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VOLUME XXII

## BARTELT HEAD OF GERMAN MUTUAL

**Auburn German Mutual Fire Insurance Company Elects. Had Successful Year**

The annual meeting of the German Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of the town of Auburn was held at New Fane, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. All of the directors were re-elected.

Secretary Frank Schultz read his report which was as follows: Amount of ledger assets, \$4,343.55. Dec. 31 of previous year, \$4,343.55. Gross premiums on business and written during the year, 4,474.78. Received as interest, 109.80. From other sources, old auto, 7.00.

Total, \$8,935.13. Amount paid out, 5,287.57. Disbursements Paid for Losses, 39.00. Peter Seil, 10.00. Herman Klug, 10.00. Wm. Bartelt, 26.00. Herman Klug, 10.00. Wm. Fick, 2.00. Math Geib, 4.00. Peter Jansen, 3.00. Chas. Backhaus, 65.00. G. E. Rosenthal, 5.00. Mrs. Mary Martin, 8.00. Wm. Laue, 3.00. Christine Marth, 3.00. F. Colvin, 300.00. Aug. Buchholz, 4.00. Wm. Suemnicht, 35.00. Wm. G. Suemnicht, 400.00. Hulse Bros., 3.00. Martin Fechter, 84.00. Henry Starck, 9.00. John Etta, 15.00. Joseph Volz, 5.00. Mrs. J. P. Miller, 2,010.00. Wm. Reizer, 392.00. Mrs. Mary Schoetz, 18.00. Adolph Weinhold, 35.00. Paul Leifer, 18.00.

Total, \$1,280.00. Return premiums, 57.70. Commission, 181.50. Directors attending meetings, 52.00. Salaries, 599.80. Adjusting losses, 52.00. Printing, 21.91. Other expenses, 42.66.

Grand total, \$5,287.57. In force on the 31st day of Dec. of preceding year, 1911 pol., amt., \$3,821,929.10.

Written and renewed during the year, 711 pol., amt., \$1,634,950.00. Total, 2625 pol., amt., \$7,456,879.10. Deduct those expired and cancelled, 548 pol., \$1,197,501.00. In force at the end of the year 2077 pol. amt., \$6,259,478.10. Losses incurred during the year, 28, \$1,280.00.

Amount paid since organization, \$71,346.00. Average insurance in force per policy, \$3,046.06.

After the policy holders meeting the annual directors' meeting was held, at which all officers were re-elected.

The officers and directors are: President—August G. Bartelt. Secretary—Frank Schultz. Treasurer—August Heberer. Directors—August G. Bartelt, Frank Schultz, Aug. Heberer, G. C. Bartelt, Wm. Fick, Emil Geisner, Henry Schulz, Herman Backhaus and Henry Fick.

## THIS COUNTY PEST-ERED BY WOLVES

The frequency in which cattle have been attacked by wolves in the southern part of Washington county, and particularly in the vicinity of Lake Five, has caused farmers to organize hunting parties and if possible to exterminate this species of wild and savage carnivorous animal. Wolves have for years infested the swamps in that section of the state, and have at times entailed heavy losses to farmers' cattle. The Hartland News states that Albert Billot, manager of the telephone exchange in that place, went on a wolf hunt in the big swamp east of Merton, recently, and succeeded in getting a look at a wolf. Mr. Billot incidentally fell in line with the Lake Five hunting party composed of Math and Gus Staus and Harry Klippel, and succeeded in getting a look at a wolf. Mr. Billot incidentally fell in line with the Lake Five hunting party composed of Math and Gus Staus and Harry Klippel, and succeeded in getting a look at a wolf. Mr. Billot incidentally fell in line with the Lake Five hunting party composed of Math and Gus Staus and Harry Klippel, and succeeded in getting a look at a wolf.

## Winter Skat Tournament

The Winter Skat Tournament of the Wisconsin Skat League for the year 1917 will be held at Milwaukee, Wisconsin February 11th, 1917, at the Auditorium Main Hall. The sum of \$3,000.00 was given to the league and has been increased to \$3,200.00 with a corresponding increase in the number of prizes.

The tournament will be held in two sessions, the first session will be called at 2:45 P. M. and the second session at 7:30 P. M. and will begin at 9 o'clock A. M. for the first session and 5:30 o'clock P. M. for the second session.

The admission to both sessions of the tournament will be \$2.00 which includes membership card for the ensuing year.

The rules of the North American Skat League will govern the tournament. Players' attention is particularly called to have every solo against 5 or more matadors, every game against 5 or more matadors and every high play of 140 or more points OK'd by a skatmeister. Unless such plays are OK'd by a skatmeister, same will receive no consideration by the Prize Committee.

## KOHLVILLE

Emil Bartelt of Forest Lake is visiting with his parents here. Raymond Heffer of Nenno was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moritz visited with relatives at Allenton Monday.

John Brown and daughter of West Bend spent Sunday with relatives here.

The saloon keepers and farmers in this vicinity are busy making ice on the pond here.

Frank Rusch left for Chicago on Saturday where he will visit with relatives for a week.

Miss Loraine Marx returned to Milwaukee after visiting at her home here for a week.

A little son brightened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohl Saturday. Congratulations.

Miss Hattie Rose of Milwaukee is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rose here.

Miss Martha Schuppel of Milwaukee visited with her sister, Mrs. Fred Metzner for a few days.

The Leap Year dance held at Walter Endlich's on Saturday was well attended and enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Endlich, Viola Renk of Addison Center spent Sunday with the Walter Endlich family here.

Henry Kirchner and family, Oscar Faber and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Faber spent New Years Day with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Faber.

## Societies Elect Officers

At the regular annual meeting of the G. U. G. Germania Society, Kewaskum branch No. 59, in the Good Templars hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Chas. Groeschel; Vice president, Jacob Bruessel; Secretary and Finance Secretary, John Klessig; Treasurer, Erwin Koch; Speaker, August Kirchner; Guide, Arthur Schaefer; Inner Circle, August Buss; Trustee, John Finance Committee, Byron Rosenthal; Representatives, Gerhard Fellenz and John Klessig. Installation of officers will take place at the next regular monthly meeting on Monday, January 22.

The Modern Woodmen of the Kewaskum Camp on Tuesday evening at their regular monthly meeting in the Good Templars hall held installation of their newly elected officers. At their next monthly meeting in February, a spread will be given to all the members of the Society.

## Amusements

Sunday, Jan. 7.—Basket ball, the Riverside High School of Milwaukee and Kewaskum High School. Don't miss this game as it will be a good one.

Sunday, Jan. 21.—Grand ball at the Opera House, Kewaskum. Music by Gibson's popular Harp orchestra. Everyone is cordially invited.

## NEW OFFICIALS TAKE POSITIONS

**Incoming Fond du Lac County Officials Take Up Duties in Court House**

New officials seated themselves in the saddle of county affairs at the court house in Fond du Lac on Tuesday morning and the retiring officers turned over the reins of the keys to their successors when the closing hour for the various offices came Tuesday.

Tuesday was a busy day in all of the offices and at the jail as well, for the incoming officials were actively engaged in going over the records of the past two years with their predecessors.

Henry J. Wagner of Forest, the newly elected clerk of courts made known for the first time his choice of deputy, and E. B. Fredericks was duly instructed in the duties of that position by the retiring deputy, Ralph M. Crain. Mr. Wagner and W. F. Sealy held similar conference.

Alfred S. Wilkinson appeared once more in the county clerk's office, the duties of which are entirely familiar to him, and spent the day in going over the new accounting system with James E. Carew and Alvin Carew, the retiring clerk and deputy. Mr. Wilkinson, has named his daughter, Miss Edith Wilkinson, as deputy.

Over at the Linden street hotel, F. E. Worthing, former chairman of the county board, took over the keys from Sheriff Albert Brunkhorst, and he and his deputy, E. R. Zamow, were installed in place of Mr. Brunkhorst and Under Sheriff Detlef Pick.

In the register of deeds office and the county treasurer's office the changes were not so apparent, for Emil C. Kraemer, retiring register, will remain in the office for a short time and there is no change in the treasurer's office, Miss Julia Bernau remaining as deputy.

W. H. Candish has assumed his duties as county coroner, succeeding George Debrindt, whose term has expired. Mr. Candish has named his brother as his deputy.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

## AUBURN

Peter Schroten spent Friday at Fond du Lac.

Will Dims had a business trip to Barton Wednesday.

Otto Dickmann transacted business at Barton Tuesday.

Miss Genevieve Uelmen of Green Bay spent the past week with the J. F. Uelmen family.

Misses Viola and Rose Ferber spent Wednesday afternoon with Miss Olive Terlinden.

John Schmidt and sister Agnes of Wayne visited New Years with the Peter Terlinden family.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hausner of Campbellsport visited Tuesday with Gust Lavrenz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Koch and daughter Alice are visiting with relatives at Waukesha and Chicago.

Misses Rose Koch and Auril Dickman returned to Milwaukee Tuesday after spending their vacation at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Dickman and daughters Rose and Gertrude visited New Years with the William Martin family at Campbellsport.

Miss Meta Terlinden of Oshkosh and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kleinschay visited Monday after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Terlinden and family.

## Inactivity Causes Constipation

Lack of exercise in the winter is a frequent cause of constipation. You feel heavy, dull and listless, your complexion is sallow and pimply, and energy at low ebb. Clean up this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills, a mild laxative that relieves the congested intestines without griping. A dose before retiring will assure you a full and easy movement in the morning, 25c at your Druggist.

## Moon Eclipse Visible Sunday

A total eclipse of the moon will be visible Sunday night. The moon will be on the meridian at a high altitude just after midnight at 11:50 p. m. The dark shadow will appear on the lower left edge of the moon; at 1 o'clock Monday morning totality will start and continue until 2:30 a. m. The dark shadow will disappear from the moon at the lower right edge of its disk at 5:39 o'clock Monday morning.

## Slinger Athletic Club Wins

The Slinger A. C. defeated the Waupun five at Schleisingerville on Dec. 29, by the score of 58 to 12. The following is the lineup: Slinger: Wadewitz, I.; Preis, I.; Seehofer, C.; Roth, G.; Herbst, G.; Dushning, G.; Waupun: Halle, F.; Grover, I.; Massek, C.; Hoogy, G.; Luck, G.

This makes the fourth game that the S. A. C. have won the other scores were: Slinger 43, Kewaskum, 21; Slinger 35, Dalton 15; Slinger 26, Kingston 18.

## WEEK'S DOINGS AMONG OUR BOWLERS

BUFFETS		
Joe Eberle	177	132 155-464
E. Miller	178	164 157-499
C. Brandstatter	176	148 144-468
Joe Mayer	186	205 160-550
Total	716	649 616-1981
STATESMAN		
A. Schaefer	179	131 146-456
S. Wollensak	175	154 167-496
E. Romaine	105	177 118-400
Alex Klug	194	137 168-499
Total	653	599 599-1851
MALSTERS		
R. Rosenheimer	113	131 98-342
A. Rosenheimer	149	137 125-411
M. Rosenheimer	185	155 127-467
S. Wollensak	177	151 163-491
Total	627	574 513-1711
OVERLANDS		
J. Schaefer	111	148 179-438
M. Beishier	154	138 101-393
Al. Schaefer	190	132 147-470
Alex Klug	181	129 145-455
Total	636	547 573-1756
AVERAGE STANDING		
Buffets	9	3 750
Malsters	7	5 583
Overlands	4	8 333
Statesman	4	8 333

## BASKET BALL OPERA HOUSE KEWASKUM, WISCONSIN

**Sunday Evening, Jan. 7**

Milwaukee Riverside High vs Kewaskum High

Game Called at 8:30 p. m.

Admission 15 and 25c

The Riverside Highs have a very good team so a good game may be expected.

## Report of the Financial Condition of the BANK OF KEWASKUM

located at Kewaskum, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 27th day of December, 1916, pursuant to call by the Commissioner of Banking.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$508,930.02
Overdrafts	3,814.31
Bonds	52,812.55
Banking house	10,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	5,000.00
Due from approved reserve banks	101,255.17
Due from other banks	15,431.98
Checks on other banks and cash items	318.81
Cash on hand	9,850.50
Total	\$704,813.33
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$40,000.00
Surplus fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits	14,230.48
Individual deposits subject to check	123,151.51
Time certificates of deposit	42,983.82
Savings deposits	70,517.90
Cashier's checks outstanding	3,968.02
Total	\$704,813.33

State of Wisconsin, ss  
County of Washington,  
I, B. H. ROSENHEIMER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. H. ROSENHEIMER, Cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1917.  
(Notarial Seal) H. A. Remmel, Notary Public  
(My com. expires Feb. 1, 1920)

Correct Attest:  
A. L. Rosenheimer, Director  
Otto E. Lay

## Sloan's Liniment For Stiff Joints

Rheumatic pains and aches get into the joints and muscles, making every movement torture. Relieve your suffering with Sloan's Liniment; it quickly penetrates without rubbing, and soothes and warms your sore muscles. The congested blood is stimulated to action; a single application will drive out the pain. Sloan's Liniment is clean, convenient and quickly effective; it does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Get a bottle today at your Druggist, 25c.

## CELEBRATE THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

**Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch, Well Known Fond du Lac County Residents Entertained**

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch observed the golden wedding anniversary Sunday, December 31, at their home, 51 Eighth street, Fond du Lac. The affair was in the nature of a family reunion, only the children and grand children of the couple being present.

The house was beautifully decorated in keeping with the occasion, the color scheme being gold and white. The couple received many beautiful gifts in gold. At high noon a four course dinner was served, the center piece for the table was a beautiful bouquet of yellow and white roses. Those who assisted in serving were the Misses Viola Lynch, Mayme Clark and Alma Gross.

James Lynch was born at Racine Wis., and came with his parents to Eden, Fond du Lac county, when a small boy. Mrs. Lynch, whose maiden name was Mary Elizabeth Frummond, was born in New Haven, Conn.

The couple was united in marriage December 31, 1868 at St. James Catholic church in the town of Byron, by the Rev. Father Smith. Following their marriage they lived on the old homestead of Mr. Lynch's father, in the town of Eden, eight miles from Fond du Lac, until October 10, 1907, when they moved to Fond du Lac, where they have since resided.

Eleven children were born to them, eight of whom are living. They are Mrs. James Clark, Loma, Wis.; Andrew J. of Antioch, Ill.; Thomas James of Kolze, Ill.; Wm. Henry of the same place; John Braun of Eden, Mrs. George Maney of Fond du Lac; and Miss Margaret and John at home. There are seventeen grand children. Mr. Lynch has attained the ripe old age of 78 years and Mrs. Lynch is 68 years old.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

## New County Workhouse

Milwaukee county criminals on Monday will occupy new quarters in the luxurious establishment built at Granville at a cost of \$700,000 and said by officials to be one of the largest, finest, most comfortable county workhouses in the country. The builders, of which there are twelve, have been under course of construction for the last two years. They have a capacity for 650 prisoners. Each inmate has a separate cell, while those who sleep in the dormitories will have plenty of room and a number of cubic feet of air to breathe. The inmates will have luxuries denied many persons even in moderate circumstances. Each will contain a toilet and wash basin, while shower baths will be installed along the cell corridors.

So as not to fatigue prisoners, the chair factory has been located in such a manner that they will not have to walk a great distance. The factory will turn out thousands of chairs of all kinds each year. It was built at a cost of \$100,000.—Hartford Times.

## High School Notes

The Seniors have started to select their class play.

The Misses Salome Tiss and Germaine Paas were pleasant visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Santa Claus certainly was good to most of the pupils as they are flashing something new continually.

After a week's vacation school was again reopened Jan. 2. Quite a few of the pupils were absent the first day.

On Sunday, January 7, our high school boys will challenge the Riverside A. C.'s on the local floor. A good game is expected so everybody try and help cheer the boys to victory.

## PAINFUL COUGHS RELIEVED

Dr. King's New Discovery is a soothing, healing remedy for coughs and colds that has stood the test of nearly fifty years. For that cough that strains the throat and saps the vitality try Dr. King's New Discovery. The soothing pine balsams and mild laxative ingredients soon drive the cold from the system. Have a bottle on hand for winter colds, croup, grippe and bronchial affections. At your Druggist, 50c.

## Opened The New Post Office at Campbellsport Monday

Work of installing the new post office fixtures at the Odd Fellows' building is practically completed, and according to Postmaster T. N. Curran, patrons of the local office will be handed their mail at the new office on New Year's day. Delivery windows will be open from 7 until nine o'clock in the forenoon and from five until six o'clock in the afternoon. The lobby will be open until noon.—Campbellsport News.

Headaches, constipation, drive away appetite and make you weak and sick Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea helps restore the appetite, invigorates, builds up the system.—Edw. C. Miller.

## STATE FAIR ON WHEELS TO TOUR WISCONSIN

The unprecedented interest shown in the "Wisconsin Products Special Train" operating over the lines of the Chicago & North Western in Iowa and Illinois, this being practically a "State Fair on Wheels" and demonstrating fully illustrated lectures the agricultural products which can be grown in upper Wisconsin has prompted that railway company to extend the tour of the train for three weeks to cover at least 15 cities and towns in Southern Wisconsin.

Accompanying the train are lecturers from the faculty of the University of Wisconsin, the State Director of Immigration, and also industrial and Dairying representatives of the Railway.

Illustrated addresses are given to show what inducements the state has to offer settlers and in two of the cars are extensive crop and soil exhibits.

## Library Notes

What The Library is For.

The library wants to furnish good books to every man, woman and child in this town. Among the 850 volumes in the library are books for the businessman, the mother and the child, books for the laborer, the farmer and the tradesman, books to amuse and books to inspire, books of laughter and books of tears, in fact books of almost any subject may be had for the asking. Let the library be your information bureau.

"The Call of the Wild" and "The Cruise of the Dazzle" books by Jack London may be drawn at the library. Jack London, the sailor journalist, lecturer, war correspondent and author died November 23.

"Cabbages and Kings" by O. Henry is of interest to know that most of O. Henry's materials for his books was collected from prisoners while himself a prisoner. Henry was one time teller in a bank, this bank was run in a very unbusinesslike manner, his predecessor having been driven to retirement and his successor to attempted suicide. Threatened with prosecution for embezzlement he made the mistake and ran away to South America, largely on account of his flight he was convicted, a victim of circumstances.

## VALLEY VIEW

Harold Johnson spent Sunday with friends in North Ashford. Isadore Flood of Fair View was a pleasant caller here Sunday.

Wm. Baumhardt of West Eden spent Sunday as a guest of friends here.

Ransom Tuttle of Auburn called on relatives in this vicinity recently.

