in Milwaukee, with a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Schaefer was repairing the organ at the convent when sized with the stroke, which paralyzed the entire right side. He is doing as well as possible and hopes are entertained for his recovery. Mr. Schaefer has three sisters who are music teachers at the convent. His son Anton spent yesterday with him.—Hartford Press.

SALOON CASES HEARD.

The hearing of complaints made against three saloonkeepers to have their licenses revoked was held before the common council yesterday. Dist. Atty. Bogue, of Columbia county, appeared for the State Vice Commission, and Atty. Walter Schinz, of Milwaukee, for the defendants. Several witnesses were sworn and the council room was packed with people eager to hear the testimony. The hearing did not close until six o'clock, after which adjournment was taken to Monday, April 13, when the council will make known its decision.—Hartford Times.

BEECHWOOD.

E. F. U. meeting tonight, Saturday.

A. W. Butzke spent Friday with relatives at West Bend.

B. C. Hicken was a business caller at Kewaskum Monday.

Frank Reinke of Coleman is visiting with relatives here.

Mrs. John Heberer of Plymouth is visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruesser transacted business at Kewaskum Thursday.

Oscar Muench had the misfortune of losing one of his best cows Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heid spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hoffmann.

Fred Dettmann of Milwaukee visited a few days with his mother, Mrs. K. Dettmann.

Miss Mary Heberer returned home Saturday after spending a few months at Plymouth.

Henry Vetter moved his household goods to Brillion Tuesday where he will make his future home.

Mrs. J. H. Reysen and son Lloyd and Mrs. A. C. Hoffmann visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. George Braut at New Fane.

A. L. O'Connell and A. C. Hoffmann attended a meeting of the Sheboygan county cheese producers' federation on last week Thursday.

Mrs. Lewis Bartel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartel, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Trapp, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reysen, and Mr. and Mrs. John Brandenburg and children spent Sunday evening with John Gatzke and family.

Those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Doman were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hiller and son George and Miss Brazelton of Boltonville. Herman Hiller of Fillmore, Martha Doman of Kewaskum, Rev. and Mrs. G. Kanies and children, Richard Doman and family, Herman Klug and family, J. H. Reysen and family, Emil Doman, Mrs. D. Reysen, Mr. and Mrs. John Hintz and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Glander.

ELMORE

Mrs. A. Straub and son visited with Mike Weiss and family Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Weiss and son spent several days with Mike Weiss and family.

Edward Schled is employed for Mike Gantenbein since Monday, for the coming season.

Mrs. Peter Becker, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Geidel spent Sunday evening with Christ Becker and family.

Wm. Krueger purchased the Otto Teschendorf residence in Campbellsport for \$2,850, and will move there in the near future.

Mike Weiss spent Sunday afternoon with Wm. Geidel and family.

The auction at Wm. Krueger was well attended, and all articles were disposed of.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Struebinger, Mr. and Mrs. E. Reinhardt and children spent Sunday at the home of Mike Gantenbein Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Karl, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Youngberg, and a class of seven children who were examined on Good Friday will be confirmed to-morrow, Sunday, they are Erwin Rusch, Herfried Smith, Willie Schleit, Franklin Geidel, Erwin and Elmer Bosin and Wilma Bohland.

—Tell your neighbors to subscribe for the Statesman and get all the neighborhood news.

PLAINTIFF GETS \$300 DAMAGES

The last jury case on the February calendar of the circuit court was concluded last Friday afternoon. The plaintiff was Reinhard Zirbel of the town of Hubbard and the defendant was Robert Justman of the town of Herman. The plaintiff sought to recover damages for slander, the alleged words spoken charging the plaintiff with having broken into an old house on defendant's farm and taken a quantity of barley and oats. The jury after being out for about two hours brought in a verdict favorable to the plaintiff and assessing damages in the sum of \$300. Eugene A. Clifford and August Kading of this city appeared for the plaintiff and Husting & Brother of Mayville for the defendant.—The Juneau Independent.

AMUSEMENTS.

April 13—Grand Easter Dance in Groeschel's hall. Music by the Kewaskum Quintette. Refreshments will be served. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Monday, April 13—Grand Easter Ball in Schrauth's hall Schrauth's Pond. Music by the Kewaskum Concertina band. A good time is in store for all.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS

—Read the large Auction Sale Ad on the last page.

—P. J. Haug and Jos. Honeck were Milwaukee callers Tuesday.

—Edw. Guth transacted business at the County Seat on Wednesday.

—Ernst Assmann of Vesper, Wis. is spending the week here with friends.

—Wm. Endlich attended a jewelers' meeting at Milwaukee Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brandt were Cream City visitors last Thursday.

—Grand Easter Dance Monday, April 13th, in Groeschel's hall. Everyone invited.

—N. J. Mertes and Christ Schaefer Sr., were business callers at the County Seat Thursday.

—Otto Backhaus and daughters Leona and Belinda were at West Bend on business last Wednesday.

—Mrs. Geo. P. Brandt and son George are the guests of Milwaukee relatives and friends this week.

—Wm. Scholbe spent the forenoon and friends at Milwaukee. While there he purchased a team of horses.

—Jos. Hoerig of Hartford was a business caller in the village last Thursday. Mr. Hoerig also favored this office with a very pleasant call.

—Emil Backhaus, chairman of the town of Kewaskum, transacted business at the County Seat Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mich Johannes Jr., were the guests of relatives and friends at Milwaukee the latter part of the week.

—The public schools closed last Wednesday for an Easter vacation. They will re-open again on Tuesday, April 14th.

—Jos. Schaenzer Jr., of Milwaukee is spending the week here with the Peter Fellenz family and other relatives and friends.

FOR SALE—My 80 acre farm, located 3 1/2 miles southwest of Kewaskum. For further particulars call on Robt. Little, Kewaskum, Wis., R. D. 2.

—Direct your attention to the last page of this issue and read the large advertisement of the Auction Sale of Henry Dettman near Beechwood.

—Immense Auction on the Henry Dettman farm near Beechwood on Wednesday, April 15th. Read the large page advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

—Henry Hauschild, principal of the Niagara High School of Niagara, Wis., is spending his Easter vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hauschild.

—Remember the Grand Easter Dance to be given in Groeschel's hall on Easter Monday, April 13th. The well known Kewaskum Quintette will furnish the excellent music.

FOR SALE—A five passenger White Steamer touring car, model 00. Car has just been overhauled and repainted. Has run about 7,000 miles. Is in very good condition. Will sell for \$450. Inquire of Peter Lefebvre Jr., 721 Wrightwood Ave., Chicago, Ill.

—The following spent Palm Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Seefeld in honor of their daughter's confirmation: William Knott and family of Milwaukee, Richard Kanis and family of West Bend, Fred Ramthun and family, Aug. Ramthun and family, Henry Ramthun and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meilahn, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seefeldt and family, Chas. Meilahn and family, Chas. Meilahn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Seefeldt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Klein all from here and Alfred Ramthun from Wayne.

—Mr. Ed. Youngberg, who has been assisting in the Statesman office for the past four weeks, leaves today, Saturday, for his home at Milwaukee. During Mr. Youngberg's stay in this village he no doubt became acquainted with many friends who wish him success and regret his departure. His assistance in this office is very greatly appreciated by the management. Donald Harbeck, foreman of the local office will again resume his work in this office next Monday after being under quarantine for nearly five weeks.

ELECTION WAS VERY QUIET

Louis Brandt is defeated for Trustee by a close vote. No opposition in the town.

Officers elected in various places

The election passed off very quietly in both the village and town of Kewaskum last Tuesday. The only opposition in the village was for trustee, four candidates being on the ticket, three of whom were to be elected. The regular nominees were however, elected, namely: John Brunner, Theo. Eisentraut and B. H. Rosenheimer. Louis Brandt, the defeated candidate however, had a close race with B. H. Rosenheimer. The former received 80 votes, while the latter received 91 a majority of 11. There was no opposition whatever in the town. The new village board will be composed of the following, President, L. D. Guth; Trustees, John Brunner, Theo. Eisentraut and B. H. Rosenheimer. The sixth member



B. H. Rosenheimer

"The Boy Alderman"

Succeeds in defeating his opponent Louis Brandt by 11 votes

of the board will be appointed, no doubt, at the next meeting of the board. This position is to fill the vacancy occurred by William Hess, who moved to New Fane. The new incumbent will be appointed to fill the unexpired term of Mr. Hess. The only new faces to be seen at the board meetings the coming year will be L. D. Guth, the president, Theo. Eisentraut and whoever is appointed to fill the vacancy.

The officers elected in various towns and villages in this community are mentioned below.

KEWASKUM VILLAGE

President—L. D. Guth
 Trustees—John Brunner, T. Eisentraut and B. H. Rosenheimer
 Clerk—Edw. C. Miller
 Assessor—Albert Oppenorth
 Supervisor—Joseph Schmidt
 Justice—D. M. Rosenheimer
 Constable—Jos. Eberle

KEWASKUM TOWN.
 Chairman—Emil Backhaus
 Supervisors—Frank Van Epps and Gerh. Fellenz
 Clerk—Louis Backhaus
 Assessor—August Schaefer
 Treasurer—Albert Koehler
 Justice for 1 year—Louis Backhaus, Frank Van Epps and Aug. Schurr
 Constables—Wm. Muckerheide and Charles Bremer.

BARTON.

Chairman—Jacob Vogelsang,
 Supervisors—Jac. G. Bastian and Peter Leibenberger.
 Clerk—Herman Schloemer
 Assessor—J. A. Weber
 Treasurer—Henry Bastian
 Constables—Wm. Capelle and Wm. Feiersien.

FARMINGTON.

Chairman—Jacob Kraetich
 Supervisors—Maurice Ryan and E. Seliger.
 Clerk—Chas. Weinreich
 Assessor—Bruce P. Wescott
 Treasurer—John Klachn
 Justice—E. W. Wittig
 Constables—Sam Albinger and O. Marbus.

TRENTON.

Chairman—John Harns
 Supervisors—Charles Ermer and H. Benike
 Clerk Jos. Mayer
 Assessor—Albert E. Brott
 Treasurer—Peter Pesch
 Justices—John W. Kimla, Chas. Gombler, Mich Riordan
 Constables—A. E. Brott and Jos. Raschek.

WEST BEND.

Chairman—John N. Peters
 Supervisors—Peter Fox, Sr. and S. Bauer
 Clerk—Geo. Bastian
 Assessor—John A. Johannes
 Treasurer—Herman Quaas
 Justices—Chas. Potter and Ed. Lucas
 Constables—Charles A. Hoppe and Bruno Jacob

TOWN OF SCOTT.

Chairman—J. W. Liebenstein
 Supervisors—Frank Diener and Henry Reysen
 Clerk—Oscar A. Koch
 Treasurer—John Melius
 Assessor—Chas. Weingartner
 Justice—Oscar A. Koch
 Constables—John Sauter, Frank Schroeter and Arthur Woog
 Pond Masters—Henry A. Backhaus, Aug. Bruesewitz, Frank Diener, Ed. Kreutzinger and Geo. Warden

SHERIFF ARRESTS CONSTABLE

Paul Kurth constable of the village of Cascade was arrested yesterday afternoon by Sheriff Robt. Fischer on the charge of stealing two hams from Ex-Sheriff Albert Schumlich. Kurth was taken before Justice Bartlett in Cascade, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs amounting to \$11.60.

Before making the arrest Sheriff Fischer procured a search warrant and searched the constable's home for the missing hams and found them hidden in a flour bin in the pantry. Kurth lives but two doors from Schumlich.—Sheboygan Press, April 8th.

CEDAR LAWN.

