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COUNTY DEFENSE COUNCIL

Whereas, by a federal act entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the army, etc., and for other purposes," approved August 29, 1916, provision was made for information of a council of National Defense, the purpose of which is to supervise and direct investigations and make recommendations to the President and the heads of executive departments as to the location of railroads with reference to the frontier of the United States so as to render possible expeditious concentrations of troops and supplies to points of defense; the coordination of military, industrial and commercial purposes in the location of extensive highways and branch lines of railroad; the utilization of waterways; the mobilization of military and naval resources of defense, the increase of domestic production of articles and materials essential to the support of armies and of the people during the interruption of foreign commerce; the development of sea going transportation; data as to amounts, location, methods and means of production, and availability of military supplies; the giving of information to producers and manufacturers as to the class of supplies needed by the military and other services of the government, the requirements relating thereto, and the creation of relations which will render possible in time of need the immediate concentration and utilization of resources of the nation.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above comprehensive Council of National Defense has been organized to carry out its purposes and objects within the state of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the county of Washington is a definite unit of the State of Wisconsin, and

WHEREAS, the President of our country has on April sixteenth of this year by National Proclamation urged our citizens to co-ordinate all their efforts in single units so as to aid him as Commander in Chief of our forces;

Therefore, in order to facilitate the National Defense a county council be and hereby is organized, the members of which shall be the Washington County Defense Council with authority and direction to notify the National and the State Councils of Defense of its organization and its readiness to aid and carry out any and all requests or orders from them.

The general plan of the Washington County Council of Defense shall be necessary to bring about the highest effectiveness in the national crisis now existing and to co-ordinate all activities arising within our city those of the Federal Government and our state so that this central committee may become a clearing house for all work required to be done in Washington county by our citizens.

1. Agriculture; 2. Labor; 3. Manufacturing; 4. Commerce and Business; 5. Transportation and Communication; 6. Banker; 7. The Press; 8. Patriotic Organizations; 9. Women's Organization and Red Cross; 10. Physicians; 11. Education; 12. Five Members at Large.

MEN OF GERMAN DESCENT PROVE LOYAL

That men of German descent are demonstrating their loyalty more than men of other nationalities, was shown by figures compiled by the navy recruiting officials of Milwaukee. According to Milwaukee papers out of 250 applicants examined for enlistment, by classifying the men as to nationality when either one of the parents or both were born in a foreign country, the following results were obtained:

German—37 per cent.
American—31 per cent.
Norwegian—7 per cent.
Polish—5 per cent.
Canadian—3 per cent.
Danish—3 per cent.
Irish—2 per cent.
Scattering—10 per cent.

Out of 134 applicants for admission to the navy, 57 were the sons of parents born in Germany and only 9 were sons of parents born in countries now fighting Germany.

Kedinger-Fellenz Nuptials

The marriage of Cornelius Fellenz, son of John Fellenz of the town of Auburn, and Miss Mary Kedinger of Ashford, was solemnized on Tuesday, May 1st, 1917, at the St. Matthew's church, in Campbellsport, Wis. Rev. B. July performing the ceremony.

The young couple was attended by Miss Stella Kedinger, as maid of honor, and Catherine Guldan as bridesmaid, while Silverius Fellenz was best man, and Raymond Kedinger acted as usher.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white satin with pearl trimmings. She wore a veil and carried a prayer book. The maid of honor wore a pink silk dress trimmed with shadow lace, and carried red roses, while the bridesmaid was gowned in a pink voile and carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where a wedding breakfast was served to immediate relatives and friends.

The newly weds left Wednesday for a short wedding trip to Marshfield. Upon their return they will go to house keeping on the groom's farm near Campbellsport, where they will be at home to their friends after June 1st.

The Statesman joins with their friends in wishing them much success in their married life.

Library Notes

The following articles of interest are in this month's Current Opinion and Atlantic Monthly:
Getting a Democratic Nation Ready for War.
Must We Resort to Conscription?
A Counterfeit Revolution in Germany.
Billy Sunday Assailed.
Our Most Imaginative Painter.
The Janitor Who Became the First Great Poet in France.
The Rumored Peace in the Light of Military Situation.
A True Story—Dr. Mutter Atlantic Monthly—
A Little Look at the People, Ida Tarbell.
National Independence and Internationalism by B. Russell.
Twenty-five Years in Residence by Wm. Tucker.
Our American Plan for Enforcing Peace by Pollock.
Japan and United States by Kawakami.
Nicaragua and the United States by Wicker.
The Great War.
From the Land of the Living Dead.
At the Enemy's Mercy.
The Machine Gun Destroyers.

Married at Wabeno

Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock was celebrated the marriage of Miss Mabel Rummel and William Buntz at the German Lutheran church, Rev. Kaehler officiating. Miss Ella Rummel and Miss Louise Rummel were the bridesmaids and E. Rummel and John Helme groomsmen. The wedding ceremony was attended by many friends of the contracting parties. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents west of the town. Various games and amusements were indulged in and all had a delightful time. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rummel and the groom owns a farm west of town where they will reside. Both have many friends who join in wishing them happiness and prosperity.—Wabeno Advertiser.

Keep the little ones healthy and happy. Their tender, sensitive bodies require a gentle, healing, harmless remedy in the spring. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Teas is a safe, tonic remedy, thorough and injurious. 35c—Edw. C. Miller.

MANY PRETTY WEDDINGS THE PAST WEEK

Eggert-Bremsner-Goll
A very pretty double wedding was solemnized last week Saturday, April 28th, by Rev. Mohme, when Miss Mary Eggert of the town of Barton became the wife of Mr. Martin Bremsner of St. Michaels, and Miss Anna Eggert also of the town of Barton, became the wife of Mr. Arthur Goll of Milwaukee.

The brides are twin sisters and were dressed alike, wearing beautiful gowns of white silk crepe de chine, trimmed with an over drap of white georgette crepe and beads, the veils were worn in cap effect, also trimmed with beads, both brides carried bouquets of wild roses, white sweet peas and maiden hair ferns.

The grooms wore blue suits. The former couple was attended by Miss Anna Bremsner, as maid of honor, who wore a yellow silk crepe de chine dress trimmed with gold lace and beads and wore a corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas and ferns with shower ribbons. Miss Alvina Eggert was the bridesmaid, wearing a light blue silk crepe de chine dress, trimmed with white georgette crepe and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Carl Eggert acted as best man and Mike Scheid as groomsmen.

The latter couple was attended by Miss Minnie Funk as maid of honor, who wore a gas light green silk crepe de chine dress trimmed with green chiffon and gold lace, and wore a corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas, ferns and shower ribbons. Miss Alvina Eggert also was the bridesmaid, while William Kertscher acted as best man and Mike Scheid as groomsmen.

After the ceremony the wedding party repaired to the home of the bride's mothers, Mrs. August Eggert, where the event was duly celebrated with only the immediate relatives and friends in attendance.

The brides are the youngest daughters of Mrs. August Eggert of the town of Barton. Mr. Bremsner is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bremsner of St. Michaels, while Mr. Goll is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goll of Milwaukee.

The brides are accomplished young ladies, who certainly will not fail to cheer the homes of the life companions they have chosen. Mr. Bremsner is well and favorably known here being an industrious young farmer. He will make his home on his farm in the town of Kewaskum, where they have already gone to house keeping.

Although Mr. Goll is not known here, we are assured that he will prove himself a model husband to the fair bride he has chosen. Mr. Goll and wife have gone to house keeping at Milwaukee.

Strobel-Kaas.
A pretty wedding was solemnized at the St. Kilian church, St. Kilian, on Monday, May 1st, 1917, when Rev. F. Fallisner united in Holy bonds of matrimony Miss Balbina Strobel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Strobel of St. Kilian, and Leo Kaas of this village.

The bride was attended by Miss Rose Kaas, sister of the groom, as maid of honor, and the Misses Cecelia Kaas, also sister of the groom and Miss Regina Werner, as bridesmaids. The groom was attended by (Gehardt Strobel, brother of the bride, as best man, and Norbert Strobel and Peter J. Haug as ushers, while Miss Eloyra Strachota was flower girl, and carried a basket of roses and lilies of the valley. Otmar Bolender was ring bearer.

The bride was dressed in a white crepe de meteor with over lace, and carried a shower bouquet of roses, lilies and sweet peas. The maid of honor was gowned in white crepe de meteor and carried a bouquet of pink roses, while the bridesmaid wore a pink crepe de chine dress and carried pink and white carnations.

After the ceremony the bridal couple repaired to the home of the bride's parents, which was beautifully decorated in green and white, and where a reception was held to only near relatives and friends.

The bride is one of St. Kilian's most esteemed young ladies, her pleasant and kind disposition has won for her countless friends. The groom is one of Kewaskum's prominent young men, he at one time was employed by the Rawleigh Medicine Co.

The young couple will be at home to their many friends on the groom's farm at New Fame after June 1st.

Weddig-Gomering.
A very quiet wedding took place last week Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Ev. Peace parsonage, in this village, when Rev. Mohme united in marriage Miss Helga Weddig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weddig of the town of Kewaskum and Frank Gomering.

"A Call to The People of Washington County"

As officers of the newly organized Washington County Defense Council, we deem it our duty to call upon the people of Washington county to respond in whatever need is required to win this great and destructive war, which this country has recently entered. One of the important factors to win this great conflict will be the united action on the part of our people for increasing and conserving the food supplies of our country. We, therefore, urgently suggest and request that all available acreage and space be utilized for producing the foods. The tilling of the soil is very important. Neglect on the people's part at this time to obtain the best results would indicate a lack of patriotism. Men, women, boys and girls are all needed. No one should shirk his or her duty. Seeding time is here, we beg all to take advantage of it.

Washington County Defense Council
J. H. G. Lieven, Chairman
Geo. H. Schmidt Sec'y

Adds to Contributions

James B. Day turned over \$500 last week to the Wisconsin Defense League, with headquarters in Milwaukee. This sum was collected by Mr. Day in this city, and was raised without difficulty among a number of the business men.

This week Mr. Day received a letter from headquarters acknowledging the sum, and thanking him and our city for what it termed the splendid response to the nation's needs.—Hartford Press.

Receives Serious Injuries

Fischer Jewson, 361 North Main street, Fond du Lac was badly injured Monday morning at Lake Side Park when a sweep attached to a capstan was suddenly released from a strain, and swinging back struck Mr. Jewson on the hand and hip. He was knocked unconscious, and the hand was cut in such a manner that several stitches were required to close the wound. Mr. Jewson was engaged in hauling a boat out of the lake at the time. A chain which a horse was hooked to the end of the sweep snapped and the beam flew around striking Mr. Jewson before he could get out of the way. His condition is said to be quite serious.



The following recruits from this village have answered their country's call to date:

- ARMY**
Ralph Petri
Chas. Guth
Edw. Backhaus
Emerson Olwin
Alfred Meinecke
John Meinecke
Walter Mathieu
Robert Backhaus
Leo Harter
Gregor Harter
Dennis McCullough
Arnold Hanson

MARINE CORPS
Jack Tassar
Edward W. Miller

SIGNAL CORPS
Theodore Schmidt
Carl Schaefer
Walter Schaefer
Maurice Rosenheimer
Adolph Rosenheimer

MEDICAL RESERVE
Alten Altenhofen
RED CROSS
Thirty-five members
*Rejected

COUNTY PIONEER CALLED BY DEATH

John Wenzel, former supervisor and assessor of Campbellsport, a resident of the village for over half a century, and one of the best known farmers of Fond du Lac county, died at 12:30 Friday, aged 84 years.

Mr. Wenzel was born at Barnstedt, Germany, April 29, 1832 and in 1848 went with his parents to German East Africa, where he lived for two years. He immigrated to this country from Germany in 1852 and in the same year located in the town of Ashford, later moving to Campbellsport. He served as assessor of Campbellsport for ten years. He was also a director in the Campbellsport Insurance company.

Surviving are four sons, John and David of Campbellsport; Hy. of Milwaukee, and William of Tracy, Minn., and three daughters, Mrs. Bena Bohs and Mrs. Maria Klotz, of Campbellsport, and Mrs. Charlotte Rhodes of Bradley, South Dakota.

The services were held at Campbellsport last Monday, and were very largely attended. Mr. Wenzel was very well and favorably known throughout this section of the country.

To Assist Shipping Board

Congressman Voigt has received a communication from the Department of Labor at Washington reading as follows:

The Department of Labor has undertaken to assist the Shipping Board in securing help for its task of constructing wooden vessels. The Board will need experienced ship carpenters, shipwrights, millwrights, bridge builders, deck workers, joiners, caulkers and men who are handy with an adze and can quickly learn the heavier work of a shipyard.

It also has made an agreement with the Department of Agriculture to assist in the work of securing farm workers. The Department of Agriculture is to find where such workers are needed; the Department of Labor to find the workers.

Persons desiring employment as above, should write to the Department of Labor, Washington, D. C. giving age, experience and post office address.

How to Get Good Wheat Crop

What to sow.—Use good seed—Marquis, Elite and Blue Stem are the best varieties.

Where to get seed.—Get seed from your local dealer, or the large seed firms, or inquire of the Secretary of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Association, Madison.

When to sow.—Sow spring wheat just as early as you can get the seed bed prepared. Fall plowed land is the best.

How to sow.—Sow one and one-half bushels to the acre. The properly prepared seed bed should have a dust mulch on top which will warm the soil and prevent the evaporation of the moisture. Working with the disk, spring-tooth harrow, or cultivator, following by a smoothing harrow is usually sufficient to put the seed bed in good shape.

CLEAR AWAY THE WASTE

Bowel regularity is the secret of good health, bright eyes, clear complexion, and Dr. King's New Life Pills are a mild and gentle laxative that regulates the bowels and relieves the congested intestines by removing the accumulated wastes without griping. Take a pill before retiring and that feeling of fullness and spring fever feeling disappears. Get Dr. King's New Life Pills at your druggist, 25c.

To Whom it May Concern

I wish to notify all my friends and patrons that I have engaged the services of Mr. Robert Polk, who is well and favorably known to all, to manage my saloon business for a period of fourteen months. I still retain the ownership of the business and desire to leave you all give Mr. Polk the liberal patronage you have accorded me in the past.

Clas. C. Schaefer

Amusements

Sunday, May 13—Grand opening dance in the North Side Park hall. Wait for this dance as it is going to be a lummer.

Sunday, May 27—Grand Opening dance in the South Side Park. Music by Kewaskum Quintette. All are invited to attend.

Sunday, June 3—Grand ball in the North Side Park hall. Music by Gibson's Harp orchestra of Appleton. Everyone invited.

Retraction!

I, Nick Rheinanz, do agree to put in the Kewaskum Statesman, this week, that I retract all I said against Peter Schield and Frank Kudek. I will retract all I said against Lem and the same was mis-quoted.

Dated April 28, 1917.
Nick Rheinanz.

REAL LIFE OF A SOLDIER IN THE REGULAR ARMY

Men of letters, who write from theory and not from observation, pacifists, anti-militarists and the like, have for years written, lectured and conversed on the great gulf which exists in the American army, between the officers and the enlisted men and non-commissioned officers. They have declared the spirit is undemocratic.

After a personal study of real life in the army, brief, but thorough, I am willing to declare unhesitatingly that this gulf is a figment in the imagination of the anti-army, peace at any price publicist who does not know whereof he speaks.

There is no disciplinary difference between the officer and the enlisted man, or the non-commissioned officer. The distinction is no more than disciplinary. The real relation is no different from that of superior and subordinate in any factory, office or other business organization.

Under an assignment to see what I could see and to write just what I saw, I visited the regular army camp of the Sixteenth Infantry at El Paso, Tex., on the Mexican border. Expecting to be forced to write some criticism of the relations between officers and men, I found nothing to criticize.

First of all, what struck me was the type of men in the army. They were picked men, erect, clear-eyed, proud of the uniform of Uncle Sam. They were not the "lower classes". They were regular fellows, with a pride in the service such as few men attain in their jobs in civil life.

I was the guest of an officer, and of the men alike, during my stay. I ate army food, at the officers table, and with the enlisted men. There was little difference, what difference there was being due to the fact that the officers paid personally for such little luxuries as they wished.