Lee Lawrig was a guest at the home of Miss Daisy Furlong in Auburn.

Lee Norton and sister Ethel spent Tuesday evening at G. H. Johnson's.

Misses Marie Koehne and Leona Pagel were callers at Wm. Brietzke's Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pagel and daughter Leona spent Monday at Anton Koehne's.

Several from this vicinity attended the New Years dance at Eden Monday night.

Misses Blanche Murray and Minnie Clifford were Campbellsport visitors Saturday.

Sister Delores of Denver is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Frances Murray here this week.

Leo Schommer who attended school at Milwaukee spent Sunday and Monday at his home here.

A few from here attended the dance at the New Opera House at Campbellsport Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mullen of North Ashford spent Monday evening at the Geo. Johnson home.

Joseph Calhoun of River Valley was a pleasant caller at the home of Miss Blanche Murray Sunday.

Albert Seefeld of River Side spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seefeld.

## Course of Cures

"My wife has been sick with tuberculosis for two years and we have spent a large sum of money for doctoring and medicine, taking eighteen different kinds, all of which have done her no good."

The above abstract from a letter of one of our correspondents would seem to be pretty near enough experience to show the faith of the family in the ability of drugs, to effect a cure of tuberculosis.

However, it is a safe bet that our advice to get the wife under treatment at one of the Wisconsin tuberculosis sanatoria will not be followed. This is likely as it is not possible to hold out any honestly positive assurance, that the sanatorium will accomplish, at this late date, what the drugs failed to do. Tuberculosis can effect a lot of destruction in two years and the likelihood is that the disease existed a long time before it was recognized. The more one knows of tuberculosis, however the less willing is he to ever say that there is no chance of recovery.

Nobody recognizes the limitations of "doctoring and medicine" more than do intelligent doctors. The failure to secure the desired cure may not be the fault primarily of either the doctor or the drugs. It is likely that most of the medicines in this case were taken on the recommendation of somebody who knew no more about intelligent prescribing than a chicken does about making an omelette. To accomplish cures, remedies and prescriptions need to have more made to order judgment than drugs put into them.

We recommended the sanatorium in the above instance because, it seems most likely, the patient would find the most skillful and experienced workmen in handling the materials that enter into cures of the disease. But the most competent doctors cannot create life, nor can they restore it to a body from which it has almost entirely fled.

## Makes Two For Federal Jobs

Felix Roessler has been recommended as postmaster at Hustisford and Theodore Roening at Schleisingerville, both of which offices have come into the presidential class since Oct. 1, it was announced by Congressman M. E. Burke of the Second district.



HISTORY OF 1916  
TOLD IN BRIEF

Most Important Events of the  
Last Year Set Forth.

PROGRESS OF EUROPEAN WAR

Chief Developments in the Mighty  
Conflict of Nations—Political and  
Other Happenings in the  
United States.

COMPILED BY E. W. PICKARD.

EUROPEAN WAR

Jan. 1.—News received of torpedoing of F. & O. liner Persia in Mediterranean; about 250 lost. (McGraw-Hill, N. Y., U. S. consular at Aden.)  
Jan. 4.—British conscription bill passed first reading and three cabinet members resigned.  
Jan. 5.—Italian steamer carrying Montenegro recruits from U. S. sunk by mine in the Atlantic; 200 lost.  
Jan. 7.—Germany promised U. S. its submarines would observe rules of civilized warfare.  
Jan. 8.—British battleship Edward VII sunk by mine in the Atlantic.  
Jan. 11.—Austrians captured Lovcen, dominating Croatia.  
Jan. 12.—Austrian cruiser sunk by French submarine.  
Jan. 14.—Many documents connecting Von Patten with alleged plots in U. S. taken from him by British, turned over to American embassy.  
Jan. 15.—Russians renewed general attack on Austrian front.  
Jan. 16.—Austrians captured and pursued Montenegro toward Albania.  
Jan. 17.—Austrian hydroplane and torpedo boat sank British submarine in Adriatic.  
Jan. 18.—Austria issued ultimatum to Montenegro to surrender.  
Jan. 21.—Sutari occupied by Austrians.  
Jan. 21.—Twenty-four killed in Zeppelin raid on Paris.  
Jan. 22.—Another Zeppelin raid made on Paris.  
Jan. 23.—Several Zeppelins made raid over Midland and northeast counties of England, and northeast coast of France.  
Jan. 24.—British liner Appam, in charge of prize crew from German commerce raider, was sunk by British submarine.  
Jan. 25.—German U-boat sunk British liner, captured crew.  
Jan. 26.—Zeppelin raid on London.  
Jan. 27.—Austrians captured Verdun.  
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FOREIGN

Feb. 1.—Yussuf Izzeddin, crown prince of Turkey, committed suicide.  
Feb. 2.—Official mandate announced abandonment of Chinese monarchy and restoration of republic.  
Feb. 3.—British warships in the Mediterranean.  
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MEXICO

Jan. 1.—Nineteen foreigners, nearly all Americans, were murdered by Mexican bandits near Chihuahua.  
Jan. 2.—Lansing demanded that Carranza punish slayers of Americans.  
Jan. 3.—Carranza refused to punish slayers of Americans.  
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DISASTERS

Jan. 2.—Explosion on oil tanker Aztec at New York killed ten.  
Jan. 3.—Steamer Kanawha sank in Ohio.  
Jan. 4.—Du Pont powder mills at Carney's Point, N. J., blown up; six killed.  
Jan. 5.—Submarine blown up at New York navy yard; four killed.  
Jan. 6.—Fire did \$100,000 damage in Bergen, N. J., and \$500,000 damage in Lisbon.  
Jan. 7.—Fire destroyed most of Wirt, Okla.  
Jan. 8.—Fire at Molde, Norway, did \$1,000,000 damage.  
Jan. 9.—Great Northern train wrecked by avalanche near Corea, Wash.; six dead.  
Jan. 10.—Otay valley dam near San Diego, Cal., broke; 50 dead.  
Jan. 11.—Japanese liner Daini sunk in collision; 100 lives lost.  
Jan. 12.—Canadian parliament building at Ottawa destroyed by fire; seven times lost.  
Jan. 13.—Three British steamships, many lighters and a pier burned at Brooklyn; \$1,000,000.  
Jan. 14.—Holland suffered from great storm and floods.  
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Jan. 16.—Fifteen men killed by explosion in mine near New York.  
Jan. 17.—Spanish steamer Principe de Asturias hit rock and sank off Brazil; 390 dead.  
Jan. 18.—Fifteen million dollar fire at Memphis, Tenn., and \$2,000,000 at Augusta, Ga.  
Jan. 19.—Twenty-six killed and many injured in collision on New York Central line near Cleveland.  
Jan. 20.—Six killed, 40 injured in wreck of New York liner at Bradford, Pa.  
Jan. 21.—Tornadoes killed 75 in Missouri and killed 17 in Illinois.  
Jan. 22.—More than 1000 lost in collision between Chinese cruiser and transport.  
Jan. 23.—Steamer Kirby sank in Lake Superior.  
Jan. 24.—Explosion in Du Pont powder plant at Ghent, N. J., killed 13.  
Jan. 25.—Fourteen killed in train wreck at Packard, Pa.  
Jan. 26.—Waterfront fire at San Francisco did \$2,000,000 damage.  
Jan. 27.—Tornadoes killed 57 in Arkansas and 49 in other middle Western states.  
Jan. 28.—Four killed in two-million-dollar fire at Baltimore.  
Jan. 29.—Eleven killed, 376 hurt in Fourth of July explosion at San Francisco harbor.  
Jan. 30.—U. S. navy cutter Hector sunk in storm off Charleston, S. C.  
Jan. 31.—Fourteen men lost in collision in San Francisco harbor.  
Jan. 32.—Twenty-two men killed by gas explosion in West Virginia tunnel.  
Jan. 33.—Cloudburst in West Virginia resulted in nearly 100 deaths.  
Jan. 34.—U. S. S. armored cruiser Memphis wrecked in Santo Domingo harbor; 41 dead.  
Jan. 35.—Central span of great bridge over St. Lawrence at Quebec fell; 7 killed.  
Jan. 36.—Great dam near Hannwald, Bohemia, burst; 300 dead.  
Jan. 37.—Nineteen killed in burning of hospital at St. Petersburg, Russia.  
Jan. 38.—Steamer Confemaria and Revereer sunk by collision in Irish sea; 92 dead.  
Jan. 39.—Fifty lives lost when Boston L. Cox plunged off bridge.  
Jan. 40.—Explosion at Batarizka, Russia, killed 24.  
Jan. 41.—Sixty-six persons killed in train collision at St. Paul, Minn.  
Jan. 42.—Thousand killed by explosion in Russian ammunition factory.  
Jan. 43.—Steamer George W. Peck destroyed by explosion in Chesapeake Bay.  
Jan. 44.—Canadian torpedo boat Grise foundered; 45 lost.

NECROLOGY

Jan. 2.—Associate Justice J. R. Lamar, U. S. Supreme court, at Washington.  
Jan. 3.—John D. Rockefeller, oil magnate and railroad builder, at Council Bluffs, Iowa.  
Jan. 4.—Van Horn, founder of the Kansas City Journal at Kansas City.  
Jan. 5.—Matthew W. Pinerton, at Chicago.  
Jan. 6.—Charles W. Knapp, veteran newspaper man, at New York.  
Jan. 7.—R. W. Richard Seawell, Catholic bishop of Omaha.  
Jan. 8.—Ada Behan, actress, at New York.  
Jan. 9.—Antonio Garcia, former professional president of Mexico, at El Paso.  
Jan. 10.—Hon. Arthur Morley, former British minister to the United States, at London.  
Jan. 11.—Jeanette L. Gilder, author and editor, at New York.  
Jan. 12.—Samuel S. Chamberlain, publisher of Boston American.  
Jan. 13.—John W. Markham, famous explorer, at London.  
Jan. 14.—Col. W. P. Hepburn, former commander of the 10th Cavalry, at Chicago.  
Jan. 15.—J. T. Rowledge, author, at Arlington, Mass.  
Jan. 16.—Henry B. Favill, of Chicago, prominent physician and publisher.  
Jan. 17.—Admiral von Pohl, at Berlin.  
Jan. 18.—Henry James, author, at London.  
Jan. 19.—Queen Mother Elizabeth of Romania, at Paris.  
Jan. 20.—Brig. Gen. W. S. Smith, at Medford, Ore.  
Jan. 21.—Rear Admiral Asa Walker, U. S. N., retired, at Annapolis.  
Jan. 22.—Henry Gasaway Davis, former U. S. senator, at Washington.  
Jan. 23.—Clarence R. Ketchum, U. S. senator, at Washington.  
Jan. 24.—Caroline G. F. Smith, at Chicago.  
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DOMESTIC

Jan. 1.—Prohibition in effect in Iowa, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Arkansas and South Carolina.  
Jan. 2.—New York law forbidding former directors acquitted of violating Sherman law; jury disagreed as to five.  
Jan. 3.—Admiral Rear Admiral George W. Meade installed archbishop of Chicago.  
Jan. 4.—Immense preparedness parade in New York.  
Jan. 5.—Forty thousand in Boston preparedness parade.  
Jan. 6.—E. C. Cowles, California, elected president General Federation of Women's clubs.  
Jan. 7.—Rockefeller preparedness parade in Chicago.  
Jan. 8.—Rockefeller education board gave \$75,000 to colleges.  
Jan. 9.—New York-Chicago express on Michigan Central held up and robbed near Detroit.  
Jan. 10.—Rockefeller boards appropriated \$2,000,000 for great medical and surgical institution in Chicago.  
Jan. 11.—Wireless service between U. S. and Japan opened.  
Jan. 12.—Ruth Law broke American non-stop airplane record, Chicago to Hornell, N. Y.  
Jan. 13.—Freight embargo put on shipments from middle west to Atlantic seaboard.  
Jan. 14.—American Association for the Advancement of Science met in New York.  
Jan. 15.—Congress assembled.  
Jan. 16.—Congressional committee called convention for June 7 in Chicago.  
Jan. 17.—National Prohibition convention called for July 9 in St. Paul.  
Jan. 18.—President Wilson nominated Louis D. Brandeis for Supreme court.  
Jan. 19.—House passed antichill labor bill.  
Jan. 20.—Senate passed bill for independence of Philippines in 2 to 4 years.  
Jan. 21.—Senate passed house resolution making available \$500,000 for re-equipping Mare Island and New York navy yards and house bill increasing by 300 the entrance class at naval academy.  
Jan. 22.—Secretary of War Garrison and Assistant Secretary Beckwith resigned.  
Jan. 23.—O. T. Marry, ambassador to Norway, resigned to Chile.  
Jan. 24.—Senate ratified Nicaraguan canal route treaty.  
Jan. 25.—House passed bill for reorganization bill.  
Jan. 26.—House passed immigration bill with Henry test clause.  
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INDUSTRIAL

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Jan. 9.—General strike of switchmen on Chicago railroad.  
Jan. 10.—Wage increases of \$3,000,000 annually granted in soft-coal fields.  
Jan. 11.—Striking employees of Westinghouse Co. voted to accept Pittsburgh, Pa., by masked woman.  
Jan. 12.—Fatal strike riots at Carnegie Steel Co. in East Pittsburgh.  
Jan. 13.—Chicago Garment Workers started big strike.  
Jan. 14.—Chicago express drivers went on strike.  
Jan. 15.—Train service brotherhoods voted overwhelmingly for a strike.  
Jan. 16.—Strike stoppage all surface car traffic in boroughs of Manhattan, the Bronx and Richmond, New York.  
Jan. 17.—New York street car strike ended.  
Jan. 18.—Federal board's mediation in three railroad strikes failed.  
Jan. 19.—President Wilson conferred with rail heads and union men.  
Jan. 20.—Freddie Welsh defeated Frank Moran at New York.  
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SPORTING

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Milwaukee, Jan. 3, 1917.  
Butter—Creamery, extra, 39c; prints, 40c; firsts, 27c; seconds, 24c; process, 32c; dairy, fancy, 36c.  
Cheese—American, full cream, full made twins, 23c; dairies, 23c; Young Americas, 23c; longhorns, 23c; limburger, fancy, 2 lbs., 23c; 24c.  
Eggs—Current receipts, fresh as to quality, 33c; dirties, 26c; checks and cracks, 24c.  
Live Poultry—Fowls, general run, 15c; roosters, old, 11c; fancy springers, 17c.  
Wheat—No. 1 northern, 1.85; No. 2 northern, 1.80; No. 3 northern, 1.35; No. 2 hard, 1.84; No. 1 hard, 1.86.  
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 92c; No. 3 white, 53c; No. 4 white, 53c; No. 4 yellow, 53c.  
Barley—No. 3, 1.20; No. 4, 1.12; No. 5, 1.15.  
Rye—No. 2, 1.41; No. 1.42.  
Hay—Choice timothy, 16.00; No. 1 timothy, 15.00; No. 2 timothy, 13.00; No. 3 timothy, 12.00; No. 4 timothy, 11.00; No. 5 timothy, 10.00; No. 6 timothy, 9.00; No. 7 timothy, 8.00; No. 8 timothy, 7.00; No. 9 timothy, 6.00; No. 10 timothy, 5.00; No. 11 timothy, 4.00; No. 12 timothy, 3.00; No. 13 timothy, 2.00; No. 14 timothy, 1.00; No. 15 timothy, .50; No. 16 timothy, .25; No. 17 timothy, .10; No. 18 timothy, .05; No. 19 timothy, .02; No. 20 timothy, .01.  
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Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1.88; No. 1 northern, 1.85; No. 2 hard, 1.84; No. 2 northern, 1.80; No. 3 hard, 1.80; No. 3 northern, 1.75; No. 4 hard, 1.75; No. 4 northern, 1.70; No. 5 hard, 1.70; No. 5 northern, 1.65; No. 6 hard, 1.65; No. 6 northern, 1.60; No. 7 hard, 1.60; No. 7 northern, 1.55; No. 8 hard, 1.55; No. 8 northern, 1.50; No. 9 hard, 1.50; No. 9 northern, 1.45; No. 10 hard, 1.45; No. 10 northern, 1.40; No. 11 hard, 1.40; No. 11 northern, 1.35; No. 12 hard, 1.35; No. 12 northern, 1.30; No. 13 hard, 1.30; No. 13 northern, 1.25; No. 14 hard, 1.25; No. 14 northern, 1.20; No. 15 hard, 1.20; No. 15 northern, 1.15; No. 16 hard, 1.15; No. 16 northern, 1.10; No. 17 hard, 1.10; No. 17 northern, 1.05; No. 18 hard, 1.05; No. 18 northern, 1.00; No. 19 hard, 1.00; No. 19 northern, .95; No. 20 hard, .95; No. 20 northern, .90.  
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 89c; No. 3 white, 89c; No. 4 yellow, 89c; No. 4 white, 89c; No. 5 yellow, 89c; No. 5 white, 89c; No. 6 yellow, 89c; No. 6 white, 89c; No. 7 yellow, 89c; No. 7 white, 89c; No. 8 yellow, 89c; No. 8 white, 89c; No. 9 yellow, 89c; No. 9 white, 89c; No. 10 yellow, 89c; No. 10 white, 89c; No. 11 yellow, 89c; No. 11 white, 89c; No. 12 yellow, 89c; No. 12 white, 89c; No. 13 yellow, 89c; No. 13 white, 89c; No. 14 yellow, 89c; No. 14 white, 89c; No. 15 yellow, 89c; No. 15 white, 89c; No. 16 yellow, 89c; No. 16 white, 89c; No. 17 yellow, 89c; No. 17 white, 89c; No. 18 yellow, 89c; No. 18 white, 89c; No. 19 yellow, 89c; No. 19 white, 89c; No. 20 yellow, 89c; No. 20 white, 89c.  
Rye—1.35; No. 2, 1.36.  
Flax—2.54; No. 2, 2.88.  
Grain, Provisions, Etc.  
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Advertisement for Old Time Coffee, featuring a roasting machine and text: '30 Cents per Pound More of it sold in Wisconsin than any other one brand.'

Various devices for economizing fuel have been brought to notice in Holland since the war caused a difficulty in procuring coal. It has been found that 20 to 25 per cent of combustible material remains in furnace refuse and a device has been constructed which preserves a large part of it.

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If you care for heavy hair that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life, has an inconceivable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff.

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Why That Lame Back? Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day back-ache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble.

A Michigan Case. Michael Rupp, 122 Walnut St., N. Lansing, Mich., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago for weak kidneys."