Henry Rauch of Ashford visited here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Raulf of Lomira visited here last Sunday.

John L. Gudex transacted business at Dundee last Saturday.

Samuel Gudex of North Osceola visited his parents last Sunday.

Mrs. John A. Gudex visited her parents at Ashford last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Uelmen were called to Fond du Lac last Friday.

John L. Gudex and P. A. Kramer visited at the County Seat last Friday.

Herman Saas and son Ed. of Eden visited with the Botke family last Sunday.

Miss Lilla Rauch of Ashford is visiting her sister, Mrs. John A. Gudex this week.

The school board in Dist. No. 4 Ashford and Eden held a business meeting last Saturday evening.

Thomas Timblin of Osceola who worked on the J. McNarnara farm operating saw mill, moved his machine onto the Fred Guill farm in Osceola last Saturday.

TOWN OF AUBURN.

Chairman—Peter Schroeten
 Supervisors—Stephen Klein and Herman Fick
 Clerk—Frank Schultz
 Treasurer—Wm. Schleit
 Assessor—John Rinzel
 Justice of the Peace—Otto Pfingston
 Constables—Hubert Rinzel and Jacob Ferber.

VILLAGE OF LOMIRA.

President—Albert Sterr
 Supervisor—Alois Schmid
 Trustees—L. A. Westphal, Wm. Boller, Ed. L. Sterr, M. J. Meixensperger.
 Clerk—Ed. L. Friedrich
 Treasurer—Herbert Hankwitz
 Justice of Peace—F. J. Zastrow
 Assessor—Wm. Cortte
 Constable—Louis Lerch

TOWN OF LOMIRA.

Chairman—F. A. Kemmel
 Supervisors—C. A. Breselow and Albert Ohrmund
 Clerk—Otto Ruedebusch
 Treasurer—Peter Sterr
 Assessor—Henry Rosenkranz
 Justice—C. E. Litscher
 Constables—Chas. H. Walker, John Feilbach and Chas. Wachter.

ADDISON.

Chairman—Jacob Wolf
 Supervisors—Jos. Sharer and Wm. Doll
 Clerk—Jos. Kreilkamp
 Assessor—Aug. Ritzer
 Treasurer—Nic. Gebhardt

SCHLESINGERVILLE

President—Aug. Storck
 Trustees—Frank Ganns, Hilmore Baehring and Jos. Schaefer
 Supervisors—August Storck
 Clerk—E. Kaiser
 Assessor—Frank Banrock
 Treasurer—Albert H. Thiel
 Justice—Jos. H. Heiser
 Constables—Jos. Urban and Fred Eggert.

POLK

Chairman—Peter Mueller
 Supervisors—Andrew Endres and Anton Fehring.
 Clerk—John Weckmueller
 Assessor—B. Zimmermann
 Treasurer—Jac. Rothenbach Jr.

WAYNE.

Chairman—Philip Schellinger
 Supervisors—John Galus and Peter Wiesner.
 Clerk—Ph. H. Jung
 Treasurer—Jacob Meinhardt
 Assessor—Andrew Martin Jr.
 Justice—Adam Kohl
 Constables—Frank Wictor Albert German and Adam Batzler.

VILLAGE OF CAMPBELLSPORT.

President—Wm. Poole
 Trustees—Emmet Curran, Leo Husting and Albert Schwandt
 Supervisor—J. F. Naughton
 Clerk—J. M. Kohler
 Treasurer—Jacob W. Schlaefer
 Assessor—J. A. Pesch
 Justice—Herman J. Paas
 Constable—John Schaefer

TOWN OF ASHFORD.

Chairman—Joseph Strobel
 Supervisors—Joseph Serwe and Mathias Schmidt
 Clerk—John C. Senn
 Treasurer—Simon Strachota
 Assessor—Nic. Stoffel
 Justice of the Peace—Jos. Berg and John Feilch
 Constables—Jos. Kohler, John Kridwig and Mathias Schill.

On account of no reports received from the various towns, villages and cities, no definite statement can be given as to what five of the six candidates for the county board of education were elected, until after the board of canvassers meet, which will be some time next week. It is almost, however, an assured fact that John Kliesig of this village is one of the successful candidates.

Captured Golden Pheasant

A golden pheasant in this locality is indeed an unusual sight. Recently August Schaf, residing south of this city, found one of these rare birds in a corn crib on his farm. He brought the same to Hartford and John Maas was fortunate enough to secure it and to have it registered. The bird is a beautiful male specimen of the species, and was exhibited for a part of the week in the windows of the Maas & Polt market.—Hartford Times.

OAK GROVE

Oscar Schultz spent Sunday at Dundee.

Edward Fuller spent Sunday evening at Waucousta.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Allen were at Campbellsport Monday.

Mrs. Odekirk spent Saturday with Mrs. J. B. Odekirk at Waucousta.

Walter Bartelt spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Fond du Lac.

Arnold Sook of Campbellsport spent over Sunday under the parental roof.

Mrs. Frank Burnett spent Monday afternoon with the F. Ludwig family.

Miss Bessie Odekirk left for Milwaukee Monday to visit relatives a few weeks.

Mrs. A. B. Moore and Miss Eva Allen were business callers at Campbellsport Monday.

The Misses Roena Buslaff and Edith Miller spent Sunday with Wm. Ketter and family.

John Sammons and wife spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. John Eggers at Dundee.

Miss Katie Buslaff and Miss Edith Miller of Waucousta spent Friday evening with the F. J. Allen family.

Mrs. F. Ludwig and daughter Cella and Mrs. F. Burnett were guests at the Len Allen home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Buehner and children, Miss Olga Eichstedt and Willie Schmidt of Kewaskum, Miss Rose Ludwig of South Eden, Miss Florence Keno of Elmore, Arthur Bartelt and Leo Sammons were entertained at the Fred Ludwig home Sunday.

DUNDEE

Ralph Minor of Fond du Lac called on friends here last Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Bowen left for Texas to attend the funeral of her father, Lou Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Green Lake were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Flynn this week.

Joe Corbett of Fox Point is visiting at the home of his father, Chas. Corbett, this week.

Mike Timm, former resident from here, now of Milwaukee, called on friends here last week.

Mrs. William Shaper of Milwaukee is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Becker.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Rahn of Waucousta spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Butz.

Miss Della Plautz of Milwaukee is spending her Easter vacation here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Plautz.

Miss Lucy Gallager of Milwaukee returned to her home after spending a few days here with J. Flynn and family.

Dr. Block left last Sunday evening for Kansas City to attend the funeral of his father, which occurred suddenly at Sioux City, Iowa.

FIVE CORNERS

Otto Weisenberg is laid up from the effects of a sore hand.

C. Raether spent Monday with the I. Mueller family at Ashford.

Misses Viola and Rose Ferber were Fond du Lac callers on Saturday.

Miss Mary Haug spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Fond du Lac.

Art. Strobel was a pleasant caller at the J. Yohann home Sunday evening.

Misses Rose Ferber and Rose Schleit were guests of relatives at West Bend last week.

Mrs. C. Raether and daughter Frances were guests of the Jos. Schools family on Sunday.

Mr. Elizabeth Busch has been on the sick list, but is somewhat improved at the present writing.

Mrs. August Groeschel and son Leroy of Duluth, Minn., spent Monday at the O. Weisenberg home.

John Haug left Wednesday for Hornburg, Wis., to attend the funeral of his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. Bonacker.

Miss Norma Schleit left Wednesday for a week's visit with relatives and friends at Brownsville and Knowles.

ST. MICHAELS.

Nic. Schneider Jr., is spending a few days at Stratford.

Clemence Thelen of Saukville is visiting his brother Mich.

Nic. Schneider bought a 60 acre farm at Rosellville last week.

Nic. Schneider and daughter Barbara spent Friday at Kohler.

A Caperchin Father will be here assisting Rev. Beyer next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Thelen had their infant daughter christened Sunday.

Clemence Thelen of Michigan visited with his brother and family here Sunday.

Mrs. Jac. Wiskirchen of West Bend is visiting with Gregor Schmitz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon and daughter Gertrude of Chicago are visiting with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wiskirchen and children, Mrs. Jac. Wiskirchen of Trenton and Mr. and Mrs. John Bendel and daughter Gladys of here visited Sunday with Gregor Schmitz and family.

HUGE CHICAGO VOTE

SUFFRAGISTS FAIL TO ELECT MEMBERS OF OWN SEX TO CITY COUNCIL.

SUBWAY PLAN IS DEFEATED

215,000 Men and 185,000 Women Cast Ballots—"Drys" Victors in Many Illinois Cities—Results Elsewhere.

Chicago, April 9.—The thousands of newly enfranchised women who went to the polls on Tuesday exploded all theories on the woman in politics. They voted on partisan lines, helping to defeat eight out of nine independent candidates, failing to elect a single one of the nine candidates of their own sex and returning a Democratic majority to the city council.

The tremendous interest which women had taken in the aldermanic campaign, failed to show a single final result in which women had turned the tide of sentiment expressed by the vote of the men.

An estimate places the total vote cast at 500,000—215,000 men and 185,000 women. The number of persons who voted on the "little" ballot proposition is much smaller.

The failure of women to support women candidates was one of the surprises of the election. Marion H. Drake was defeated by Alderman John J. Coughlin in the First ward by a margin of four to one.

Mayor Harrison's comprehensive subway proposition which had first place on the little ballot, met with an overwhelming defeat. The "comprehensive subway" scheme had been made a campaign issue with that fact, and was lost by 100,000 votes.

The women in particular voted against the proposition three to one. The "wets" carried Springfield, the capital of the state, which furnished the hottest fight. The majority was 3,500, and in this instance both men and women voted the "wet" ticket.

Dixon, Aurora and Sterling are also in the "wet" column. The election was a sweeping victory for the Anti-Saloon league. The women's vote has been the determining factor in many instances. Over and over again the returns showed that where a majority of the men voted for saloons, the women voted against them. Bloomington voted "dry."

All over the state the fight was keen and bitter. Intense interest was shown everywhere. In Aurora the contest brought out the biggest vote ever cast in that city, and out of a total vote of 15,518 7,550 women cast their ballots.

Paterson, N. J., April 9.—Dow H. Drukker, Republican, was elected to congress from the Seventh New Jersey district on Tuesday to succeed the late Representative Bremner, a Democrat. His plurality over James J. O'Byrne, who had the backing of the national administration, was over five thousand. O'Byrne ran only 187 votes ahead of the Socialist candidate.

The complete returns follow: Dow H. Drukker (Rep.), 19,520; James J. O'Byrne (Dem.), 5,240; Gordon Demarest (Soc.), 5,053; Whitehead (Prog.), 561.

The total vote polled was remarkably large for a special election. Out of a registration of 26,000, over twenty-one thousand votes were cast.

Boston, April 9.—James A. Gallivan, Democrat, was elected to congress on Tuesday from the Twelfth district. He is opposed to the repeal of the free trade clause of the Panama canal act.

Milwaukee, April 9.—Mayor Gerhard A. Bading, who two years ago was the candidate through whom a fusion of the old parties drove Socialism out of office in Milwaukee, was re-elected on Tuesday on a non-partisan ticket by a majority of 6,000. This majority assures the election of the entire non-partisan ticket.

In this landslide against Socialism the six hold-over Socialist aldermen-at-large, were carried out of office, and also the hold-over city attorney named in the Socialist election.

Topeka, Kan., April 8.—Women cast a heavy vote in the election throughout Kansas. In many places women served as election officials.

At Hutchinson, Dr. F. W. Cook was elected mayor. Recently a revival was held in Hutchinson and more than four thousand converts were made. The churches then became active in politics.