Lieut. Jones took me through the camp. Officers' row, faced the ends of the line of company streets. Each street was composed of large tents, holding a squad each, floods high above the ground, screened, so that there could be air in warm weather, and yet so tight built that each tent would be cold-proof in case of bad weather. Each company had its mess house kitchen at one end, with rows of tables, each with its set-up of plain, serviceable dishes.

Lieut. Jones took me to a company headquarters tent, and there the first sergeant, a man with his hair tinged with gray stood at attention, but relaxed as the officer said good morning. Sergeant, I was introduced to the sergeant who broke me in, as the lieutenant phrased it, income sergeant had taken the "shave tail" lieutenant, as they call young officers and taught him the practical side of a soldier's life, when the young officer, fresh from West Point had entered the regiment. Between the two there was no great gulf. They were more like father and son.

Later I learned that the sergeant was in the army from boyhood, almost, had saved from his pay a fortune of \$10,000, well invested. But though his income from his investments was larger than the pay of a lieutenant, he had remained in the army because he liked the service.

That is one picture of what a soldier can do in the army. His living is paid for, his clothing is bought. His pay, small though it appears to an outsider, is "comfort" to a soldier, even a private, can save \$10 a month. Do you yourself save that much, year in and year out? I can't.

There was a call for inspection. Lieut. Jones was busy loading wagons with company equipment. I found no loud, raucous orders. The lieutenant walked to a couple of men, and said: "The range-finder is back of my tent. Put it in B company wagon." There was no more noise or exaltation of authority than when a business man asks a stenographer to take a letter—not as much as there often is in the case of the stenographer. A hand waved, and a company wagon rolled off.

An inclination of the head, and another wagon rolled up to have its load finished. That was all. A private came up, saluted, said: "My I speak to you a moment, sir?" And then the private gave the lieutenant 75 cents, change I learned after a purchase the lieutenant had asked him to make when down town the day before. And did not seem like a great gulf to me.

I visited with the men. I ate with them. They were courteous gentlemen, not rough necks, talked intelligently of the regimental history, and of their own joining. I found half a dozen who were studying to take examinations for officers' commissions. I found every one of these men who had been assisted—tutored you would call it in school—by his officers, or one of them. And that did not seem like a great gulf to me.

I asked about Jones' "Billy B." we call him, a private. He's a good officer, but there are lots more of them. A man has to be good to his men to get along these days.

And I thought again, that when a superior is given a nick-name by his men, unless the name is offensive, that it is a good sign of a spirit in an organization that will win over anything.

A regular army enlisted man's

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THE HOME TOWN ALWAYS THE BEST

The size and importance of the home town is the greatest single factor influencing the value of property in the vicinity. The value of the home town to the people living in and near it has been told, and retold, on every possible occasion and in all sorts of ways. Still, we have not yet come to appreciate what the home town really means—measured by the cold business standard of dollars and cents—to the people who own or cultivate and within the market zone of a town.

A little story, true by the way, and similar instances are within the experience of every man, will emphasize the influence a home town has on land values and bring the facts right close to everybody better than a serious discussion of the subject. After all, there is no illustration quite so strong as a story that exactly fits the case; no example so striking as some simple happening with which we are all familiar.

A man with a large family and small income owned a piece of land in a pioneer country where towns were few and far between. He struggled along for years without making any material advancement. His fortunes did not improve. His family suffered privations, were denied the cheering influence of society, and his children were growing up uneducated.

TRIED TO SELL

Considering all these disadvantages and handicaps due solely to the distance of his farm from a town or trading point, he determined to sell out and move to a place where the conditions of living were more inviting. He offered his land together with all the improvements thereon, for twenty-five dollars an acre, but despite his best efforts and those of all his acquaintances, he could not find a buyer. Nobody wanted the farm. The land was too far from the market, and there were few advantages of the kind that appeal strongest to the women and children of the family.

For years this man was unable to sell his farm even at a price that would have meant a loss to him.

A TOWN WAS BORN.

Finally a railroad was built through the county, a branch road of no great importance, but certainly a real convenience locally. A station was established within a few miles of the farm owned by our unfortunate friend and a little town sprang up, as Western towns do, and thrived as only towns in a new country can thrive. Almost overnight there was a good graded school, churches, pretentious stores, places of amusement, good shipping facilities and a growing home market.

Now, right here, let us say a word about the home market proposition. Speaking of the home market is like talking about the home town. People do not seem to understand or appreciate what it means to them. Little impression is created because we all become accustomed to such conveniences and such advantages and they only attract attentions by their absence. The only man who talks a great deal about the home market is the fellow who hasn't any such thing. He is the man who gets very much exercised about building up a home market.

In a broad, general way, the home market means that many farm products before unsalable, owing to the lack of shipping and handling facilities and home consumption come into demand at profitable prices.

FORTUNE CAME.

Take it in the case of our farmer friend who was unable to sell his land at a ruinous price. His fortunes changed with the coming of the home town. Products upon which he previously depended for his money income were either sold at a low price or the cost of marketing was much reduced, or both. Anyway, his yearly income increased, although he did not farm an extra acre of land nor produce any more grain or live stock than he had before. His land was no more productive, his improvement represented no greater expenditure of capital or labor, still he was offered one hundred dollars an acre for his land—and would be purchasers were numerous.

THE MAGIC WAND

Talk about the Lamp of Aladdin the Fables of Aesop, or the fairy tales of old. Here, by some mysterious influence, the value of this man's land was increased four-fold almost overnight without the expenditure of a single hour of labor or a lone dollar of extra capital on his part. All this was brought about by the building up of a home town.

While this story illustrates in a simple and forcible way one advantage of the home town, the straight part is yet to come. Now listen. Our one-time unfortunate friend refused to sell his farm, and every reader of this story can tell the reason why.

Read the Statesman's

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RAGUSE EXPELLED FROM THE SENATE

Socialist Member From Milwaukee Unseated for Refusing to Retract Speech.

ONLY 3 SOCIALIST MAY VOTES

Senators Take Summary Action and Purge the Body From Disgrace of Disloyalty—Expelled Member Says He Will Run Again.

Madison.—The state senate has found Frank Raguse, Milwaukee Socialist, representing the Eighth district of Wisconsin, guilty of "contempt, disorderly behavior and conduct unbecoming a senator," and, by a vote of 30 to 3 has expelled him, the negative voters being Senators Raguse, Arnold and Zumbach, the Socialist members from Milwaukee.

Expulsion was based on the statement made by Mr. Raguse that "patriotism can be created only in two ways: first, you must destroy people, or, second, you must destroy property."

Just before the roll was called, Raguse reiterated that his words had been misunderstood, and that he had no intention of committing an act of disloyalty.

"My people at home do not misunderstand me," said he. "I want to say before you expel me from this body that when the special election is held to fill the vacancy I am going to be re-elected. I am coming back stronger than ever."

Resolution of Expulsion.

The resolution expelling Senator Frank Raguse, Milwaukee Socialist, follows:

"A resolution expelling Frank Raguse, a senator from the Eighth district of Wisconsin, from membership in the senate of Wisconsin.

"Whereas, the senate on the twenty-sixth day of April, 1917, passed senate resolution No. 18; and

"Whereas, in accordance therewith Senator Frank Raguse was brought before the bar of said senate for the purposes therein specified; and

"Whereas, he then and there in open session of the senate, contumaciously and willfully refused to comply with the provisions of said resolution No. 18, by failing and refusing to sign or file the retraction and apology therein contained;

"Now, therefore, it is found and adjudged by the senate that the said senator, Frank Raguse, is guilty of contempt, disorderly behavior, and conduct unbecoming a senator of Wisconsin within the provisions of section 4 of article 4 of the Wisconsin constitution; and he is hereby expelled from membership in the senate of Wisconsin.

"Resolved, further, that the sergeant at arms forthwith serve upon the said Frank Raguse and the secretary of state a certified copy of this resolution and file proof of service thereof with the chief clerk of the senate."

Close Fight Predicted.

The fight on the Evjue referendum bill promises to be closer in the senate than in the house. It is said that the contest may be decided by one vote in the senate, and that this senator is undecided. The principal argument that is now being made against the bill is that the war is on and a vote on this subject will still further engender strained feelings. Two men, who three weeks ago were rated as being with the drys, are now said to be wavering.

Senator W. T. Stevens, chairman of the committee which heard the bill, said that the measure would be reported out for action in the senate. That both sides to the contest realize that it is a neck-to-neck race is indicated by the regular avalanche of petitions that are being received on the measure. Over half an hour a day is occupied in reading the titles to petitions on this subject presented in the upper house.

Realizing that a stiff fight is now being presented to defeat the referendum bill in the upper house, where the measure was supposed to be safe, leaders from all sections of the state representing the dry movement are coming to the capitol. John Strange, Neenah, formerly lieutenant governor of the state, mingled among the members, talking in the interest of the Evjue bill.

New Divorce Law Bill.

The most important change proposed in the divorce laws of Wisconsin for many years is offered in the bill which has been reported for passage by the senate judiciary committee. The measure provides that no divorce action shall be begun in Wisconsin unless the written consent of the divorce counsel for bringing the action is obtained. A limitation states, of course, that the statutes shall only apply when both parties to the action are in the state. The idea of the bill is that many reconciliations will be effected and divorces prevented if law is passed.

Access to Plant Corn.

Plans are being made by members of the assembly for nominal sessions in that body for the week of May 7 to 12 in order to give the farmers an opportunity to plant corn. This question of an ostensible recess of the assembly was discussed by the body. Some of the members favor the recess for the week of April 30 to May 7.

"I do not think we should take a recess next week," declared Assemblyman Weston Woodard of Chippewa county, one of the leading farmer members. "We do not need help in seeding as much as we do in planting corn. For this reason I do not believe the assembly should take a nominal adjournment until the week commencing May 7."

Many of the farmer members, however, have asked for leaves of absence during the present week and the probability is that for the next two weeks the attendance in the assembly will be much smaller than usual. Over one-third of the assembly is composed of farmers.

According to the records, the assembly is about two weeks in advance of the senate in legislative work accomplished. The assembly worked Easter week while the senate remained at home.

Should absence be granted to the farmer members for the week of May 7 the assembly will still be in session but will consider only bills of smaller importance.

No Adjournment May 20.

It now begins to look as though it would be impossible to adjourn the legislature by May 20 as originally contemplated. The general opinion is that it will take at least until June 15 to clean up all the work pending before the legislature at the present time. Should additional war emergencies arise it is probable that the session may be extended beyond that date.

The first step toward carrying out the plank of the Republican party platform favoring a legislative investigation of the subject of social insurance will probably be advanced. The assembly committee on education and public welfare has recommended for passage the Chapple joint resolution calling for the appointment of a joint committee of the legislature to investigate the subject. This resolution provides that a committee consisting of three assemblymen and two senators shall be appointed in a manner that joint committees are appointed "to thoroughly investigate the subject of social insurance as to the necessity as well as the wisdom of legislation upon this subject, and, in the event of such committee determining that legislation upon this subject is justified, that it prepare a bill or bills covering said subject."

Although several bills have been introduced in the legislature providing for a plan of social insurance, consensus of opinion is that the only action this legislature will take will be to provide for an investigation of the matter.

Wisconsin's Dairy Production.

If, as they likely will, Wisconsin dairy and live stock interests increase their output this year in response to national demand, they will excel a record for production which has already run into staggering figures.

Men with a liking for arithmetic have just compiled from the records of the state dairy and food commission and the Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association an astonishing statement regarding the 1915 production of Wisconsin's milk and meat business.

On the basis of an eight-hour day every day of the year, the total production in dairy and live stock lines was summarized as follows: "Production every minute—butter, 756 pounds; cheese, 1,349 pounds; condensed milk, 2,264 pounds; meat, 5,556 pounds. The meat listed includes everything except poultry—veal, pork, beef, mutton. Poultry statistics show 56,000,000 dozen eggs a year and 9,000,000 chickens raised in Wisconsin."

Increase in Taxes.

Upwards of 50,000 people in Wisconsin may be called upon to pay an increased tax to sustain the war. The assembly passed a war resolution declaring that the cost of the war shall be paid out of the income taxes. Speaking for the bill, Assemblyman William T. Evjue of Dane county declared that the resolution would be followed by a bill providing for an increased income tax on all incomes in excess of \$3,000.

The report of the tax commission just issued shows that during the past year there were 2,000 people in Wisconsin who had an income between \$3,000 and \$3,999; 973 people who had an income between \$4,000 and \$4,999; 1,545 people who had an income between \$5,000 and \$9,999; 345 people who had an income between \$10,000 and \$14,999; 214 people who had an income between \$15,000 and \$24,999; and 110 people who had an income between \$25,000 and \$49,999; 37 people who had an income between \$50,000 and \$74,999; 11 people who had an income between \$75,000 and \$99,999, and 14 people who had an income of over \$100,000 annually.

Woman Suffrage Up to Voters.

There is every possibility that the question of woman suffrage will ultimately be submitted to a vote of the people. By a vote of 47 to 40, the assembly has concurred in the Skogmo bill providing for a referendum on this subject. As the bill passed the senate, it provided for a submission of the question at the November election in 1918. By an amendment incorporated in the measure by the house, the question will be submitted to a vote of the people of the state of Wisconsin at the spring election in April of the year 1920.

PASTOR HAS RECORD

DR. T. S. JOHNSON OF BEAVER DAM SERVES IN ONE CHURCH FOR FIFTY YEARS.

OTHER WISCONSIN DOINGS

Items of Interest Throughout the State Gathered by Alert Correspondents and Bulletin in Brief for the Busy Reader.

Beaver Dam.

With a record of having preached 3,000 sermons, held 1,500 gospel meetings, officiated at 1,273 funerals, performed 62 marriages and 514 baptisms, and welcomed 658 persons to membership in his church, Dr. T. S. Johnson, on May 13th completed his fiftieth year as pastor of Assembly Presbyterian church of Beaver Dam. His is a record of longer service in one church than that of any other pastor in the Wisconsin synod of Presbyterian churches. Dr. Johnson presbytery church on May 3, 1867. He was born in Greenville, N. Y., in February, 1839, a son of a Presbyterian minister. He received his education at the Newton academy in New Jersey, at Carroll college, Waukegan, and the Theological Seminary of Princeton, N. J.

Lumber Firm Organizes.

Stevens Point.—A new lumber firm to be known as the Badger State Lumber and Land company, is being organized here by J. W. Clifford, who last year sold out the local interests and two mills of the Clifford Lumber company. The new concern will operate a string of retail yards in central Wisconsin.

Teachers Want Pay in Full.

Waukegan.—Public school teachers here claim the board of education retains 20 per cent of each month's earnings, letting the amount accumulate until the end of the school year when it is then paid. The teachers ask a change in the method of salary payments, saying the method in vogue renders a hardship for many of them.

Auto Train Ditched in Wreck.

Portage.—A Milwaukee road freight train was wrecked at East Portage just east of Ketchum Point bridge in a mysterious manner. Nine cars loaded with automobiles and other merchandise were ditched, four of the cars blocking all the main tracks on the east end of the bridge. No one was injured.

City Market for Green Bay.

Green Bay.—Whitney park, occupying a city block in the downtown district of Green Bay may shortly be transformed from a place of beauty and children's playground to a practical solution of the marketing problem for producers and consumers of food stuffs.

Gen. Boardman to Accept.

Oshkosh.—Gen. C. R. Boardman, home from Washington, stated that he would accept the post of brigadier general with the Wisconsin troops if the appointment is confirmed. He does not know just what troops will be assigned to him.

Donate Fares to Red Cross.

Eau Claire.—Eau Claire went to church via the street cars on April 29. Nobody walked, for the street car company had offered half its receipts, taken in during the morning church hours to the Red Cross. A substantial fund was turned over.

Bank Cashier Resigns.

Kenosha.—Albert W. Frantz, for the last twenty-five years connected with the First National bank and cashier for the last ten years, resigned his position to accept a position as manager of the Sunshine Fruit company at Coconut Grove, Fla.

Farmers Join Defense Council.

Denmark.—Farmers living in this vicinity organized to cooperate with the Brown county council of defense in increasing crops. Part of the North-Western right of way near Denmark will be cultivated.

Bury Trooper at Oshkosh.