Marathon City Pastor Is Dead. Manitowoc—The Rev. John Kohnler, former pastor of St. James church in Cooperstown, died at Marathon City, messages to former parishioners here announce.

Boschee's German Syrup. The universal remedy for colds or bronchitis. Stands pre-eminent today after more than half a century of successful treatment of the many disorders arising from exposure.

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BADGER STATE NEWS

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

THREE MEET VIOLENT DEATH. Two Chippewa Falls Residents Are Fatally Burned, and a Third Dies of Injuries Received in Run-away Accident.

Engineer Is Killed in Wreck. Stevens Point—A special south-bound freight hit a switch engine in the Soo yards here and Engineer Henry Patiz, was scalded and crushed to death.

Wants \$10,000 for Son's Death. Green Bay—John Sweeney, chief of the fire department, has been made defendant in an action instituted by Bert J. Baradwell in an attempt to recover \$10,000 for the death of his son, Lloyd H. Baradwell, who collided with the chief's motor car June 13, 1916, and died of injuries received on June 25.

Calf Has Five Legs. Oconto—A cow belonging to Joseph Belanger in the town of Morgan, gave birth to a calf with five legs. The fifth leg grows out of the right shoulder and extends over the back and down the left side.

Change of Teachers. Stevens Point—C. C. Hayward, who recently resigned as director of the continuation school here, has gone to Milwaukee to take a position as head of the classification department of the Central Continuation school. Guy Ehart of Grand Rapids succeeds him here.

Milk Receiving Station Planned. Green Bay—Chicagoans are planning on establishing a milk receiving station midway between Green Bay and Depere. The milk will be shipped to companies in Milwaukee and Chicago and later, it is stated, a cheese and butter factory will be erected.

Will Hold Community Institute. Stevens Point—The Stevens Point Normal school will conduct another community institute here Jan. 16-19, inclusive. The leading speaker will be Miss Mabel Carney, inspector of training schools for the state of Minnesota.

Father of Seventeen Held for Theft. Manitowoc—Joseph Tadych, father of seventeen children, for the second time within a month must face prosecution for alleged stealing of coal from freight cars.

Aged War Veteran Dies. Menominee Falls—John Watson, war veteran who died here was a member of Co. F in the Twenty-eighth Wisconsin. Mr. Watson was 88 years old.

Church to Publish Magazine. Stevens Point—A monthly magazine is to be published by St. Paul's M. E. church, the Rev. G. M. Calhoun, pastor. The first number will be issued shortly.

No Raise in Milk Price. Green Bay—Following an announcement that the price of milk would be raised here from 8 to 9 cents a quart, distributors stated the price would remain at the first figure.

Diphtheria Claims Eight. Stevens Point—The eighth death from diphtheria here in the last few weeks has been recorded. There have been twenty-one cases in and near the city.

Income Tax Amounts to \$2,300. Oshkosh—The largest income tax charged to any local resident was paid by George A. Gilkey, wealthy retired lumberman of this city. He turned over the sum of \$2,300 to the city treasurer.

Clothing Thieves Arrested. Janesville—Joseph M. Connors, manager of a local clothing store, arrested two clothing thieves cowering in a corner with a hatchet until the police arrived.

Loneliness Cause of Suicide. Racine—Charles McCredon, a resident of Union Grove, 70 years old, shot and killed himself with a shot gun at his home. He accomplished his purpose by tying one end of the string to the trigger of the weapon and the other end to one of his toes. After placing the muzzle against his breast he fired, the shot piercing his heart. It is said his reason was loneliness caused by the death of his wife three years ago.

Two Are Sentenced. Green Bay—Raymond Ashley, 19 years old, was sentenced to serve five years in the state reformatory, after having been found guilty by a jury of "assault with criminal intent" upon Mrs. Mae Forstner. Louis May was found guilty on a charge of burglary, and was sentenced to serve one year in state's prison. May was charged with having stolen eleven chickens from a neighbor's premises.

Capt. Janda Assured Promotion. Green Bay—The nomination of Captain Joseph F. Janda for promotion to major in the United States army is assured friends of the captain in Kewaunee county. Capt. Janda was formerly a resident of Kewaunee, but has been serving in Hawaii during the last few years. He was the first Kewaunee boy to graduate from West Point.

May Change Auto Tax Law. Madison—Indications are that the automobile tax will occupy considerable time of the legislature this winter. The tax commission, in its report just issued, recommends that the personal property tax on motor vehicles be abolished and instead a license fee imposed based on weight or horsepower.

Flour Direct to Consumers. Oconto—The price of flour it is expected will take a drop when the plan of the Reed & Mann Co., local flour and grain merchants, is inaugurated here. This concern will sell direct to the consumer at the same price paid by the retail merchants. Other food-stuffs will be sold with a proportionate reduction in price, it is said.

Two Aged Businessmen Die. Black River Falls—Knut Hanson, 87 years old, a wealthy business man of this place, died at his home here. Mr. Hanson has been in the dry goods business here for about forty-five years. Death was due to paralysis. Elias Indero, 82 years old, died at his home near here. Pneumonia and old age caused his death.

Many Expected at Conference. Superior—The annual conference of Rotary clubs in the Wisconsin-Minnesota district has been formally voted to Superior by the ten organizations of the two states. Over 200 delegates, many from Milwaukee, are expected for the sessions scheduled to start Jan. 22.

Leaves Money to Mission Board. Oshkosh—Approximately \$8,000, nearly the entire estate of Ira Hardy, an aged widower and former railroad man, was left by him to the foreign mission board of the Methodist Episcopal church. The settlement of his estate in probate court reveals this fact.

Steamers Are Being Rebuilt. Manitowoc—Work of reconstructing the steamers George W. Peavey and Frank H. Peavey of the Reiss fleet is under way here. The work will consist of widening hatches, arched the boats and putting in side tanks. All the Reiss boats are laid up here for the winter.

Pay Tribute to Newspaper Man. Racine—Several societies paid tribute to Henry Sanford, a pioneer newspaper man, whose body was brought here from Weiser, Idaho, when the funeral was held at St. Luke's church. Warden Talbot Rogers of Racine college and the Rev. Penfold conducted the services.

Two Babies Born Christmas. Stevens Point—Two Christmas babies were born here. They are the daughters of Ed Lutz of this city and Raymond Brayback of Milladore, whose wife was visiting here. The former was given a \$30 carriage offered by F. E. Rosenow to Christmas babies.

Quits Railroad for Grocery. Manitowoc—Robert Lueth clerk in the offices of the North-Western Railroad company here has resigned to become associated with a wholesale grocery concern. Mr. Lueth was employed by the railroad for twenty-seven years.

Eight Silver Cups as Prizes. Marinette—There will be eight silver cups to compete for at the annual grain show of the Marinette County Experimental association, to be held at the Stephenson Training school Saturday, Jan. 13.

River Falls Veteran Dies. River Falls—W. M. Williams, a veteran of the civil war, died at the local hospital here, aged 76 years.

Admit 119 in One Year. Beloit—Beloit lodge, No. 50, Knights of Pythias, set a new state record by the admission of 119 members in the last twelve months. The previous high record in Wisconsin was made by Garfield lodge of Milwaukee several years ago, when it admitted 107 members in a year.

TO PUSH WORK AT NEW INSTITUTION

State Board of Control Urges Hastening of Opening.

EPILEPSY IS ON INCREASE

New Buildings Which Will Provide More Accommodations for Feeble-Minded Badly Needed, Officials Declare.

Madison—That work on the institution for the feeble-minded at Union Grove should be rushed so that the institution can be opened at an early date is the opinion expressed by the state board of control in a statement just issued.

"It is important that this institution be opened for the admission of inmates at an early date," says the statement, "for the reason that there are a large number of persons who have been committed to the Wisconsin home for the feeble-minded, who cannot be received on account of lack of room. The new buildings now under construction will have a capacity of 108 inmates and will to some extent relieve the pressing demand for admission of feeble-minded persons."

"It is wisdom upon the part of the state to make provision for the care of feeble-minded persons because that is the only way that the increase of this class can be prevented, and it is economy to use every endeavor to make every provision to minimize the production of this class, which will always be a public burden. The number of persons afflicted with epilepsy is rapidly increasing and extensive provisions for their treatment and care are contemplated in the new home for feeble-minded and epileptics. It is likely that the new buildings will be ready for occupancy in the spring of 1917. It is desirable that the legislature make liberal biennial appropriations for increasing the capacity of this institution until it is completed."

State's Wards Gain in Number. An increase of 505 in the population of the Wisconsin state institutions is shown in the report of the state board of control made to Governor Philipp for the biennium ending June 30, 1916, the largest increase being in the state prison, 178 for the two years. Following is the table showing the comparative increases:

Table with columns: June 30, 1914, June 30, 1915, Increase. Rows include: State hospital for insane, Northern hospital, School for deaf, School for blind, Industrial school, boys, State prison, State public school, Home for feeble-minded, State reformatory, Wales sanatorium, Criminal insane, Tomahawk camp, Totals.

Would Aid Divorced Mothers. Aid should be provided for the dependent children of a worthy mother even though she be divorced from her husband, according to a recommendation made in the biennial report of the board of control. In practically all cases where the mother has been divorced and the custody of the children given to her, she is a worthy person to have charge of them.

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Guard Vote Cost \$643.59. It cost the state of Wisconsin about \$27 apiece to obtain the vote of the militiamen on the border, according to an estimate by the secretary of state's office. The cost of printing was \$307.41, and the expenses of the messengers who went to San Antonio to oversee the casting of the ballots brought the total up to \$643.59.

This is a comparatively small cost, as in one of the eastern states the cost of obtaining the militia vote was \$80 apiece. There were 2,500 voters at San Antonio and 2,300 voters cast. The detailed cost is as follows:

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631,456 in State's Schools. There were 101,456 children between the ages of four and twenty attending the public schools of the state on June 1, 1916, according to the report of the state superintendent of public instruction. The report goes on to recommend a number of changes in the school laws. Among these changes are the following:

- Establishment of a department to see that the new schoolhouses of the state are properly constructed.
More pay for county superintendents.
Modern system of teachers' institutes.
State Superintendent Cary suggests that adequate provision be made for the exceptional child—both the gifted and the defective. He urges that more attention be centered on the grade school child. He says the high schools of the state develop at the expense of the graded schools. No teachers should teach more than 55 pupils, he declares.
There are 100 teachers in the state who get less than \$40 a month. There are 693 who receive \$100 or more. Close to 6,000 received between \$40 and \$49; 3,678 get between \$50 and \$59; 1,903 get \$60 to \$69; 916 get \$70 to \$79; 539 get between \$80 and \$89, and 375 between \$90 and \$99.

Rules on Liquor Sales. The having in possession liquor in a dry territory cannot be prosecuted under the statutes unless it can be shown to be the result of direct solicitation on the part of the liquor dealer in another town, according to an opinion given by Assistant Attorney J. E. Messerschmidt to L. M. Head, district attorney of Washburn county. "There is no statute in Wisconsin prohibiting the importing of intoxicating liquors into dry territory nor is there a statute prohibiting having in possession such liquor. There is, however, a provision in Section 1505 which, if violated, may be the means of prosecuting some of the parties who are importing intoxicating liquors."

This section provides that if the party having the liquor sends a direct written order to the shipper, it is a sale in the latter's territory and therefore not illegal. If, however, the sale was made by means of the shipper's agents calling on the party or by written solicitation, it is a sale in dry territory and the district attorney can prosecute.

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THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Weak and unhealthy kidneys cause so much sickness and suffering and when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results may be expected.

Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys should have attention first because their work is most important.

If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run down condition commence taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy because it proves to be the remedy you need and your kidneys begin to improve. It will help all the other organs to health.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease. Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalence of kidney disease. While kidney ailments are among the most common diseases that afflict, they are almost the least recognized by patients, who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease constantly undermines the system.

SPECIAL NOTE—You may obtain a simple, little bottle of Swamp-Root by enclosing ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. This gives you the opportunity to prove the remarkable merit of this medicine. They will also send you a book of valuable information, containing many of the thousands of grateful letters received from men and women who say they found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy needed in kidney, liver and bladder troubles. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that our readers are advised to send for a simple size bottle. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

Talented Person. "As we grow older our ideas of amusement undergo a radical change," remarked the philosophic man. "Unquestionably." "For instance, when I was a small boy I was chiefly interested in the exhibits which composed a 'Congress of Wonders,' but now the amazing variability of the speller fascinates me far more than any feature of the show."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

OF INTEREST TO MOTHERS. The cost of food today is a serious matter to all of you. To cut down your food bills and at the same time improve the health of your family, serve them Skinner's Macaroni and Spaghetti two or three times per week. Children love it and thrive on it. It is the best possible food for adults. Write the Skinner Mfg. Co., Omaha, Neb., for beautiful cook book telling how to serve it in a hundred ways. It's free to every mother.—Adv.

INTERESTING CITY OF CHINA. Urga, in the North, Chiefly Celebrated for the Number of Its Picturesque "Holy Men."

One of the least-known cities of China is Urga, where sand, squalor and holy men are the predominant features. Yet the place is not without interest. Urga lies at the edge of a desert in North China, and its people are most un-Chinese in appearance. It is said that every third man met there is a lama. The chief lama in Urga is as great a personage in the North as the Dalai lama half a century ago. Thousands upon thousands of lesser lamas adore him and tens of thousands of the populace in their turn adore lesser lamas. There is also a college for the study of religion in Urga, so that holy men in all stages of holiness are present in great numbers. There are frequent festivals, with great splending of prayer, feasts, and making of offerings and ceremonies of purification, culminating in the grotesquely beautiful devil dance by certain of the lamas in their horrible robes and masks. The populace is ruled by the religious atmosphere, though, and it is the pilgrims from the country round who are chiefly impressed. They include all manner of mysterious folks who live on the trackless steppes of inland Asia—herders by trade and doubtless robbers and caravan bandits by vocation in most cases.

A Motorist's Criticism. "Here's a map that will show you all the points of interest on the route." "It's no good," replied Mr. Chugazzi. "It shows a lot of landmarks, but it doesn't definitely locate the repair shops."

Be careful—remember what a lot of coolness is caused by hot words.

Why Wait Mr. Coffee Drinker, till heart, nerves, or stomach "give way?"

The sure, easy way to keep out of coffee troubles is to use the pure food-drink—

POSTUM Better quit coffee now, while you are feeling good, and try Postum, the popular American beverage. "There's a Reason"

A Trial Will Convince Anyone. Thousands of people have testified that the mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, is soon realized and that it stands the big test for its remarkable results in the most distressing cases.

Symptoms of Kidney Trouble. Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you suffer from annoying bladder troubles, frequently passing water night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment, headache, backache, lame back, dizziness, poor digestion, sleeplessness, nervousness, neuralgia, rheumatism, lumbago, bloating, irritability, worn-out feeling, lack of ambition, may be loss of flesh or fallow complexion, kidney trouble in its worst form may be stealing upon you.

Swamp-Root is Pleasant to Take. If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles at all drug stores.

Caring for a Monkey Mascot. The latest addition to the Berlin zoological garden is a monkey which was the mascot of the U-35 for a considerable time. The monkey originally was the mascot of an English merchantman that was halted by the German submarine. He made trip after trip with the U-35 and was "in at the death" of several merchantmen. His transfer to the zoo was ordered only when it became so cold that he was likely to suffer if exposed.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

Small Sums to Charity. John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, says that our international charity during the past two years has amounted to one-twentieth of 1 per cent of our total income. This is equivalent to an annual gift of 75 cents from a man earning \$1,500 a year.

Merely Heavy Them. Tell people how good you feel, but don't bother them with a recital of your aches and pains; they won't be interested, anyhow.

Grippy weather this. Better get a box of—

CASCARA QUININE. The old family remedy—in tablet form—safe, sure, easy to take. No opiates—no unpleasant after effects. Cures colds in 24 hours—Grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. Get the genuine box with Red Top and Mr. Hill's list on 15 cents. At Any Drug Store.

CANCER. I and Tumors successfully treated (removed) without knife or cauter. All work guaranteed. Come, or write for free Sanatorium book. Dr. WILLIAMS SANATORIUM, 2023 University Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

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PATENTS. Watson E. Coleman, Wash., D.C. Sec. Free High-Grade, etc. references. Best results. "ROUGH ON RATS" KILLS RATS, MICE, BEGS, etc. Die out—leave no trace. Write today.

Wisconsin Directory. INDIAN RELIQUARY WANTED of copper and stone. Write and tell us what you have. R. H. HARRIS, Two Rivers, Wis.

MEN WANTED. To learn the barber trade. Only 2 weeks required; no experience necessary; tools furnished free; money earned while learning. Call or write the Free Trade Barber College, 200-202 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis.

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RED STAR Compressed Yeast. A fresh, reliable, fast acting yeast for bread, rolls, griddle cakes, etc. Remember we give valuable premiums with your dollar. Red Star Compressed Yeast Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

FISH. FRESH, FROZEN, SMOKED, SALTED. Send For Price List. CONSUMERS FISH CO. GREEN BAY, WIS. W. N. U., MILWAUKEE, NO. 1-1917.



# JANUARY BARGAINS

25% Discount on Ladies or Misses Winter Coats

Every coat marked in plain figures. You can figure the savings yourself. Buy now at these savings and have the good of a coat at less money.

All Fur Sets including children's, are offered during January at 25% off

Bath Robe Special Men's Overcoats and Fur Coats at a Sale at 25 per cent discount.

\$4.25 Men's bath robes at.....\$3.19  
\$6.00 Men's bath robes at.....\$4.69

The Poull Mercantile Co. West Bend Wisconsin.

## BEECHWOOD

John Held was to Kewaskum on business Wednesday.  
Frank Schroeder was to Kewaskum on business Tuesday.  
Martin Hausner was to Kewaskum on business Wednesday.  
Carl Heberer was a business caller at Sheboygan Wednesday.  
Mrs. Paul Bremser entertained her friends at quilting bee Wednesday.  
Mrs. H. Doman visited Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Tobias Hofer.  
Dr. E. L. Morgenroth of Kewaskum was a professional caller here Sunday.  
Henry Dettmann and P. J. Leibenstein of Batavia were callers here Tuesday.  
Jake Engelman started to thresh his grain last week in the old fashioned way.  
Mrs. Peter Schladweiler of Dakota visited with friends in the village last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jake Held of Batavia visited Sunday with the L. J. Kaiser family.  
Mrs. Albert Sauter entertained the Frauenverein at her home last Thursday afternoon.  
Miss Golda Stahl left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butzke at Stratford.  
Mrs. A. Braun and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reysen and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hintz spent Sunday with Mrs. L. Schultz and family at Lake Seven.  
Paul Bremser celebrated his birthday Tuesday evening with about twenty guests present.