Washington, April 7.—The supreme court of the United States held valid an Alabama law imposing a tax upon persons and corporations selling and delivering sewing machines in that state.

Washington, April 7.—President Wilson will send a personal representative to meet Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria and King Ferdinand, if he accompanies her on a visit to America next month, although the royal pair will travel incognito.

Washington, April 7.—Forty passengers on a Rogers Park car, going through the LaSalle street tunnel under the river, were frightened when a 36-inch water main burst behind them. The passengers walked out of the tunnel.

Two Bank Robbers Slain. New Hazelton, B. C., April 9.—Two bandits were killed here in a battle with a posse of citizens, following the holding up of the Union Bank of Canada branch. Six men held up the bank and four got away with \$11,000 cash.

DEPORTS SPANIARDS

VILLA PUTS THEM ABOARD TRAIN FOR EL PASO.

Dead Choke Streets of Torreon Where Rebel Leader's Men Brawl Over Plunder.

Torreón, Mex., April 7.—Gen. Francisco Villa ordered that the 600 Spaniards of this city be deported. He issued instructions Sunday that trains be provided at once and that the exodus to El Paso, Tex., begin. The Spaniards' property will be confiscated, temporarily at least.

Juarez, Mex., April 6.—Torreón is completely in the hands of the rebel army under General Villa. It is a city of ruins and horror. The buildings have been wrecked by shells and fire and the streets are full of dead.

After securing control of the city on Thursday the rebel soldiers were given the freedom of absolute license. Many were raving maniacs from their long vigil on the firing lines, loss of sleep and the excitement of battle.

Saloons were broken open and looted and a massacre of federal prisoners followed. In brawls over loot, many rebels were shot by their companions. Many of the rebel troops were so exhausted that they fell across the bodies of the dead and slept soundly for hours.

General Villa, without giving him time to rest after their terrific eleven days' battle, ordered an immediate advance on Saltillo and Monterrey, two of the few important cities in northern Mexico still held by the federals.

HELD ON PARCEL POST THEFT

Substation Clerk, Street Car Conductor and Carpenter Are Arrested by Officials.

Buffalo, April 6.—Thefts of parcel post packages valued at \$5,000 were disclosed after the arrest of three men here, and the proprietor of a large mail-order house, which was the principal loser, claims their loss during the last year will reach \$15,000. The men under arrest are Paul Miller, twenty-eight years old, employed at a post office substation; Bert Wilson, twenty-four years old, a street-car conductor, and Edward Harrington, forty-three years old, a carpenter. Miller, the police state, admits the theft of watches and other jewelry worth about \$5,000.

"LUMBER KING" OF U. S. DIES

Frederick W. Weyerhaeuser Succumbs to Pneumonia at His Home in Pasadena, Cal.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 7.—Frederick W. Weyerhaeuser, declared to be the richest man in the world, died here on Saturday at his mansion at Oak Knoll, Pasadena. A corps of physicians had battled in vain with death to save the life of the eighty-year-old modern Croesus. His wealth, mostly lumber interests, is estimated to be between two hundred and three hundred million dollars. For several days Weyerhaeuser's condition was critical, his illness being diagnosed as pneumonia. For many years Mr. Weyerhaeuser was known as the "lumber king" of America.

IMPORTANT NEWS ITEMS

Tokyo, Japan, April 6.—The condition of health of the dowager empress is worse. She has been ill at the imperial villa at Numazu, a watering place southwest of Yokohama, for some time, suffering from angina pectoris.

Nashville, Tenn., April 4.—Appropriations for 1915 for southern Methodist mission work in China, Japan, Korea, Brazil, Mexico, Cuba and Africa will aggregate \$430,000. In addition there will probably be \$50,000 for foreign work coming from a special building fund being raised now.

Washington, April 7.—Dudley Field Malone, customs collector at New York, talked with President Wilson about New York politics. Another conference was arranged for Wednesday.

Washington, April 7.—The supreme court of the United States held valid an Alabama law imposing a tax upon persons and corporations selling and delivering sewing machines in that state.

Washington, April 7.—President Wilson will send a personal representative to meet Queen Eleanor of Bulgaria and King Ferdinand, if he accompanies her on a visit to America next month, although the royal pair will travel incognito.

Washington, April 7.—Forty passengers on a Rogers Park car, going through the LaSalle street tunnel under the river, were frightened when a 36-inch water main burst behind them. The passengers walked out of the tunnel.

Two Bank Robbers Slain. New Hazelton, B. C., April 9.—Two bandits were killed here in a battle with a posse of citizens, following the holding up of the Union Bank of Canada branch. Six men held up the bank and four got away with \$11,000 cash.

Police Official Kills Rival. Paris, France, April 9.—M. Delacroix, an inspector of police, shot and killed Inspector Dupin at headquarters here. Delacroix obtained evidence that Dupin was abetting the affections of Mme. Delacroix.

Must Eat Prison Fare. New York, April 6.—Rich criminals confined in the Tombs will have to eat prison fare hereafter. Katherine R. Davis, commissioner of corrections, issued an order forbidding prisoners from sending out for meals.

Has \$38,634,492 in Gold. San Francisco, Cal., April 6.—Gold coin amounting to \$38,634,492.20 is piled up in the San Francisco sub-treasury. William J. McGehee, assistant treasurer, said the accumulation soon will reach \$100,000,000.

Winter Wheat on Upgrade. Washington, April 9.—The department of agriculture estimated that the average acreage of winter wheat on April 1 was 95.6 per cent of a normal April 1, 1912, and 90.6 on April 1, 1912, and 85.7.

BRITISH ARMY IN TURMOIL OVER ULSTER



Wholesale resignations among officers of the British army, who refuse to fight in the event of civil war in Ulster threaten to throw the army into an upheaval as great as that which threatens the cabinet. Col. J. E. B. Seely, secretary of war (left), resigned when the government repudiated his guaranty that force would not be used against the Ulster men. Lieut. Col. Arthur F. Bailey (center), commander of the "Queen's Own Hussars," resigned rather than fight against Ulster. Field Marshal Sir John French (right), chief of the general staff, has resigned because of the repudiation of the guaranty.

TRAIN GOES IN RIVER

SPAN ON WABASH ROAD COLLAPSES IN INDIANA—THREE KILLED AND 50 HURT.

CREW VICTIMS OF CRASH

Passengers Saved From Death by Breaking of Coupling—Engine and Three Cars Plunge Off Structure—One Wreck Was Just Cleared Away.

Attica, Ind., April 7.—The Wabash river bridge collapsed on Sunday and hurled the Continental Limited train of the Wabash system into the ditch and partly into the river. Three persons were killed, another hurt and 50 others less seriously hurt.

Wrecking crews had just cleared away the debris caused by a wreck earlier in the day. Apparently the supports of the bridge had been weakened, for the whole span under the engine crumpled.

The dead are: Tim Hull, engineer, Peru, Ind., married; Jacob Miller, fireman, Peru, Ind., married; J. A. Thomas, express messenger, Huntington, Ind. The engine, tender and three cars plunged through the broken span, all falling a distance of about thirty feet to the bank of the river, and one car partly submerged. Only the breaking of the couplings prevented the remainder of the train from falling and only the fact that the cars were of steel averted terrible loss of life.

One passenger car was half way over the edge of the pier on the river side of the broken span. When the forward cars fell the weight and momentum of this car sent the forward end toppling downward.

Every passenger was hurled in a screaming, fighting mass to the front end of the car, and finally it became apparent to them that the car was no longer moving and that they would be all right if they would extricate themselves, which they did, quickly.

LIQUORS BARRED IN NAVY

Secretary Daniels Forbids Use of Intoxicants by Officers of Vessels.

Washington, April 7.—Prohibition will be extended to the entire naval service, under an order issued on Saturday by Secretary Daniels, which will go into effect on July 1 next. Here is his order: "The use or introduction for drinking purposes of alcoholic liquors on board any naval vessel, or within any yard or station, is strictly prohibited, and commanding officers will be held directly responsible for the enforcement of this order."

The anti-drinking order was issued upon the recommendation of Surgeon General William C. Brastel of the navy.

Yegmen Get \$1,500 in Cash. Cambridge, Mass., April 7.—Within 19 yards of the Cambridge police headquarters yegmen broke into the Woolworth Five and Ten Cent store, wrecked the safe and escaped with about \$1,500 in cash.

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NEED MORE REVENUE

WABASH OFFICIAL SAYS ROADS ARE IN DESPERATE STRAITS.

Declare Five Per Cent Increase Insufficient for Lines in Central Freight Association Territory.

Washington, April 6.—Declaring that the railroads in Central Freight association territory are in desperate straits for increased revenues, W. W. Maxwell, general manager of the Wabash, urged the interstate commerce commission Friday to grant the five per cent increase in rates in that territory.

"I am confident that a five per cent rate in rates is insufficient to keep the railroads out of the hands of receivers unless a readjustment is made in Central Freight association territory to bring these rates up to those in official classification territory," said Mr. Maxwell.

"An increase of five per cent would not meet the needs in the Central Freight association territory. The only way to save the situation is a general reorganization of rates. The rates here are lower than in any section of the world."

It is not a fact that the roads in Central Freight association territory are much better off than those in the East," asked Clements.

"No, sir, they are in desperate circumstances," replied the witness. The testimony of Mr. Maxwell closed the railroads' direct testimony in the case.

BALK AT RULE OF SECRECY

La Follette and Eight Associates in Senate to Defy Regulations Concerning Publicity.

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Rescued Sailors in Port. Philadelphia, Pa., April 7.—Four survivors of the three-masted schooner Hatlie P. Simpson, which sank in mid-ocean, arrived here aboard the battleship Michigan. The schooner went down on March 21.

\$180,000 Fire in Birmingham. Birmingham, Ala., April 7.—Fire in the retail district did damage estimated at \$180,000, destroying the store of the Aemie Lead and Color works at 2015 Second avenue and damaging two other concerns.

Board of Trade Head Found Dead. Arlington, N. J., April 6.—Adolph Amann, president of the Arlington board of trade, was found dead with a bullet hole in his head and a revolver beside him. Apparently it was a case of suicide.

Noted Politician Is Dead. Baltimore, Md., April 6.—William Shepard Bryan, formerly attorney general of Maryland, political orator and leading duhman of Baltimore died from a stroke of apoplexy on Friday.

MAYOR BADING WINS MILWAUKEE

Non-Partisan Ticket Elected in Wisconsin City.

SOCIALISTS ARE DEFEATED

"Drys" Gain Considerable Ground in State But Mostly in Country Districts, Larger Towns Generally Voting for License.

Milwaukee, April 8.—Mayor Gerhard A. Bading, who two years ago was the candidate through whom a fusion of the old parties drove Socialism out of office in Milwaukee, was re-elected yesterday on a Non-partisan ticket by a majority of 6,000. The entire Non-Partisan ticket was elected.

In this landslide against Socialism the six hold-over Socialist aldermen-at-large, were carried out of office, and also the hold-over city attorney named in the Socialist election.

In some of the strong Socialist wards aldermen were chosen by the Socialists, but in six of the twenty-three Socialist candidates were eliminated at the primary. The new council will be composed of 31 Non-Partisan and six Socialists.

Non-Partisan Ticket Chosen. One of the most dubious problems of the Non-Partisans was the election of a circuit judge, W. J. Turner, the sitting circuit judge, being a candidate against a Socialist. The returns show that Turner was elected, the heavy Non-Partisan vote in the county outside Milwaukee making up for a slight falling off in the city vote as compared with the vote for mayor.