Oshkosh.—Edward Dronck, who died at Fort Bliss, Tex., while serving in the regular army, was buried here with full military honors. He was 21 years of age and formerly served in Company B, this city.

Funeral Costs Raised.

Manitowoc.—After May 1 it will cost more to be buried than heretofore, liverymen of the city having announced an increase in carriage hire prices for funerals as well as for hearses.

Celebrate Golden Anniversary.

Clinton.—Mr. and Mrs. John R. Bossart recently observed the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding.

Guard Sentenced to 90 Days.

La Crosse.—Private Jack McPeak, of Company L, Sparta, Third Wisconsin Regiment, was sentenced to ninety days in the county jail for saying "To hell with the flag," while in an intoxicated condition.

Will Build Paper Mill.

Stevens Point.—A new paper mill is to be built here adjacent to the new dam which the Jackson Milling company is preparing to build across the Wisconsin river.

Shoots Wife and Self.

Beloit.—Julius Newman, 32 years old, and his wife, 30 years old, are both dead as the result of Newman's attack on the woman and his self-inflicted injuries. Mrs. Newman, it is said, had informed her husband that she would no longer live with him and had asked for his arrest for beating her. Newman and his wife are said to have quarreled and he shot her and attempted to kill John Ryan, a neighbor, it is alleged. Later Newman, while running down the street, shot himself in the head. The couple leave three children.

Cow Brings \$2,100.

Fond du Lac.—The first sale of the Fond du Lac County Holstein Friesian Breeders' association was held here with 145 head sold at an average of \$300 per head. The feature of the sale was the offering of Johanna Korn-dyke Butter Girl 157,802, by F. J. Bristol & Sons, Oakfield. The cow was knocked down to Frank J. Schuster of Mukwonago for \$2,100. The new owner was offered \$1,200 for the prize cow's first male calf.

Class to Economize.

Marshfield.—Contrary to the usual custom of the high school at graduation time, the class of 1917 plans to economize and adopt a uniform method of dress for both boys and girls. The girls will wear middie blouses and white skirts, while the boys have decided on blue coats and white trousers.

Ship Company Formed.

Superior.—The Superior Transit company with a capitalization of \$500,000 has been incorporated here. It is empowered to buy, sell and sail ships. Louis Hanitch, C. J. Hartley and J. E. Charles, local attorneys, appear as incorporators, acting for the capitalists interested.

6,000 Attend Flag Raising.

Kenosha.—Six thousand people, half of them employees of the plants of the Nash Motors company here, attended a patriotic demonstration attending the raising of a great flag over the new buildings of the plant here. Charles W. Nash, president of the company, was the principal speaker.

Killed in France.

Manitowoc.—Joseph Elliott of this city has received notice that his nephew, Richard Endress of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was killed while fighting with Canadian troops in France on April 9. Several years ago Mr. Endress attended school here. He enlisted about a year ago.

Bread Loaves Are Reduced.

Green Bay.—Green Bay bakers have reduced the size of a ten cent loaf of bread from 18 to 14 ounces on account of the high cost of flour. It was announced. The bakers discontinued making five cent loaves of bread several months ago.

Girl Strangles to Death.

Shawano.—With her head wedged between two rafters and her feet dangling over the stairs leading from the hay mow of her father's barn, Hattie Sommers, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sommers, was found dead.

Thirty Recruits Rejected.

Kenosha.—Thirty Kenosha men who volunteered to do their "bit" with the cavalry were turned down by the medical examiners of the Wisconsin National guard. The company, with but fifty men left, started out a new recruiting campaign at once.

Offers Land to War Department.

Oshkosh.—Eight acres of land with a large building having 25,000 feet of floor space and located on the south bank of the Fox river here has been offered by its owner, E. A. Lull, to the war department.

Want Ornamental Lights.

Neenah.—A subscription list is being circulated among residents of this city and Menasha to secure funds for an ornamental lighting system on Nicolet avenue, the dividing line between the two cities.

County Defense Head Named.

Janesville.—Simon Smith of Beloit was named president of the county board of defense which will work in accord with the state board of defense. Three hundred representatives attended the meeting.

Deer Destroy Crops.

Manitowoc.—Farmers living near New Holstein and Kiel, less than thirty miles from this city, have written to the state conservation commission complaining that wild deer are destroying their crops.

Coffee and Rolls Go Up.

Green Bay.—Coffee and rolls, which have been a synonym for a dime as long as lunch counter patrons can remember, now bring 15 cents in all Green Bay Restaurants.

Organizing Joint Military Company.

Stevens Point.—Almond, Plainfield and Hancock are enlisting recruits for a joint military company, each village furnishing a platoon.

Name Emergency Deputies.

Superior.—A special force of twenty-five deputies for "war emergency service" was named by Sheriff Arthur Buchanan. Each man is prepared to respond at a minutes notice to protect lives and industries.

Wisconsin Debaters Defeated.

Bloomington.—Both debating teams of the Illinois State Normal university won in contests with the normal teams of Oshkosh, Wis., at Normal and Oshkosh.

What Well Dressed Women Will Wear

An oyster-white silk crepe, a pongee or "khaki-kool" or any of the new heavy weaves in silk, will make an afternoon gown like that shown in the picture, that could not be excelled for simple elegance or refinement. The trend of fashion toward the straight silhouette has placed the seal of approval on plain straight hanging skirts, and on long bodices without definition at the waistline. Beautiful accuracy in the plate and in every other detail of the mak-



AFTERNOON FROCK FOR MIDSUMMER

ing of this gown, is essential, as in all simple designs. In this respect the home dressmaker must be faithful to the model if she undertakes to copy it; but a light wool or heavy cotton fabric may be used instead of silk, with good success. Small shepherd check, in black and white, decorated with black souchette braid will convert the model into a perfect one-piece street dress.

As pictured the dress is made of a heavy silk crepe and fastens at the front with white buttons, set close together, and loops of silk cord. Down each side of the bodice at the back and front a border design in souchette braid provides a decoration in perfect harmony with the dress. The design is widened at the shoulders to extend to the arm-eyes. The sleeves are long and without cuffs, but the braided pattern appears at the wrist and three buttons, matching those that fasten the dress, are set close together here. A narrow, flat sash of the material is finished at the end with a bit of handsome fringe. It is tacked to the dress and looped over at the front. The neck is managed with the same reserve that characterizes the entire design, having a narrow V-shaped opening, small revers, and cape collar at the back.

Resting upon well-earned laurels those who think up, or dream out or discover our millinery for us, might leave us to choose midsummer hats from among the styles already presented. For—by the time Easter arrives—they have attended to all needs, not neglecting those of June brides and bridesmaids—and tourists and sports women and people who are devoted to tailored things. The story of summer hats is told and it never was more interesting or better.

The group of hats shown here gives an inkling of the variety of choice which promises a happy ending to the



THE STORY OF SUMMER HATS.

line, cutting upward, leaving two inches for the shoulder of the dress. Cut the bottom part of the sleeve and use for the child's dress; cut the collar off and trim as preferred. For a woman and people who are devoted to tailored things. The story of summer hats is told and it never was more interesting or better. The group of hats shown here gives an inkling of the variety of choice which promises a happy ending to the

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Let us question the thinkers and doers. Ask them what they honestly say. And you'll find they believe, like bold warriors in "where there's a will, there's a way."

ECONOMY IN CAKE MAKING.

We are slowly coming to realize that other fats besides butter may be used and result in a successful cake. Another idea seems to prevail that milk is another essential; water, coffee, fruit may be used to take the place of milk. Of course where milk is abundant there is no excuse for the economy, but with milk ten and even fifteen cents a quart the expense may be saved.

The tedious process of creaming the butter and sugar is not necessary for an every-day cake; the fat may be warmed not melted, then it mixes quickly; the eggs beaten and added first, the whites folded in at the last. Another and still shorter cut—perform in the following manner—beat the eggs with the sugar, add flour and other ingredients used and stir in the melted butter or fat at the last, then give the cake a good beating and see what a tasty fine-grained cake you have with little time expended.

When using any fat instead of butter, salt must be added to bring out the flavor. Pastry flour is smoother in texture than bread flour and cakes and pastry made from it are fine-grained and better texture. It does not need the many siftings which bread flour seems to require.

Fats skimmed from the tops of soups is vegetables have not been cooked in it, drippings from roasts and chicken fat are all good fats to use in cake making. When the fat is melted and added last, the cake should not be stirred much until after the fat is added, then give it a good beating, by stirring before, it seems to toughen the texture.

Prune Cake.

Three eggs, one cupful of powdered sugar, three tablespoonfuls of sour cream, two cupfuls of flour, (two tablespoonfuls or less if you use bread flour), one teaspoonful of allspice, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, a cupful of cooked, finely cut prunes, half a teaspoonful of soda and three-fourths of a cupful of melted butter added at the last, then give a good beating.

To do our own thinking, listening quietly to the opinions of others, but to be sufficiently men and women, to act always upon our own convictions.—Cred of the Open Road.

A FEW LOW COST DISHES.

To reduce the meat bill combine vegetables with meat and cook them together in various ways, this saves the meat as a small portion with a generous helping of vegetables supplies a good main dish.

Hungarian Goulash.

Seven people may be well served with this recipe: Take a pound of lean beef, half a pound of lean beef, three tablespoonfuls of drippings or olive oil, one large onion, three cupfuls of boiling water, one teaspoonful of paprika, 12 potato balls, six small onion balls, six carrot balls, six turnip balls, one teaspoonful of salt, one bay leaf, one clove, four tablespoonfuls of flour, half a pint of water, and one chopped chili pepper. Slice the onion and brown it in the fat, remove the onion and add the meat cut in small pieces, brown these well, remove the meat to a casserole, add paprika and water, cover the dish and place in the oven. Fry the potato, carrot, turnip and onion balls in hot fat, add them to the meat after it has simmered an hour and a half. Add salt, pepper, cloves, bay leaf and flour mixed with cold water, pour this into the casserole and stir until smooth, add the pepper with a cupful of boiling water. Cover and let simmer for another hour and a half. Serve from the casserole.

Cornish Pasties.

Cut half a pound of mutton into small pieces; add half a pound of peeled diced potatoes, one chopped onion, one teaspoonful of chopped parsley, half a teaspoonful of salt and a quarter of a teaspoonful of pepper and two tablespoonfuls of water. Roll out thin a plain pastry, cut it in large rounds and place a heap of the mixture in the center, wet the edges, press together and crimp with the fingers. Brush each over with a beaten egg and bake in a hot oven for three-quarters of an hour. Serve hot.

Spanish Codfish.

Parboil a cupful of shredded codfish; melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add a chopped onion and two cupfuls of tomatoes, fry for five minutes. Stir in one tablespoonful of flour, then add a cupful of water or stock, a tablespoonful of chopped parsley and a little pepper. Cook slowly for ten minutes, add the codfish and simmer for thirty minutes. Serve hot on buttered toast.

Any mixture of meat rolled up and tied in cabbage leaves, then cooked for an hour or more makes a delicious dish and adds variety.

Sour milk which has been allowed to sour unskimmed, if sprinkled with nutmeg and brown sugar makes a most palatable dessert.

Nellie Maxwell

The FLAVOR LASTS IN WRIGLEY'S

If pleasure made price its cost would be three



WRAPPED IN UNITED COUPONS

Chew it after every meal

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

MOON HIDES.

"What's the matter?" asked the Earth.

"I'm tired," said the Moon.

"Tired?" asked the Earth. "Why are you tired, Mr. Moon? Have you been going to too many parties?"

"To tell you the truth," said the Moon, "I have. I have been shining so brightly and giving light for so many of the Fairies' spring balls that I am really quite tired. And I feel a little shy. I would like to hide for awhile."

"Where are you thinking of hiding?" asked the Earth.

"Behind your shadow," said the Moon.

"All right," said the Earth. "My shadow is always ready for you to hide behind when you want it. But it is not often you care to hide. Sometimes, of course, you don't care to come up in the sky at all—when it is rainy and when you are taking a rest, or off on a holiday, but it is seldom you care to hide behind my shadow in the middle of the night."

"You don't mind, do you?" asked the Moon.

"I'm highly flattered," said the Earth. "It is a great honor. Lots of people come out and look at us both at such times. For people call it an Eclipse."

"I know they do," said the Moon. "Instead of saying we are playing hide-and-go-seek as they say when children hide, they say:

"There will be an Eclipse tonight."

"That shows how much they think of us," said the Earth. "They give us a grand name."

"I suppose that must be their reason," said the Moon.

During this talk the Moon was being covered over so slowly by a great black cloud which was the Earth's shadow.

"How is my shadow tonight?" asked the Earth.

"It makes a beautiful shadow," said the Moon.

And the shadow wound itself around the Moon until there was no moon to be seen.

"It's a total Eclipse," said the people.

"What do they mean by that?" asked the Moon. "You are so wise, old Earth, that you know everything. You know how the flowers grow and how the little seeds become blossoms. Tell me what they mean by a total Eclipse."

"They mean," said the Earth, "that there is no Moon to be seen at all."

"My! And they use words like that—total Eclipse—just to say that the Moon can't be seen. Well, well, well, they do pay me a great compliment."

The Moon talked to the Earth for a long time and Earth's shadow or shadow kept the moon from sight for

LIVE STOCK DISEASES

Tuberculosis Is Most Common and Widely Prevalent.

Simple Precautions by Which Owners May Keep Ailments From Their Animals—Guard Against Infectious Abortion.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Tuberculosis is the commonest and most widely prevalent of all contagious diseases. There are many other infections, however, which are much more easily spread, and to which the body of the average man or animal is much less resistant. The explanation of these apparently inconsistent facts is to be found in the appearance of perfect health which victims of the disease often possess long after they have become active disseminators of the tuberculosis germ. It is thus possible for the disease to be introduced into herds and to become firmly established in them without the knowledge of the owner.

Live stock can be protected against this insidious disease by the practice of two rules, which may be stated as follows:

(1) Never introduce an animal into a healthy herd or flock unless there is positive proof that it comes from a healthy herd or flock.

(2) Consult your veterinarian regarding the special tests which can be made to prove whether animals are free from serious and common diseases and make sure that no animals are added to healthy herds unless these tests, combined with a period of segregation, show that they are free from infection.

Infectious Abortion.

In its insidious and chronic character infectious abortion somewhat resembles tuberculosis. The germs of this disease may be spread by animals that are apparently healthy, and precautions similar to those adopted for tuberculosis should therefore be taken to prevent its dissemination.

The essential cause of tuberculosis is the tubercle bacillus. Unless this germ is present there can be no tuberculosis. Furthermore, as far as we know, the germ does not seem able to grow anywhere but in the bodies of its victims, and it is not able to establish itself in a new victim unless the animal is exposed to it repeatedly or for relatively long periods of time, or under peculiarly unfavorable conditions. Despite the prevalence of the disease, therefore, it is possible to guard against it by doing away with the conditions that favor its spread.

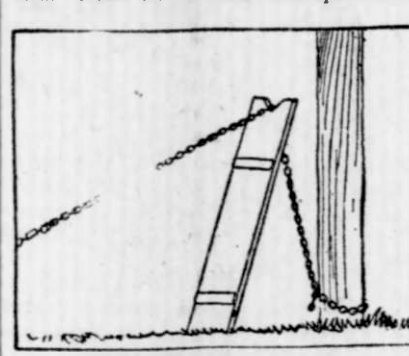
Unhygienic Conditions.

Unhygienic conditions prepare animals for the development of tuberculosis in much the same manner as cultivation prepares a piece of land for the production of a crop. Nevertheless, even under such conditions, tuberculosis cannot develop without the tubercle bacillus any more than a crop can be produced in a cultivated field without seed.

To prevent tuberculosis in live stock, therefore, the germs should be kept away by the precautions already outlined: First, prevent the introduction of infectious animals into the herd or flock; and, secondly, the surroundings of live stock should be such that the animals are kept in sufficiently good condition to resist the chance attacks of the germ.

EASY TO PULL FENCE POSTS

Practical Method is Shown in Illustration—Make V-Shaped Notch in Four-Foot Plank.



Pulling Fence Posts.