## ORIGIN OF OUR HOLIDAYS.

### A Woman's Influence in Nationalizing Thanksgiving.

First and last enough sentiment has been expended upon American politics to equip a regiment of poets laureate. Distinctly American holidays are full of it. Fourth of July, of course, made itself. The 22d of February became one by common consent. It had its origin in a convivial supper in a New York tavern in 1783, when a company met to listen to an original ode and drink innumerable toasts. Enthusiasm survived the wine, and as the gentlemen went gayly and unsteadily home they swore to meet again on future anniversaries. Regarded at first as a purely party custom, it broadened beyond Federal circles to take in all Americans, Jefferson's followers attempted a similar observance in his honor, but he countered with another bit of sentiment, refusing to divulge the date, on the ground that only the birthday of the nation should be so treated.

Thanksgiving was sectional and religious as well as political, and sentiment graced it in plenty. One of the customs that lingered in good old New England households until the middle of the last century was to lay five grains of corn upon the plate of every person at table in memory of a day in early colonial history when five ships came sailing into harbor just in time to chase away the specter of famine. It was Washington who appointed the first national day of thanksgiving at the instance of congress, after the adoption of the constitution. For many years, however, annual observance of the day remained a matter of state action, virtually confined to New England. Like the 22d of February, it became a national custom only gradually; unlike the 22d of February, it spread largely through the influence of a woman, Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, who advocated it for twenty years in the editorial columns of Godey's Lady Book.—Helen Nicolay in Century.

## KAFFIRS AND HEADGEAR.

### How the Natives of South Africa First Came to Wear Hats.

It was a Boer, Andries de Villiers by name, who introduced head coverings to the South African natives. Andries was a man of ideas, and when one morning many years ago he saw in Port Elizabeth a consignment of damaged hats offered for sale for a mere song he bought them on speculation. The hats were principally of the straw and derby variety. Andries loaded them into his wagon and started for Kafirland, where hats were totally unknown. When he arrived in Tembuland he unloaded the stock, opened the kegs of liquor, without which no trade could be done in those days, and started business. The natives did not take kindly to the headgear. They wanted blankets and beads and looking glasses and grog. They refused to have anything to do with hats and would not buy them no matter how low the price.

Then another of the bright ideas for which he was famous occurred to Andries. He refused to sell anything unless a hat was purchased also. When a Kafir buys anything he is going to make use of it, and the unfortunate Kaffirs therefore donned the headgear and returned to their kraals. Fashion rules the world. It is the same in Africa as elsewhere, and when the stay at home saw their relatives and friends wearing this strange covering their desire to do the same was excited, and they paid Andries a visit, and he unloaded the remainder of his stock on them at a price which brought him a large profit on the original investment.

### Get In Debt.

Louis F. Swift, president of Swift & Co., the great Chicago meat packing company, has the idea that being in debt is the surest way to success. He urges every one of his 35,000 employees to get into debt and to keep in debt, and he has organized a system to encourage them in this and to show them how to do it profitably. "Get in debt for something of intrinsic value and stay in debt," he says. "As soon as you get one thing paid up, buy something else and get in debt again. Stay in debt—never get out."—American Magazine.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### ST. MICHAELS

Mrs. Math Berres and Mrs. Genhard Jung are on the sick list.  
The local public school re-opened after a ten days Christmas vacation.  
Albert Schladweiler of Kohler spent the holidays here with his parents.  
Anthony Beyer of Milwaukee spent New Years with his brother, Rev. J. P. Beyer here.  
Quite a number from this vicinity attended the fire insurance meeting at New Paine Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Starck of Milwaukee spent New Years with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Laubach.  
Peter Berres and family and Adam Hahn and family of Campbellsport spent Sunday with the Math Berres family.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roden, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roden and Grandmas Jung attended the "Birth of a Nation" at West Bend this week.

### ST. KILIAN

Strachota Bros. harvested ice Wednesday and Thursday.  
Orie Buss spent Friday with relatives at the Cream City.  
John Ruplinger visited several days with relatives at Marathon City last week.  
Mrs. Andrew Strachota and children visited with relatives from Saturday till Thursday at Milwaukee.  
Engelbert German and Oscar Batzler spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Fond du Lac with relatives.  
Town Treasurer, Math P. Schill of the town of Ashford will be at Strachota Bros' place Tuesday, Jan. 9, to collect taxes.

### Too Late for Last Week

Mrs. Anton Weisner spent Wednesday at Fond du Lac.  
Kilian Strobel spent Wednesday at Fond du Lac on business.  
Miss Sophia Strobel left Wednesday to visit with relatives at Van Dyne.  
John Kern of Hartford spent from Sunday till Tuesday with the Kern family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Barth of St. Lawrence spent a few days with relatives here this week.  
Mrs. Martin Schmitt of Richfield is visiting with the John Ruplinger family since Christmas.  
Mike Darmody of Schlesinger-ville and Wm. Darmody of Oakfield spent Christmas at home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kleinhans of Van Dyne spent Sunday and Monday with the Kilian Strobel family.

### Miss Rose Emmer left Wednesday for Minneapolis.

She was accompanied by Mrs. Anna Straub of Elmore, to visit for some time.  
The following from Milwaukee were visitors with relatives and friends here on their Xmas vacation: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kirsch, Alice, Regina and Anna Petersick, Peter Kral and family, Margaret Pisch, Lizzie Heisler, Walter and Florence Batzler, Agnes Darmody, M. Brynos and sister Ella and Theresa Kien.  
**Are Your Sewers Clogged?**  
The bowels are the sewerage system of the body. You can well imagine the result when they are stopped up as is the case in constipation. As a purgative you will find Chamberlain's Tablets excellent. They are mild and gentle in their action. They also improve the digestion.

## WAYNE

Wm. Kippenhan was a Kewaskum caller Monday.  
Our saloon keepers put up their supply of ice this week.  
Hy. Schmidt transacted business at Kewaskum last Friday.  
Emil Bartel of New Prospect called on friends here Monday.  
C. W. Bruessel transacted business at Kohlsville last Saturday.  
Carl Schaefer from Kewaskum called on friends here last week Friday.  
Geo. Hron of West Bend transacted business in our bug one day last week.  
Chris. Hoeriz and family of near Kohlsville visited with the Jack Hawig family.  
Some of our young folks attended the Leap Year dance at Kohlsville Saturday evening.  
Wenzel Petri transacted business at West Bend and Fond du Lac last week Thursday.

Quite a few from here attended the monthly stock fair at Kewaskum last week Wednesday.  
John B. Murphy arrived from N. Dakota recently to spend the winter with relatives in this vicinity.  
Adeleine Kippenhan of Kewaskum spent the latter part of last week here with her grand parents.  
Math Wietor left for Lomira last Saturday after spending a few days with Frank Wietor and family.  
Joe and Mike Hess of Fond du Lac and Louis Hess of Kewaskum called on friends here Monday afternoon.  
Wm. Bachman of the town of Barton and Jac. Meinhardt Jr., of Kohlsville were callers here Monday afternoon.  
Mrs. Jac. Honeck and son John of the town of Kewaskum spent part of last week with the Chas. W. Bruessel family.

Jack and John Hawig left last Friday to attend the funeral of Geo. Jacoby at Milwaukee and spend New Years with relatives.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and daughter Elizabeth of Kewaskum, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Martin of the town of Barton spent Sunday and Monday with their folks here.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Bartel brought home Mrs. Wm. Petri and daughter, who had spent Christmas with them. They were accompanied on their return by Miss Laura Abel of Cascade, who will spend the week with her mother.  
John Werner will collect taxes at the following places next week: Jan. 8, Herman Marohl's place, at Kohlsville; Jan. 10, Kirsch Bros., at St. Kilian; Jan. 12, Frank Wietor, Wayne; Jan. 15, Walter Endlich, Kohlsville; Jan. 18, Mary Strobel, St. Kilian; Jan. 20, C. W. Bruessel, at Wayne.

## PARNELL

Miss Margaret Murray resumed her studies at Milwaukee Normal on Tuesday.  
Hugh Crosby returned to Mt. Calvary Monday after spending his vacation at home.  
Miss Mamie Devine returned to Racine Tuesday after spending her vacation at home.  
Miss Bessie Murray, a student at St. Mary's Academy, St. Francis is spending this week at home.  
Will Phalan, a member of the faculty of the Fountain City Business College spent the holidays at home.  
Jerry and Lee Donahue, students at Champion College, Prairie du Chien are spending some time at the J. J. Crosby home.  
—Take Notice—Being equipped with circle saw outfit, am prepared to do sawing at any place. Write or call on Frank Klein, R. D. 18, Random Lake, Wis.

Many of our young people enjoyed a shower held at the home of Misses Etta and Agnes McMullen on Thursday evening, Dec. 28, in honor of the approaching marriage of Miss Mae Strong and Paul McMullen. Games, music and cards were enjoyed. Honors in cinch were given to Miss Isabella Crosby and Leo Gill. Consolation to Miss Marie Bowen and Melvin Strong.

# PICK BROTHERS CO.

## Annual January Remnant Sale

Beginning Friday morning, January 5th, continuing to and including January 9th.

We are exercising every effort to make the sale the best remnant and odd lot sale ever offered to the trade and we can assure you big savings and a large variety of merchandise to select from.

## Pick Brothers Company

WEST BEND, WISCONSIN

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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

NOTICE—I will move my saw mill outfit to the village and will be ready to receive logs from now on. Logs must all be in by the 15th of February.—Hy. Muckerheide, Kewaskum, Wis. 12-23-3

FOR SALE—260 acre estate to close up as soon as possible, 6 miles from Kewaskum, will sell together or in parts. For further information address J. J. O'Connell, Plymouth, Wis. 12-16-6

FOR SALE—My 38 acre farm with personal property and good buildings, located at Schrauth's pond, Elmore, Wis. For further information inquire of Hy. Damm, Campbellsport, Wis. R. D. 31, 11.

NOTICE—We will have the Jac. Schiltz sawmill in operation on the Emil Siegel farm in the town of Kewaskum, about the latter part of February. Bring in your logs now, while the sleighing is good, so that we can work right along when we get started.—Jac. Schiltz and Emil Siegel 1-6-3

## BATAVIA

Sadie Melius is laid up with the mumps.  
J. W. Leibenstein was at Auel Wednesday.  
Our businessmen are harvesting ice this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Brieske were Cascade visitors Monday.  
Ed Kohl, Wm. Moos and Otto Seider were at Sheboygan Thursday.  
Mrs. John Emley spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week at Plymouth.  
Erwin Mueller of Wolf Point Mont. is visiting with the A. W. Wangerin family.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Torke of Cascade spent New Years with the J. W. Leibenstein family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gust Mueller and children of Barton spent Sunday with the A. W. Wangerin family.  
Miss Elda Hunholz of Milwaukee and Arno Batters of Cascade spent Sunday with the J. W. Leibenstein family.  
Scott Anderson returned to Plymouth after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson.

A large number of friends helped Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sauter celebrate their wedding anniversary last Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards.

## Prefers Chamberlain's.

"In the course of a convention with Chamberlain Medicine Co's representative today, we had occasion to discuss in a general way the merits of their different preparations. At his suggestion I take pleasure in expressing my estimation of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I have a family of six children and have used this remedy in my home for years. I consider it the only cough remedy on the market as I have tried nearly all kinds."—Earl C. Ross, Publisher Hamilton County Republican News Syracuse, Kan.



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In every nook and corner of the earth where is known the special delight of LITHIA BEER There's nothing but smiles in homes where Lithia Beer is served.

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## \$9,000 LOAN

Want to borrow for a term of years, \$9,000 at 4 per cent interest, secured by farm of 260 acres. Two sets of buildings insured for about \$2,600. Estimate value of the property at \$33,000. Address

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**LOCAL HAPPENINGS.**

—John Kohu was a West Bend visitor Saturday.

—Conrad Bier was a County Seat caller last Friday.

—John Brunner has been on the sick list this week.

—Otto E. Lay was to Milwaukee on business Saturday.

—Eimer Schaurr was a Milwaukee caller last Tuesday.

—Jos. Eberle was a Cream City business caller Tuesday.

—Read Koch's ad in another column will interest you.

—John Braun of West Bend was a village caller Wednesday.

—Miss Luella Schaurr was a Cream City caller Saturday.

—Geo. Kippenhan was a Campbellsport caller last Friday.

—Miss Lucille Harter was a Fond du Lac visitor last Saturday.

—Mrs. D. M. Rosenheimer was a Cream City visitor last Friday.

—Miss Lazetta Schaefer was a Cream City visitor last Friday.

—Chas. E. Krahn transacted business in the Cream City Friday.

—Miss Edna D. S. was a New Prospect visitor last Friday.

—Frank Hopfer transacted business at West Bend last week Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Colvin were West Bend visitors last week Friday.

—Jos. Eberle made a business call at Oshkosh Friday of last week.

—N. W. Rosenheimer transacted business at Milwaukee last week Friday.

—Elwyn Romaine visited with his parents at New Prospect last Monday.

—Mrs. Math Schaefer of Campbellsport called on friends here Saturday.

—Eugene Haessly and family of West Bend were New Years visitors here.

—Jos. Honeck of Milwaukee called on old friends in the village New Years.

—Atorney F. W. Bucklin of West Bend was a business caller here Wednesday.

—Byron Rosenheimer and Dr. W. N. Klumb were Milwaukee visitors last Sunday.

—Wm. Krahn of Milwaukee was a caller in the village Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. Ray Fohey of Campbellsport was a pleasant village caller Tuesday.

—Miss Celia Wilger of West Bend is spending the week here with friends.

—Fred H. Buss was a pleasant business caller at Milwaukee last week Friday.

—Miss Rilling of Oshkosh is spending a few days here with the Endlich family.

—Miss Charlotte Wood of Appleton visited with the Otto E. Lay family Tuesday.

—Chas. E. Krahn left for Florida Wednesday where he expects to spend the winter.

—Henry Oppenorth of Milwaukee was a business caller in the village Thursday.

—Louis Backhaus spent a few days this week with Edw. Kibbel at Campbellsport.

—Val Peters of this village is serving on the Grand Jury at Milwaukee this week.

—Miss Esther Ramthun spent from Saturday till Tuesday with friends at Cascade.

—The "Kids" have been enjoying skating on the mill pond for the past few days.

—Miss Emma Seefeld of Hartford spent her New Years vacation with her parents here.

—Miss Lillie Schlosser visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Backus at Cedarburg New Years.

—Frank Koch of Milwaukee visited with relatives and friends in the village Monday.

—Miss Frieda Rodenbach of West Bend called on the L. D. Guth family here Wednesday.

—Miss Anna Kohler of Molesey, S. D. visited relatives and friends here over the holidays.

—Mrs. Nic. Mayer returned home from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Milwaukee.

—Henry and Wilbur Wittenberg of Dundee spent last week with Aug. Schaefer and family.

—Lester Reicher of West Bend visited with the D. M. Rosenheimer family here Monday.

—Fred Belger and family of Boltonville spent New Years here with the Meilahn families.

—Ralph Rosenheimer commenced his duties as apprentice in the Statesman office this week.

—The Kewaskum Quintette furnished music at a Leap Year dance in Kohlsville Saturday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Retzliff of Jackson spent a few days here with Fred Kempf and family.

—Miss Mary E. Darmody of Wayne spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. John Stelplug.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroeder of Oshkosh spent Sunday here with the Nic. Haug Sr. family.

—Miss Ella Wood of Appleton visited here with her sister, Mrs. O. E. Lay and family Thursday.

—Mrs. Louis Backhaus spent a few days last week with the Edw. Kibbel family at Campbellsport.

—Mr. and Mrs. John K. Schmidt and family of West Bend called on friends in the village Tuesday.

—Mrs. Fred Andrae Sr. of Milwaukee is spending some time here with relatives and friends.

—R. L. Davies is now employed at the Wm. Schaub garage, commencing his duties on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. LeRoy of Milwaukee spent last week here with the Louis Backhaus family.

—Herman Doeppke of the Cream City spent New Years here with his brother William and family.

—Ed Strachota of Milwaukee called on his father and other relatives and friends here Tuesday.

—One key will be given for every dollar paid on book account for next week only at A. G. Koch's.

—The Misses Dolores and Lillian Strube of West Bend are visiting here with the J. W. Schaefer family.

—Albert Hron and family of West Bend spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Christ Schaefer Sr.

—Jos. O'Meara of West Bend transacted business here in the insurance line the latter part of last week.

—Mrs. Arthur Hansen and children of Milwaukee visited here with the Brandstetter family New Years.

—Miss Emma Quade of Waterloo, Wis., visited several days last week with S. E. Wollensak and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Math. Regner and family of West Bend spent New Years with the Fred Schaefer family.

—Miss Emily Forrer of Milwaukee spent Sunday and Monday here with the Nicholas Remmel family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt Jr. of Milwaukee spent New Years here with the Chas. Geidel family.

—Miss Lorinda Schaefer spent the latter part of last week with Hy Wittenberg and family at Dundee.

—Miss Kathryn Schoofs of West Bend spent New Years here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schoofs.

—Atty. William Meilahn of Milwaukee visited with relatives and friends in this vicinity last week Saturday.

—Dr. Wm. Hausmann and family of West Bend were New Years' visitors with the Hausmann families here.

—Hilda and Viola Fox of Campbellsport visited with the Albert Oppenorth family last week Thursday.

—Rich Kanies and family of West Bend spent from Saturday till Monday with Fred Ramthun and family.

—Mrs. Fred Meilahn visited last week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Belger and family at Boltonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Hall of the town of Auburn spent New Years here with the J. W. and Al. Schaefer families.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stantz and family of West Bend spent Monday here with the E. L. Morgenroth family.

—Miss Margaret Hoinig left for Fond du Lac Saturday, where she intends to visit with her children for some time.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Schaefer and children of West Bend visited with relatives and friends in the village Wednesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schnurr announce the engagement of their daughter, Myrtle to Edw. J. Spoerl of Knowles, Wis.

—Mrs. Mary Krembs and Miss Mary Guepe of Campbellsport spent Wednesday here with Mrs. Katherine Harter.

—Geo. Seibert and Miss Lily Justman of Plymouth spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Quade and family.

—Otto E. Lay and family have moved back into their residence on Fond du Lac Ave., after having same remodeled.

—Miss Rose Kaas of Milwaukee visited a few days this week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaas and family.

—New Years passed off very quietly here this year, visiting among relatives and friends being the order of the day.