The Non-partisans elected with Mayor Bading were: City controller, Louis P. Kotacki; treasurer, Joseph P. Carney; attorney, W. H. Timlin, Jr. Elections in State.

The elections in the state were chiefly marked by fights on the license question, as the new Non-Partisan law prevents the appearance of party candidates on municipal tickets. The "drys" gained considerable ground, but most of the gains were in country precincts, and the larger cities showed no change in policy.

Among the cities voting, reports show the following to have voted in favor of license:

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UNDERWOOD WINS

LEADER OF DEMOCRATS IN HOUSE NOMINATED U. S. SENATOR FROM ALABAMA.

"DRYS" WIN IN MICHIGAN

Ingham, in Which Is Located the State Capital, Votes Against the Saloons—One Switches to "Wet" Line—Results of Municipal Elections.

Birmingham, Ala., April 8.—Oscar W. Underwood, majority leader of the house of representatives at Washington, was nominated over Richmond Pearson Hobson by a substantial majority. Underwood's campaign managers said his lead was about twenty thousand.

The weather throughout the state was ideal for the primaries and indications were that the total vote would be the largest in years. While several personal encounters at the polls were reported none was of a serious nature.

Former Governor B. B. Comer led the three other candidates in the gubernatorial contest. Charles Henderson of Troy was second, and R. F. Kolb of Montgomery was third.

John W. Abernethy, representative from the state at large, and Representative J. T. Heflin from the Fifth district were unopposed.

Washington, April 7.—There was general rejoicing among members of all parties in Washington on Monday night when the news came that Representative Underwood had been victorious in his contest for the Alabama senatorship with Representative Hobson.

Detroit, Mich., April 8.—Returns from the 12 Michigan counties which voted on Monday on the local option question gave the drys a victory in the winning of Ingham county, in which Lansing, the state capital, is located. The wets won over one of the other counties and lost one to the anti-saloon forces. Ingham county, which has been wet, went dry by more than seven hundred votes.

The county situation follows: Clare went from dry to wet; Roscommon and Ingham went from wet to dry; Midland, Kalkaska, Mecosta, Benzie, Shiawassee and Wexford remained dry, the latter two by small majorities. Oscoda, containing one saloon, went over to the drys. Arenac and Ogemaw remained wet.

The principal counties voting on the question were Ingham, Shiawassee and Wexford. In case Oscoda county remains dry, Michigan, as the result of the election, has 34 dry counties and 49 counties are wet. The important counties which chose to remain in the dry column did so by smaller majorities than two years ago.

In Flint, John R. Macdonald, Progressive, was elected mayor over Charles B. Mott, independent candidate, and John Menton, Socialist.

In Grand Rapids Mayor Ellis was given the battle of his long political career by Doctor Sinclair.

In Kalamazoo Mayor A. B. Connahee, Republican, was re-elected by the biggest majority a candidate for mayor ever received in that city. He was opposed by Charles Schaffer, president of the Trades and Labor council.

The following mayors of principal cities in which elections were held were elected:

Benton Harbor—Dr. C. M. Hynes, Rep. Et. Joseph—A. J. Wallace, Dem. Cit. Adrian—A. W. Chase, Dem. Charlot—George E. Brantlett, Dem. Petoskey—Charles Hitt, Dem. Rep. Mount Clemens—William E. Nankin, Rep. Pontiac—Len Brown, Dem. Detroit—F. W. Green, Dem. Rep. Muskegon—John Moore, Prog. Albion—Mayor Burnett, Dem. Kalamazoo—A. B. Connahee, Rep. St. Johns—George Schwenk, Dem. Mason—A. A. Bergman, Dem. South Haven—Harry W. Barnard, Prog.

MRS. L. M. N. STEVENS IS DEAD

President of W. C. T. U. Held Office Since 1898 and Worked Until Last.

Portland, Me., April 8.—Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance union, died here on Monday. She had been ill for several weeks with kidney trouble. It is expected that Miss Anna A. Gordon of Evanston, Ill., now vice-president at large, will succeed Mrs. Stevens. Mrs. Stevens, who was born at Dover, Me., 70 years ago, continued to the last the temperance work to which she had been devoted most of her life. Mrs. Stevens succeeded the late Frances E. Willard in the office of president of the W. C. T. U. in 1898. She first came into prominence in the seventies, when she participated in the organization of the Maine W. C. T. U. at Old Orchard. At that time she made her first public speech, and from then on she threw her whole heart into the work.

Noted Indiana Woman Dead. Crawfordsville, Ind., April 8.—Mrs. Joanna Elston Lane, aged eighty-seven, died suddenly of heart disease at her home here. Her husband, Col. Henry S. Lane, who died in 1831, was once governor of Indiana.

Mrs. Pat Campbell a Bride. London, England, April 8.—A few hours after the decree of divorce granted Mrs. George Cornwallis West was made absolute the divorced husband married Mrs. Patrick Campbell, the English actress.

Mrs. Wilson Goes Motoring. Washington, April 8.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson went motoring on Monday for the first time in several weeks. She has entirely recovered from the injury sustained from a fall over a rug in the White House.

Favor Cummins' Freight Bill. Washington, April 8.—The Cummins bill to prevent railroads from limiting their liability on freight shipments, was favorably reported to the senate by the committee on interstate commerce on Monday.

Ex-Slave, Aged 123, Is Dead. Mead Verrill, Ill., April 8.—Samuel Bradley, a former slave, aged one hundred and twenty-three, died here.

Industry. "Wall, St. I see you're back from New York. Lively town, that, eh? I s'pose most everybody there has a job." "Yep. I even saw men leadin' dogs for exercise in th' mornin', an' doin' it ez carefully ez though they wuz paid for it."—Judge.

To Clean Silver Easely. Add a tablespoonful of borax to a pan of hot soap suds, put your table silver in it and let remain two hours, then rinse with clear water and polish with a soft cloth or chamois.

Noted Politician Is Dead. Baltimore, Md.,

HE COMES UP SMILING

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CHAPTER I.

The Watermelon Content.
"You have a phiz on yer," said the Watermelon, with rare candor, "that would make a manny pup unappy."

"I suppose you think yer Venus," sneered James, a remark that he fastened himself was rather "classy."

The Watermelon sighed as one would over the ignorance of a child. "No," said he, "hardly."

"Don't let that bloomin' modesty of yers keep yer from tellin' the truth," adjured James.

The Watermelon waved the possibility aside with airy grace. "With all due modesty, James," said he, "I can't claim to be a woman."

"Not with that hay on yer mug," agreed Mike, casting a sleepy eye upward where he lay in lazy content in the long, sweet grasses under the butternut tree.

"When I was a kid, I took a prize in a beauty show," announced James, with pardonable pride. "I was three, I remember, a cute little cuss. My hair was yellow and my curls it—you know how—all fuzzy—and I had a little white dress on. It was a county fair. I got the first prize for the best lookin' kid and was mugged for the papers. If I was shaved now and had on some glad rags, I'd be a lady killer, all right, all right."

"Longside of me," said the Watermelon, "you'd look like a bear-eyed son of a toad."

"You! Why, you'd make a balky horse run, you would."

"When me hair's out, I'm a bloomin' Adonis, not Venus," and the Watermelon drew languidly at an old brown pipe, warm and comfortable in the pleasant shade, where soft breezes wandered fitfully by, laden with the odors of the fields in June.

"Beauty," said James with charming naïvete, "runs in my family."

"It went so fast in the beginnin', then, yer family never had a chance to catch up," returned the Watermelon. "We'll have a beauty show, just us two."

Inspired by the thought, he sat up to explain, and Mike opened his eyes long enough to look each over with slow scornful derision and a mocking grunt.

James fiddled the short stiff hair on his cheeks and chin and waited for developments.

The Watermelon went on. "We will meet this afternoon, here, see? Shaved with decent duds on. And Mike can pick the winner."

"Mike! He can't tell a sick cat from a well one!"

"That's all right. He knows enough to tell the best lookin' one between you and me. A blind mug could do that."

"But—"

"We haven't anyone else, you mutt. We can't have too much publicity in this show. I dislike publicity anyway, at any time, and especially when I have on clothes, borrowed, as you might say, for the occasion. If the gang was here, we could take a vote, but seein' that they ain't, we got to do with what we got."

"The coat of livin' is goin' up so these days, it's gettin' hard even to batter a handout," groaned Mike, whose idea of true beauty consisted of a full stomach and a shady place to sleep on a long quiet Sunday afternoon. "I ain't goin' to get every place soured on me. If the public gets any more stinky, I'll have to give up de turf for a livin', that's all. To throw a rag will be harder den bod-carryin'."

"We ain't goin' to hurt the burg none," said James.

He rose languidly and stretched. "You be here this afternoon, Mike, about three, see, or I'll knock yer block off. It's a nice quiet hangout safe far enough from the village to be ahd. I'm goin' to get a shave and borrow some duds from the bloomin' hoozie, up yonder, and be honor to de occasion." He knocked the ashes from his pipe and slipped it into his pocket. "If you don't get the clothes and de shave, Watermelon, you'll be counted down and out, see?"

"Sure," agreed the Watermelon. He lay at length on the ground beneath the butternut tree and James paused a moment to rub his eye critically over him. From his lean face with its two-weeks' growth of beard to his ragged, clumsy shoes, James smiled grimly and drew himself up to his full height with just pride. He was six feet two in shoes that might as well have been stockings for all they added to his height. His shoulders were broad and muscular, with

the gentle play of great muscles in perfect condition. His neck, though short, was well shaped and sinewy, not the short thick neck of a prize-fighter or a bull. His hips were narrow and his limbs long and straight. Beneath his open shirt one saw his bronzed throat and huge chest. A splendid specimen of the genus homo, for all the rags and tatters that served as clothes.

The Watermelon was a bit shorter, with narrower shoulders, but long-legged, slim, graceful, and under his satiny skin his muscles slid and rippled with marvelous symmetry. Where James was strong, slow, heavy, he was quick, lithe, supple. Dissipation had not left its mark, and the hard life of the road had so far merely made him fit, an athlete in perfect condition. His features were clean-cut and symmetrical, with a narrow, numerous, good-natured mouth and eyes soft and gray and gentle. The eyes of a dreamer and an idler.

James looked at the slight, graceful youth, sprawled in the shade of the butternut tree, and grinned, doubling his bare arms with slow, luxurious pleasure in the mere physical action and watching the rhythmic rise and fall of the great muscles.

"You might get honorable mention in one of these county fairs for the best yoke of oxen," admitted the Watermelon from where he lay at ease.

"There ain't going to be no show," said Mike firmly. "Not if yer have to swipe the duds. I ain't going—"

James showed that he was a true member of the bon-ton. He waved the other to silence with the airy grace of a master dismissing an impudent servant. "There is goin' to be a contest for the just reward of beauty and yer goun' to be here, Mike, and be the judge or y' will have that red-headed block of yours knocked into kindlin' wood."

Mike was fat and red-headed and dirty. His soul loathed trouble and longed for quiet with the ardor of an elderly spinster. "No, I ain't," said he, in a vain struggle for peace. "I ain't goin' to hang around here until you blokes swipe the rags and come back wid de cops after yer."

"Sunday," said the Watermelon, from knowledge gained by past experience, "is the best time to swipe anything. No one is lookin' for trouble that day and so they don't find it, see?"

"Sure," agreed James. "Every one's feelin' warm and good and stuffed, and when yer feel good yerself, you won't believe any one is bad. You know how it is, Mike. When yer feelin' comfortable, yer can't understand why the devil we ain't comfortable."

"Well, why the devil ain't yer?" demanded Mike. "I ain't takin' all the shade or all the earth, am I? Lie down and be quiet. What do yer want a beauty show for?"