An easy and practical method of pulling fence posts is here shown. Take a plank 4 feet long and 1 foot wide. Make a V-shaped notch in one end. Nail on several crosspieces to prevent splitting, says a writer in The Farmer. This plank is used to change the horizontal draft to the vertical. Place on end of the chain around post close to the ground. Place the chain in the notch of the plank. Start team and the post in a few seconds will be out of the ground.

BEST CULTIVATION FOR CORN

Work Can Be Done Well With Narrow-Shoveled Cultivator—Light Harrow Also Is Useful.

Shallow cultivation in a good seed-bed can be done well with a narrow-shoveled cultivator or a light harrow, the teeth of which slant backward. In a field in which there are loose sods that may prevent the young plants from reaching the surface, the cultivator is to be preferred to the harrow. Harrowing the corn after it is up always reduces the stand somewhat, but in many cases it is a good method of saving labor. The harrowing should be done on a bright afternoon when the plants are somewhat wilted. They are less easily broken then.

SOME DISEASES OF TOMATO

Many Promising Crops Destroyed by Blight—Bordeaux Mixture Is Given as Best Remedy.

Many a promising crop of tomatoes is destroyed by "blight" or some one of the other tomato diseases. There are three or four distinct diseases of the tomato fruit and vines, but to the casual observer these diseases usually appear as dark depressed spots upon the fruit or as a dying and drying up of the foliage. The treatment is the same in all cases and is as follows: Spray the plants for the first time when they are 12 to 15 inches high and have become well established in the field, using strong bordeaux mixture, that is five pounds unslacked lime, five pounds of copper sulphate (blue stone), and 50 gallons of water. The copper sulphate and lime must each be dissolved separately, and then diluted and mixed. Be sure to apply as a fine mist spray and do the work thoroughly. Repeat every two weeks until three to five applications have been made.

OX WARBLER ARE INJURIOUS

Flies Cause Serious Losses in Cattle Every Year—May Be Controlled by Squeezing Grubs Out.

Ox warble flies, which cause serious losses in cattle every year, may be largely controlled by squeezing the grubs out of infested animals during the early spring months. The eggs are laid during the summer mainly upon the hair on the legs of cattle. The young maggots are found in the gullet from September to February, after which they appear under the hide. Small lumps on the back indicate the position of the grubs.

Hides are reduced in value from one to two cents a pound by the presence of ox warbles. Flesh is sometimes so damaged as to be unfit for sale. Milk production is lessened by the presence of numerous grubs. Cattle in general are annoyed seriously by these warbles. Removing and destroying all the grubs from infested cattle will reduce the number of egg-laying females for next summer.

PROVIDE GRAIN FOR CALVES

Best to Feed Cracked Corn at First and Later on Shelled—Whole Oats Are Recommended.

(By H. KILDEE, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.)

A grain ration of equal parts corn, oats and bran, with a small quantity of oil meal, should be provided for the calf. Even when only a few weeks old a calf will begin to eat grain, and nibble at hay. It is best to feed cracked corn first and later shelled corn. Whole oats are better than ground oats for the young calf. Clover



Healthy, Vigorous Calf.

hay, or mixed clover and alfalfa, is superior to alfalfa alone, as alfalfa alone is too rich for the kidneys and digestive tract.

Calves dropped in the fall and early winter will do well on pasture the first summer, if provided with some grain and shade, while calves dropped in the spring or early summer are much better off when properly cared for in the barn during the first summer.

BUCKWHEAT FOR CATCH CROP

Plant Will Grow Well on Land Lacking in Fertility, but Responds Quickly to Good Treatment.

Buckwheat is recommended by F. W. Steple of the farm crops department, Ohio State university, for ground where the spring crops have failed or it is too late to plant corn. This cereal can be planted from July 1 to 10 and be ready for harvest in six or eight weeks. The land can then be cropped in a regular rotation again. Buckwheat will grow well on land lacking in fertility and on ground less carefully prepared than for other grains but will respond quickly to good treatment. It is frequently used by farmers as a weed eradicator, because it grows quickly and covers the ground almost completely. One bushel sown broadcast is sufficient to seed an acre.

CAUSE OF WATERMELON WILT

Fungus Which Lives in Soil Plugs Up Water-Carrying Vessels, Preventing Rise of Moisture.

Watermelon wilt is caused by a fungus which lives in the soil and enters the roots, plugging up the water-carrying vessels and preventing the rise of moisture, thus causing the wilting and death of the plant. The leaves of affected plants first droop, then rapidly wilt and soon die, the runner dying with them. Remedies: Do not plant melons on infected soil, nor use infected manure. Keep out men and animals that have been in infected fields, and likewise the drainage water from such fields.

Why He's Single.

Miss Leftover—You are a woman-hater, I hear.

Mr. Sloop—That is a mistake. I merely cannot afford to marry.

Miss Leftover—But cannot you support a wife?

Mr. Sloop—Oh, yes, I could support a wife easy enough, but I haven't income enough to support the two or three women she would need to wait on her!

Sad Stories, Mostly.

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"Of what?"

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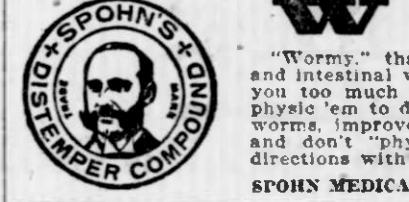
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He Sowed Too.

"The Sewing Society met at our house yesterday."

"And were you at home?"

"Sure thing."

"And what did you do?"

"Sowed garden seeds."

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A Plunge into Hostilities.

"It was a mistake for me to marry in order to keep from going into the army," remarked the man with a black eye and a lump on his forehead.

"You seem to have been in some sort of action."

"It's becoming the usual thing. And they tell me that in the army a man may go month after month without seeing any real fighting."

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I have great faith in Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and I really believe that it will do all that is claimed for it if it is given a thorough trial. I have been handling it ever since I went into the drug business and I have heard nothing but the most favorable reports regarding it. Swamp-Root is a steady seller and a reliable medicine.

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Sore corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can shortly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply on the corn a few drops of freezone, says a Cincinnati authority.

At little cost one can get a small bottle of freezone at any drug store, which will positively rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This new drug is an ether compound, and being the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding skin. Just think! You can lift off your corns and calluses now without a bit of pain or soreness. If your druggist hasn't freezone he can easily get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house.—adv.

Male crows are said to be much more intelligent than females.

The Other Goose.

The small girl stood outside the imitation works at closing time. Presently she espied one of her father's work-mates and approached him.

"Please, Mr. Jones, mother says will you give this label to father when you see him? He's won a goose at the raffle at the Rake and Raspberry."

"Right you are, missie! But he won't want a label; he's going to fetch it from the Rake and Raspberry and carry it home tonight."

"Yes, I know. That's why mother's sent this addressed label. It ain't for the goose; it's to put on father."

Spirituelle.

"Your daughter's beauty is spirituelle."

"Think so?"

"There is something wistful about her expression."

"She gets that way just before meal time. We got corned beef and cabbage today. She likes that."

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Now is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from your druggist, and apply a little of it at night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

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If people knew all their "in-laws" beforehand, many a match would be prevented.

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NORTH BOUND	
No. 108	8:30 p.m. daily except Sunday
No. 113	11:15 p.m. daily except Sunday
No. 115	8:04 a.m. daily except Sunday
No. 107	8:28 p.m. daily
No. 104	8:34 p.m. Sunday only
No. 111	8:42 a.m. Sunday only
SOUTH BOUND	
No. 206	9:48 a.m. daily except Sunday
No. 214	12:30 p.m. daily except Sunday
No. 216	2:30 p.m. daily
No. 218	5:41 p.m. daily except Sunday
No. 109	8:34 p.m. Sunday only
No. 112	11:15 p.m. Sunday only
No. 220	7:24 p.m. Sunday only

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

—The new Siren whistle which was recently purchased by the local fire department was placed in position on the village hall last week.

—The Odd Fellows held their regular monthly meeting last week Thursday evening. It being the 9th anniversary of the organization.

—Mrs. Kathryn Goring of West Bend is spending a few days here taking care of her daughter, Mrs. Albert Oppenorth, who is on the sick list.

—August Schurr was to Chipewau Falls this week where he represented the local M. W. A. at the state convention which is being held there.

—The M. W. A. held their regular monthly meeting last Tuesday evening. The initiation of a new member was one of the main features of the meeting.

—A large number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Fred Backhaus last Sunday. The occasion being the christening of their infant daughter.

—Postmaster Geo. H. Schmidt purchased the Carl Mirtz residence in this village last week. Consideration private. Possession will be given him soon.

—John Forster will dispose of a traction engine at Kirsch Bros. hall, St. Kilian, on Tuesday evening, May 8, 1917. Free dance will follow. Music by Koller's orchestra.

—The following spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Broecker: Misses Marie Jung, Agnes Doolan, Malinda Terhunen, Mary and Dorothy Wehling and Emil Broecker.

—A new cheese factory has been started at Wabeno, and will go under the name of the Wabeno Dairy Co. John Schaefer, former owner of this village, was elected treasurer of the company.

—West Bend's venerable citizen Charles Silberzahn, celebrated his 93rd birthday on Thursday. The aged gentleman is still hale and actively interested in everything transpiring in his home town.

—Joe, Lazarre, the fruit dealer at West Bend, pleaded guilty to the charge of adultery before Judge Martin L. Lueck at Juneau last Friday and was sentenced to ninety days in the county jail.

—Postmaster General Burleson has instructed all postmasters to refuse mail matter to be sent to Germany. The places on the prohibited list are Austria, Hungary, Luxemburg, Bulgaria and Turkey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kurrow moved their household furniture from the Frank Smith residence on the corner of Wilhelmina and West Water streets to the Quandt residence on Fond du Lac Ave. last Monday.

—On last week Friday evening a large number of friends gathered at Le Erin Hotel, Fond du Lac, where they partook of an elegant supper, in honor of Miss Goldie Romaine, whose engagement has been announced.

—The following changes were made this week among the substitutes of the local mail carriers: Roland Backus was appointed substitute on Route 2; Mrs. Selma Backhaus on Route 3; and Math. Beisler Jr., on Route 4.

—Grace: You can't cover blackheads, pimples, red spots on the face with powder, they're bound to be seen—don't worry or spoil your temper, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea each week—it will banish them through the blood, the only sure way.—35c.—Edw. C. Miller.

—NOTICE—After Sunday, May 6, an extra charge will be made on five cent dishes of ice cream and bucket ice cream, if purchased with flavoring. This has been done on account of the raise in price of cream.

—Roman Smith, Frank Heppie.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Mayer are the proud and happy parents of an eight pound baby boy, born to them last Tuesday evening. Joe, prophesies that the lusty youngster is destined to become a great singer or orator. Well, here's the earliest congratulations to the young couple anyway.

—Chas. C. Schaefer transferred his family and household goods from his saloon property to the Westernman residence on Fond du Lac Ave., Monday. Robert Falk who will conduct Mr. Schaefer's saloon business in the future, moved his family into Mr. Schaefer's building on the same day.

—John Kreilkamp of Allenton traded his saloon property at Allenton last week for the John Dieks farm located near Kollsville. Mr. Kreilkamp intends to give up the saloon business and go to farming. He formerly conducted the saloon now owned by John Brunner in this village.

—Roman Smith, our progressive baker, installed a new Butter-Kissed popcorn outfit in his bakery and confectionery store this week. The outfit is a very classy one and is run automatically. Mr. Smith invites you all to come in and see it in operation. He intends to have fresh buttered corn on hand at all times.

—Marshal Brandt arrested Joe Halmack of Milwaukee in this village Thursday. Halmack came to this village to buy horses for the United States Army. Upon investigation it was learned that the young man had no money with which to purchase them. He was hauled into Justice Court at West Bend Friday.

—Last Tuesday the Lay Lumber Co. of this village received what is claimed to be the biggest car of red cedar shingles ever shipped into the state. The car, a big 16 foot gondola, had a regular box car built over it and was loaded to full capacity. This one shipment contained over a third of a million shingles or to be exact, 181 banches—enough to cover 25 big houses. Wednesday this same concern received another car of approximately 1000 banches, while in other towns people are clamoring for shingles—We here should worry.

ELMORE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Feur-Lammer on Thursday a daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strubing spent Wednesday at Fond du Lac. Frank Kleinlans Jr., spent the forepart of the week at Milwaukee.

The Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Gantenbein Sr. at St. Kilian Sunday.

Miss Francis Corbett of Dundee is a guest of the Wm. Mathieu family this week.

Miss Adeline Smith of Fond du Lac spent Sunday with Reuben Backhaus and wife.

Mrs. E. Rusch and daughter Olive attended the Keding-Felien wedding Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Kleinlans Jr. and son Wesley are guests of friends at Milwaukee this week.

Mrs. Reuben Backhaus visited with her sister, Mrs. Norris at New Prospect Wednesday.

Tom Franey of Dundee purchased the A. Krueger property, and moved into same this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Scheurman of Fond du Lac are spending the week with their son, Amandus and family.

Miss Lena Herber left for Spencer Tuesday, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Geidel for several weeks.

Misses Amy Kaiser and Lorinda Mathieu of South Elmore spent Saturday and Sunday with the Frank Mathieu family.

A party was held at the home of Mike Gantenbein Jr., Sunday evening, it being his birthday anniversary. A large number of relatives and friends were present.

Lines to Be Remembered.

Today is your day and mine; the only day we have; the day in which we play our part. What our part may signify in the great whole we may not understand; but we are here to play it, and now is our time. This we know: It is a part of action, not of whining. It is a part of love, not of cynicism. It is for us to express love in terms of human helpfulness. This we know, for we have learned from sad experience that any other course of life leads toward decay and waste.—David Starr Jordan.

Remarkable Linguist.

The greatest of all linguistic geniuses was undoubtedly Giuseppe Mezzofanti, who died in 1849. Not only could he wonderful Italian read 50 or 60 different languages, besides many dialects, but he could also speak and write them with astonishing fluency. It was contended that Mezzofanti could converse with natives of practically every quarter of the globe.

Substitute for Tobacco.

Throughout the tropical Orient the natives employ a substitute for tobacco consisting of a slice of aricapalm nut, wrapped in betel leaf, flavored with a fine lime made of native sea shells, and colored with carmine. The habit is universal, especially with the women, and sellers of "betel nut" may be seen on many of the street corners in Saigon and other cities of Indo-China.

Thrift Thought.

Get the thrift habit—the broad thrift habit, now; practice it thoughtfully; waste not the little things; find the joy that a growing bank account brings; invest your savings safely and profitably; remember tomorrow but forget not today; spend for the things that last and find the secret of the broader thrift that makes for better living. It is the only thrift worth while.

Look for the Best.

You will find it less easy to uproot faults than to choke them by gaining virtues. Do not think of your faults; still less of others' faults; in every person who comes near you look for what is good and strong; honor that; rejoice in it; and your faults will drop off, like dead leaves, when their time comes.—Ruskin.

Perfectly Comprehensible.

The following speech was made by a lawyer on behalf of his client whose cow had been killed by a train: "If the train had been run as it should have been run, or if the bell had been rung as it should have been rung, or if the whistle had been blown as it should have been blown, both of which they did neither, the cow would not have been injured when she was killed."

Copper in Ancient Days.

Copper, among the ancient Hebrews, was used in making helmets, spears and other implements of war. The expression "bow of steel" found in Job, should be rendered "bow of copper." Copper could not have been applied to these uses without the artisans possessing some forgotten secret for rendering the metal harder and more elastic than we can make it today.

Seeing the Other Side.

We know a man who has worked all his life for others; for his parents for awhile, then for a wife and children and some of her kin. The world rates him as moderately successful, but his own actual monetary compensation has just about amounted to board and clothes. And at home he hears some complaint because he doesn't do better. You hear much of the joy of service, but sometimes there are two sides.—Acheson (Kam.) Globe.

Diplomacy in the Home.

Every now and then wife urges husband to buy some new clothes for himself, but if he is a pretty good talker he can get out of it without making her mad.—Fort Worth Star.