—The Old Settler's dance in the Opera House last Sunday night was very well attended and greatly enjoyed by all present.

—Albert Kumrow and wife returned home from a trip to Sheboygan, Fond du Lac and Milwaukee last Thursday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. Schuler and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Plank of Brillion visited a few days the past week with the A. L. Simon family.

—Mrs. Geo. E. Rau returned to her home in Chicago after a two week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Backhaus Jr.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Hausmann and family of Waupun visited New Years with the Hausmann and John Schoofs families.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Braun of Jefferson and Leo. Ockenfels of Milwaukee spent New Years here with the J. M. Ockenfels family.

—Our ice man, Otto Backhaus, and crew commenced filling his ice house Tuesday. The ice is of uniform thickness and of a fairly good quality.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Backhaus of the town of Kewaskum, visited a few days of last week with the former's sister, Mrs. Albert Fischer of Woodland.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Gill of Cascade spent a few days this week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Sommers of the town of Kewaskum.

—Math Regner and family of West Bend, Aug. Schaefer and family of the town and Rev. Mohrme spent New Years with Fred Schaefer and family.

—A large number from here went to West Bend last Tuesday evening, where they witnessed the "Birth of a Nation" the great historical moving picture.

—Mrs. Albert Oppenorth and sons Marcellus and Harvey spent Sunday at West Bend, where a family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Nic. Gongring.

—Roman and Clarence Stoffel returned from St. Francis after spending their holiday vacation here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Stoffel and family.

—The State Bank of Fredonia held their annual meeting last Wednesday and elected all the officers. D. M. Rosenheimer of this village was re-elected president.

—Mrs. Albert Fischer of Woodland visited the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Backhaus and other relatives and friends in the town of Kewaskum.

—William J. Schultz and family Charles Bartel, Linda Rusch, Mrs. Pasch, Lillie Bartel of Elmore, Mrs. Wilhelm Bartel visited New Years with Fred Bartel and family.

—Ben Marx and Miss Holzhauser of Milwaukee spent New Years here with the Marx families, they were accompanied by Miss Marjorie Marx, who will stay for some time.

—Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Stork of West Bend, Mrs. Engelhardt of Coiby, Wis., Mrs. Ralph Elmgreen of Milwaukee visited Thursday with the D. M. Rosenheimer family.

—The Cedarburg News entered upon its thirty-fifth year this week. We congratulate Mr. Holz and hope that he may be able to fulfill his duties in that excellent paper for some years to come.

—Mrs. Al. Driessel and children of Lorima spent New Years here with Dr. and Mrs. H. Driessel. On her return home she was accompanied by the Misses Camilla Driessel and Cecil Runte, who will visit her for a few days.

**NEW FANE**

Ernst Ramthun spent Friday at Dundee.

John Mertens harvested his ice this week.

Aug. Kanies of Jackson spent a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Mertens spent Sunday with Hubert Klein and family at Wayne.

Jos. Schlosser left Tuesday for West Bend, where he accepted a position on a farm.

Fred Bruesser and family and Aug. Pirks of Theresa spent a few days with Henry Pirks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Starck from Milwaukee spent Sunday and Monday with Jos. Laubach and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pirks spent from Saturday till Tuesday with Herman Bruesser and family at Milwaukee.

The German Mutual Fire Insurance annual meeting was held in Wm. Hess' hall Tuesday and was largely attended.

Jacob Schiltz and family and Jacob Pellenz and family spent New Years with John Janssen and family at Beechwood.

**NAUTICAL NANTUCKET.**

Its Common Use of Sea Terms and a Master Marine's Will.

Nantucket probably has a higher average to the inhabitant of funny yarns, queer sayings, odd views of life and also of local pride and assurance than any other place in America.

Nantucket speech is a museum of nautical expressions. When a Nantucketer has luck he is running before the wind. To scud is to listen, and one who becomes involved in his statement is off his soundings. "Masthead" means any point high up. Any one who is quite flattened out in health is "keel out." "I've been keel out for a week with the grip." Whaling terms come in here, too, for when a man says he is "pretty high in out" he means that he is "all in"—in reference to the fact that the drying whale rolls over on his side, showing a fin above water. "Tending the kettle halyards" means with women simply doing the housework. When a man gets excited in argument he is told to "ease off." When your guest departs you say, "Well, a fair wind to you." Every figure is derived from the sea.

When Obed Gardner, master mariner wrote his will in 1841 he worded it as follows, and it held fast:

Item, I have cruised with my wife, Huldya Jane, since 1811. We signed articles in town, before the preacher on Independence day. I want her and my son, Joseph, to be captain and mate in bringing them, to be captain I leave and to see that every one of the crew gets the lay as writ down on this paper. I put mother in command. I know sheel be captain anyway. For six months after we started on our life cruise I found out that I was mate and she was master. I don't mean that she ever mutinied, but I know that whenever we didn't agree she always manoeuvred to windward.

Item, I want mother to have the house on Union street till she goes off. Then I want it to go to the children in equal lays, etc.

As for whaling, a Nantucketer boy tied one end of his mother's darning cotton to a steel fork and tried to harpoon the family cat. As the animal sought to escape mother entered the room and picked up the ball. "Pay out, mother, pay out!" screamed the boy. "There she sounds through the window!"—Boston Transcript.

**OLD WAR ENGINES**

British "Tank" Is One of Long Line of Queer Devices.

Wooden Horse of Troy, Hide-Covered Towers Used by Alexander in Siege of Tyre and Caesar's Javelins with Iron Points.

The British "tank" described as a car of death resembling a ponderous, slow-moving steel caterpillar, is one of a large family of strange engines of destruction sired by the God of War, says a bulletin of the National Geographic society. Reviewing the history of warfare among civilized nations, one of the earliest engines of destruction whose fame has been perpetuated on the pages of legendary epic was the great wooden horse which the crafty Ulysses left on the plains of Ilum, and which the Trojans believed to be an offering sacred to the goddess Athena. Consoled by the false Sinon, the Trojans razed their walls in order that the "gift" of the Greeks might be brought into the city. After nightfall the warriors hidden inside the wooden animal crept out, threw open the gates of the city and admitted their companions, thus bringing about the destruction of the city of Priam and wreaking vengeance upon the people who had sheltered Paris and the fair but false Helen of Troy.

An engine of war which emerges from the cloud of legend and takes its place among historical actualities was that employed by Alexander the Great in his seven-months siege of the famous Phoenician metropolis, Tyre. This ancient city was strategically situated on an island and as there were no long range catapults in the fourth century before the Christian era, Alexander conceived the plan of building a mole or causeway from the mainland to the island. This engineering enterprise was hampered by the Tyrians, who launched blazing ships against the assailants as they sunk piles to hold in place the rock and debris that formed a roadway over which the army was to march. In order to protect his construction corps Alexander devised great towers covered with green hides. These were set up as shields against the floating flames of the enemy and the result was one of the memorable victories in Alexander's conquest of the eastern world.

One of the simplest and yet one of the most effective inventions of ancient times was the javelin with a point of soft iron employed by Julius Caesar in one of his Gallic wars. The Roman legionaries hurled these weapons against the shields of their enemies. The iron head penetrated the outer covering of bull's hide, but flattened out against the hardwood or metal back of the shield, and thus became hooked to this protector. The shanks of the dangling javelins so impeded the movements of the barbarian soldiers that they were forced either to throw away their shields and fight uncovered against the Romans or else stop long enough (a fatal delay in their advance) to disencumber themselves from this unique weapon which may properly be called the dum-dum pilum, the progenitor of the soft-nose or dum-dum bullet of today.

Perhaps the strangest engines of destruction in the history of the world were the seven trumpets of ram's horn which the priests of Israel blew as they encompassed the walls of Jericho once each day for six successive days and seven times on the seventh day. After the final blast the hosts of Israel gave a great shout and the walls fell flat, according to the Biblical account in the Book of Joshua. Those who endeavor to explain all miracles on the theory that they are the result of extraordinary applications of the natural law have seen in this remarkable event a demonstration of the vast destructive power of sympathetic vibration—the same principle which has been known to shake to its very foundation a great bridge of steel and concrete when a dog trots across it.

Another arms oddity of Biblical interest was the ruse employed by Gideon, leader of only 300 Israelites, who successfully engaged a vast host of Midianites and Amalekites that lay along in the valley like grasshoppers for multitude; and their camels were without number, as the sand by the seaside for multitude. Gideon's engines of destruction were 300 trumpets, 300 empty pitchers and 300 lamps within the pitchers. As the enemy's camp was approached during the night the pitchers were smashed, the lamps held aloft in the left hand, while terrifying blasts from the 300 trumpets spread consternation and terror among the sleepers who in darkness imagined that they had been attacked by a great army. The result was wholesale slaughter among themselves while the followers of Gideon watched.

**Esquimo Lamps.**

It is believed that the Eskimo lamp was invented before its possessors emigrated from their original home, which was probably farther south and near the seacoast. But the form of the lamp becomes more specialized the higher the latitude is. The lamps of southern Alaska have a wick edge of two inches, while those of Point Barrow and northern Greenland have wick edges of 17 to 36 inches. The lamp is employed for melting snow and ice to obtain drinking water, for cooking, lighting, warming, drying skins, and in the arts. It is also a social factor and the sign of the family unit, each head of a family having his lamp.

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Wheat	1.50-1.60
Red Winter	1.50-1.60
Rye No. 1	1.35-1.45
Oats	45-50
Timothy Seed, hd.	\$4.00-\$5.00
Butter	33
Eggs	36
Unwashed Wool	34
Beans	5.50-6.00
Hides (calf skins)	25
Cow Hides	19
Honey	9
Horse Hides	8.00-8.50
Potatoes, new, sorted well	150-\$1.00
Alsike Clover Seed, per 100 lbs.	\$10.00-\$15.00
White Clover Seed, per 100 lbs.	\$20.00-\$35.00
Red Clover seed, per 100 lbs.	\$10.00-\$15.00
LIVE POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	15-16
Old Chickens	12-13
Roosters	10
Geese	14
Ducks	15-16
DRESSED POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	16-17
Geese	19-19
Ducks	20

**DAIRY MARKET SHEBOYGAN.**

Sheboygan, Wis., Jan. 2-15 factories offered 522 cases of long-horns on the call board today. 37 cases passed and the balance, 485 cases, sold at 25c. Next meeting Monday, Jan. 15.

**Printing**

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**Good Resolutions**

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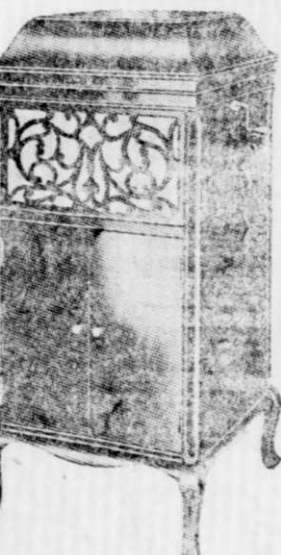
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## REFUSE PEACE OFFER

ALLIES DEMAND REPARATION AND SECURITY OF THE WAR CONTINUES.

### CALL FOR PERIL TO WORLD

Entente's Answer Asserts Berlin Must Give Acceptable Terms Before Conference Is Held—Note Called War Maneuver.

Paris, Jan. 3.—In reply to the profers of Germany and her allies for a peace conference the entente allies, in a collective note, declare that they "refuse to consider a proposal which is empty and insincere." The note was handed to the American ambassador, William Graves Sharp, by Premier Briand, and was made public simultaneously in London and Paris.

The entente allied governments insist that no peace is possible so long as they have not secured reparation for violated rights and liberties and the free existence of small states and have not brought about a settlement for the future security of the world.

The note declares that the proposal of the central powers is not an offer of peace, but a "war maneuver."

The note does not specifically outline the definite war aims of any of the entente governments except Belgium. Before the war, it is pointed out, Belgium asked for nothing but to live in harmony with her neighbors. Assailed in spite of the treaties guaranteeing her inviolability, Belgium, the note says, has taken up arms to defend her independence and "her neutrality violated by Germany."

Belgium's aim, which is declared to be the only aim of her king and government, is described as "the re-establishment of peace and justice. But they only reside peace which would assure to their country legitimate reparation, guarantees and safeguards for the future."

The note, which is the joint act of Belgium, France, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, Montenegro, Portugal, Roumania, Russia and Serbia, declares that the present strife was desired, provoked and declared by Germany and Austria-Hungary, and that Germany made no effort to bring about a pacific solution of the trouble between Serbia and Austria-Hungary, as did Great Britain, France and Russia.

A peace concluded upon the German idea would be only to the advantage of the central powers, says the note, while disasters caused by the war demand penalties, reparation and guarantees.

The overtures also are said to have the effect of intimidating neutral public opinion as well as to stiffen opinion in the central powers, "worn out by economic pressure and crushed by the supreme effort which has been imposed upon their inhabitants."

"Finally," it is asserted, "these overtures attempt to justify in advance in the eyes of the world a new series of crimes—submarine warfare, deportation, forced labor and forced enlistment of the inhabitants against their own countries and violations of neutrality."

### CLUE TO SLAYER OF MODEL

Wealthy Chicagoan Believed Murderer of Mrs. Grace Roberts of Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—The curtain of mystery that draped the brutal murder of Mazie Colbert, alias Mrs. Grace Roberts, pretty model, who was found dead in her apartments, was drawn aside and revealed the story of a tragedy that rivaled the most weird dreams of Poe.

The name of the man who tortured and then killed the woman is now in the hands of the police, and, according to detectives, will lead to a man standing high in business circles of Chicago and this city.

He met Mrs. Roberts about a year ago, fell desperately in love with her and when she refused to discontinue her friendship with other men killed her rather than see his worldly sweetheart travel the primrose path.

### 46 PERISH IN ASYLUM FIRE

Flames Sweep Quebec Institution Before Help Arrives, but Nurses Rescued 135 Inmates.

Quebec, Jan. 3.—Sisters of Charity were without aid in rescuing inmates of the St. Ferdinand de Hallifax insane asylum at St. Ferdinand de Hallifax, Megantic county, when fire destroyed the building at night, resulting in the death of 46 woman inmates and one sister.

The old building was in a remote district, far from other habitations, and not a single man reached the place until after 46 women had perished and the sisters had saved the remaining 135 inmates.

### Life Term for Doctor Atwood.

Boston, Jan. 4.—Dr. Eldridge D. Atwood, who killed Dr. Wilfred E. Harris, president of a college of osteopathy, entered a plea of guilty to murder in the second degree and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

### 708,000 Tons of Zinc Mined.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The new year estimate of the production of zinc in 1916, just issued by the United States geological survey, shows the recoverable zinc content of ore mined in the United States as 708,000 tons.

## MEXICO BARS PACT

CARRANZA REFUSES TO ACCEPT PROTOCOL SIGNED BY PRESIDENT WILSON.

### MAY RECALL GEN. PERSHING

Withdrawal of Arredondo as Ambassador Designate Adds to Complications—Fletcher Prepares to Take Up Duties at Mexico City.

Washington, Jan. 4.—The American-Mexican joint commission reported on Tuesday the parting of the ways in its efforts to settle the differences between the United States and the Carranza government.

After an all-day session, thrashing over the latest refusal of Carranza to sign the protocol framed by the commission, the American commissioners made public the terms of the protocol, indicating that the negotiations had reached a conclusion. Secretary of the Interior Lane, chairman of the American section, made it clear that Carranza's refusal to sign the protocol was flat and final. The protocol made public provided simply for the withdrawal of the American forces in Mexico and their replacement by Carranza military forces.

Further complication of affairs came with the withdrawal of Eliseo Arredondo, who for the past 14 months has been ambassador designate of Mexico to the United States. The affairs of Mexico in Washington are left in the hands of a de facto charge d'affaires. The withdrawal of Arredondo is known to be permanent, although he said he might return to Washington.

Withdrawal of the American expeditionary force under the command of Major General Pershing is an immediate contemplation by the administration, according to persons close to President Wilson.

The protocol which Carranza refused to sign was purely an agreement for the withdrawal of the American troops within 40 days from a date to be agreed upon and the conduct of the Mexican forces during and subsequent to such withdrawal.

The protocol was signed by both American and Mexican commissioners, Henry P. Fletcher, ambassador designate to Mexico, called at the White House and spent nearly an hour in conference with President Wilson. It is believed he will be ordered to his post soon.

### PROBES ACTIVITY OF I. W. W.

Governor of Minnesota to Investigate Complaints—Organization Threatens to Create Reign of Terror.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 4.—Gov. J. A. A. Burnquist, after hearing representatives of logging companies in northern Minnesota, announced on Tuesday his purpose to investigate complaints that I. W. W. activities threaten to halt all logging operations and to create a reign of terror in that section. The meeting was behind closed doors, at the request of the representatives of the logging interests.

### BIG FIRE AT LOGANSPORT

Blaze Starting in Theater Threatens Entire Business Sections of City.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 4.—Fire in the Angel business block here on Tuesday night destroyed the Park hotel, the White hotel, the Colonial theater, and damaged a number of business firms. The blaze started in the Colonial theater, which is beneath the rooms of the White hotel. For a time the blaze threatened the entire business section of the city.

### LAWSON BITTERLY ARRAIGNED

Senator Stone, Chairman of Foreign Relations Committee, Declares No Public Official Guilty.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Senator Stone of Missouri, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, bitterly arraigned Thomas W. Lawson on the senate floor on Tuesday, and declared emphatically that "no public official is guilty of wrongdoing" in connection with the "leak" to Wall street on the Wilson peace note.

### Lord Curzon Weds Again.

London, Jan. 4.—The marriage of Earl Curzon of Kedleston and Mrs. Grace Elvina Duggan was solemnized Tuesday in the private chapel of Lambeth palace. Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of York, officiating. The bride was accompanied by one lady attendant, while Francis Curzon acted as best man for his brother. There were only eight or nine guests, including the children of the bride.

### 750 German Planes Shot Down.

Paris, Jan. 4.—During 1916 French aviators shot down 750 enemy airplanes and British airmen shot down 250, while 50 more were brought down by high-angle guns, according to figures just compiled here.

### U. S. to Tax Other Nations.

Washington, Jan. 4.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Osborn issued a regulation holding that the income tax can be collected on incomes received from sources within the United States by foreign governments.

## MY! WHAT A ROAR!



## MANY PERISH ON SHIP NEW INCOME TAX LAW

1,450 RUSS SOLDIERS LOST WHEN VESSEL DESTROYED.

Only Fifty Are Rescued—Steamer Kursk Also Damaged Off Kirkwall, Scotland.

