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CORRESPONDENCE

VALLEY VIEW

Francis Devine transacted business at Sheboygan Saturday.
B. P. Jaeger and family autoed to Campbellsport Tuesday.
B. P. Jaeger sold his 90 acre farm to Francis Devine last Friday.
Mayme Kinney of Fond du Lac spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.
Theresa Schommer called on Campbellsport friends Tuesday afternoon.
Robert Norton, wife and son Louis spent Saturday with Sheldon Tuttle and wife in Auburn.
Theresa Schommer and Francis Devine attended the dance at Kewaskum Sunday evening.
R. L. Norton and family spent Tuesday evening with the Sheldon Tuttle family in Auburn.
Messrs. Wm. Baumhardt and Alvin Seefeld of West Eden were callers in this vicinity recently.
Several from here attended a party at Francis Devine's place in South Eden Saturday evening.
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CEDAR LAWN

Mary Garity of Fond du Lac spent Sunday here.
Fred Schluster of West Eden called here last Saturday.
August Horath was a Barton business caller Tuesday.
J. M. Stack of North Osceola was a business caller here Tuesday.
Samuel Gudex and Wm. Wagner of North Osceola called here last Sunday.
A choice Chester White boar, weighing about 200 pounds for sale by John L. Gudex.
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Philip Halfmann and Querian Moore of Calumet Harbor visited at P. A. Kraemer's last Sunday.
Matt Leon, Joe Schneider, Anna, Mary and Rosa Will of St. Cloud visited the George Gudex family last Sunday.
Francis Devine sold his farm a few days ago and later purchased the B. P. Jaeger farm near here. Mr. Devine was given possession at once.
Justice of the Peace John L. Gudex who has been busy making out applications for resident hunting license, made a business trip to the County Seat Tuesday.

WAUCOUSTA

Fred Buslaff is repairing his house this week.
A. C. Buslaff is building an addition to his store.
Farmers in this vicinity are filling silos this week.
A. C. Buslaff and family were Fond du Lac visitors Wednesday.
J. J. Steiner and wife of Lomira visited relatives here Wednesday.
Margaret Flanagan of Eden called on the Buslaff sisters here Tuesday.
C. Shepard of Fond du Lac was a business caller here Wednesday.
Born to Oscar Bartelt and wife a son on Sept. 18th. Congratulations.
Mrs. Wilson of Rosendale is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. Dunn and family.
Willie Wier of North Fond du Lac spent Sunday with Leo Rosenbaum and family.
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August Bartelt and family of Forest Lake spent Sunday with the latter's parents, H. Bartelt and wife.
E. Ford and family and Carrie Buslaff autoed to Fond du Lac Wednesday to attend the county fair.
Mrs. John Forsyth and son Robert and daughter Bessie of Friendship spent Sunday with L. Buslaff and family.
Mrs. Cornelia Terry returned to Good Thunder, Minn., Saturday after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends here.