Washington County

Defense Council

To remove any of its members by a majority vote and to fill all vacancies that may occur in said committee arising from any cause whatsoever; to raise by subscription and disburse all money necessary to further the purposes and the object for which this council is created; with full power and authority in this council to appoint any and all sub-committees necessary to aid this committee, such as and representing the city Councils, Board of Supervisors; School Boards, Labor, Farmers, Manufacturing, Banking, Retail Merchants, Doctors, Fraternal Organization; Women's Clubs, etc.

To take up with and interest all legal and authorized bodies of the county, and with the citizens generally, the problems which arise through the carrying out of the foregoing purposes, and to do all other matters, things and acts of every name and nature which will carry into effect the foregoing purposes.

Henry V. Schwabach, P. P. Smart, S. J. Driessel.

The list of officers are as follows: Henry J. Lieven, Hartford, Wis., Chairman; Ben. Ziegler, West Bend, Wis., Vice Chairman; Geo. H. Schmidt, Kewaskum, Secretary and Treasurer.

Executive Committee: Emil C. Backhaus, County Chairman, West Bend, Wis.; G. A. Kisse, Hartford, Wis.; John W. Gohl, West Bend, Wis.; Henry V. Schwabach, South German town, Wis.; J. P. Smart, Hartford, Wis.; J. P. Smart, Hartford, Wis.; Walter Schroeder, West Bend, Wis.; H. Rosenleimer, Kewaskum, Wis.; Henry P. Kaempfer, West Bend, Wis.; West Bend, Wis.; S. J. Driessel, Barton, Wis.; Dr. S. J. Driessel, West Bend, Wis.; H. J. Lieven, Hartford, Wis.; H. Schmidt, Kewaskum, Wis.; Boltonville, Wis.; H. Froehlich, Jackson, Wis.; Ben. Ziegler, West Bend, Wis.

You Can Serve

You may not be able to carry and fire a gun, but your country needs your service now. You may not even be able to dig a trench, but you will either serve or handicap your country by what you do or do not do.

America in the present crisis needs health as much as anything else. It needs strong, enduring soldiers for offense and defense. It needs a healthy civil population, first, to back up the fighting men, and second, to keep from robbing the soldiers of the services to which they are entitled.

Every needless sick individual in effect offers combat and assistance to the enemy. He is incapacitated from rendering his own bit of service. In addition, he takes the attention of others who except for his need, might be striking a blow for our country or against the enemy.

We and our allies need a great many good supplies. A sick man, woman or child cannot produce it in field, garden, or mill. Our soldiers and sailors will need medical and nursing attendants many of whom will be kept at home to care for sick and dependent people. We have no moral right in war or peace times to be sick. Civilians will consume drugs that were better employed in saving the lives and restoring the health of the country's defenders.

There is not a man, woman, or child who cannot, and is not called upon to make some sacrifice for his country. The least he can do is to give up the personal liberty of being sick needlessly.

BEECHWOOD

Orin Kaiser was to Plymouth on business Saturday.

Wm. Janssen was to Kewaskum on business Monday.

Albert Loose purchased a horse from Arthur Engelman.

Mrs. Wm. Janssen visited with Mrs. Frank Bartelt Monday.

Rich. Dettman sold his tent and camping outfit to Wm. Gosser.

Dr. Brandt of Kewaskum was a professional caller here Monday.

Mrs. John Janssen and daughter were to Kewaskum on business Monday.

Wm. Dickeliver and family transacted business at Kewaskum Monday.

Walter Heberer of New Fane visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Glass.

Art. Engelman and wife visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dettman Sunday afternoon.

The A. S. of E. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bartelt Wednesday, May 9th.

J. H. Reysen and family and A. C. Hoffmann and family were to New Fane Thursday evening.

Walter Reysen left Thursday for Mattoon where he will spend some time with his sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dettman visited Sunday evening with Louis Butzke and family at New Prospect.

Mrs. Washmuth of Mitchell spent the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gatzke and the John Gatzke family.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Capelle and son Harvey, Mrs. Elizabeth Janssen and Mrs. Hubert Keller and son Roy visited Sunday with the Wm. Janssen family.

MUSCLE SORENESS RELIEVED

Unusual work, bending and lifting or strenuous exercise is a strain on the muscles, they become sore and stiff, you are crippled and in pain. Sloan's Liniment brings you quick relief, easy to apply, it penetrates without rubbing and drives out the soreness. A clear liquid, cleaner than messy plasters or ointments, it does not stain the skin or clog the pores. Always have a bottle handy for the pains aches of rheumatism, gout, lumbago, grippie bruises, stiffness, backache and all external pain. At your drug-gist, 25c.

Seems the Same.

Few men are reformed by marriage although many are regulated.—Milwaukee News.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Barley	1.25-1.55
Wheat	1.80-2.00
Red Winter	1.60-1.70
Rye No. 1	1.60
Oats	.75
Timothy Seed, hd	\$5.00-\$7.00
Butter	36-38
Eggs	20
Unwashed Wool	40
Beans	8.00
Hides (calf skin)	24
Cow Hides	17-18
Honey	9
Horned New	7.00-7.50
Potatoes, Red, sorted wt	\$2.20-2.50
LIVE POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	20
Old Chickens	20
Roosters	13
Geese	14
Ducks	15-16
DRESSED POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	16-17
Geese	19
Ducks	20
DAIRY MARKET	
SHEBOYGAN.	
Sheboygan, Wis., April 30—15 factories offered 1,217 boxes of cheese on the call board today and all sold as follows: 155 twins, 24c; 10 cases young Americas, 24c; 1,267 daisies, 24 1/8c; 100 double daisies, 24 1-8c; 670 cases longhorns, 23 3/4c; 885 boxes square prints, 24c. Prices at today's market dropped back to where they were two weeks ago, a decline from last week ranging from 1 1/2c to 1 7-8c.	
PLYMOUTH.	
Plymouth, Wis., April 30—26 factories offered 2,887 boxes of cheese on the call board today and all sold as follows: 155 twins, 24c; 10 cases young Americas, 24c; 1,267 daisies, 24 1-8c; 100 double daisies, 24 1-8c; 670 cases longhorns, 23 3/4c; 885 boxes square prints, 24c. Prices at today's market dropped back to where they were two weeks ago, a decline from last week ranging from 1 1/2c to 1 7-8c.	

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DRAFT WINS BY BIG MAJORITY IN BOTH HOUSES

Senate Vote Is 81 to 8 and House 397 to 24.

"T. R.'S" DIVISION APPROVED

Upper Branch of Congress Votes in Favor of Sending American Troops to the Firing Line in France—Age Limit Set at 27.

Washington, April 30.—Conscription was decreed by congress on Saturday night as the military means to employ to bring the imperial German government to terms and to end the war.

Both houses spent the day and evening in perfecting the bill. On final passage the measure went through by the following votes:

House—For, 397; against, 24. Senate—For 81; against, 8.

The result established beyond doubt the determination of congress not to resort to the old method of volunteers.

The house went so far Friday in its opposition to volunteers as to refuse to adopt a provision under which Colonel Roosevelt might offer his famous division for service.

The senate gave approval to the Harding amendment, which will permit the president to accept the Roosevelt command.

Those Against Draft

Here were the votes taken before final action which sealed the doom of volunteering:

Table with 2 columns: For, Against. Rows for House (98, 297) and Senate (18, 69).

The first house vote substituted the administration bill for the Dent volunteer-conscription plan.

The second house vote adopted the motion of Congressman Kahn, in charge of the administration fight, to strike out all volunteer provisions from the Dent measure.

The senate vote was directed against the McKellar amendment authorizing the president to raise a force of 500,000 volunteers for service in the war.

Excitement in House

Tense excitement prevailed in the house during the lengthy session, and particularly when the final vote was taken. To the astonishment of the members and the crowded galleries, Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Kitchin recorded themselves in favor of the passage of the measure.

Here is the list of members who voted against the bill: Alabama—Bumett, Hudleston. California—Church, Hayes, Nolan, Randall.

Florida—Hillard, Keating. Illinois—King, Mason. Kentucky—Powers. Michigan—Bacon. Minnesota—Lundin. North Carolina—Dominick. Ohio—Claypool, Crosser, Gordon, Sherman.

Washington—Dill, La Follette. The senators who voted against the conscription bill follow:

Democrats—Gore, Hardwick, Kirby, Thomas, Trammell—5. Republicans—Borah, Gronna, La Follette—3. (Vardaman excused from voting.)

Senate Approves T. R. Plan

But while the senate and house manifested indubitably their purpose to adopt conscription, the national sentiment in favor of authorizing Col. Theodore Roosevelt to go to France proved so strong, that the Harding amendment to this end was adopted in the senate.

The house on Friday rejected the proposal by a vote of 170 to 106. The senate on Saturday night, however, adopted it by a vote of 56 to 31. The conference committee now will have to determine the question of whether or not any volunteers whatever shall be accepted.

"T. R." APPEALS TO THE WEST

Colonel Tells Chicago Crowd to Put Stars and Stripes at the Front in France.

JOFFRE MAKES PLEA

FRANCE PINS HOPES ON AMERICAN TROOPS, AVERS HERO OF THE MARNE.

MOVE FEARED BY GERMANS

Marshal Pays High Tribute to This Nation's Valor and to Great Britain's—Is Moved by Welcome He Received Here.

Washington, May 1.—"France, which has long recognized the valor of the American soldier, cherishes the confident hope that the flag of the United States will soon be unfurled on our firing line."

Marshal Joffre, the hero of the Marne, made this statement on Sunday to a group of newspaper men in an interview granted at the temporary home of the French mission here.

Marshal Joffre's address was sent to the state department to be passed upon by the censors.

The text as given out here follows: "The very cordial welcome given me by the city of Washington and the expressions of sympathy which reached me from states and cities throughout the United States have moved me deeply, since they are a homage paid to the whole French army, which I represent here.

"The heroism and resolution of the soldiers of France indeed deserve all the affection the United States has shown them. After having, in a supreme effort, defeated and thrown back a barbarous enemy, the French army has untriflingly labored to increase and perfect its efficiency. And now in the third year of the war it is attacking the enemy with greater vigor and material force than ever before.

"Side by side with it and animated by no less heroic spirits stands the British army, whose formation and development will ever remain the admiration of the world.

"The Germans have realized its wonderful growth. Every encounter has made them feel the increasing menace of its strength. The contempt they pretended to feel for it in the early days of the war has gradually become a dread more openly avowed each day.

"Led by its illustrious president, the United States has entered into this war. By the side of France in the defense of the ideals of mankind the place of America is marked.

"France, which has long recognized the valor of the American soldier, cherishes the confident hope that the flag of the United States will soon be unfurled on our fighting line. This is what Germany dreads.

"France and America will see with pride and joy the day when their sons are once more fighting shoulder to shoulder in the defense of liberty.

"The victories which they will certainly win will hasten the end of the war, and will tighten the links of affection and esteem which have ever united France and the United States."

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Chicago, May 1.—No message Theodore Roosevelt ever brought to Chicago stirred a more enthusiastic audience than that which with wild yells for "Teddy, Teddy, Teddy," choked the stockyards pavilion and the streets for blocks around. "Put the flag on the firing line," and "repay the debt to France" were the gist of his patriotic sermon, which stirred the souls of the great concourse to a frenzy.

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AN EASY ROAD TO KNOWLEDGE



ALLIES PUSH FORWARD WAR ON DIVERS TOLD

BRITISH CAPTURE GERMAN TRENCHES ON MILE FRONT.

Battle Now Centers Around Roer—Maig's Troops Capture 976 More Germans.

London, April 30.—The British troops captured a German trench system south of Oppy on a front of about a mile, after heavy fighting, says the official report from British headquarters in France.

The Germans offered strong resistance and delivered several counter-attacks, but these failed.

The number of prisoners taken by the British since Saturday morning is 976, including 16 officers.

The Germans at night made determined effort to recapture positions gained by the British near Arieux-en-Gohelle in Saturday's drive. The war office announced that the attack was broken up.

Paris, April 30.—The war office communication reads: "Along the Chemin-des-Dames the German artillery, energetically counter-shelled by us, bombarded our positions at Hurbette. Grenade fighting likewise was lively in that region in the first lines.

"Northwest of Reims and in Champagne we effectively shelled the German organizations. In the region of Courcy we took more than 200 prisoners."

Berlin, April 30.—After a battle of extraordinary violence the Germans defeated the third British attempt to pierce their lines near Arras, the war office announces. The British forced their way into German advanced positions at several places, says the statement, but the Germans drove them back everywhere except in the town of Arieux-en-Gohelle.

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NO HOPE FOR 120 MINERS

Workers Entombed in Shaft at Trinidad, Colo., After Gas Explosion.

Trinidad, Colo., April 30.—There is no escape for the 120 or more men caught behind the fire in the Hastings mine of the Victor-American Fuel company, near Ludlow, and it is feared that all have perished. Five bodies were recovered.

Rescue crews reported on Friday night they cannot reach the entombed men because of the wreckage, the explosion having torn ceilings and walls of the main slope.

The exact number of men caught in the mine still is undetermined. The company has compiled a list of 83 names of men known to be in the mine, but it is asserted that the list is not complete.

BILLS FOR FOOD CONTROL IN

Measures Introduced to Stop Hoarding and Bring Fair Distribution—Great Powers Given.

Washington, May 2.—Administration food bills were introduced on Monday in congress—in the house by Chairman Lever of the agriculture committee and in the senate by Chairman Gore of the agriculture committee.

They do not cover price fixing or control of the use of grains for distilling liquors. These subjects will be covered in a bill to be introduced later.

The bills are designed to stimulate production, prevent hoarding, make for equitable distribution and suspend the law prohibiting the mixing of flour. They contain provisions to prevent conflict with the antitrust and interstate commerce laws.

Menocal Cuba's President. Havana, April 30.—The Cuban electoral college met to decide the election of president. The vote resulted as follows: Menocal, 87; Zayas, 44.

5,000 Indians Ready to Enlist. McAlester, Okla., May 1.—All the Choctaws who are eligible to serve in the army under the age limits in the army bill before congress are preparing to enlist. The old members of the tribe will work on the farms.

Pabst's Nephew in Marine Corps. Salt Lake City, Utah, May 1.—Henry Pabst, nephew of the Milwaukee brewer, was accepted by the local recruiting office of the marine corps on Saturday afternoon. Pabst will serve as a private.

Blind Ball Fan Dead. Decatur, Ill., May 2.—John J. Moore, Decatur's blind baseball fan, known all over the country, died here. Moore, though sightless, was able to tell the progress of the playing by the yells of the fans.

Will Resume Coal Probe. Washington, May 2.—Federal trade commission hearings in the bituminous coal investigation will be resumed in Chicago. Producers of coal will appear to give their versions of the causes for high prices.

Constantine to Abdicate? London, May 2.—The report that King Constantine of Greece is soon to abdicate is reiterated in a dispatch from Rome to the Star, which says it has been confirmed from neutral diplomatic sources.

10 U. S. TARS KILLED

LIEUTENANT AND NINE MEN LOSE LIVES WHEN TANK SHIP IS TORPEDOED.

CAPTAIN OF BOAT MISSING

Steamer Vacuum Destroyed by German Submarine—Chief Mate and Seventeen of Crew Landed—Three Enlisted Men Saved.

London, May 2.—The American oil tank steamer Vacuum has been sunk. The captain and part of the crew and the naval lieutenant and nine American gunners are missing.

The Vacuum was sunk by a German submarine on Saturday while it was on its way to the United States.

The chief mate and 17 men, including three of the American navy gunners, have been landed.

A boat containing the master of the ship and the remainder of the crew together with the lieutenant and nine naval gunners is missing.

New York, May 2.—The American steamer Vacuum, commanded by Capt. S. S. Harris of this city, left New York on March 30 for Birkenhead, England, carrying a crew of 39 men, of whom 15 were American citizens, including nine native born.

As signed here before the United States commissioner the Americans besides Captain Harris were:

Oscar Gales, mate, Russian, naturalized; Frank J. Yersey, second mate, Belgian, naturalized; E. D. Husted, chief engineer, Scotch, naturalized; John Simpson, assistant engineer, English, naturalized, New York city; Francis J. Davison, assistant engineer, Swedish, naturalized; R. Williams, assistant engineer, born in Wisconsin; J. Witjens, born in New York; W. H. Craue, steward, Brooklyn; Thomas Ellis, Albany, N. Y.; L. J. Hutton, wireless operator, Niagara, Wis.; Joseph Mullen, Brooklyn, and R. Puzle and McDlog, both of San Juan, P. R.