"Aw, stow it!" snapped the Watermelon.

"Yes, I'll stow it all right when we're all sent to the jug. I tell yer I ain't fit to work. The last time I got pinched, I pretty near croaked. I wasn't made to work."

"We ain't going to get pinched," said James. "You make more talk over two suits of clothes—"

"It ain't the clothes. It's the fool notion of swipin' 'em and then comin' right back here, and not makin' no get-away—"

"This hang-out is more than four miles from the burg, you galoot," sneered the Watermelon. "No one would think of coppin' us here. They'll go to the next town, or else watch the railroads—"

"But they might—"

"Might what? Might be bloomin' fools like you."

"Where are you goin' to be shaved?"

"In the barber shop," said James mildly. "You probably favor a law-mower, but personally I prefer a barber."

"Well, I'm off before church time, or the barbers will be closed. Remember, Mike, this afternoon, between four and five."

He pulled his clothes into place, adjusted his hat at the most becoming angle and started up the narrow woodland path, whistling gaily through his teeth. As he disappeared among the trees, the far-off sound of church bells stole to them on the quiet of the Sabbath morning.

CHAPTER II.

A Close Shave.
The Watermelon climbed the stone wall and paused a moment to view

his surroundings. The road wound up the hill from the village nestling at its foot and dipped again out of sight farther on. On all sides were the hills, falling rocky pasture lands, rising to orchards or woods, and now and then a farm house. It was summer, glad, mad, riotous summer. The Watermelon was a vagabond in every fiber of his long, graceful self. The open places, the sweep of the wind, the call of the birds, the rise and fall of the hills, found the fascinating "beyond," hiding unconscious harmony with his nature. As a captive animal, given a chance for freedom, makes for the nearest timber; as a cat, in a strange neighborhood, makes for the old, familiar attic; so the Watermelon sought the country, the peace and freedom and space where a man can be a man and not a mannikin.

He paused a moment, in perfect contentment with the world and himself, while up the valley, over the hills, through the sun-warmed air, borne on the breath of the new-mown fields, came the sound of distant church bells, softly, musically, soothingly. Slipping from the wall, he set out for the village below in the valley, where the road wound steeply down.

The village boasted but one barber shop, a quiet, little, dusty-white one-room affair, leaning in timid humility against the protecting wall of the only other public building in town, dry-goods, grocery and butcher shop in one. The church bells had stopped for some time when the Watermelon turned into the wide empty street, and strolled carelessly up to the faded red, white and blue pole of Wilton's Tonsorial Parlor. In its Sunday calm the whole village seemed deserted. A few of the bolder spirits who had outgrown apron strings and not yet been snared in any one's bonnet strings, had remained away from church and foregathered in the seclusion of the barber shop. The Watermelon regarded them a moment through the window as he felt carelessly in his pockets for the coins that were never there.

The barber was cleaning up after his last customer and talking apparently as much to himself as to any one. Convinced of what he knew was so, that he had no money, the Watermelon pushed open the door and entered.

"Hello," said he.

"Hello," said the barber.

All the papers were lowered and all conversation stopped as each man turned and scanned the new-comer with an interest the Watermelon modestly felt was caused by some event other than his own entry. He surmised that Jan had probably been there before him, and the next words of the barber confirmed his surmise.

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coldly, from the rakish tip of his shabby hat to the nondescript covering of his feet which from force of habit he called shoes, and spoke with darkly veiled sarcasm:

"I suppose you are the guest from the hotel up the lake?"

The Watermelon grinned. He recognized James' favorite remark. "No," said he cheerfully, "I'm John D., and me car is waiting without."

"A guest up to the hotel," repeated the barber, upon whom James had evidently made a powerful impression. "Just back from a two weeks' camping and fishing trip—"

"No," said the Watermelon. "I don't like fishing, baiting the hook is such damned hard work."

"Just back," went on the barber, still quoting, his soul yet rankling with the deceit of man. "Look like a tramp, probably—"

"Am one," grinned the Watermelon. "And you thought you would get a shave as you passed through the village, wouldn't dere let your wife see you—"

"Say," interrupted the Watermelon, warily, "what are you giving us? Did anyone bunke you out of a shave with that lingo?"

"Yes," snapped the barber. "About an hour ago a feller blew in here and said all that. He talked well and I shaved him, and then he found he

hadn't any money in his old clothes—but he would send it right down—oh, yes—the moment he got to the hotel. It ain't comin' to me, Harry, there, says there ain't no one up to the hotel like that. Harry's the porter."

"Sure," said Harry importantly. "I passed the feller as I was coming down and there ain't any one like him to the hotel."

The Watermelon laughed heartily. "A hobo, eh? Bunkeed you for fair. You fellers oughtn't to be so dog-goned easy. Get wise, get wise!"

"We are wise now," said the barber ruefully, and added sternly, "if you want a shave, you've got to show your money first."

"Sure I want a shave," said the Watermelon, and carelessly rattled a few old keys he carried in his pocket. They jingled with the clink of loose coins and were pleasing to the ear if not so much to the touch. "I came here for a shave, but I pay for what I want, see? Say, I'll bet that feller busted your cash register," and he nodded pleasantly toward the new, shiny receiver of customs on the shelf near the looking-glass.

The remark brought an agreeable thrill of excited expectation to all save the barber. He shook his head with boundless faith in his new possession. "I bought that just last week and the drummer said it was practically thief proof."

"Do you want to bet?" asked the Watermelon. "All there is in the register, huh? Even money," and he jingled the keys in his pocket.

"Now," said the barber, "I know he couldn't have robbed it. It's impossible, even if the thing could be robbed, which it can't be. I was right here all the time."

"It's near the lookin'-glass," said the Watermelon. "He went close to the counter to see himself, didn't he?"

"Yes," admitted the barber slowly. "He did look at himself for a long time."

"And some of the time your back was turned," added the Watermelon. "You were probably cleaning up or looking for a whis'."

"Yes," admitted the barber again, still more reluctantly. "But nobody can bust into one of them cash registers, not without a nois that would be heard across the room."

"I'll bet he did," said the Watermelon. "Do you take me?"

"But they can't be busted," reiterated the barber.

"Then why the devil don't you bet?" demanded the Watermelon. "You are bettin' on a sure thing."

"Yes, go on. Don't be scared," encouraged Wilton's gay youth in joyful chorus.

The barber started for his precious register, but the Watermelon reached it first and laid his hand on it.

"Do you take me?" he asked. "You have to say that before you can count the change or the bets—Say, is that the galoot?" he nodded suddenly toward the window and all turned quickly, instinctively, to look up the village street. The Watermelon hastily thrust a thin comb between the bell and the gong so it would not ring as he gently pressed the twenty-five cent key, registering another quarter, then he joined the others, pushing and struggling to see the man who did not pass, and gazed languidly over their heads.

"There ain't no one there," exclaimed the barber.

"He's passed out of sight," said the Watermelon, making a feeble attempt to see down the street. "He was almost by as I saw him."

"Do you take me?" he asked, as they returned to the counter and the subject of the cash register.

"Aw, go on," urged Harry, who was a sport. "What are you afraid of?"

"He couldn't have picked it," insisted the barber, whose faith in his register was really sublime.

"Sure he could. They are easy to a guy who knows the ropes," declared the Watermelon. "The drummer was handing you a lot of hot air when he said they can't be picked. You don't want to be so easy."

The slur on his mental capacity was too much for the barber. His vanity rose in defense of his register where his faith had faltered. "I have some brains," he snorted. "I know the thing is perfectly safe. Yes, I take you."

He started to open the register, but the Watermelon objected. "Here," he cried, "let Harry do it. I'm not wanting to be bunkeed out of me hard-earned lucc." And he lovingly rattled the keys in his pockets.

"How much has been registered?" asked the Watermelon.

Harry drew forth the strip of paper and after a few moments of mental agony, confused by the different results each obtained as all peered eagerly over his shoulder, he finally arrived at the correct answer, three dollars and sixty cents. It was Sunday and shaving day for the male quarter of the population.

PROTESTS HIGH TAX AT MEETING

WASHBURN COUNTY ADOPTS RESOLUTIONS OPPOSING STATE COMMISSIONS.

MORE ECONOMY IS WANTED

Malt on Unnecessary Expenditures Is Demanded at Nonpartisan Convention in the Town of Spooner.

Spooer.—A convention for the county of Washburn was held here when resolutions denouncing the high taxes and demanding more economical administration of state affairs were unanimously adopted. Peter Brown, chairman of the town of Evergreen, was chosen chairman of the convention and W. A. Porter of the town of Trego was made secretary. The discussion of the existing conditions and the resultant high taxes was warm at times, the state administration coming in for some severe criticism. A committee on resolutions consisting of T. H. Hillman, Frank Hammill and G. H. Ross was appointed and reported in resolutions stating that the convention was absolutely nonpartisan, its object being to nominate delegates to a state convention, if one is called, who will vote for men for all state offices who will pledge themselves to practise economy in the operation of all state institutions.

DEATH THREAT IN LETTER

Widow of Man Killed in Wreck at Woodville Last August Ordered to Place \$100 Near Depot at Altoona.

Eau Claire.—Mrs. E. R. Shute of Altoona, whose husband was killed in the wreck at Woodville last August, received a mysterious letter demanding that she place \$100 near the Altoona depot. Failure to do as ordered meant death to her and her children, stated the letter. Mrs. Shute notified the authorities. Officers were posted in the neighborhood of the depot. Mrs. Shute, accompanied by a male companion who was attired as a female left for the spot. They noticed that two unknown men followed them. In the meantime police officers and the sheriff watched and waited from points of concealment near the pole, but no one came to get the money.

DYNAMITE IN TRAIN WRECK

Wrecking Crew Find Explosive With Portion of Track Rail Driven Into Contents—Big Loss of Life Averted.

Fond du Lac.—In clearing the wreck of freight No. 21, northbound on the Soo line at Loon Lake, the wrecking crew found a car loaded with dynamite badly shattered and a portion of track rail driven into the contents. Railroad officials said that had the car exploded, a terrible loss of life would have resulted. Thirteen cars left the track.

Sparta Team Victorious.

Sparta.—By winning both sides of a question for debate from Antigo the debating team of Sparta high school won the state championship in the first series of its kind. The debates have been conducted under the supervision of the Lawrence university and has consisted of elimination contests in which Antigo and Sparta highs were the two remaining teams. The question in each of the debates held during the series was: "Resolved, That the policy of fixing a minimum wage by state boards is desirable." Sparta's affirmative team was John Heltman, Fred Steele and John Doyle, and the negative team was Bruce McCoy, Arthur Douglas and Robert Smith.

Kenosha Man Saves Son's Life.

Kenosha.—To save the life of his infant son, Herbert Thomey, well known Kenosha politician, submitted to an operation for blood transfusion, and more than a quart of blood taken from the father's arteries was pumped into the arteries of the child. The effect of the operation was instantaneous. The child is now showing every sign of healthy growth. The operation was decided on when it was declared by surgeons that the child could live but a few hours unless blood be supplied to it.

Car Ferry Steward Drowned.

Manitowoc.—Albert Mathias of Sheboygan, a steward on Pere Marquette car ferry No. 19, drowned in a slip at the Chicago & Northwestern docks when he attempted to leap from the dock on to the moving ferry as it was leaving the slip. The body was recovered.

Farmers Learn of State Plan.

Madison.—That every farmer in the state may learn about the state life insurance plans, Insurance Commissioner Herman L. Ekern has sent an instructive letter to the clerk of every town board in the state asking him to read it before the town meeting on April 7.

Death Ends Prison Term.