Berlin (via Sayville wireless), Jan. 2.—An entire Russian regiment of coast artillery—about 1,500 men—with the exception of 50 men, was lost when the Finnish steamship Ohlone struck a mine near the Gulf of Finland, according to a Copenhagen dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung. One thousand horses also were drowned.

The Ohlone was owned in Helsingfors. She displaced 1,070 tons and was built in 1898. The vessel was en route from the Anland island to Helsingfors and sank in a few minutes.

New York, Jan. 2.—The Russian steamship Kursk, while bound from Archangel, Russia, for New York, with 126 passengers aboard, hit a mine on November 29 off Kirkwall, Scotland. One passenger and two members of the crew were drowned while lifeboats were being launched.

Part of the Kursk's stern was torn off by the explosion and later the vessel was towed into Kirkwall by English patrol boats.

### U. S. UNDER WAR DRAFT LAW

Every Able-Bodied American Liable to Call into the National Guard—New Order Made Public.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Every able-bodied male citizen of the United States between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years is held liable for service in the National Guard in war time, without further act of congress, by war department regulations for the government of the guard issued under the national defense act.

In an order prepared nearly two months ago, but made public only on Thursday, the militia bureau directs that where a National Guard regiment is called out for war service a reserve training battalion to fill vacancies at the front shall be organized out of the National Guard reserve and by voluntary enlistment.

"If for any reason," the order continues, "there shall not be enough reservists or enough voluntary enlistments to organize or to keep the reserve battalions at prescribed strength, a sufficient number of the unorganized militia shall be drafted by the president to maintain such battalion or lesser unit at the prescribed strength."

The language follows closely that of the national defense act, in which the unorganized militia is defined as including every able-bodied male citizen within the prescribed age limit or those who have declared their intention of becoming citizens.

### PRESIDENT OPENS UP LANDS

Wilson Signs Homestead Bill of Importance to the Western States.

Washington, Jan. 2.—President Wilson signed the Ferris bill, opening up 640-acre homesteads for stock raising and grazing purposes. It is accounted of great importance to the western states.

### In Bathrobe As He Takes Bath.

Santa Fe, N. M., Jan. 4.—"My chief desire is to be the servant of the people," said E. C. De Baca, New Mexico's new governor, as he stood wearing a bathrobe to take the oath of office at a local sanitarium.

### \$500,000 Fire in Alaska.

Valdez, Alaska, Jan. 4.—The business section of Valdez has been destroyed by fire. The Seattle hotel and S. Blue's store, the largest in Valdez, were destroyed. The loss may reach \$500,000.

### ACT EFFECTIVE JAN. 1 DOUBLES THE MINIMUM AMOUNT.

Levy on \$3,000 Incomes Is 2 Per Cent—Munition Makers to Pay 12 1/2 Per Cent.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Beginning January 1 the new federal taxes upon incomes, estates, munition manufacturers, corporation stocks and certain businesses became effective.

Unmarried persons with net incomes of \$3,000 or more and heads of families having incomes of \$5,000 or more will have to pay a normal tax of 2 per cent instead of 1, the present rate.

Additional taxes are imposed on incomes of more than \$20,000 by a graduated scale running from 1 to 13 per cent. A tax of 2 per cent is levied on the incomes of corporations with stock valued at \$75,000 or more. The old rate was 1 per cent.

Estimates of \$50,000 or more when transferred must pay a graduated tax of from 1 to 10 per cent. Munition manufacturers are taxed 12 1/2 per cent on their net profits. Corporations are subject to a special excise tax of 50 cents a year for each \$1,000 of fair value of capital stock in excess of \$50,000.

Under the new act every individual whose total net income, including dividends, for the year 1916 is \$3,000 or more is required to file with the collector of internal revenue for the district in which he resides on or before March 1, 1917, a personal income tax return.

### SCANDINAVIAN NOTE TO U. S.

Norway, Sweden and Denmark Join in Support of President Wilson's Peace Move.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The joint peace note from Norway, Sweden and Denmark arrived here.

The Norwegian note, with which those from Denmark and Sweden are identical, follows: "It is with the most lively interest that the Norwegian government has learned of the proposals which the president of the United States has just made with the purpose of facilitating measures looking toward the establishment of a durable peace, while at the same time seeking to avoid any interference which could cause pain to legitimate feelings."

"The Norwegian government would consider itself failing in its duties toward its own people and towards all humanity if it did not express its deepest sympathy with all efforts which could contribute to put an end to the ever-increasing suffering and the moral and material losses. It has every hope that the initiative of President Wilson will arrive at a result worthy of the high purpose which inspired it."

### Autos Crash; Two Killed.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 3.—Mrs. Beatrice Adams, twenty-three, of New York and David C. Hoffman, twenty-three, were killed early when the machine in which they were returning from an inn west of the city skidded and crashed into a heavy auto bus.

### Aged Pair Electrocuted.

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 3.—Raymon Torres and his wife, both more than eighty years old, were electrocuted when they tried to go under a barbed wire fence to attend New Year's services at the ancient San Xavier mission.

### "Reddy Mack" Is Dead.

Cincinnati, Jan. 3.—Joseph McNamee, once famous in the baseball world as "Reddy Mack," died suddenly at his home in Newport, Ky. McNamee was fifty-three years old and retired from baseball three years ago.

## PRESIDENT IS RIGHT

TARIFF COMMISSION MUST NOT BE APPOINTED HASTILY.

Altogether Too Important a Body to Be Named Without Proper Consideration—Country is Quite Willing to Wait.

The impatience of the New York chamber of commerce in urging President Wilson to hurry up with his tariff commission is natural but needless. The president has not forgotten the matter, but he has here a task in which caution and investigation are immeasurably more important than haste.

Next to the Supreme court, the tariff commission will be the most important appointive body in the United States; but unlike the Supreme court, it has to be made up all at once, and there are no natural candidates, like lesser judges, to promote to these new posts. Also, as Mr. Wilson remarked on his visit to Chicago, he asked for a non-partisan commission, and congress gave him a bipartisan commission. Such a change no doubt safeguards the body under a less conscientious president, but it complicates the matter of selecting the first appointees.

The whole country is eager to know the new commissioners—but it is still more eager to trust them. It would rather wait a bit than be sorry.

### Voice of the People.

Who ran the Hughes machine into the ditch? The Progressives blame the Old Guard chauffeur, and the Old Guard driver puts it up partly to the Progressive small boys who scattered broken glass on the road, and partly to the passenger who insisted on interfering with the chauffeur. Should the soup kitchens have been opened up earlier in the campaign, or should they have remained closed? On both sides it is taken for granted that the Republicans had the election won, and that bad management threw it away. In neither camp is there any seeming inclination to admit that perhaps there was something more fundamental involved than an unskilful chauffeur or a nervous passenger or a bad boy in the middle of the road. When Republicans speak of states that were lost while others were saved, they might ponder the fact that Wilson gained more heavily in "saved" Massachusetts than in "lost" Kansas; more in Michigan than in Washington, more in Maine than in New Mexico. Instead of asking themselves how they managed to lose Kansas, Washington, and New Mexico they might be asking themselves how they succeeded in saving Massachusetts, Michigan and Maine. So far the evidence is that the Republican machine was not ditched at all, but that it ran out of gas.

### Wilson's Nonpartisanship.

Criticism of Mr. Wilson's diplomatic appointments and changes played a conspicuous part in the campaign. The president seems to have taken the first opportunity to live up to the nonpartisanship he so often commends. The choice of Mr. Garrett to succeed Doctor Van Dyke as minister to the Netherlands is the best proof he could give that he will do so. Mr. Garrett is a Republican. He has been in the diplomatic service for fifteen years. The temptation is no doubt strong to reward the "deserving" in a majority party, but in a time of world war trained administrators should go to the top of the list.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### Where Republicans Failed.

The Republican party in the election failed to realize that we have paid our debts; it did not realize that a new leaf is turned; it did not realize that what a debtor nation may do with impunity in the field of foreign trade would ruin a creditor nation with large masses of its capital in the keeping of other peoples. Yet at this most critical hour of transition in America's world relations, the Republican party's eyes were turned backward upon the past, and its only utterance was a feeble echo of the war cry of a vanished day.

### Nothing of Much Importance.

We do not know just what is meant by a "reincarnation of the Progressive party with a new sense of party independence based on the new liberal spirit," but we have an idea that it is a perfectly harmless form of entertainment.

### Need for Caution.

The great personal victory of the president was marvelous. He had to gain 1,800,000 votes, and he gained 2,000,000. Hughes made a gain over the Republican vote of 400,000; Wilson gained 2,000,000 over 1912, surely a most remarkable showing. However, the party must not be carried away by the victory. It will seem to all that now is the time to be cautious. The Democrats will be on trial in the next four years more than at any time in the history of the organization.

### Would End Republican Party.

Wilbur Marsh of Waterloo, Iowa, treasurer of the Democratic national committee, in an interview a short time ago, said: "I do not claim that the Republican party is dead or dying and that the Democrats have an indefinite lease of life, but I do believe that if it were possible to enforce the corrupt practices act the Republicans would never elect another president. I believe that had this been possible in the recent election Wilson would have carried every state in the Union."

# JOHN MARX

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The Destroying Angel

By Louis Joseph Vance

CHAPTER XIV—Continued.

There was no lack of fodder for the flames. By dint of several wheelbarrow trips between the knoll and the farmyard, he had presently constructed a pyre of impressive proportions; and by that time it was quite dark—so dark, indeed, that he had been forced to hunt up a yard lantern, carrying the which the girl had accompanied him on his final trips.

"Here," he said clumsily, when all was ready, offering her matches. "You light it, please—for luck."

Their fingers touched as she took the matches. Something thumped in his breast, and a door opened in the chambers of his understanding, letting in light.

Kneeling at the base of the pyre, she struck a match and applied it to a quantity of tinder-dry excelsior. The stuff caught instantly, pulling into a brilliant patch of blaze; she rose and stood back, on silhouette, delicately poised at attention, waiting to see that her work was well done. He could not take his gaze from her.

So what he had tried and toyed with, fought with and prayed against, doubted and questioned, laughed at and cried down, was sober, painful fact. Truth, heart-rending to behold in her stark, shining beauty, had been revealed to him in that moment of brushing finger-tips.

The girl retreated to his side, returning the matches. A tongue of flame shot up from the peak of the pyre, and a column of smoke surpassed it, swinging off to leeward in great, red-bosomed volutes and whorls picked out with flying regiments of sparks.

They seated themselves with their backs to the fire and at a respectful distance from it, where they could watch the jetting blades of light that rained the far-off headland. Whitaker reclined on an elbow, relapsing into moody contemplation. The girl stirred uneasily, turning her head to look at Whitaker.

"You know," she said with a confused attempt to laugh: "this is really so canny, this place, or else I'm barmy. I'm seeing things—shapes that stir against the blackness, off there beyond the light, moving, halting, starting, hating us for bethering their aged peace and quiet. Maybe I'll forget to see them, if you'll talk to me a little."

"I can't talk to you," he said, ungracious in his distress. "You can't? It's the first time it's been noticeable, then. What's responsible for this all-of-a-sudden change of heart?"

"That's what's responsible," the words spoke themselves almost against his will. "You're very obscure. Am I to understand that you've taken a sudden dislike to me, so that you can't treat me with decent civility?"

"I've always understood women knew what men meant before the men did, themselves." His voice broke a little. "Oh, can't you see how it is with me? Can't you see?" he cried. "God forgive me! I never meant to inflict this on you, at such a time! I don't know why I have . . ."

"You mean," she stammered in a voice of amazement—"you mean—love?" "Can you doubt it?" "No . . . not after what's happened, I presume. You wouldn't have followed—you wouldn't have fought so to save me from drowning—I suppose—if you hadn't cared. . . . But I didn't know."

"Then you're not—offended?" he asked, sitting up. "Why should I be?" The firelight momentarily outlined the smiling half-wistful countenance she turned to him. "What woman would be who received as great and honorable a compliment—from you, Hugh? Only—again the whimsical little laugh that merged into a smothered sigh—"I wish I knew!" "Wish you knew what?" "What's going on inside that extraordinary head of yours; what's in the mind behind the eyes that I so often find staring at me so curiously?" He bowed that head between hands that compressed cruelly his temples. "I wish I knew!" he groaned in protest. "Since you called me to supper, a while ago, by name—I don't know why—your voice, as you used it then, has run through my head and through, teasing my memory like a strain of music from some half-remembered song. It half-maddens me; I feel so strongly that everything would be so straight and plain and clear between us, if I could only listen upon that fugitive, indefinable something that's always fluttering just beyond my grasp."

excitement. "You don't mean you've felt anything of the sort?" "No, I"—her voice broke as if with weariness—"I don't mean that, precisely, I mean . . . Probably I don't know what I do mean. I'm really very tired, too tired to go on, just now—to sit here with you, badgering our poor wits with esoteric subtleties. I think—do you mind?—I'd better go in."

She rose quickly, without waiting for his hand. Whitaker straightened out his long body with more deliberation, standing finally at full height, his grave and moody countenance strongly relieved in the ruddy glow, while her face was all in shadow.

"One moment," he begged humbly—"before we go in. I . . . I've something else to say to you. If I may." She waited, seriously attentive. "I haven't played fair, I'm afraid," he said, lowering his head to escape her steadfast gaze. "I've just told you that I love you, but . . ."

"Well?" she demanded in an odd, ringing voice. "Isn't it true?" "True?" He laughed unnaturally. "It's so true I—wish I had died before I told you!" "Please explain," she urged a trace wearily. "I," he stammered—"I am already married."

She gave a little, stifled cry—whether of pain or horror or of indignation he could not tell. "I'm sorry—I," he began. "Don't you think you might have thought of this before?" "I . . . you don't understand—" "So it would seem," she put in cruelly.

"Please hear me! It was several years ago I married a girl I'd never seen before, to help her out of a desperate scrape she'd got into. We never lived together, never even saw one another after that hour. She had every reason to think me dead—as I should have been, by rights. But now she knows that I'm alive—is about to sue for a divorce."

After a long pause, during which neither stirred, she told him, in a faint voice: "Thank you." "She moved toward the house. "If you will forgive me—" "Oh, I forgive you, Mr. Whitaker. My heart is really not quite so fragile as all this implies. I think I'll go to bed. I'm very, very tired, in spite of my sleep on the sands. That didn't rest me, really."

They returned to the kitchen. In silence, while Whitaker edged about the room, awkward and unhappy, the girl removed a glass lamp from the shelf above the sink, assured herself that it was filled, and lighted it. Then over her shoulder: "I hope you don't mean to stay up all night."

"I—well, I'm really not sleepy." "As soon as you feel the least need of sleep, you'll go to bed?" "I promise."

"Very well, then." The insistent note faded from her tones. She moved toward the table, put the lamp down, and hesitated in one of her strange, unexpressed moods of diffidence, looking down at the finger-tips with which she traced a meaningless pattern on the oil-cloth. "You are kind," she said abruptly, her head bowed, her face hidden from him.

"Kind?" he echoed, dumfounded. "You are kind and sweet and generous to me," she insisted in a level voice. "You have shown me your heart—the heart of a gentleman—without reserve; but of me you have asked nothing."

"I don't understand—" "I mean, you haven't once referred to what happened last night. You've been content to let me preserve my confidence, to remain secretive and mysterious in your sight. . . . That is how I seem to you—isn't it?" "Secretive and mysterious? But I have no right to your confidence; your affairs are yours, inviolable, unless you choose to discuss them."

"You would think that way—of course?" Suddenly she showed him her face illuminated with its frank, shadowy smile, her sweet eyes, kind and as fearless as the eyes of a child. "Other men would not, I know. And you have every right to know."

"I—!" "You; and I shall tell you. . . . But not now; there's too much to tell, to explain and make understandable; and I'm too terribly tired. To-morrow, perhaps—or when we escape from this weird place, when I've had time to think things out—"

"At your pleasure," he assented gently. "Only—don't let anything worry you." Impulsively she caught both his hands in a clasp at once soft and strong, wholly straightforward and friendly. "Do you know," she said in a laughing voice, her head thrown back, soft

shadows darkening her mystical eyes, the lamplight caressing her hair and it was as if her head were framed in a halo of pure gold, bright against the somber background of that mean, bare room—"Do you know, dear man, that you are quite blind?"

"I think," he said with his twisted smile, "it would be well for me if I were physically blind at this instant!" She shook her head in light reproof. "Blind, quite blind!" she repeated. "And yet—I'm glad it's so with you. I wouldn't have you otherwise for worlds."

She withdrew her hand, took up the lamp, moved a little away from him, and paused, holding his eyes. "For Love, too, is blind," she said softly, with a quaint little nod of affirmation. "Good night."

He started forward, eyes aflame; took a single pace after her; paused as if against an unseen barrier. His hands dropped by his sides; his chin to his chest; the light died out of his face and left it gray and deeply lined.

CHAPTER XV.

Discovery.

He was up and out in the cool of dawn, before sunrise, delaying to listen for some minutes at the foot of the stairway. But he heard no sound in that still house, and there was no longer the night to frighten the woman with hinted threats of nameless horrors lurking beneath its impenetrable cloak. He felt no longer bound to stand sentinel on the threshold of her apprehensions. He went out.

The day would be clear. In the white magic of air like crystal translucent and motionless, the world seemed more close-knit and sane. What yesterday's veiling of haze had concealed was now bold and near. In the north the lighthouse stood like a horn on the brow of the headland, the lamp continuing to flash even though its light was darkened, its beams outstripped by the radiant forerunners of the sun. On the nearer land human life was quickening; here and there pale steamers of smoke swung up from hidden chimneys on its wooded rises.

Whitaker eyed them with longing. But they were distant from attainment by at the least three miles of tideway through which strong waters raced. He wagged a doubtful head.

Man hat's B. behauptet, daß Deutschland sich mit der Streitung selbständiger Präferenzen im Osten, Polen und Litauen, begnügen und nicht auf die Einverleibung der bei bejezt gehaltenen Teile beschränken würde. Das hat den Jörn vieler Offiziere hervorgerufen, die weit vom Schuß fügen und deutsche Weltpolitik am Vierfeld treiben. Daß es gerade diese sind, die nicht mitgemittelt und nicht mitgeteilt haben, wirkt beruhigend, da man sich sagen muß, daß solche Leute kein Recht zum Wirbeln haben und von den Schwirrerkeiten, die die Weigerung des Krieges verurlichen, sehr wenig oder gar keinen Begriff haben.