DOOMS SPECULATION IN FOOD

Trade Board Announces at Its First Session Price Juggling Will Be Ended.

Washington, May 2.—State aid in the federal trade commission's investigation of high food prices was taken up here on Monday at a conference of representatives of state food boards with the commission. Governors of states that have no boards also sent delegates. The commission is just starting an investigation directed by President Wilson. The trade commissioners made it plain that the first purpose of the investigation is to remedy any unlawful or economic conditions disclosed.

TRAIN KILLS FOUR OF FAMILY

Residents of Terre Haute, Ind., Crushed to Death While Riding in Auto Near Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, May 1.—R. C. Smith, a steamfitter of Terre Haute, Ind. his wife, his daughter, Elizabeth, eleven years old, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. N. E. Harris, were killed when a Big Four passenger train struck an automobile in which they were riding, near here. They were on their way to Indianapolis to visit another daughter. The woman and child were instantly killed. Smith died in the Indianapolis City hospital, living only long enough to give his name and address.

U-BOAT ESCAPED U. S. TARS

Lieutenant Ware in Charge of Gun Crew of Liner Mongolia Says Periscope Was Shot Away.

London, April 30.—Lieut. Bruce R. Ware, U. S. N., commander of the Mongolia's gun crew, declared on Friday his belief that the one shot his men fired April 19 at a German submarine did not sink the U-boat.

"All we know is that we fired at a hostile vessel with a periscope," he said. "I do not know if we hit the vessel, but we knocked off the periscope."

CHICAGO OFFICIAL IS HIT

Charges Filed Against City Election Commissioner Alleging Unpatriotic Remarks About Joffre.

Chicago, May 1.—Charges were filed with the department of justice against August Luaders, chairman of the city election commission, because of alleged unpatriotic remarks made by Luaders in connection with the proposed visit to Chicago of General Joffre and other members of the French commission to Chicago.

By the Throat

London, April 30.—Writing of the submarine menace, A. G. Gardiner in the Daily News says:

"Let us face the facts. What is the dominating fact of the war today? It is this: We have got Germany by the throat on land. Germany has got us by the throat at sea.

"We are trying to force a military decision. Germany aims at starving us before we can get that decision. Our hope is in the guns of Artois. Germany's hopes are in the torpedo of the submarine. The whale is fighting on land; the elephant is fighting at sea. Germany is losing command of her element, and we are losing command of our element."

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MARKETS

Milwaukee, May 2, 1917.

Butter—Creamery, extra, 35c; prints, 33c; firsts, 35c; seconds, 32c; process, 33c; dairy, fancy, 35c; 36c.

Cheese—American, full cream twins, 25c; 25 1/2c; daisies, 25c; Young Americas, 25c; 25 1/2c; longhorns, 25c; 25 1/2c; hamburger, fancy 2 lbs., 25c; 25 1/2c; brick, fancy, 22c; 22 1/2c.

Eggs—Current receipts, fresh as to quality, 28c; 29c; seconds and cracks, 24c; 27c.

Live Poultry—fowls, fancy, 23c; roosters, old 14c; fancy springers, 23c.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 2.86@2.91; No. 2 northern, 2.78@2.86; No. 3 northern, 2.30@2.70; No. 2 hard, 2.86@2.90.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.58@1.59.

Oats—No. 3 white, 71c; stand arly 72c; No. 4 white, 70c; 72c.

Rye—No. 3 1.59@1.60; No. 4, 1.60@1.62; rejected 1.50.

Hay—Choice timothy, 19.00@19.50; No. 1 timothy, 18.00@18.50; No. 2 timothy, 15.00@16.00; rye straw, 10.00@10.50.

Potatoes—Homegrown or Michigan, out of store, 2.90@3.15.

Hogs—Prime, heavy butchers, 15.75@15.90; fair to prime light, 14.75@15.40; pigs, 11.50@12.25.

Cattle—Steers, 7.25@12.00; feeders, 7.00@8.25; cows, 7.00@10.00; heifers, 6.00@10.75; calves, 11.00@11.75.

Minneapolis, May 2, 1917.

Wheat—No. 1 hard, 2.83@2.87; No. 1 northern, 2.71@2.77; No. 2 northern, 2.65@2.77.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.50@1.52.

Oats—No. 3 white, 69c@71c.

Rye—2.01@2.03.

Flax 3.29@3.35.

Grain, Provisions, Etc. Chicago, May 1.

Wheat—Open High—Low—Close—May 2.71 2.71 2.55 2.57 1/2

July 2.26-27 2.27 2.12 2.12 1/2

Sept. 1.85-89 1.89 1.81 1.82-82 1/2

Corn—May 1.50 1.50 1.44 1.45 1/2

July 1.43-44 1.44 1.38 1.37 1/2

Oats—May 69-69 69 66 66-67 1/2

July 64-66 66 62 63-63 1/2

Sept. 5 5 5 5 1/2

FLOUR—Spring wheat, special brands, in wood, 14.50 per bbl.; hard spring wheat patents, 95 per cent grade, in tote, 14.00; straight, in export bags, 13.90; first clear, 12.00; in tote, second clear, 12.00; low grade, 10.00; fancy soft winter wheat patents, in tote, 14.00; fancy hard winter wheat patents, 14.00; in tote; standard wheat patents, 13.30; in tote; first clear, 12.00; in tote; second clear, in tote, 10.00; pure white rye, 11.10; dark rye, 10.10.

HAY—Choice timothy, 19.00@21.00; No. 1 timothy, 18.00@20.00; No. 2 timothy, 17.00@18.00; No. 3 red top and grassy mixed timothy, 16.00@17.00; clover, 17.00@19.00; light clover mixed, 17.00@19.00; Kansas and Oklahoma choice, 19.00@20.00; No. 1, 18.00@19.50; No. 2, 16.00@17.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 35c; extra firsts, 33c; firsts, 32c; seconds, 30c; packing stock, 28c; lard, 25c; process, 30c.

EGGS—Firsts, 28c; ordinary firsts, 26c; miscellaneous lots, cases included, 24c; cases returned, 22c; extra, 33c; checks, 28c; dries, 28c; storage, 34c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 22c; fowls, 22c; broilers, 28c; 25c per doz.; roosters, 17c; ducks, 15c; geese, 13c.

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POTATOES—Bulk, white, Wisconsin, 2.25@2.40; Minnesota, 2.25@2.40; western, 2.50@2.65.

NEW POTATOES—Hampers, Florida, red, 1.75@2.75; white, 2.00@2.50; bbls., white, 5.00@9.00.

New York, May 1. WHEAT—Lower, demand quiet; No. 1 red, 2.35; No. 1 northern, 2.55; No. 2 hard, 2.75.

CORN—Weaker, trading quiet, quotations nominal; No. 2 yellow, 1.48; No. 3 mixed, 1.64.

OATS—Lower, trade fair; No. 2 white, 78c; standard, 75c; No. 3 white, 75c; No. 4 white, 77c; ungraded, 76c.

Live Stock. Chicago, May 1. CATTLE—Good to choice steers, 12.25@13.50; yearlings, good to choice, 11.00@12.40; fair to good steers, 9.90@11.25; stockers and feeders, 7.00@8.40; fair to good heifers, 7.00@10.10; canners, 5.00@6.65; cutters, 4.00@6.75; bologna hogs, 10.00@12.50; heavy calves, 8.00@10.00; butcher hogs, 8.50@9.50; fair to prime calves, 10.50@12.25.

HOGS—Prime light butchers, 15.50@16.65; fair to fancy light, 15.25@15.50; medium weight butchers, 15.00@15.30; pig, fair to good, 15.00@15.30; pigs, 15.00@15.75.

SHEEP—Yearlings, 12.00@15.25; fair to choice ewes, 12.00@13.00; wethers, fair to choice, 12.50@14.00; clipped wethers, 10.90@12.15; clipped ewes, 10.25@10.85; Colorado lambs, 15.00@17.50; feeding lambs, 15.50@16.00; native lambs, 15.75@17.25; shorn lambs, 13.00@14.25.

East Buffalo, N. Y., May 1. CATTLE—Market active; prime steers, 12.00@12.50; butcher grades, 8.50@11.25. CALVES—Market active. 50c higher; cull to choice, 6.00@11.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active, 15c higher; choice lambs, 14.25@14.40; cull to fair, 10.00@14.00; yearlings, 10.00@12.00; sheep, 8.00@11.50.

HOGS—Market active, 15c higher; Yorkers, 15.00@16.00; pigs, 13.25@14.00; mixed, 12.00@14.25; heavy, 14.25@16.40; rough, 14.00@14.25; sows, 11.75@12.50.

Cleveland—Lakeside base hospital unit has received orders to mobilize within ten days preparatory for service abroad. The unit is composed of 500 beds and 196 surgeons, specialists, nurses and others.

Syracuse—Further dances and rifle drills among women were put under the ban by Chancellor Day of Syracuse university. He also demanded that smoking by the coeds shall cease.

Houston—While making his first flight in an airplane, unaccompanied by an instructor, Ralph Kelly, a student aviator, fell to his death.

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HEART OF THE SUNSET

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PALOMA JONES AND ALAIRE AUSTIN PREPARE TO GIVE AID TO BLAZE JONES AND DAVE LAW, BUT THEIR PLAN IS COMPLICATED BY THE APPEARANCE OF GENERAL LONGORIO AND BY ED AUSTIN'S ACTIVITIES

SYNOPSIS—Mrs. Alaire Austin is the handsome young mistress of Las Palmas ranch in Texas and La Feria ranch in Mexico. She dislikes her husband, who is a brutal, profligate, lecherous drunkard, but she feels a strong sympathy for David Law, state ranger, when she discovers accidentally that he loves her hopelessly. There is trouble between Mexicans and Americans along the border. Law discovers that Austin is leagued with American horse thieves and Mexican rebels, among them Tad Lewis, who is under suspicion. Law kills a horse thief. When Law's friend, Ricardo Guzman, goes to the Mexican side to collect money due him, he is murdered by the Lewis gang because he can give incriminating testimony against them. Law and Blaze Jones go to the Mexican side to get Guzman's body secretly. Mrs. Austin and Paloma Jones, Blaze's daughter, are preparing to give them aid on their return to the American side when Gen. Luis Longorio, an odious adviser of Mrs. Austin, comes to call. What happens then is described in this installment.

CHAPTER XII—Continued.

Paloma was gone with a rush. In a moment she returned, ready for the trip, and with her she carried a rifle nearly as long as herself.

In offering to lend a hand in this difficulty, Alaire had acted largely upon impulse, and now that she took time to think over the affair more coolly, she asked herself what possible business of hers it could be. For her part, Paloma was troubled by no uncertainty of purpose; it did not seem to her at all absurd to go to her father's assistance, and she was so eager to be up and away that the prospect of a long evening's wait made her restless.

As usual, Ed Austin had not taken the trouble to inform his wife of his whereabouts; Alaire was relieved to find that he was out, and she decided that he had probably stayed at Tad Lewis' for supper.

The women were seated on the porch after their meal, when up the driveway rode two horsemen. A moment later a tall figure mounted the steps and came forward with outstretched hand, crying in Spanish: "Senora! I surprise you. Well, I told you some day I should give myself this great pleasure. I am here!" "General Longorio! But—what a surprise!" Alaire's amazement was naive, her face was that of a startled schoolgirl. The Mexican warmly kissed her fingers, then turned to meet Paloma Jones. As he bowed, the women exchanged glances over his head. Miss Jones looked frankly frightened, and her expression plainly asked the meaning of Longorio's presence. To herself, she was wondering if it could have anything to do with that expedition to the Romero cemetery. She tried to compose herself, but apprehension flooded her.

Alaire, meanwhile, her composure recovered, was standing slim and motionless beside her chair, inquiring smoothly, "What brings you into Texas at such a time, my dear general? This is quite extraordinary."

"Need you ask me?" cried the man. "I would ride through a thousand perils, senora. God in his graciousness placed that miserable village, Romero, close to the gates of heaven. Why should I not presume to look through them briefly? I came two days ago, and every hour since then I have turned my eyes in the direction of Las Palmas. At last I could wait no longer."

Paloma gasped and Alaire stepped through the French window at her back and into the brightly lighted living room. Paloma Jones followed as if in a trance.

Longorio's bright eyes took a swift inventory of his surroundings; then he sighed luxuriously.

"How fine!" said he. "How beautiful! A nest for a bird of paradise!" "Don't you consider this rather a mad adventure?" Alaire insisted. "Suppose it should become known that you crossed the river?"

Longorio snapped his fingers. "I answer to no one; I am supreme. But your interest warms my heart; it thrills me to think you care for my safety. Thus am I repaid for my days of misery."

"You surely did not"—Paloma swallowed hard—"come alone?"

"No. I took measures to protect myself in case of eventualities."

"How?"

"By bringing with me some of my troopers. Oh, they are peaceable fellows!" he declared, quickly; "and they are doubtless enjoying themselves with our friend and sympathizer, Morales."

"Where?" asked Alaire.

"I left them at your pumping plant, senora." Paloma Jones sat down heavily in the nearest chair. "But you need have no uneasiness."

Alaire answered sharply, "It was a very reckless thing to do, and you must not remain here."

Longorio drew his evenly arched brows together in a plaintive frown, saying, "You are inhospitable!" Then his expression lightened. "Or is it, he asked—"Is it that you are indeed apprehensive for me?"

Alaire tried to speak quietly. "I should never forgive myself if you came to harm here at my ranch."

Longorio sighed. "And I hoped for a warmer welcome—especially since I

have done you another favor. You saw that hombre who came with me?"

"Yes."

"Well, you would never guess it is your Jose Sanchez. He was distracted at the news of his cousin's murder, and came to me—"

"His cousin was not murdered."

"Exactly! I told him so when I learned the facts. I said to him, 'Jose, my boy, it is better to do nothing than to act wrongly. Go back to your beautiful employer, be loyal to her, and think no more about this unhappy affair.' It required some argument, I assure you, but—he is here. He comes to ask your forgiveness and to resume his position of trust."

"I am glad to have him back if he feels that way. I have nothing whatever to forgive him."

"Then he will be happy, and I have served you. That is the end of the matter." With a graceful gesture Longorio dismissed the subject. "It is to be my pleasure," he next inquired, "to meet Senora Austin, your husband?"

"I am afraid not."

"Too bad. I had hoped to know him and convince him that we federals are not such a bad people as he seems to think. We ought to be friends, he and I."

Under this talk Paloma stirred uneasily, and at the first opportunity burst out: "It's far from safe for you to remain here, General Longorio. This neighborhood is terribly excited over the death of Ricardo Guzman, and if anyone learned—"

"So! Then Guzman is dead?" Longorio inquired, with interest.

"Isn't he?" blurted Paloma.

"Not so far as I can learn. Only today I made official report that nothing whatever could be discovered about him. Certainly he is nowhere in Romero, and it is my personal belief that the poor fellow was either drowned in the river or made way with for his money. Probably the truth will never be known."

Longorio had come to spend the evening, and his keen pleasure in Alaire Austin's company made him so indifferent to his personal safety that nothing short of a rude dismissal would have served to terminate his visit. Neither Alaire nor her companion, however, had the least idea how keenly he resented the presence of Paloma Jones.

It was a remarkable wooing; on the one hand this half-savage man, gnawed by jealousy, heedless of the illicit nature of his passion, yet held within the bounds of decorum by some rag-end of respectability; and on the other hand, a woman, bored, resentful and tortured at the moment by fear about what was happening at the river bank.

It was late when Austin arrived. Visitors at Las Palmas were unusual at any time; hence the sound of

strange voices in the brightly lighted living room at such an hour surprised him. He came tramping in, booted and spurred, a belligerent look of inquiry upon his bloated features. But when he had met his wife's guests, his surprise turned to black displeasure. His own sympathies in the Mexican struggle were so notorious that Longorio's presence seemed to him to have but one possible significance. Why Paloma Jones was here he could not imagine.