Madison.—Just as the printer began to set up the brief of Attorney General Owen opposing the appeal of John La Valle, convicted of murder in Fond du Lac county, and sentenced to death, word was received of the death of the prisoner.

Misinterpreted.

"Beg pardon, sir," said the door man at the Staghorn club. "Havep't you made a mistake?"

"I reckon not," replied Si Coratassel. "The sign on the door says 'No Admission,' and if they's no admission it's free, ain't it?"—Judge.

Bail for Women Cut in Half.

Madison.—In order that Fannie Epstein and Jennie Isaacson, accused of stealing \$1,500 worth of diamonds from the Gamm Jewelry store, might be free to spend the Jewish Easter season with their families, Judge Feland reduced the bail one-half, to \$2,500 each.

Body Identified.

Ashland.—The young man found in the woods near Odanah hanging to a tree has been identified as Gustav Hoth of Butternut.

Normal Student to Reformatory.

Oshkosh.—Lester Schwartz, a normal school student, was committed to the industrial school at Waushara, after a series of petty thefts during which he maintained a standing of 90 in his studies.

Congregation Is Formed.

Madison.—The St. Joseph Catholic congregation of Green Bay filed articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state. Bishop J. J. Fox is president and Peter B. Roth is secretary.

CATTLE OWNERS ELECT

SHEBOYGAN COUNTY COW TESTING ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT PLYMOUTH.

Body Will Engage the Services of an Expert to Make Monthly Tests of Cattle Owned by Members.

Plymouth.—Forty dairy farmers of Sheboygan county met here and organized a Sheboygan County Testing association. The association will engage the services of an expert to make monthly tests of the cows owned by all the members of the association. The officers are: President, Arthur Zelm, Plymouth; vice-president, Charles Nehring, Lyndon, and secretary-treasurer, Frank Ubbelohde, Sheboygan Falls.

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POLICE CHIEF IS EXONERATED

Kenosha Commission Dismisses Bribery Charges Brought Against Owen O'Hare—Evidence Is Not Sufficient.

Kenosha.—The police and fire commission dismissed charges of bribery brought against Owen O'Hare, chief of police of Kenosha. The commission ruled that the basis was too flimsy for the board to continue with the hearing. The charges against O'Hare were made in the form of an affidavit in which it was alleged that he took money from the keeper of a disorderly house. Chief O'Hare chafes the plot to gamblers in the city and has demanded the arrest of several persons.

Plant 20,000,000 Fry.

Sheboygan.—Badger car No. 2 of the Wisconsin Fish commission left here for Sturgeon Bay with 100 cans of whitefish fry, which will be planted immediately off that port. Each can contains 50,000 fry, making a total of 5,000,000 whitefish fry to be planted at Sturgeon Bay. Last Tuesday 3,400,000 whitefish fry were planted off this port by the fishing tug Fearless, while that many more will be planted in a few days. It is estimated that about twenty million whitefish fry were hatched in the Sheboygan hatchery this spring, while many more lake trout fry are now being hatched.

Must Care for Drunk Patron.

Green Bay.—That a saloon keeper is morally bound to care for a customer who becomes intoxicated in his saloon, and that failure to do so constitutes ground for a damage suit, is the contention of Judge Henry Grass, who filed a decision in circuit court in an action brought by Joseph Beaulieu for \$10,000 against Anton De Pas of Bay Settlement.

Collects \$4,738.93 in Taxes.

Sheboygan.—County Treasurer Charles M. Ries collected \$4,738.93 in inheritance tax in the quarter ending on March 31. Inheritance tax was paid on 16 estates, the largest amount, \$3,506.40, having been paid by the estate of Thomas M. Blackstock.

Nurse Association Elects.

Appleton.—At the annual meeting of the Appleton Visiting Nurses' association the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Wm. H. Zuehlke; vice-president, Mrs. P. H. Ryan; secretary, Miss Edna Edwards, and treasurer, W. O. Thiede.

Smith Still in Field.

Fond du Lac.—Charles D. Smith, attorney, who announced that he would run for United States senatorship, is still in the field, according to his action in filing an expense account of \$4.52.

Old Church Is Razed.

Viroqua.—After 63 years of constant use, the Viroqua Methodist church is being torn down to make way for a new building, which will be of brick and tile.

Missionary Women to Meet.

Madison.—The Wisconsin branch of the Woman's Board of Missions of the interior and the Wisconsin Home Missionary union of the Congregational churches will meet in a joint convention here April 14 and 16.

Senior Committees Named.

Madison.—President Gene Van Gent of the senior class at the university appointed the committees which will serve the class at commencement time this year. A new feature is a cane committee.

Arrange Military Ball.

Madison.—Capt. D. Hoag, Delavan, was appointed general chairman of the annual military ball of the University of Wisconsin corps of cadets. The ball will be held at the army April 25 and promises to rival the junior "prom" in splendor.

Stout Addition Plan Accepted.

Madison.—The board of industrial education met at Menominee and accepted plans for the \$200,000 building at Stout Institute authorized by the last legislature.

GIVES BLOOD TO SAVE HIS SON

OLDERMAN THOMEY OF KENOSHA UNDERGOES TRANSFUSION OPERATION.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

-Easter to-morrow, Sunday.
-A joyful Easter to all is the wish of the Statesman.
-E. H. Rosenheimer was a Cream City visitor last Saturday.
-Theodore Landmann of Milwaukee called on friends here for "Rub-Nix" washing Tablets for sale at all groceries. 5 cents

-Mrs. Jacob Schlosser spent last Saturday with relatives and friends at Milwaukee.
-Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mertes of Newburg spent Sunday here with their respective parents.
-Mrs. William Colvin of West Bend was a business caller in the village on Monday.
-Dr. and Mrs. Karl Hausmann spent last Sunday with relatives and friends at Milwaukee.

-Nic. Remmel of Milwaukee spent last Sunday here with his brother, Joseph and family.
-John Pesch and Andrew Suckawoty of Campbellsport were in this village on business Monday.
-Dr. Wm. N. Klumb spent Sunday afternoon with his mother and other relatives at West Bend.
-Miss Elvira Morgenroth was a guest of Oakkosh relatives from last week Thursday until Sunday.
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-A number from here took the teacher's examination at West Bend last Monday and Tuesday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koch had their infant son christened by Rev. Mohme last Sunday afternoon.

-Mrs. Phillipina Andrae of Milwaukee spent the forepart of the week here with relatives and friends.

-Mrs. S. C. Wollensak and daughter Ruth were pleasant callers at Milwaukee last week Saturday.

-Miss Martha Staats spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. William Hallet, at Milwaukee.

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-Miss Edna Altenhofen, who is teaching school at Fillmore is spending her Easter vacation here with her mother.

-Ernst Armg and wife of Appleton were the guests of relatives and friends here and community last Sunday.

-Mrs. Carrie Backhaus and granddaughter of Marshfield called on relatives here last week Friday and Saturday.

-Mrs. Edw. Hausmann and daughter Edw. spent last week Saturday with relatives and friends at Milwaukee.

-Mrs. J. M. Ockenfels spent last week Friday and Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Adolph Haase and family at Milwaukee.

-Mrs. Henry Schoofs and children of Reedsburg arrived here last Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ockenfels.

"Rub-Nix" Washing Tablets—need no rubbing. 5 cents.

-Oscar Habek and family left Saturday for Spencer and Unity, Wis., where they will visit with relatives and friends for a short time.

-Mrs. Albert Frank and son Harold of Milwaukee called on her mother, Mrs. Krahn, and other relatives and friends here last week Saturday.

-Mrs. Frank O'Meara and son of West Bend spent the latter part of last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Schoofs and family.

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-Joseph Dworschak Sr., of Hartford attended to business matters in the village here last Saturday. While here he also paid a number of his friends a visit.

-Mrs. Cornelius Wolf of Milwaukee spent last week Friday with the Joseph Strachota family and other friends. Mrs. Wolf is well remembered here as Miss Lucy Hausner, at one time proprietress of the millinery store now owned by Mrs. R. L. Davis.

-Jos. Schlosser of Milwaukee called on his father and other relatives and friends here last Sunday. Joe is now employed in the Davidson Hotel Barber Shop and invites all his Kewaskum friends to call upon him while in the city.

-John Kane Jr. and Mrs. E. W. Jaehning of Fillmore and Mrs. C. H. Witt of Fredonia called on the John Klessig family here last Sunday.

-Alton Altenhofen and John Strachota, students of the Marquette University at Milwaukee, are enjoying their Easter vacation under the parental roof.

FOR SALE.—A fine 8 1/2 acre farm, 66 rods west of the village of Campbellsport on Ashford road and good building, fences, spring and soil. 25 acres seeded to clover and alfalfa. With or without personal property. Payments part down, balance can remain on place. For particulars apply to Herman Backhaus Sr., Campbellsport, Wis. R. R. 29.—Adv. 3t

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-Those who were present at the home of Wm. Doms Sunday in honor of their daughter Laura's confirmation were as follows: Wm. Schaub and family, Mrs. Ammel Schaub, Mrs. Henry Weseberg, Rev. Mohme and family, Herman Geidel and family, Louis Doms and family, Herman Backhaus and family, Charles Geidel and family, Albert Weseberg, Mrs. John Labort and children of West Bend, Mrs. Robert Weseberg, Olive and Linda Kibble of West Bend, Alma and Esther Rheingans, and Amelia Petri. A fine dinner and supper was served to the guests. All report having had a very enjoyable time.

-The Junior Class of the Kewaskum High School have sent out invitations for the Junior Prom to be given in the South Side Park hall on Friday evening, May 1st. It is also the wish of the class that all those who receive invitations to be present and enjoy the merriment of the evening. The popular Kewaskum Quintette has been engaged to furnish the music for the occasion.

-Mrs. Joseph Schmidt was a business caller at Campbellsport last week Saturday.

-Rev. Otto of West Bend visited with friends here last Saturday.

-Albert Beisbier transacted business at West Bend last week Saturday.

-H. W. Spukow of Milwaukee was a village visitor here last Sunday.

-Mrs. A. C. Ebekeleiter was the guest of Milwaukee relatives last Saturday.

-Fred Andrae transacted business at the County Seat on last Saturday.

-Miss Mathilda Vogt spent Sunday with relatives at the County Seat.

-Mr. and Mrs. Roman Backhaus visited with relatives at Oakfield last Sunday.

-Miss Katie Bath of West Bend spent last Sunday under the parental roof.

-John Metz and daughter Regina were Fond du Lac visitors last week Saturday.

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Wheat	50.62
Red winter	25.674
Wheat, No. 1	50.52
Oats, new	32
Butter	30.52
Eggs	31
Flour	30.52
Potatoes, new	53.56
Beans	1.75 2.00
Hay	10.00 12.00
Hides (leaf skin)	14
Cow Hides	12
Honey	10
Apples	100 lbs 75.00
Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs	10.00 13.00
White	15.00 20.00
Alfalfa	8.00 13.00
Hickory Nuts	per lb. 1.00

DAIRY MARKET.

ELGIN
Elgin, Ill., April 6—Elgin butter firm at 24c.

SHEBOYGAN
Sheboygan, Wis., April 7—At the Sheboygan call board held here on Tuesday 24 factories offered 1,659 boxes of cheese for sale. All sold as follows: 21 boxes dairies 17c; 70 cases young Americas, 16c; 43 cases longhorns, 15 5-8c; 1,535 cases longhorns, 15c.