Ganz gleich, wie der Frieden geschlossen wird, allen wird das Resultat nie recht sein, weder den Sozialisten, die gegen jede Gebietsvermehrung auf Kosten anderer Staaten sind, noch den Alldeutschen, die die ganz Europa verschlungen möchten. Der Standpunkt beider hat etwas für sich, und beide werden berücksichtigt werden, solange ihre Wünsche nicht extrem werden. Deutschland hat viele Erfahrungen mit der Einverleibung fremdprädiger Völker gemacht. Wir brauchen nur an die Schwierigkeiten in Esth-Lothringen und in Polen zu erinnern. Deutschland kann wenig daran gelegen sein, zu einer Zeit, die bewiesen hat, daß nur innere Einigkeit und das das Frei sein von heterogenen Elementen im Innern die volle Machterhaltung nach Außen möglich machen, mit neuen Fremdvölkern seine Einigkeit im Innern zu gefährden. Juden vergessen die Leute, die heute sich auf den Reichsanlagen schimpfen, weil sie befürchten, daß er einen faulen Frieden schließen möchte, daß Deutschland in den Krieg gezwungen wurde und ihn in erster Linie zum Schutze seiner Grenzen in Feindesland trug, nicht etwa um große Eroberungen zu machen. Die Sache läge anders, wenn Deutschland den Krieg vom Jaine gebrochen hätte, um fremdes Gebiet zu erobern. In einem solchen Falle würde Deutschland heute nicht in der Lage sein, den Feinden die Ganz zum Frieden zu bieten. Es müßte unbedingt weiter kämpfen, bis die Gegner am Boden lägen. Die Tatsache, daß Deutschland einen Verteidigungskrieg kämpft, entbehrt es dieser Notwendigkeit, es hatte den Krieg schon in dem Augenblick gemoinen, in dem es sich zeigte, daß es den Feinden unmöglich sei, in das deutsche Reichsgebiet einzudringen. Damit war der Verteidigungskrieg in jeder Beziehung gewonnen. Daß das deutsche Volk, glück die deutsche Regierung in die Lage versetzte sollte, Eroberungen von dem riesenhaften Umfang zu machen, wie sie gemacht wurden, hat der deutschen Regierung Pfandobjekte in die Hand gegeben, die sie gegen andere Vorteile und auch gegen die Juridifkation der verlorenen Kolonien austauschen kann.

Es ist vielleicht nicht ohne Absicht gesehen, daß Deutschland erst dann den offiziellen Vordichlag zur Verteilung des blutigen Zwiesels machte, nachdem die Lage in Südosteuropa geklärt und für Deutschland entschieden worden war: denn im Südosten und im Osten liegt der Ausgang Deutschlands zu seiner zukünftigen Macht. Das eroberte Gebiet, das sich in deutschen Händen befindet, muß nicht abfolot gegen fichtbare Vorteile sondern kann und wird auch gegen Konzeffionen ausgetauscht werden, die für Deutschland und seinen Stellung als Großmacht von viel höherem Werte sind als einige Streifen Gebiets, mögen diese nun in



A Tongue of Flame Shot Up.

and scowled; no sign in any quarter of a boat heading for the island, no telling when they'd be taken off the cursed place!

In his moutinous irritation, the screaming of the gulls, over in the west, seemed to add the final touch of annoyance, a superfluous addition to the sum of his trials. What was the matter with the addle-pated things, anyway?

There was nothing to hinder him from investigating for himself. The girl would probably sleep another hour or two. He went forthwith, dulling the keen edge of his exasperation with a rapid tramp of half a mile or so over the uneven uplands.

The screaming was well-nigh deafening by the time he stood upon the verge of the bluff; beneath him gulls clouded the air like bees swarming. And yet he experienced no difficulty in locating the cause of their excitement.

Below, a slow tide crawled, slaverling, up over the bowlder-strewn sands. In a wave-scooped depression between two of the large bowlders, the receding waters had left a little, limpid pool. In the pool lay the body of a man, face downward, limbs frightfully sprawling. Gulls fought for place upon his back.

The discovery brought with it no shock of surprise to the man on the bluff; horror alone. He seemed to have known all along that such would be the cause. But he shrank shuddering from the thought of the work that lay to his hand—work that must be accomplished at once and completely; for she must know nothing of it. She had suffered enough, as it was.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

It Can't Be Done.

You can't bring your way to the top any more than you can kill a hippopotamus with a blank cartridge.—Detroit Free Press.

Vom Schauplatz des europäischen Völkerrrieges

Die truergerischen Ereignisse sind durch die an die Entente-Mächte gerichteten Friedensvordichläge der deutschen Regierung und der anderen verbündeten Regierungen in den Hintergrund gedrängt worden. Friedenssahnungen haben schon lange und schon oft in der Zeit gelegen, aber noch nie ist es zu einer so ernstlichen Vepredung der Friedensmöglichkeiten gekommen. Friedensmöglichkeiten; denn das sind sie vorläufig noch und dürften es auch noch eine Zeitlang bleiben, selbst, wenn die Entente-Regierungen es für angebracht hielten, sich endlich mit den deutschen Vordichlägen zu beschäftigen.

Viele Wochen werden mit Vepredungen der Alliierten unter sich und einleitenden Verhandlungen ausgefüllt vergehen, so schreibt E. C. J. im "Wächter und Anzeiger", ehe man sich eingehender mit dieser Frage beschäftigen kann. Vor allen Dingen ist zu einer Vepredung der Kenntnis der Bedingungen notwendig, unter denen Deutschland den Frieden machen will. Diese sind heute noch gänzlich unbekannt, obgleich aus amtlichen und halbamtlichen Quellen viele Andeutungen über den Inhalt derselben in die Presse gelangt sind.

Man hat's B. behauptet, daß Deutschland sich mit der Streitung selbständiger Präferenzen im Osten, Polen und Litauen, begnügen und nicht auf die Einverleibung der bei bejezt gehaltenen Teile beschränken würde. Das hat den Jörn vieler Offiziere hervorgerufen, die weit vom Schuß fügen und deutsche Weltpolitik am Vierfeld treiben. Daß es gerade diese sind, die nicht mitgemittelt und nicht mitgeteilt haben, wirkt beruhigend, da man sich sagen muß, daß solche Leute kein Recht zum Wirbeln haben und von den Schwirrerkeiten, die die Weigerung des Krieges verurlichen, sehr wenig oder gar keinen Begriff haben.

Ganz gleich, wie der Frieden geschlossen wird, allen wird das Resultat nie recht sein, weder den Sozialisten, die gegen jede Gebietsvermehrung auf Kosten anderer Staaten sind, noch den Alldeutschen, die die ganz Europa verschlungen möchten. Der Standpunkt beider hat etwas für sich, und beide werden berücksichtigt werden, solange ihre Wünsche nicht extrem werden. Deutschland hat viele Erfahrungen mit der Einverleibung fremdprädiger Völker gemacht. Wir brauchen nur an die Schwierigkeiten in Esth-Lothringen und in Polen zu erinnern. Deutschland kann wenig daran gelegen sein, zu einer Zeit, die bewiesen hat, daß nur innere Einigkeit und das das Frei sein von heterogenen Elementen im Innern die volle Machterhaltung nach Außen möglich machen, mit neuen Fremdvölkern seine Einigkeit im Innern zu gefährden. Juden vergessen die Leute, die heute sich auf den Reichsanlagen schimpfen, weil sie befürchten, daß er einen faulen Frieden schließen möchte, daß Deutschland in den Krieg gezwungen wurde und ihn in erster Linie zum Schutze seiner Grenzen in Feindesland trug, nicht etwa um große Eroberungen zu machen. Die Sache läge anders, wenn Deutschland den Krieg vom Jaine gebrochen hätte, um fremdes Gebiet zu erobern. In einem solchen Falle würde Deutschland heute nicht in der Lage sein, den Feinden die Ganz zum Frieden zu bieten. Es müßte unbedingt weiter kämpfen, bis die Gegner am Boden lägen. Die Tatsache, daß Deutschland einen Verteidigungskrieg kämpft, entbehrt es dieser Notwendigkeit, es hatte den Krieg schon in dem Augenblick gemoinen, in dem es sich zeigte, daß es den Feinden unmöglich sei, in das deutsche Reichsgebiet einzudringen. Damit war der Verteidigungskrieg in jeder Beziehung gewonnen. Daß das deutsche Volk, glück die deutsche Regierung in die Lage versetzte sollte, Eroberungen von dem riesenhaften Umfang zu machen, wie sie gemacht wurden, hat der deutschen Regierung Pfandobjekte in die Hand gegeben, die sie gegen andere Vorteile und auch gegen die Juridifkation der verlorenen Kolonien austauschen kann.

Es ist vielleicht nicht ohne Absicht gesehen, daß Deutschland erst dann den offiziellen Vordichlag zur Verteilung des blutigen Zwiesels machte, nachdem die Lage in Südosteuropa geklärt und für Deutschland entschieden worden war: denn im Südosten und im Osten liegt der Ausgang Deutschlands zu seiner zukünftigen Macht. Das eroberte Gebiet, das sich in deutschen Händen befindet, muß nicht abfolot gegen fichtbare Vorteile sondern kann und wird auch gegen Konzeffionen ausgetauscht werden, die für Deutschland und seinen Stellung als Großmacht von viel höherem Werte sind als einige Streifen Gebiets, mögen diese nun in

Europa oder in den Tropen oder sonst wo liegen. England trat in den Krieg, um Deutschlands Handel und Deutschlands Weltmachtstellung zu vernichten. England sah sich in seiner Vormachtstellung im Osten Asiens bedroht. Die hat es auszuheben wollen, hat sie aber statt dessen gänzlich eingebüßt. Schon die Bagdad-Expedition zeigte, daß die deutsche Landstrategie nach dem Osten ein Dorn im Fleische Englands war, und der Angriff auf die Dardanellen, der gleichfalls fehlschlug, verfolgte denselben Zweck. England und auch Frankreich und Rußland sind hart an der Bagdad-Bahn interessiert. Die Diplomaten der genannten Länder haben lange untereinander gehandelt und geeilt, wer den Hauptanteil an der Bahn haben soll. Deutschland hat, obgleich es schließlich am härtesten an der Bahn interessiert war, nicht übermäßig gut bei diesen Verhandlungen abgeschnitten, und es wird die Gelegenheit, die dort eingebüßten Vorteile und Konzeffionen gegen Teile der Siegesbeute einzutauschen gerne ergreifen. Die Erziehung Mesopotamiens und Persiens und des ganzen Ostens durch eine Bahn, die sich unter deutscher Kontrolle befindet, gibt Deutschland den Platz an der Sonne, nach dem es sich seit vielen Jahren gesehnt hat. Er ist des Kampfes wohl wert gewesen.

Auch darf man nicht vergessen, daß Deutschland infolge seines Sieges die unbestrittene Führung in Europa erlangt hat. Sein Wunsch, und nicht der der Entente, wird von jetzt ab in Europa der maßgebende sein, und sein Wort wird entscheidend ins Gewicht fallen. Deutschland wird freier atmen und seinen friedlichen Vepredungen auf kulturellem, kommerziellen und industriellen Gebiete frei nachgehen können. Das ist erreicht worden und kann ihm nicht mehr genommen werden. Der mitteleuropäische Wlad, das letzte und lächerliche Staatsapparat der modernen Zeit unter Deutschlands Führung, ist ein Siegespreis, der des Schweißes und Blutes der Völkern wohl wert gewesen ist. Darüber können sich selbst die Rögler nicht hinwegsetzen.

Und an der Festigung dieses Hofes wird trotz der Friedensgerüchte, die wie Frühlingsschütte über die Schlachtfelder Europas ziehen, ruhig weitergearbeitet. In Rumänien schaffen Madonjens Heere die letzten Hindernisse, die diesem Wlode zur Seite liegen, aus dem Wege. Rumänien, nun fast gänzlich in deutschen Händen, wird sich der Kontrolle der Zentralmächte nie wieder entziehen können.

Mögen die Häuser der Entente-Presse toben, mögen die Franzosen die Deutschen bei Verbund zurückdrängen und mögen die Führer der Alliierten noch so oft beteuern, daß sie nicht befiegt sind, die Tatsache, daß Deutschland gefiegt hat und daß der Sieg mit jedem Tage noch wächst, vermögen sie dadurch nicht aus der Welt zu schaffen.

Seute läßt das deutsche Friedensangebot ihnen noch den Schein einer Wahl von Vordichlägen, morgen werden sie auch diese verdirzt haben; heute mögen sie feilweise, wenn auch schwärzchend, nach aufrecht stehen, morgen werden sie ganz am Boden liegen.

Seiden des nahen Friedens. New York. Schritte, die deutsche Schiffs-Interessen unternehmen, erfolgten in der offenkundigen Annahme, daß der Frieden nahe ist. Die hiesigen Bureaus der zwei großen deutschen transatlantischen Linien erklärten, sie hätten Instruktionen erhalten, Frachtpolitik für den Seebund von New York nach Deutschland, nach Aufnahme unseres regulären Dienstes abzuschließen.

Die Hamburg-Amerika-Linie gab folgendes bekannt: "Es freut uns, ankündigen zu können, daß wir jetzt bereit sind, Fracht-Engagements von den Ver. Staaten nach Hamburg zur Verbindung nach Wiederaufnahme unseres regulären Dienstes nach Friedensschluß oder zu solch früherer Zeit, als die Hindernisse für solche Wiederaufnahme beseitigt sind, zu treffen."

Eine ähnliche Notiz ging von den Bureaus des Norddeutschen Wlods aus. Es heißt, daß solche Kontrakte sein Datum garantieren und fangeltiert werden mögen, wenn Verhältnisse ihre Einhaltung verhüten sollten.

Nur tiefes Schweigen vernachbar. Was hat eigentlich die anglo-amerikanische Presse, die sich die Aufrichtung der britischen Spionia Wlad Casell in Brüssel, zu der Erziehung einer angeblichen deutschen Spionia in Marzelle gesagt? Was zu der durch französische Armeebefehl nach gemietenen Tätigkeit der "Nettopress", die mit Revolver und Messer deutsche Gefangene und Verwundete umbringen müssen. — Daselbe wie zu den russischen Grenzeln in Dityren und Galizien. Nämlich nichts. Es sind ihre Kulturträger.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Do not be troubled because you have not great virtue. God made a million spears of grass where he made one tree. The earth is fringed and carpeted not with forests but with grasses. Only have enough of little virtues and common abilities and you need not mourn because you are neither a hero nor saint. — Henry Ward Beecher.

AUSTRIAN RECIPES.

For occasions it is pleasant to depart from the usual and enjoy some of the dishes that our cousins across the water use daily.

Austrian Dessert Coffee.—Make a regular strong drip coffee, adding sugar and cream while hot, then set away to cool. Place on ice, and when cold serve in cups with a teaspoonful of vanilla ice cream in each cup.

Coffee Cup.—To a pint of strong coffee strained through linen, add one-third of a teaspoonful of almond flavoring and beat to the boiling point in a double boiler. Add two beaten egg yolks, two tablespoonfuls of cream and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Stir until it thickens to a custard, remove and cool, pour into a serving pitcher with a pint of sweetened, ice cold whipped cream, a quart bottle of charged water and a pint of shaved ice. Serve by placing in tall glasses some shaved ice, then some of the coffee, then twice the quantity of charged water, and on top of this the cream.

Fried Chicken.—Prepare a chicken as for frying, marinate for three hours in lemon juice and olive oil with herbs to season. Drain and place each piece in beaten egg, well seasoned with salt and pepper, then in crumbs; fry in deep fat. Drain and place on a serving platter and pour around it sauce made of half a pint each of milk, chicken or veal stock, thickened with the yolk of egg, seasoned with parsley and lemon juice and mixed with a dozen mushrooms quartered.

Chocolate Schnitten.—Melt and strain one-fourth of a pound of butter and add, one at a time, four eggs, beating thoroughly as each egg is added. Add a half cupful of sugar to the butter and eggs, then add a half pound of softened chocolate, chopped raisins, almonds and currants to taste, then a cupful of sifted flour. Bake in a shallow greased pan in a slow oven until done.

Celery in short lengths filled with lightly seasoned cream cheese is a dainty relish to add to any menu.

O helpless body of hickory tree, What do I burn in burning thee? Summers of sun, winters of snow, Springs full of sap's restless flow, O strong white body of hickory tree, How dare I burn all these in thee? —Helen Hunt Jackson.

MORE GOOD DISHES. Dates as nutritious food are not well appreciated; they have more heat units pound for pound than beef and cost much less.

Oatmeal Date Cookies.—Take two cupfuls of oatmeal, a cupful of shortening, two cupfuls of brown sugar, a half cupful of water and a teaspoonful of soda; flour to make a soft dough. Roll out as thin as possible and cut with a cookie cutter. Put two cookies together with this filling before baking: One pound of dates, chopped, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and a little hot water to mix, but do not cook. The oatmeal if browned in the oven will make much more appetizing cookies.

Date Waffles.—Take a pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a half-teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and a cupful and a fourth of milk. Stir in three tablespoonfuls of cornmeal and the stiffly-beaten whites of two eggs, and a cupful of chopped dates. Spread with honey when serving.

Potato Salad.—Boil eight potatoes in their skins, puttag them into boiling salted water. Cook until they may be easily pierced with a fork, peel and cut into dice white hot. Add three tablespoonfuls of grated onion and a tablespoonful of chopped parsley. Make a French dressing in the proportion of three of oil and one of vinegar, (using tarragon vinegar), season with salt and pepper. Pour a liberal quantity of the dressing over the potatoes and after mixing well let stand a few hours to thoroughly season. This salad is better made the day before using.

Chestnut Salad.—Shell and blanch the nuts, boil until tender, drain and peel. Add an equal quantity of chopped celery and some bits of pimento; mix all together with mayonnaise dressing. Old-fashioned tarts are always a dainty enjoyed by all and they may be made from leftover pastry.

Tomato Salad.—A thick slice of tomato placed on lettuce, on top of each slice, finely chopped celery and green peppers with a blanched almond or two. Serve with a rich boiled dressing or with mayonnaise.

Coconut Candy.—Take a cupful of molasses, two-thirds of a cupful of milk, two tablespoonfuls of butter, all boiled until it hardens in water; then stir up a cupful of fresh grated coconut, if possible, although the dry grated coconut may be used.

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Popped Out at the Popping. Aunt—I suppose, Edith, you said "This is so sudden!" when Mr. Slow-boy proposed. Niece—No; I fully intended to, but I was so excited I forgot and exclaimed "At last!" —Boston Evening Transcript.

DANDRUFF AND ITCHING

Disappear With Use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment—Trial Free. The first thing in restoring dry, falling hair is to get rid of dandruff and itching. Rub Cuticura Ointment into scalp, next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Prevent skin and scalp troubles by making Cuticura your everyday toilet preparation. Free sample each by mail with Book. Address Postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Sausage Skins of Silk.