Alaire's caller remained at ease, and appeared to welcome this chance of

meeting Austin. Luis Longorio was the sort of man who enjoys a strained situation, and one who shows to the best advantage under adverse conditions. Accordingly, Ed's arrival, instead of hastening his departure, merely served to prolong his stay.

It was growing late now, and Paloma was frantic. Profiting by her first opportunity, she whispered to Alaire, "For God's sake, send him away."

Alaire's eyes were dark with excitement. "Yes," said she. "Talk to him, and give me a chance to have a word alone with Ed."

The opportunity came when Austin went into the dining room for a drink. Alaire excused herself to follow him. When they were out of sight and hearing, her husband turned upon her with an ugly frown.

"What's that greaser doing here?" he asked roughly.

"He called to pay his respects. You must get him away."

"I must?" Ed glowered at her. "Why don't you? You got him here in my absence. Now that I'm home, you want me to get rid of him, eh? What's the idea?"

"Don't be silly. I didn't know he was coming and—he must be crazy to risk such a thing."

"Crazy?" Ed's lip curled. "He isn't crazy. I suppose he couldn't stay away any longer. By heaven, Alaire—"

Alaire checked this outburst with a sharp exclamation: "Don't make a scene! Don't you understand he holds over fifty thousand dollars' worth of La Feria cattle? Don't you understand we can't antagonize him?"

"Is that what he came to see you about?"

"Yes." She bit her lip. "I'll explain everything, but—you must help me send him back, right away." Glancing at the clock, Alaire saw that it was drawing on toward midnight; with quick decision she seized her husband by the arm, explaining feverishly: "There is something big going on tonight, Ed! Longorio brought a guard of soldiers with him, and left them at our pump-house. Well, it so happens that Blaze Jones and Mr. Law have gone to the Romero cemetery to get Ricardo Guzman's body."

"What?" Austin's red face paled, his eyes bulged.

"Yes. That's why Paloma is here. They crossed at our pumping station, and they'll be back at any time, now. If they encounter Longorio's men—You understand?"

"Ricardo Guzman's body!" Austin wet his lips and swallowed with difficulty. "Why—do they want his body?"

"To prove that he is really dead and—to prove who killed him." Noting the effect of these words, Alaire cried sharply, "What's the matter, Ed?"

But Austin momentarily was beyond speech. The deceiver from which he was trying to pour himself a drink played a musical tattoo upon his glass; his face had become ashen and pasty. "How many men has he got?" Austin nodded in the direction of the front room.

"I don't know. Probably four or five. What allis you?"

Something in her husband's inexplicable agitation, something in the hunted, desperate way in which his eyes were running over the room, alarmed Alaire.

Ed utterly disregarded her question. Catching sight of the telephone, which stood upon a stand in the far corner of the room, he ran to it, and, snatching the receiver, violently oscillated the hook.

"Don't do that!" Alaire cried, following him. "Wait! It mustn't get out."

"Hello! Give me the Lewis ranch—quick—I've forgotten the number." With his free hand Ed held his wife at a distance, muttering harshly: "Get away now! I know what I'm doing. Get away—d—n you!" He flung Alaire from him as she tried to snatch the instrument out of his hands.

"Ed!" she cried. "Are you out of your mind? You mustn't—"

Their voices were raised now, heedless of the two people in the adjoining room.

"Keep your hands off, I tell you. Hello! Is that you, Tad?" Agnir Austin thrust his wife violently aside.

"Listen! I've just learned that Dave Law and old man Jones have crossed over to dig up Ricardo's body. Yes,

tonight! They're over there now—back inside of an hour."

Alaire leaned weakly against the table, her frightened eyes fixed upon the speaker.

"Yes! They aim to discover how he was killed and all about it. They crossed at my pumping plant, and they'll be back tonight, if they haven't already—"

The speaker's voice broke, his hand was shaking so that he could scarcely retain his hold upon the telephone. "How do I know?" he chattered. "It's up to you. You've got a machine—"

"Ed!" cried the wife. She went toward him on weak, unsteady feet, but she halted at the voice of Longorio cut in sharply:

"What's this I hear? Ricardo Guzman's body?" Husband and wife turned. The open double door to the living room framed the tall figure of the Mexican general.

CHAPTER XIII.

Rangers.

Longorio stared first at the huddled, perspiring man beside the telephone, and then at the frightened woman. "Is that the truth?" he demanded harshly.

"Yes," Austin answered. "They are bringing the body to this side. You know what that means."

"Did you know this?" The general turned upon Alaire. Of the four he was the least excited.

From the background Paloma quavered: "You told us Ricardo was not dead, so—it is all right. There is no harm done."

A brief silence ensued, then Longorio shrugged. "Who knows? Let us hope that he suffered no harm on Mexican soil. That would be serious, indeed, very serious, for I have given my word to your government. This—David Law"—he pronounced the name carefully, but with a strange foreign accent—"is a reckless person to defy the border regulations. It is a grave matter to invade foreign territory on such a mission."

Longorio again bent his brilliant eyes upon Alaire. "I see that you are concerned for his safety. You would not desire him to come to trouble, eh? He has done you favors; he is your friend, as I am. Well"—a mischievous smile exposed his splendid white teeth—"we must think of that. Now I will bid you good night."

"Where are you going?" demanded Miss Jones.

"To the river, and then to Romero. I may be needed, for those men of mine are stupid fellows, and there is danger of a misunderstanding. In the dark anything may happen. I should like to meet this David Law; he is a man of my own kind."

"Young Ed," he said. "There is reason for haste, and a horse moves slowly. Would you do me the favor, if you have an automobile—"

"No! I won't!" Ed declared. "I don't want to see the Rio Grande tonight. I won't be involved—"

"But you are already involved. Come! There is no time to waste, and I have something to say to you. You will drive me to the river, and my horse will remain here until I return for him."

There was no mistaking the command in Longorio's tone; the master of Las Palmas rose as if under compulsion. He took his hat, and the two men left the room.

"Oh, Mrs. Austin!" Paloma gasped. "They'll be in time, and so will the Lewis gang."

"Quick! Ed will take his runabout—we'll follow in my car." Alaire fled to make herself ready. A few moments later she looked out from her window and saw the headlights of Ed's runabout flash down the driveway to the mill; then she and Paloma rushed to the garage where the touring car stood.

"The moon is rising," Paloma half sobbed. "They'll be sure to see us. Do you think we're ahead of Tad Lewis?"

"Oh, yes. He hasn't had time to get here yet, but—he'll come fast when he starts. This is the only plan I can think of."

With General Longorio's gang and the Lewis gang waiting to ambush Jones and Law at the pump station, what chance have those two got to save their lives? The next installment describes an exciting event.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Going Up.

Helter—Helter, the aviator, took me for a joy ride in his new biplane. Skelter—Gee, that certainly is my idea of a sky-lark.

HOW YOU CAN DESTROY FLIES

Government Experts Give Some Directions for Fighting Pest and Preventing the Spread of Typhoid and Other Diseases.

Insects Lay Eggs in Manure, So It Should Be Treated to Kill Grubs—Powdered Hellebore is Best When Properly Used in Spraying Liquid.

A safe and effective weapon against the typhoid or house fly has been found in powdered hellebore by scientists of the department of agriculture. Flies lay their eggs chiefly in stable manure. Powdered hellebore mixed with water and sprinkled over the manure will destroy the larvae which are hatched from the eggs. Since powdered hellebore is readily obtainable, this puts in the hands of everyone a remedy for one of the pests that has been found dangerous as well as troublesome. Powdered hellebore, however, will not kill adult flies which must be swatted or trapped.

It has long been known that flies breed in manure but previous methods of destroying the larvae there by the use of strong chemicals have been open to the objection that the treatment under some conditions lessened the fertilizing value of the manure or actually injured vegetation. This is not true of powdered hellebore. Government experiments have shown that the hellebore is entirely decomposed in the course of the fermentation of the manure and that even in excessive quantities it does no harm except to the larvae it is intended to destroy. Chickens picking in manure treated with it suffer no ill effects.

One-half pound of powdered hellebore mixed with ten gallons of water is sufficient to kill the larvae in eight bushels, or ten cubic feet of manure. The mixture should be sprinkled carefully over the pile, especial attention being paid to the outer edges. In most places hellebore is obtainable in 100-pound lots at a cost of 11 cents a pound. This makes the cost of the treatment a little less than seven-tenths of a cent per bushel of manure. A liberal estimate of the output of manure is two bushels a day per horse. The money involved is, therefore, trifling in comparison with the benefits to the individual and the community from the practical elimination of the disease-spreading fly.

Although fresh manure is the favorite breeding spot, flies lay their eggs in other places as well, such as outhouses, refuse piles, etc. In these places, from which no manure is taken to spread on the fields, considerable saving may be effected through the substitution of borax for powdered hellebore. Applied at the rate of 0.62 pounds per eight bushels of manure, borax is as effective as powdered hellebore in killing the larvae but costs less than half a cent for each bushel of manure treated. In larger quantities, however, or when the manure itself is spread at a greater rate than 15 tons to the acre, some damage to crops may result. Large quantities of manure are often used by market gardeners and others, and there is always danger of carelessness in applying the borax. The use of the more expensive but safer hellebore is therefore recommended for the treatment of manure. Borax is recommended for all other refuse in which flies may lay eggs.

Scientists who have been working for years to eliminate the fly are convinced that the use of one or the other of these simple measures is a public duty wherever manure and refuse exist. Sanitarians, however, strongly advise the removal of refuse heaps or other unnecessary rubbish or breeding places for flies. In breeding places which cannot be thus disposed of—such as manure or stables—the daily use of powdered hellebore will keep the flies from breeding in these favorite breeding grounds. The best results are obtainable in a community where everyone cleans up his premises, traps or kills the flies, and systematically treats the manure and other breeding places with powdered hellebore.

The fly is not only a nuisance to human beings and live stock; it spreads disease and filth and is a menace to public health which cannot be tolerated in the face of a demonstrated remedy. Details of the experiments with other information on the subject are contained in a professional paper, Bulletin 245 of the United States department of agriculture.

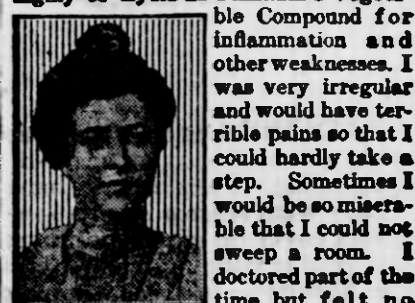
Swat the Fly Harder.

Whether the house fly or the stable fly or any other fly is the carrier of the germ of infantile paralysis, there is enough evidence against the pest to urge extra efforts at extermination. At least, it is very plain that conditions which encourage the multiplication of flies also promote and spread the paralysis. If it were possible to indict communities, those communities which permit flies to continue the nuisance—to put it no more strongly—which they are, would be liable to criminal carelessness. The fly can be measurably suppressed, and ought to be.

NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Bridgeport, N.J.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sweep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedies to all women as I have used them with such good results."—Mrs. MILDRED T. CURRIE, 322 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N. J.



Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulcerations, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

The oyster can hold up a weight of forty pounds before its shell will open.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills put up 40 years ago. They regulate liver and bowels.—Adv.

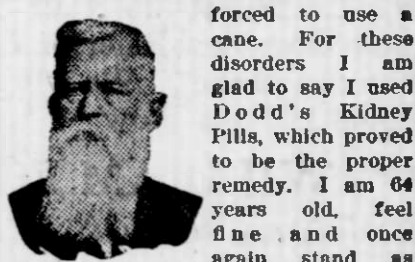
Logical Result.

"Will you have any outings this summer?"

"That depends on my innings now."

GAVE HIS CANE AWAY!

Mr. S. P. Benton, Kerrville, Texas, writes: "For several years prior to 1906 I suffered from kidney and rheumatic troubles. Was bent over and forced to use a cane. For these disorders I am glad to say I used DODD'S Kidney Pills, which proved to be the proper remedy. I am 64 years old, feel fine and once again stand as straight as an arrow. Dodd's Kidney Pills deserve great credit." Be sure and get "DODD'S," the name with the three D's for diseased, disordered, deranged kidneys; just as Mr. Benton did. No similarly named article will do.—Adv.



Beating High Cost of Living. "Merry Ann," said H. X. Penses to his second wife last night, "this here high cost of living thing is hurting my pocket like a toothache. I've been thinking up ways for beating the thing for a year or two and at last I've discovered just how to do it."

"Years ago we lived better when I made less money."

"Now, why not apply the rule to household expenses?"

"So hereafter I'll just cut your household allowance 50 per cent and you see to it that we live better, see?"

His doctor says he will recover and all the lawyers in Bunville City have refused to handle his divorce proceedings.—Exchange.

A Reminder.

"Everything I have asked you you have answered that you don't remember," said the lawyer to the colored witness.

"Yes, sah," came from the witness. "What's that string around your finger for?"

"Dat string, sah?"

"Yes, that string."

"Oh, dat is 't remind me of somethin', sah."

"To remind you of what?"

"'T remind me to remember 't forget, sah."

You may have noticed that foolish people are always happy.

Lying does not go well with a bad memory.

The answer to the Health Question often lies in a change of table drink



"Hello! Is That You, Tad?"



"What's That Greaser Doing Here?"

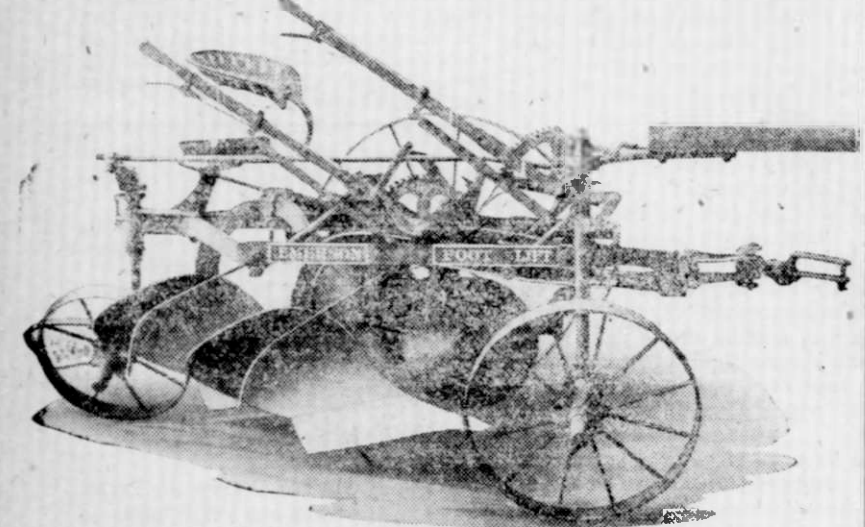


THE GOOD JUDGE RIDES ENGINE 7-11
SURE JUDGE! I LEARNED THAT DRINKING GOOD COAL LIKE GOOD TOBACCO GOES FURTHER AND I BREAK THE GOAL SMALL WHEN YOU TELL FOR STEAM.

YOU'RE beginning to notice a lot more information about tobacco, since W-B CUT Chewing got into full swing. People don't hanker after size any more. They want tobacco satisfaction—and excess sweetening can't cover up what's not there. The good tobacco taste of W-B is winning friends pretty much wherever you go nowadays—just rich, sappy leaf, shredded and seasoned with a bit of salt to bring out the fine tobacco flavor.

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CAMPBELLSPORT.

Class, Corbett was a village caller Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ketter called on friends here Friday.

Nic, Hort was a business caller at Oskosh Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Frazier called on friends at Kewaskum Thursday.

P. Krueger was a Fond du Lac business caller Thursday.

M. Knickel was a business caller at Milwaukee Friday.

A. Myers was a business caller here last week Saturday.

Miss M. Parks left for a short visit at Jackson Thursday.

Miss E. Doyle called on friends at Fond du Lac Thursday.

Jas. Fuller transacted business at the County Seat Wednesday.

Miss Alice Burkhardt called on friends at Kewaskum Saturday.

Wm. Martin and P. Ketter were Kewaskum callers Wednesday.

Mrs. R. Doty left for an extended visit at Chicago, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Ellis called on friends at Fond du Lac Wednesday.

A. Busliff of Waucousta was a business caller in the village Friday.

Mrs. L. Groatman visited with relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scheid called on relatives and friends at Fond du Lac Friday.