PLYMOUTH
Plymouth, Wis., April 7—At the Plymouth central cheese board Tuesday 28 factories offered 1,888 boxes cheese. Sales: 255 boxes square prints, 17 c; 94 boxes twins 16c; 175 boxes dairies 17c; 332 boxes dairies, 17 3-8c; 145 boxes dairies 17c; 24 cases young Americas, 16c; 497 cases longhorns, 16 1-8c; 186 cases longhorns, 16c.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
COUNTY COURT FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY
IN PROBATE.

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Notice is hereby given that creditors are allowed until the first Tuesday in October, 1914, to present their claims against said deceased to this court for examination and allowance, and that said court will on the third Tuesday of October, A. D. 1914, at the court house in the city of West Bend, in said county, examine and adjust all claims so presented against the said Wm. Batzler, deceased.

Dated March 14th, 1914.

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Brighten with life My risen Son's cleft tomb
The Easter triumph winning!"

All Turn to Jerusalem

Sacred Scenes of Crucifixion and Resurrection Attract Pilgrims in Thousands at Easter Time

TYPICAL of the passing of winter gloom and of the coming of summer splendor, that was Easter from the beginning, the very embryo of nature study, the spontaneous expression of man's delight in the ever joyful and beautiful annual miracle of the springtime.

Entrance is sellers of beads, evil eyes and various souvenirs made of olive wood. Once inside, one finds armed Moslem custodians, who are necessary to keep the peace between the Jewish Christian pilgrims from various parts of the world, some of them half-starved fanatics, who have sacrificed everything except life itself to get there. And here one finds hanging any number of beautiful metal lamps. The Greeks are allowed a certain number, the Armenians so many, and so on.

Almost as soon as the guard is passed the large "Stone of Anointment" is reached. On this the body of Jesus is said to have lain when it was anointed by Nicodemus. The principal part of this building is the rotunda of the sepulcher. The chapel of the sepulcher is about six feet each way, and very low, 43 precious lamps hanging from the ceiling. It is here on the split marble slab, which serves as an altar, that the members of the Catholic church (Latin, Greek, Armenian chiefly), or their friends, have blessed rosaries and crucifixes. It is entered through the vestibule called the Angels' chapel. The vast and dim church is explored by the painstaking visitor with guide, lamp and opera glasses. It varies from the finished, marble-faced and much decorated parts to others that suggest dusty store rooms in neglected attics.

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Of course we are not superstitious in these enlightened days; but there are certain little fancies that have been handed down to us that we observe "just for fun," and many of these have to do with Easter. For instance, whoever would think of allowing Easter Sunday to pass without having eaten three eggs, or having provided "three new things" to wear? Doesn't every one feel a little thrill of gladness or sadness on Easter morn, according as the sun is shining or the clouds are heavy, as indication that the year to come is to be a generally prosperous or dull one, as the case may be?

There used to be a good deal of superstition attached to the giving and receiving of Easter gifts, but that has practically disappeared, and while flowers remain the most appropriate offering, one may present anything that seems desirable, from a pair of gloves or a box of handkerchiefs to a handsome piece of jewelry. There seems to be, however, a tacit understanding that the Easter gift shall be peculiarly appropriate to the recipient, something especially desired, if it is not at the same time symbolic of the season.

But why does the civilized world celebrate this, the principal feast of the Christian era?

First, because the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead confirmed the claims of his life; and, second, because through countless ages that the world has lasted not a single message has been brought back to us from the grave but one—the one that he brought to us on this day.

When the stone was rolled back from the sepulchre door and Christ arose, the world for the first time was assured of the absolute certainty of a life beyond the grave.

How it changes the outlook on life, this Easter message! How differently we look upon the inhumanities of this life, the unfairness, the indignity, the sorrow of it all. It is for such a tiny part of our life! Just the schooling period! All the evidence shows there will be a balancing of accounts and a better state of things for those who wish for it, on the other side of the grave.

TO RID FOODS OF POISONS

Deleterious Substances May Be Removed if One Will Take a Little Pains With the Work.

To cook cranberries as they are brought from the market is to meet a keen disappointment in a delicate berry which many persons do not enjoy because its wild flavor is unpleasant to the taste. Clean the berries, place them in a pan with sufficient water to cover them, and add a half teaspoon of soda. Boil the berries in the soda water until you hear them bursting. Drain the water from them, it will be found a greenish black, rinse them in cold water, then cook with the sugar. It removes the tang and less sugar is needed to sweeten them if cooked in this way. The same method has been used successfully in cooking soup beans, from which the greenish water removes a poisonous substance, makes the bean clear and white when cooked and they cook in less time, too. Others have used soda water for cooking rice for a few minutes to remove the artificial glaze which is a coating of talcum, and a glue-like substance in which pure rice is immersed before it is ready for market.

COFFEE SERVED IN ORANGES

Idea is From New Orleans, Where They Claim to Make the Best Beverage in America.

A young hostess recently pleased her dinner guests with a new way of serving after-dinner coffee, which she said was learned at a famous New Orleans cafe.

The entire rind of an orange is used as a cup. It is cut with a sharp knife, and the lower half is turned back to form a standard for the upper half, which is the cup. The orange remains between the two and unites them.

The cups are filled with boiling hot black coffee and sweetened by a lump of sugar dipped in cognac. A match applied to each cup before serving ignites the brandy and the flame so produced is aided by the oil of the orange rind, so that a charming effect is produced by a tray of these brightly burning cups. Each orange is placed on a small plate or saucer.

Mock Turtle Soup. Boil a calf's head until the meat leaves the bones. Leave it in the seasoned soup until the next day, then take it out, scrape off the fat and remove the bones. Put in the jellied stock over the fire with the bones; the ears, chopped; one grated carrot, one sliced onion, a bunch of soup herbs, a teaspoonful of allspice, a saltspoonful of paprika and salt to taste. Boil for one hour. Take from the fire, strain, thicken with two tablespoonfuls of butter rolled in as much browned flour; add two tablespoonfuls of kitchen bouquet, and when the soup is thickened, drop in the tongue and parts of the cheek cut into dice. Add a gill of sherry and the juice of a lemon, and pour upon forcemeat balls in a hot tureen. Make the forcemeat balls by rubbing the brains to a paste with a hard-boiled egg, a little browned flour and the yolk of a raw egg. Roll them in browned flour and let them stand in a quick oven until lightly crusted over.

Cabbage or Salad Dressing. Melt in a double boiler one generous tablespoonful of butter. Add to it one tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of made mustard, three dashes of paprika, one-quarter teaspoonful of salt, white pepper to taste. When these are well blended add slowly, stirring constantly to avoid lumps, one-half pint of boiling water and three drops of Worcestershire sauce. Continue stirring until thick. Cook five minutes; if too thick put in a little more water. Should the dressing be for cold slaw pour it white hot over finely shredded cabbage, if for salads use when cold.

Dark Bread Pudding. Take dry bread enough to fill a two-quart pan two-thirds full of bread after it is soaked, one-half cup molasses, one cup of sugar (brown if you have it, white will do), one cup of chopped suet or fat pork, two eggs, a pint of milk, two cups of chopped raisins. You can put in all kinds of spice. I only put in nutmeg and clove, salt teaspoon. Bake mine all night. Wants to be baked slowly. It is fine.—Boston Globe.

India Curried Eggs. Cut hard-boiled eggs in halves; then fry one small chopped onion and one chopped apple in hot butter; add one-fourth cup of pounded almonds and one pint of milk, mixed with one-half tablespoonful of cornstarch. Season with salt and a dessert spoonful of curry powder. Let cook ten minutes; then add the eggs. Let all get very hot. Serve with croutons; garnish with fried parsley.—The Mother's Magazine.

Wellesley Salad. Cut early apples into dice, chop celery rather fine, cut white grapes into halves, take out seeds, break English walnuts or pecans in small pieces, marinate with French dressing and put on ice till chilled. Serve on hearts of lettuce leaves. Whip cream and add lemon juice to taste; put a large spoonful on salad.

Brussels Sprouts With Cheese. Cook the sprouts till perfectly tender in water with salt, pepper and a little lemon juice in it. When tender drain and toss about over the fire in a frying pan with a little butter to get quite hot, and in no case attempting to brown them. Take out into a dish, sprinkle freely with grated parmesan cheese and send to table.

Apple Tarts. Line the small pans with a nice puff paste and fill with apples which have been steamed or parboiled, sweetened and flavored with ground nutmeg. Arrange across the top strips of sweetened pastry, which has been spread with butter. Bake in a moderate oven.

Traveler's Cape a Great Boon



When a long journey is to be undertaken, or where there is a prospect of globe-trotting ahead, there is one garment that may be depended upon for comfort and for style; it is the traveler's cape, it has taken the place of the old-fashioned shawl and is the same reliable companion which does duty on all sorts of occasions and helps out in all sorts of emergencies.

These capes and combinations of capes with other garments have been designed in several ways. When made of a material of medium weight the cape is often part of a loose-fitting coat, and is detachable and fastened to the undergarment at the collar. In heavier fabrics the cape is cut in one with the coat and is shorter, extending about to the knees. Or cape fronts of the same length as the coat are fastened in at the side seams and are shaped to accommodate themselves to the shape of the coat. This special variety is intended for the sea trip more particularly.

The convenience of a cape like that shown in the picture is evident. It may be worn over the coat-suit or as an extra garment over a separate coat, or without any other wrap under it, depending upon the amount of protection the wearer needs. It is easily kept presentable and is never out of fashion. Such garments are made of the best grade of fabrics used for outer wraps and made in the most substantial manner, as they are likely to be subject to rough wear.

The cape illustrated is made of blue broadcloth in the brightest of navy blue and is trimmed with flat white braid. Black braid is a wiser choice for a long journey, because it doesn't require cleaning very often. A heavy quality of cloth is chosen, and is shrank before the cape is cut. Besides broadcloth there are other serviceable cloths that answer the purpose for a traveling cape, but none quite as good looking. Cravanne and the several water-proofed fabrics, like serge and cheviot, are to be considered, and the choice governed by the needs or taste of the individual.

The broadcloth cape is lined with a substantial woolen fabric, as a rule

in a plain color or in dark plaid. Large bone buttons and strong buttonholes provide the fastening, and a part of the meager decoration which is permissible in the traveler's cape.

A new field for usefulness for the cape has been developed since the automobile has become a part of the paraphernalia of life. It is the extra garment to be taken along and to be relied upon to meet weather changes. It and the extra veil might be included in the long list of accessories which go with the machine. For the cape fits all figures and is as much a family affair as the old-time shawl. In time the owner becomes attached to a cape, as to a reliable friend. There are very few among the short-lived garments of today which can ever possess the charm of association possible to a cape. When it is made all this to be considered. It must be ample, long enough to almost cover the figure, well put together, and always in a stable color. Strong and dark blues have proved themselves the best choice.

Glove Novelties.

Among the novelties in gloves there is a good looking pair, which is effective without being conspicuous. Made from the finest white glace kid it is piped in black and has long cuffs inset with puffings of black silk and edged with fine white Chantilly lace. The backs are richly embroidered, and two smoked pearl clasps fasten the gloves at the wrist. Another of fine glace kid gloves has deep applied cuffs and contrasting colored kid in a pointed effect, the backs finely embroidered in raised silk dots.

Poetic Fashion.

It is somewhat difficult to account for the cause of the Byronic revival so far as ties and collars are concerned. That the black Latin Quarter tie is here to accompany the soft roll collar like unto that affected by Lord Byron in the early part of the nineteenth century there is no doubt. To a young face and to beauty the Byronic collar and soft black tie are very becoming, but the simplicity of the fashion is trying to a woman devoid of either.