The packing of sausage meat in the old way has long been an objectionable proceeding to fastidious persons. It also has been declared insanitary, so that many families have tabooed the link sausage. Now thin silk cases are being provided, which can be sterilized to the last degree of sanitation. Being of chiffonlike texture, they would hardly be noticed if taken into the mouth, although they can be easily removed at the table. These thin silk cases can be supplied at a cost little greater than the sausage skins now in use and are proof against the attack of vermin.

SOUR, ACID STOMACHS, GASES OR INDIGESTION

Each "Pape's Diapiesin" digests 3000 grains food, ending all stomach misery in five minutes. Time It! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache. Pape's Diapiesin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest stomach remedy in the whole world and besides it is harmless. Put an end to stomach trouble forever by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder. It's the quickest, surest, and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.—Adv.

Guessed Wrong.

Two sober citizens met on a street in Babylon. "You and I will live to see the day when this dancing craze will end," said the first sober citizen. "I don't doubt it," answered the second sober citizen. "The world will soon outgrow such madness."

Only One "BROMO QUININE" To get the genuine, call for full name L. L. LITTLE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE. Cures a Cold in One Day. See.

Not Worth Much. "I have just been listening to a war expert talk." "Get much information?" "A great deal, but I'm afraid it is just about as reliable as the average weather prediction."

GIVE "SYRUP OF FIGS" TO CONSTIPATED CHILD Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender Little Stomach, Liver and Bowels. Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, has sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently flows out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.—Adv.

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LEAVE IT TO THE POLICE OFFICERS TO FIND OUT ABOUT QUALITY TOBACCO.



YOU notice a fine regard for appearance among the officers from Roundsmen to Captain—that's one reason they are so keen for W-B CUT Chewing. The pass-word among these gentlemanly fellows is "If you won't take a little chew don't take any." No need to disfigure the face, when a nibble of rich tobacco gives more satisfaction than a wad of ordinary stuff—also less grinding and spitting. Take a tip from the officer on W-B.

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**CAMPBELLSPORT.**

A Tripp was a caller here Saturday.

John Senn was a week end visitor here.

W. J. Nast of Eden was a caller here Tuesday.

C. Cole called on friends here over Sunday.

J. Braun called on friends at Kewaskum Thursday.

F. Griminger was a caller at Kewaskum Thursday.

H. Turner was a business caller at Milwaukee Saturday.

Walter Bronk of Oshkosh visited friends here Monday.

J. Bell was a business caller at Fond du Lac Thursday.

Miss E. Hodge called on friends at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Jos. Majerus was a business caller at West Bend Saturday.

M. Theisen was a business caller at Fond du Lac Wednesday.

J. J. O'Connell was a business caller at Milwaukee Thursday.

Miss Agnes Cole is spending a few days with friends at Eden.

Miss Mary Pesch visited relatives at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Reinhold Weber visited friends at Milwaukee Sunday and Monday.

L. Schimmelpennig was a business caller at Milwaukee Thursday.

John Flynn of Milwaukee spent New Years with his parents here.

Jos. Meixner was a business caller at Milwaukee Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mueller are visiting relatives at Milwaukee this week.

Miss Salome Tiss of Kewaskum spent Monday with the John Paas family.

Dr. and Mrs. Gregory Hoffman of Hartford visited relatives here Monday.

E. Flanagan and daughter of Milwaukee called on friends here last week.

J. Hodge and H. Foreman called at Kewaskum the latter part of the week.

Albert Fritz of Clintonville spent several days with the H. A. Wrucke family.

Mrs. P. Burkhardt and daughter Alice called on friends at Fond du Lac Friday.

Miss G. Wenzel, E. Zink and Mrs. A. Haffner were callers at Fond du Lac Thursday.

Nic. Schaefer spent over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schaefer here.

Mrs. R. E. Flood and son, Bob spent several days with the James E. Ware family.

A. Senn, W. Warden and W. Majerus looked after business at Elmore Saturday.

Miss Gretchen Paas returned Tuesday from several days' visit at Fond du Lac.

L. Hoffman spent New Years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hoffman here.

J. L. Gudex, F. Loomis and Mrs. A. Senn called on friends at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Miss Della Lauffer returned to Milwaukee Monday after a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Leona Ulrich of Milwaukee is spending several days with her mother, Mrs. C. P. Ulrich.

Miss Louise Zenk of Milwaukee spent Monday with her brother, Rev. Wm. Zenk and family.

Miss Ella Mahoney of Fond du Lac spent Sunday with Mrs. Genevieve Hoffman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haessly and family of West Bend visited relatives here Sunday and Monday.

Miss Frances Strachota returned to Chicago Monday after several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Kohler.

Miss Jennie Paas returned to Fond du Lac Tuesday after a week's visit with the John Paas family.

Leo Hall left Tuesday for Fond du Lac where he will accept a position with the Ruppig Leather Company.

P. Bahling, A. Buslaff, R. Raymond, Aug. Tunn and J. Pelzeu were business callers at Fond du Lac Friday.

The Misses Manilla Klessig and Luella Schurr of Kewaskum spent Sunday evening with the John Paas family.

Frank Hannich of Milwaukee and Henry Hannich of Sun Prairie are spending a few days at the home of B. Ulrich.

Mrs. John Guepe of Fond du Lac and Miss Mary Dana of New York spent Saturday and Sunday with

Mrs. Magdalene Guepe.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Arimond and son Carol, returned to Milwaukee Monday after a week's visit with the Patrick Flynn family.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Hill, Miss E. Powers, Miss Bertha Smith L. Brown, E. Stack were pleasant callers at Fond du Lac Saturday.

F. Enfield, Mr. and Mrs. August Tunn, Mrs. J. Bentz, F. Curran and Ray Hendricks were business callers at Fond du Lac Monday.

Mrs. A. Ludwig, Mr. and Mrs. E. Senn, W. Knickel, S. Tuttle, Nic. Hort and A. Hilbert were business callers at Fond du Lac Wednesday.

Miss Lola Brown returned to Appleton and Miss Elizada Brown to Chicago Heights Tuesday after a week's visit with the John Paas family.

**FIVE CORNERS**

Fred Schleif was a Dundee caller Wednesday.

Miss Lucile Harter was a Fond du Lac caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schleif visited the Peter Senn family Monday.

Fred Schleif and sister, Rose were West Bend visitors Tuesday.

Miss Lucile Harter spent the latter part of last week with relatives at Kewaskum.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Kewaskum were callers at the Chris. Hall home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hall were guests of Al. Schaefer and family at Kewaskum on New Years Day.

Gust Uke and family of Campbellsport visited with Chas. Rauch and family New Years Day.

John Klein and family of Kewaskum were guests of the Jac. Ferber family on New Years Day.

Misses Hilda Bohland and Lena Mueller of Elmore were guests of the Wm. Schleif family on New Years Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schleif and daughters Norma and Laura were guests of the Math. Hill family last Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Litscher and children spent the latter part of last week with the Wm. Ferber family and other relatives.

Oscar Glass and family, William Wessenberg of Bloomer, Walter Schleif and R. A. Hendricks were Sunny Hillside callers Sunday.

The E. Rauch family, Wm. Edwards family and John Braun and family celebrated Sylvester Eve with the George Rauch family.

**CEDAR LAWN**

Jos. Calhoun spent New Years at Campbellsport.

Mrs. P. A. Kraemer is ill with an attack of the grippe.

Miss Ella Will of St. Cloud visited friends here last week.

Charles Hughes made a business trip to Mitchell last Monday.

August Hoerth is rebuilding the south wing of his residence.

Leonard Gudex made a business trip to West Bend Wednesday.

August Hoerth made a business trip to Fond du Lac Wednesday.

Albert Seefeld attended the New Years dance at Eden last Monday evening.

Samuel Gudex of North Osceola was a business caller here on New Years Day.

Mrs. Samuel Gudex of North Osceola visited at the Gudex home last Tuesday.

John Odekkirk of Campbellsport spent last Monday with his brother, Jonathan and family.

Hazel Gudex who spent a few weeks with friends at Oak Center returned home last Tuesday.

Martha Gudex and son Leonard visited with the Rauch family in South Ashford last Sunday.

August Hoerth purchased a Plymouth silo filler and feed cutter from Beisber and Jaeger of New Cassel.

Mrs. P. A. Kraemer and daughters Florence and Estella who visited friends at Fond du Lac during the past week returned home last Monday.

Leonard Gudex left for Oak Center last Monday, where he will visit his brother John Gudex and family, also his sister, Mrs. C. F. Kranke and family.

A meeting is called which will be held in the supervisors' room in the court house in Fond du Lac on Tuesday, January 9, at 10:30 a. m. for the purpose of organizing a National Farm Loan Association, some but actual farmers can become members. The Farm Loan banks have been ordered established in Wisconsin in the seventh district with Michigan, Minnesota and North Dakota. The bank for this district is to be in St. Paul.

**ELMORE**

Mike Weis is laid up with tonsillitis.

Miss Johanna Scheid returned to Milwaukee Tuesday.

Franklin and Nora Geidel were to Kewaskum Thursday.

Wm. Becker of Auburndale spent Sunday with relatives here.

Miss Margaret Schill spent a few days with friends at Knowles.

Olive Schuermann spent the past week with the Wm. Zielke family.

Henrietta and Golda Dezenhardt spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schill.

Frank Kleinhaus left Thursday for a few days visit with relatives at Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frey spent Sylvester Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Rusch spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Jac. and family.

Esther and Dorothy Reinhardt of Milwaukee spent several days with relatives here.

Hilda Bohland and Lena Mueller spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schleif and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Volke and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Geidel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Reinhardt and family spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Butchlich spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Klocke spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rusch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spradow and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Backhaus and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schaub Sr. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Jr. and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Klocke and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schmidt and family at Kewaskum.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilian Flasch and family of St. Kilian spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Becker and family.

Helen Mathieu and Roland Schroeder of Milwaukee spent Sunday and Monday at the Frank Mathieu home.

Frank Kleinhaus Sr. returned home Sunday from a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. Kohn at New Prospect.

Clarence, Susan and Johanna Scheid and Alfred Geidel spent Sunday evening with the Otto Backhaus family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus, Uke and family of Campbellsport spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scheumann and family.

Chas. and Lily Bartel, Linda and Olive Rusch spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Roman Backhaus and family at Kewaskum.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Becker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sabisch and family visited with Chris Becker and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Mothien and family, Miss Amy Kaiser of South Elmore spent Monday afternoon with the Frank Mathieu family.

Mrs. M. Braasch of Milwaukee, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Volke and son William visited with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Jr., Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Volke and son William and Mrs. Braasch of Milwaukee spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Geidel and family.

Henry Rathman of Milwaukee spent Wednesday here. He was accompanied home by his daughter, Mabel, who spent the past two months here with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kleinhaus and son Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. P. Biegel and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strubing spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. And. Beisber and family at St. Kilian.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rusch and son Carol of Ripon, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ward of Milwaukee, Olive Rusch of Kewaskum, Lily Bartel, Ruth Scheid, Lottie Johnson, Ed Martin, Charles Bartel and John Hughes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Rusch and family.

The following were guests at the home of George Rauch Sunday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Elvir Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rauch and son Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Edwards and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Braun and son Harold and daughter, Irma, Helena and Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Gantenbein Jr. and children, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Geidel and children, Herbert Schmidt, Henry Garrigan, Miss Elsie Doms of Fond du Lac and Mrs. Eickerman of Milwaukee, spent New Years day with Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Volke and family.

**WAUCOUSTA**

School reopened here Tuesday after a week's vacation.

Roosa Buslaff is visiting friends at Armstrong for a few days.

Martin Engels of Milwaukee spent Sunday with friends here.

A. C. Buslaff went to Milwaukee Sunday to spend a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson have returned from their honeymoon trip.

Mrs. Pauline Rosenbaum, who was taken seriously ill a week ago is on her way to recovery.

Mrs. Frank Burnett and children left Saturday for Milwaukee to visit relatives for a few days.

Louis Buslaff and sisters Hattie and Carrie went to Lomira Tuesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Florence White, who is teaching school in the northern part of the state, is spending two weeks vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wachs and daughter Marcella and Miss Anna Wachs of Chicago spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ramchun at Dundee.

**DOOLIN EXTOLS THE LAD CUDAHY**

"I do be harin' grate news about th' record that John Cudahy, th' Dimmy-eratic candidate for lieutenant govnor, is makin' thru th' state," said Doolin, the blacksmith, to his friend Gilhooly the janitor.

"Begorry and yer richt about that, Tim and no mistake," said Mike. "I'm proud I am of that laddybuck, not because he's me frind—for he's a frind av ivry poor hard worrukman—but because he has proved a tower av strength to th' Dimmyeratic ticket to Wisconsin."

"D'ye believe me Tim, but he didn't want to git into th' perlitikal arena as me frind Bill Bryan sez, but th' insistence av his frinds prayvailed and he accepted th' nomination. I tell ye it's sum honor to be proud av, for such a young man to be nominated for lieutenant govnor and 'tis a foine record a man must hev to git ricognishun to git second place on a state ticket."

"But th' divil a bit proud wuz he—I don't believe he knows th' mainin av th' worrud pride. I wuz talkin' to him wan day about th' grate honor, and if ye'll believe me, he cut me off. 'D'ye know, Mike,' sez he, 'that I hev niver guv th' perlitikal field not avin a scatterin' glance until this present elictshun. I hev always felt that in th' perfishshun av law which I hev adopted, I cud do more good for the poor man thin all th' perlitikal offices I cud howld from now till doom's day. I'll tell ye a secret, Mike, if ye promise me ye won't breathe it to a mother's sowl. I'd prayver to be known truthfully as the poor man's attorney—a man who th' poor cud cum to wid confydence, to help them in their troubles. I wud much prayver to have th' admirashun, blissins and respect av sufferin' humanity thin to be govnor av two states and to hev an honorable discharge from th' ar my after th' capchure av San Wanny Hill!'"

"He sez all this to me wid a kind av smole on his good natured face and I cud not help but think, me b'ye ye wud be able to howld two govnor's posishuns but ye'd niver be a ginal in th' ar my for ye are too gintle and too good natured to inflict a wound on any feller bain'."

"Begorra, Mike, but that's th' threst worruds ye iver spoke," said Doolin. "But ye are mistak if ye believe that he is too good natured to be a ginal. I'd hate loike th' divil to be an imperor av a down trodden paple—wid yer frind Cudahy near by wid an ar my av avingers. He'd fight from th' way I hurrd him go atther th' capitalists and the mine owners down in Mexico. 'Twas th' foineest spach I iver hurrd in me bor rn days."

"I hurrd him, meself, on th' Mexico sittoashun and th' way he lashed it into thim Rayppoblicans for shoutin' intervintashun in Mexico, wud make a man wid th' bives smile on his mother-in-law whin she comes for a three-months visit."

"Th' Rayppoblicans declare," sez he, "that we shud intervene in Mexico and thus preserve th' interests av th' big buccos that hev a noomber av minin' interests and other finanshal interests there that they stole from th' Mexicans. Th' Mexicans natcharly hev a kind av fallin' for us loike a bucco hez for th' frind that hes lint him money—only wor rse. Thim grassers can't be blamed," sez he, "for batin' us loike the divil for this reason. A noomber av Americans wint down there and grabbed up all their valuable land and thin whin there is danger av th' Mexicans gittin' their land back, th' bold Americans stand a wireless misange to Woodrow Wilson to send down an ar my av Americans to pravyint th' Mexicans from cuttin' th' throat av Prsidint Madero, th' man who put Huerta on his fate and med him a ginal in his ar my."

"Th' Rayppoblicans wud hev Prsidint Wilson recognize this assassin and enfold him in safe-ty under th' stars and str stripes, th' imblems av a free paple who hev niver bin a vindictive foe to any sufferin' nashun, but hev always extended th' ginrous hand av welcome to ivry wan that is clane av heart and desolres to mek an honorable livin' and abide by th' laws av th' country."

"He hed thim in tears as he pictured th' woes and th' disolashun, th' wallins and hear it throbs that wud be hurrd if America wuz hur rled into this turbile war wid Mexico. He showed thim now impossible etch a war wud be and what wud be th' disastrous results in sendin' th' flower av our youth to shure death—for what? To avinge th' insults to th' Americans because th' property that they stole from th' grassers wuz in tur on bein' stolen back again by th' rale owners."

"Hughes backed up by th' bucco Teddy," sez th' spaker, "wud hev this gran nd country deludged in rivers av blood just for th' sake av fightin'."

"What good wud intervintshun be," sez he. "Thim Mexicans hev bin havin riv loushuns among thimselfs for years and years and they'll fight as long as th' Lorrud javes breath in their bodies," sez he. "They wud be delighted to sample sun av th' blood av th' Gringoes as they call us. Americans list for a chance av excitement. Imagine this country or any other country tryin' to pacify or to civilize that congregashun av fire eaters."

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**DUNDEE**

Joe. Brown is on the sick list.

J. E. Brown was a Campbellsport caller Tuesday.

Wm. Walla transacted business here Wednesday.

Aug. Kohn was a New Years visitor at Cascade.

Wm. Heberer was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mrs. J. E. Block spent a few days of last week here.

Ed. Bowen made a business trip to Fond du Lac Wednesday.

Adolph Deliege made a business trip to Kewaskum Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Henning visited at the A. Newton home Tuesday.

Geo. Kilcoyne and Herm. Krueger were Kewaskum callers Tuesday.

Patrick Gerrity of Knowles is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown spent Monday with relatives at Armstrong.

Wilbur Wittenberg visited relatives in Kewaskum Sunday and Monday.

Will Allison of Green Bay visited at the M. Calvey home New Years Day.

Dr. Morgenthroth of Kewaskum was a professional caller here on Wednesday.

Geo. Kilcoyne and Marion Gilboey transacted business at Plymouth Thursday.

Miss Lorinda Schaefer of Kewaskum spent Saturday and Sunday with the H. Wittenberg family.

Three sleigh loads of young people from this vicinity attended the New Years dance at Campbellsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Newton of Fond du Lac spent Wednesday and Thursday at the A. L. Newton home.

Chester Bendixen returned to his home in Wautoma after spending a week with Dr. and Mrs. B. A. Bendixen.

Carl Appleter of Madison is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Appeler here.

Oliver and John Brown and sisters Mabel and Edith were entertained at the J. Murray home in Mitchell Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bleck of Beechwood spent Sunday and Monday with the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith here.



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