Mrs. L. Hendricks visited with relatives and friends at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Mrs. M. Polzean and daughter and R. Rabling were at Fond du Lac Monday.

L. Hall, Frank Hefling, Mrs. R. Biersdorf were callers at Fond du Lac Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Schimpeffennig called on friends at Fond du Lac Thursday.

Fred Seefeld and son George of South Eden were business callers here Thursday.

Miss L. Bates and Miss L. Turner visited with relatives and friends at Oskosh Friday.

Mrs. A. Guepe and children of Milwaukee called on relatives and friends here last week.

H. Schimpeffennig, R. Rabling transacted business at Fond du Lac one day last week.

J. J. O'Connell of Plymouth was a business caller in the village the latter part of last week.

Geo. Straub and Mr. and Mrs. L. Schimpeffennig were business callers at Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Jake Meyer and the Misses Gladys Wenzel and Martha Hassely of South Elmore were Ashford callers recently.

R. Rabling, Chas. Lade, Miss A. Curran, Mrs. F. Murray and daughter, A. White and E. Sann were work end visitors at Fond du Lac.

Mrs. W. Krueger, Henry Scholter, Miss E. McCullough, P. Schouwen, R. Romaine, E. F. Roelke and Miss E. Katen called on friends at Fond du Lac Wednesday.

CEDAR LAWN

Leo, Gudex visited his parents last Sunday.

John L. Gudex made a business call at Elmore Wednesday.

The town board of Eden inspected the highways last Thursday.

Kilian Beisbier of New Cassel was a business caller here last Friday.

The Farmers A. S. of E. shipped stock from Campbellsport Wednesday.

Gust Raft of Forest, who ships stock from Eden, was here last Tuesday.

Fred Guill and Samuel Gudex of North Osceola were here on business last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Steinacker and children visited with the Wm. Ferber family in South Auburn on Wednesday.

The storms rendered the roads impassable in many places, and put a decided stop to all kinds of farm marketing.

Albert Kraemer and sister Minnie Kraemer of Fond du Lac visited their brother, P. A. Kraemer and family last Sunday.

WAUCOUSTA

A. C. Busliff was a Fond du Lac caller Saturday.

Ed. Baumhardt of Eden was a caller here Sunday.

Dr. Weld of Campbellsport was a caller here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Dunn were Fond du Lac callers Saturday.

Arnold Sook of Milwaukee spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Corbett of Dundee visited relatives here Sunday.

Aug. Schultz of Sawyer, Wis. spent Saturday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Burnett were Campbellsport callers Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Guepe and children of Milwaukee spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Burnett.

FOUR CORNERS

Ranson Tuttle spent Sunday with the Robt Norton family.

Miss Mike Polzean and daughter Lizzie were Fond du Lac callers Monday.

Geo. Flynn was a pleasant caller at the home of Miss L. Garriety Saturday.

Herman Krueger, Bert Newton and Tom Franey were New Prospect callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Corbett spent Sunday with Frank Burnett and family at Waucousta.

L. H. Simond, the Special Insurance agent was a pleasant caller at Mike Polzean's Sunday.

Mike Flanagan, Louis Biersdorf and Mike Polzean Jr. motored to Waucousta, Dundee, Beechwood and New Prospect Saturday.

Why Boys Leave the Farm.

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat tells a whole lot in a few lines when it says: "Best reason we have heard why boys leave the farm is because Willie's calf grows to be his cow."

ROUND LAKE

Mr. Ketter was a caller at Dundee Tuesday.

Earl Henning spent Sunday with Vincent Calvey.

Ed. Johnson was a caller at Dundee Monday.

Mrs. Joe. Polzean was a caller at Dundee Thursday.

Miss Marie Stanton was a caller at Dundee Saturday.

Otto Krueger was a caller at M. Calvey's Monday.

Wm. Ellison spent Sunday with M. Calvey and family.

Frank Bauers and sister were callers here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Clarence Wittenberg spent a few days at Five Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beggan spent Sunday with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Haskins of Waucousta visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henning Sunday.

Misses Mable and Dode Brown and brother Clement spent Sunday evening at the M. Calvey home.

John Schlaefter, Harvey Kohlmer and Arnold Ertz spent Friday evening at the M. Calvey home.

Clarence Wittenberg, Bert Newton, George Wlealen and Marion Gilboy autoed to Kewaskum on business Saturday.

Miss Cecelia Calvey returned to her home Saturday, after spending the past five weeks with Miss Erma Wittenberg at Five Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith of Eden Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Empire, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bleek of Beechwood and Otto Smith and cousin Emil visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith near Armstrong Sunday.

Miss Erma Wittenberg, brothers Henry and Wilbur, Miss Cecelia Calvey, Clyde Henning and Wm. Marquardt attended the shower given in honor of Miss Hilda Weddig held at her home near Kewaskum Friday evening. About thirty-five friends and relatives surprised her. The evening was spent in dancing. At midnight a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Weddig. The bride to be received many beautiful gifts of silverware and kitchen utensils. When the guests departed they wished Miss Weddig many happy years of married life.

ASHFORD

Alfred Serve has a new Ford car.

Adolph Maul spent Monday at Campbellsport.

Ben Weyer and family spent Monday at Elmore.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Berg.

Martin Thelen had a barn raising here Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Peter Reiner who visited at Milwaukee has returned home.

Frank McVoy of Eden spent Tuesday with the F. Reimer family.

Miss K. Steiger of St. Kilian is staying with her sister, Mrs. P. Reimer.

Mike Jaeger of Campbellsport delivered a new Crow car to Mike Sowe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Schmitt and daughter of Elmore spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Auserbauer of Theresa spent Sunday with the Martin Thelen family.

Mrs. J. Reimer of Milwaukee returned home Sunday after spending a week with her sons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kedinger and family of Lomira visited with the latter's father, Wm. Driekosen Sr. who is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Driekosen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Hefling, Mrs. W. Schutz and children and A. Serwe of Waucousta motored here and spent Saturday and Sunday with their father, William Driekosen Sr.

SOUTH EDEN

Frank Bonaster purchased a Ford car.

Francis Flood was a Waucousta caller Sunday.

Edw. Baumhardt spent Tuesday at Middle Town.

B. Beck spent several days at his home at Lomira.

Francis Flood was a caller at Round Lake Sunday.

Edw. Baumhardt was at Fond du Lac Saturday evening.

Leona Pagel was a Campbellsport caller Monday.

C. Bonaster was a Waucousta caller one day last week.

Monroe Smith was a caller at the Israel Pokett home Sunday.

Geo. Baumhardt is making preparation for the building a new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and son Clarence called on the P. Smith family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Youman and family of Fond du Lac were callers here Sunday.

Wm. Reilly who was operated upon for appendicitis at the St. Agnes Hospital has returned home Monday.

Mrs. C. Seefeld and Mrs. Frank Baumhardt and daughter Ida were callers at the F. Lade home Sunday.

Miss Mamie Baumhardt returned home last Sunday, after spending several months at the W. Rielly home.

MIDDLE TOWN

H. F. Bartelt was a caller at Dundee Tuesday.

Miss Adela Bartelt was a caller at F. J. Schmitz's Thursday.

Wm. and Herman Schultz are visiting at Sawyer for a few days.

Mr. W. Bartelt and Mrs. O. Bartelt spent Monday at New Prospect.

August Schultz of Sawyer visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents here.

Ed. Baumhardt, Arthur Bartelt and Misses Cecelia Ludwig and Adella Bartelt spent Sunday evening with Walter Bartelt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corbett and Mrs. Adela and Mrs. Albert Guepe and family of Milwaukee visited Sunday at Frank Burnett's.

Proper Food for Weak Stomachs

The proper food for one man may be all wrong for another. Everyone should adopt a diet suited to his age and occupation. Those who have weak stomachs need to be especially careful and should eat slowly and masticate their food thoroughly. It is also important that they keep their bowels regular. When they become constipated or when they feel dull and stupid after eating, they should take Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen the stomach and move the bowels. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

NEW PROSPECT

Aug. Lade of Auburn was here on business Saturday.

Oscar Stern of Scott spent Sunday at his home here.

Mrs. A. Butzke called on friends in the village Monday.

H. Jandre' made a business trip to Fond du Lac Monday.

Emil Spradow drove to Kewaskum on business Saturday.

Henry Opperman of Auburn was a village caller Saturday.

Edna Trayer is spending several weeks at the Wm. Bartelt home.

Arnold Stahl was a Monday caller here, while enroute to Dundee.

Coral Romaine spent the past week with friends in Fond du Lac.

Goldie and Mrs. Lloyd Romaine are guests at the former's home here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Butzke spent Thursday evening with friends in the village.

Augusta Polzean of Dundee is spending this week here at the J. Lunn home.

L. Biersdorf, M. Flanagan of Campbellsport were village callers Monday.

T. Los, Franey and Bert Newton of Dundee called on friends in the village Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Romaine spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Ostrander.

Geo. Kippenhan and Chas. Melbecke of Kewaskum were pleasant callers here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Uelmen and Mrs. J. Lunn and daughter motored to Plymouth Saturday.

Leo Uelmen of Campbellsport spent several days at the Frank Bowen home the past week.

Harry Koch went to Sheboygan to spend several days with his wife, who is at the city hospital.

Drs. Wiley of Fond du Lac and Holt of Campbellsport were professional callers at the William Bartelt home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bauman moved their household goods to their new home near New Pae. Neighbors here wish Mr. Bauman good health and happiness.

Alonzo Vangilder went to Fond du Lac Tuesday to see his son-in-law, Fischer Jewson, who was seriously injured in an accident Monday.

Kewaskum may be proud of their boys who went away to fight for their country in the real old soldier way, with bravery in their hearts, they bade their home adieu and want their friends to be proud of them when they come home dressed in blue.

Mrs. J. F. Walsh and M. Kohn accompanied Mrs. Kohn to St. Agnes hospital, where she underwent an operation Wednesday. Mr. Kohn visited with her Saturday and Sunday and states she is much improved and expects to return home the latter part of the week.

VALLEY VIEW

Robert Norton lost a valuable horse Saturday.

Miss Leona Pagel spent Thursday with Miss Ethel Norton.

Miss Blanche Murray visited with Fond du Lac friends Saturday.

Leo Longua was a business caller at Campbellsport Saturday.

Harold Johnson spent Sunday with friends in North Ashford.

Robert Norton was a business caller at the County Seat Monday.

Frank Welsh and Hugo Briezka spent Tuesday evening at George Johnson's.

Albert Seefeld was a caller at Bartel Jaeger's in North Ashford Monday.

Miss Ida Baumhardt was a recent caller at the home of Miss Agatha Wiator.

Messrs. John Koehne and Lee Norton were pleasant callers at Chas. Pagel's Sunday.

Misses Susie Jaeger and Bernice Johnson transacted business at Campbellsport Tuesday.

Miss Anna Gibbons of East Eden spent a few days recently with the Pagel family.

Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mr. Wenzel at Campbellsport Monday.

Miss Ethel Norton was a caller at the home of Mrs. Fred Baumhardt and family Sunday.

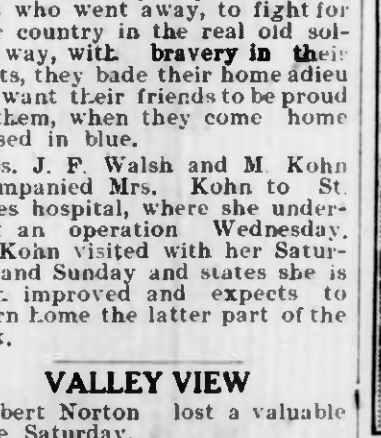
Miss Martha Campbell of North Ashford is spending the week with Nic. Klotz and family.

Marcus Hubbard of Wausau spent Saturday with his sister, Mrs. Geo. Johnson and family.

Misses Theresa Schommer, Ethel Norton and Bernice Johnson were Campbellsport callers recently.

Messrs. and Mesdames Nic. Klotz Jr. and Wm. Briezka, Miss Theresa Schommer and Hugo Briezka were Campbellsport callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Norton and son Harry of Milwaukee, Sheldon Tuttle and son Ranson of Auburn and Wm. Baumhardt of West Eden were entertained at R. L. Norton's Sunday.



Scouts Aid at Alabama State Fair. A BADGE OF HONOR.

One of the first things a boy scout must learn is the significance of the scout badge, and in compliance with this requirement he learns that the trefoll refers to the three points in the scout oath; that the scroll with upturned ends suggests a smile, for "a scout is cheerful," and the knot is to remind the boy to do "a good turn daily."

This satisfies the requirements of the test, but it is in fact only a small part of the significance of the scout badge. It is possible that when the first scout wore the first badge it meant not much more than is stated in the handbook, but with every year, as the movement builds up history and traditions and a record of things accomplished, the significance of the scout badge grows.

Today the boy who goes to a strange place wearing a scout badge will not depend on chance in selecting his companions. The scout badge and certificates give an entree to the companionship of scouts; in other words, it leads to the companionship of boys who are trustworthy and loyal, who are courteous and clean and reverent—the type of boy with whom any parent is glad to have his boy associated.

SCOUT ACTIVITIES.

A scout can kindle a fire in the forest the wettest day and he seldom uses more than one match. When no matches can be had he can still have a fire, for he knows the secret of the rubbing sticks used by the Indians, and he knows how to start a blaze with only his knife blade and a piece of flint. He knows, also, the danger of forest fires, and he kindles a blaze that will not spread. The fire once started, what a meal he can prepare out there in the open! Just watch him and compare his appetite with that of a boy who lounges at a lunch counter in a crowded city. He knows the unwritten rules of the campfire and he contributes his share to the pleasures of the council. He also knows when to sit silent before the ruddy embers and give his mind free play.

A troops of Boy Scouts in Lexington, by quick work, saved the household goods of S. E. Mattingly. Mr. Mattingly's residence was outside the fire limits and as a consequence the house was burned to the ground. The house, however, was insured, but the furniture was not. Mr. Mattingly has expressed his gratitude to the scouts.

A scout is kind to everything that lives. He knows that horses, dogs and cats have their rights, and he respects them. A scout prides himself upon doing "good turns," and no day in his life is complete unless he has been of aid to some person.

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SCOUTS CANNOT BE FROZEN

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Just as comfortable as in summer, they all report, good water-tight shoes, loose warm underwear and stockings, plenty of good grub, a tent, cabin, or shack for shelter, and it's an experience never to be forgotten.

Geel! doesn't that camp fire feel good! How the trees crack! All the voices of the woods are different when old Jack Frost is around.

They go to sleep believing themselves alone in the wilderness. They wake up and find that they have had a hundred visitors in the night. Footprints everywhere. Know them? Raccoon, skunk, squirrel, mink, muskrat, mole, bear, bird and—if you cut through the ice—fish, all wondering what has happened, all glad to have company. Maybe a bear or a deer has been nosing round the kitchen. Like boys, they have an instinct for finding the "eats."

Tracking, trailing, signaling, cooking, campcraft, all take on a new meaning in the winter. With it all comes the satisfaction of braving the cold.

A famous Arctic explorer made his men break the ice on a hoghead of water and take a dip every morning. Maybe this will come next in the scouts' winter camps.

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Real Life of a Soldier

salute to his officer is not a sign of subservience. It is a claim to fraternity, with the officer in the service. Watch a soldier approach his officer, head in air, eyes straight toward his superior and you will appreciate that the feeling is not always true in the National Guard, Wisconsin excepted, for Wisconsin guardsmen are the nearest approach to regulars that any state produces.

The regular army man, soldier as well as officer, feels pride in his service. Some civilians unfortunately, look down upon the army. All soldiers feel a pride in service that would surprise the civilian if he knew the soldier's attitude toward a mere man in civil life. And finally, don't forget that the regular soldier is a picked man, highly trained in his profession of soldiery. He is trained by the most highly trained officers in any army of the world. He is properly fed, properly cared for as to health and hygienic conditions, and the soldier who enlists now can have the benefit of this highly organized training, although he may enlist under the latest orders of the governmental authorities, for the period of the war, or one year only, instead of the old requirement of a period of years.

The regular army soldier is a picked man. No man who has ever been convicted of any offense can become a soldier in the United States regulars. They are not that kind.

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