Foundation Waist of Net



ONE of the plain waists of net is shown here, ready for draping with lace, or chiffon, or voile, or taffeta, or any of the thin fabrics that are used to help make up the fancy waists for dress wear. There is a plain undrappery waist of net, without sleeves, supporting a second plain waist with sleeves. A narrow double frill of plaited net finishes the neck and extends down the front. A similar frill finishes the sleeves.

These waists are very handy for the home dressmaker, saving time and making a foundation for the construction of either separate waists or bod-

ices, as the wearer may desire. Lace and chiffon veils, as well as piece goods are used effectively in draping them. Printed ribbons, chiffons and voiles, and plain thin fabrics are used over them.

It is best to buy them ready made as they are cheap and net is difficult to handle by the amateur dressmaker. The foundation waist of net is a plain and not a graceful garment, but it provides a convenient support for the waist which the home dressmaker wishes to make for herself. JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

SPRING FEVER IS HEALTHY

It Indicates Fresh Hopes and Renewed Buoyancy of Spirit.

How wonderfully tight the spring wanderlust for the countryside grips one!

Spring fever, with all of its healthfulness, is the harbinger of fresh hopes and a buoyancy of spirit.

I noticed a passenger on a Detroit-Chicago train the other day who had started out on his trip with the evident intention of becoming deeply taken with one of the best sellers, that he might shorten the trip between the two cities. You have done the same thing yourself.

But his book had been cast aside. He had read only a few pages. His interest in it had lagged.

From the car windows he was counting the fields now bare of snow. The ditches were carrying away the water and the still less sluggish creeks were now streams bearing the overflow to the rivers. The farmer, in his shirt sleeves, was repairing the fences after the winter drifts; the cattle showing proof of a winter's stabling and now heading here and there toward the meadows, seeking the new-green patches of grass; the farm help, in field and stubble, was putting into repair this and that necessary feature, here looking after his plow and there his harrow, and on all sides were scenes which reminded the traveler that spring was here, at last!

As the train sped onward and glimpses of the painter as he worked on the weather-beaten buildings were revealed, the interest of the tourist was aroused and, when I asked him the reason, he answered: "Spring is here and I feel its blood flowing!"

The truth was, that like many others, he was planning the work he was to do the coming summer. He was going out to the farm—his farm in Western Canada. He had his wells to dig, his horses to get into shape, his grain implements to fix up, his seed grain to prepare, and other details for the land that was ready to receive it. His was what might be termed an "unrest"—to get to the farm!

Thousands in Western Canada today are making the preparations that this interested man contemplated. Their summer fallows are ready for the wheat, their spring plowing is being attended to, fences are being rebuilt or being put into repair; indeed, the entire country is one great hive of industry.

Railroads are in readiness to take care of a great rush of settlers, those charged with the reception of whom are prepared to extend every courtesy and thus meet the rush with judgment and without the least friction. Thus, the enjoyment of the opening of spring is fully met.

At many of the stations throughout many of the middle western states, trains of settlers' effects are in readiness to move to Western Canada. Not only in these states are scenes of this kind to be witnessed, but also, on either coast and throughout the eastern states there is the same activity among those going to Western Canada this spring. The crops have been heavy and all reports are that the winter was enjoyable; also, that the prospects for a satisfactory year were never better. There is plenty of land yet to be had by homesteading or otherwise. Adapted, as Western Canada is, to small grain farming, it is especially adapted to cattle raising and many of the farmers are placing small and large herds, as their individual means will permit.

The illustrated literature sent out by the Canadian government agents tells the truth clearly and the inquirer should send for a copy and if you be one of those who has an ambitious interest, you may be the gainer by a perusal of such information—straight, cold facts in themselves—Advertisement.

But it is impossible to patch up a reputation so that the patches won't show.

WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY

To the Merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during Change of Life.

Westbrook, Me. — "I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial." — Mrs. LAWRENCE MARTIN, 12 King St., Westbrook, Maine.

Manston, Wis. — "At the Change of Life I suffered with pains in my back and loins until I could not stand. I also had night-sweats so that the sheets would be wet. I tried other medicine but got no relief. After taking one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I began to improve and I continued its use for six months. The pains left me, the night-sweats and hot flashes grew less, and in one year I was a different woman. I know I have to thank you for my continued good health ever since." — Mrs. M. J. BROWNELL, Manston, Wis.

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REMEMBER Per-u-na When You Call At Your Drug Store

Mr. Robert H. Norris, No. 1333 Henry St., North Berkeley, Cal., writes: "We have never had any other medicine but Peruna in our home since we have been married. I suffered with kidney and bladder trouble, but two months treatment with Peruna made me a well and strong man. My wife felt weak and was easily tired and was also troubled with various pains, but since she took Peruna she is well and strong."

Astonishing. A happily married woman who had enjoyed 33 years of conjugal felicity, and who was the grandmother of three beautiful children, had a jovial old colored woman for a cook. One afternoon, which proved to be the mistress' birthday, a beautiful box of flowers was left for her. When the cook happened to be present, Mandy eyed the beautiful roses longingly. Then said, "Yu husband send yo' all those pretty flowers yo' gits, Missy?" "Certainly, my husband, Mandy," the lady replied proudly. "Alleluiah!" exclaimed the cook "He suttinly am holdin' out well."—Lippincott's Magazine.

This is Awful. "What is your attitude toward the tango?" "Autagonistic, sir." Among contrary men is the chap who would refuse to take whisky if the doctor prescribed it.

NOTES From MEADOWBROOK FARM By William Pitt

Use only pure seed. Hens need much exercise. Keep the hog troughs clean. Deep, fall plowing is preferable. Abuse generally educates the cow to kick. A tree that is overloaded cannot produce good fruit. The more the study, the greater the success in dairying. Streaks in butter are usually caused by an uneven distribution of salt. In disinfecting the interior of an incubator, use a fine spray if you can. Tomatoes require a large amount of water, but this must not be overdone. When not too expensive potatoes may be fed to cows in limited quantities. Keep the cows clean and you will not have so much trouble with stringy milk. No farmer is measuring up to his privilege who does not keep a flock of poultry. Keep materials and tools in their proper places, to be accessible on short notice. Poultry cannot be successfully raised without the application of brain and muscle. The Plymouth Rock breed of chickens has long been known to be one of many good qualities. Pruning trees in the orchard is a thing which easily may be overdone by an inexperienced man. Millet is a good hay for cattle, and it should be used for that purpose; don't run any risk with horses. If you want to be really up to date sweep down the ceilings of your stables and whitewash them. Lettuce thrives best in a light, sandy loam, but when it comes to horseradish the land cannot be made too rich. There is little available data concerning the value of ground alfalfa as a feed for dairy or fattening cattle. Poultry makes good insect destroyers for orchards. Have the runs extended into the orchards when possible. A large portion of the clover failures can be attributed to a lack of knowledge and consequent inattention to details. A light surface dressing of eight to ten loads of manure per acre will increase the yield of grain next year if applied properly. One of the great troubles with the apple tree that has been built with a top around a main leader is that it usually is too high. As a breed improves in ability to lay on flesh rapidly and thicken the cuts, the refinement of features and bone always follows. The egg producing qualities of the hen, like the butter making qualities of the cow, will determine the hen's value at the end of the year. In digestible nutrients alfalfa and sweet clover are nearly on a par, but stock know a difference and will take the alfalfa every time if they can get it. Do not deceive yourself with the belief that you can successfully raise poultry without admitting plenty of sunshine to the poultry yard and the houses. Strawberries must not be uncovered too early. The mulch should remain on so as to retard growth, and thus make the bloom appear after the late spring frosts. Do not feed the chicks until they are at least 36 hours old and then let the first feed be something soft, such as hard-boiled eggs mixed with oatmeal or breadcrumbs. Be sure seed of the best possible quality is purchased for the garden. Neither the gardener nor farmer can afford to use poor seed because it is cheap. It is the most expensive in the end. Cull out the sows that produce stock that is not good size. Send to the butcher's block the sows with small litters. Get out of the herd the peevish hogs and the pigs of low vitality. Then some money will be made in handling swine. Make a careful survey of your farm. Are you using your land to the best advantage? Are you using all of it to the best advantage or have you a barn lot large enough for the handling of 25 head of cattle, ten head of horses, a dozen or so of sheep or hogs; with one team, a milch cow and a couple of pigs running in it? It has been demonstrated that over-grazed stock ranges on the national forests can be brought back to use under a system of regulated grazing faster than if they are left unused. The habit some hens have of eating the eggs as they lie in the nest is very annoying to the owner. This bad habit is usually caused by overcrowding, lack of exercise and the use of nests that are too near to the ground and too tight. The habit rarely is found among a flock that is on free range or that is given proper housing and a well balanced ration. No matter what kind of live stock you grow to secure the best results you must feed them from weaning time until they are ready for market.

Begin slow with poultry. Dairy records are essential. Call out the non-laying pullets. Be careful with the pruning knife. There is not much profit in fussing with sick fowls. Trim the trees now. Cut out the cross branches. The cow's udder should be carefully cleaned before milking. One never realizes the value of his timber until his wood lot is gone. Many horses have died from blind staggers caused by eating moldy baled hay. The farm separator is too good a step-mother for the calf to get along without. No animal is more susceptible to improvement by breeding and feeding than the pig. If we cannot get the best cows there are, let's get the best we can and then work for better. If too much rich table scraps are fed to the hens in confinement look out for soft-shelled eggs. Culling the pullets may seem a small matter to many, but it adds dollars to the year's profits. Pure-bred hogs receiving scant care quickly degenerate, and are about as worthless as the genuine scrub. Figure now to cut next winter's feed bill as much as possible by planting sufficient acreage to forage crops. Poultry on the farm, in place of being an expense is often a help in destroying insects and many kinds of seed. One-half the difference between a \$20 and a \$100 cow is often the result of the difference between a poor and good sire. Select good eggs from a healthy flock and set your incubator in a well ventilated cellar or room with an even temperature. In a market fowl the breast is the main thing, but in order to obtain a desirable breast it is necessary to have a good body first. Alfalfa alone will not produce perceptible gains on pigs, and if fed alone may be considered as a mere maintenance ration. Pig-raising will permit many systems of management and a person should work out a system best adapted to his farm and stick to it. In catering to the trade where fruit is marketed try to put yourself in the position of the buyer and then furnish the quality of fruit the trade wants. Do not plant block orchards of one variety of apples, plums or peaches; mix your varieties so as to give proper pollination to the blossoms. Don't forget this. Every farmer knows that if he turns his cows or any other cattle onto a good bluegrass pasture in the spring of the year excellent results will be obtained. Plenty of grit and oyster shells should be before the hens all of the time. Remember, the snow makes their usual supply of these necessities inaccessible in the winter. Celeriac is a form of celery in which the root, rather than the stalk is edible. The seed is sown and the crop is secured the same as celery, except that blanching is not required. Breed is all right, and no farmer can afford to ignore it, but the cow which gives the best returns from a given amount of feed is the animal to use to. "By their works ye shall know them." A sheep that is kept in a dry place sheltered from the wind will not suffer, even on the coldest nights; but if the stable is allowed to get too warm and close they are almost certain to suffer when turned out the following day. The hog enjoys clean surroundings and comfort in his buildings just as much as a hen or the horse or the cow, and the best way to get the best results is to furnish him with this kind of comfort. This doesn't necessarily mean pampering; it means just common sense care. The new pasture grass in the spring makes a new flow of milk. It can almost be noticed in one day. Silage is very similar to new grass for milk production; therefore, if you wish a strong milk flow during the winter months when there is hardly any grass, provide succulent feed and good quarters for your cows. Exercise is absolutely essential. See that the hens do not hover around in the corners of the house instead of getting out and scratching for their feed in good, clean, dry litter.

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