NENNO

Farmers are busy filling silos.
John Pfeifer's new residence is nearing completion.
Marie Coff of Milwaukee visited relatives here the past week.
Albert Schellinger and sons were Milwaukee callers Tuesday.
Geo. Coff and wife of Hartford Sunday with the latter's mother.
Mary Garvey spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Thompson.
Mrs. L. P. Newburg transacted business at Milwaukee one day last week.
Agnes Martin of Hartford visited a few days of last week with her grandmother.
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Exhibits will be received only till six o'clock in the evening of the first day, Monday when the entries will close. This will give the judges more time for their difficult and important work. Exhibitors will please take notice of the change in the time limit to which exhibits are received, six o'clock and not later, on the evening of the entry day. Strict attention to this change will save much disappointment and trouble. The change has been made after much consideration and there is no doubt but what it is a good change.
The most important change of the premium list is that affecting the potatoes. Exhibits on plates of single varieties as named now may draw one dollar as the first prize, and 50 cents as the second prize, instead of fifty and twenty five cents, respectively, as formerly. The object of raising the premiums on potatoes is to encourage potato culture in the county, the vegetable holding such a prominent place in the people's diet and bringing such fair returns.
Exhibitors of domestic work may send their articles to the secretary, Jos. E. Huber and they will be taken care of and exhibited. But it is emphasized that any attempt at fraud makes the exhibitor liable to prosecution.
The program begins at 1 p. m. on Tuesday with daylight fireworks displayed by the Newton Fireworks Co. of Chicago. The first number consists of the national salute of 21 guns. That number of nine-inch maroons, or fire-work shells, are to be fired every half minute, exploding high in the air with tremendous reports. This salute will be followed by the display of "Old Glory" in fireworks. Three times the American shield which gradually descends to the earth, war-ships submarines, an upright figure of "Uncle Sam" fish and animals floating high in the air a large figure of the "American Eagle" slowly lowering towards the ground, oriental idols and other strange figures, and the final number, a large American flag shot into the air and bursting with a loud detonation, from a twelve-inch shell.
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The races are to start at 2:00 p. m. and consist of a 2:18 trot and a 2:15 pace. A large number of the best and fleetest steeds of the state are expected to take part of this year's races as handsome purses aggregating \$1500 are offered. The local turf is considered the best half-mile race track in the state.
Between the heats and the fireworks, eight free acts by comedians and acrobats will be given on the platform facing the grandstand. These acts will be highly entertaining and astonishing, and they will be worth the visit to the Fair alone.
Of course, there will be band concerts, and there will be a baseball game, and the grand finale will be a balloon ascension and double parachute leap.
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CAST OF CHARACTERS
Devil Judd Tolliver, head of the Tolliver clan
Theodore Roberts
June Tolliver, his daughter
Charlotte Walker
Dave Tolliver, Judd's nephew in love with June
Earl Fox
John Hale, District Revenue Officer
Thomas Meighan

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride, only the wedding party and near relatives were present. The young couple left on the evening train for parts unknown, after which they will be at home to their many friends in this village, after the 10th of November.
The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Guth, is a graduate of the local high school and the Wisconsin Conservatory of Music at Milwaukee. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Romaine of New Prospect. He is also a graduate of this high school and taught in the local public school for several years. At present he is employed as cashier in the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of this village.

A very simple wedding took place at Sunny Hillside Wednesday, September 28, 1917, at noon when Miss Rose Mary Schleif, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schleif, was united in marriage to Mr. Ray A. Hendricks, of Campbellsport, Wis. Rev. William Zenk of Campbellsport performed the ceremony, the simple ring service being used.

The bride wore a midnight blue traveling suit. The couple was unattended. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left on a four weeks' trip to different points on the Pacific Coast. After their return they will be at home at Campbellsport after January 1, 1917, where the groom is employed as manager of the Campbellsport branch of the Kiel Woodenware Company.

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Gov. Philipp at the Fair
Gov. Emanuel Philipp will deliver a patriotic address at the Fair Grounds at West Bend next Tuesday afternoon, October 2nd, at 1:30 o'clock. It is hoped and expected that the visitors to the Fair will be on the grounds early, as promptly at 1 o'clock the program of the afternoon will be opened by the National Salute of 21 guns. Following the raising of the Stars and Stripes, and band playing the Star Spangled Banner, the Governor will address the assemblage.

We deem it a high honor to have the Governor in our midst at the County Fair, a sure proof that at his first visit, two years ago, he had received a very good impression of our people and the Fair.

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The Vermillion Box..... Lucas
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TWO PRETTY WEDDINGS THE PAST WEEK

GUTH-ROMAINE
A wedding of unusual interest was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at the Ev. Peace parsonage, where Rev. F. Mohme performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Miss Edna Guth and Elwyn Romaine, both of this village.

The bride wore a beautiful suit of metro-taupe broadcloth with moleskin, and a hat to match. Her corsage bouquet was of Lillies of the Valley and Ward rose buds. She was attended by her sister, Miss Elsie Guth, who wore a Burgundy dress, and a cordon of Ward rose buds. The groom was attended by his brother, Edgard Romaine, of New Prospect. Miss Loretta Schaefer played the Lohengrin's wedding march.

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POCKETBOOK FACTORY RUNNING FULL BLAST

The Kewaskum Branch of the Enger-Kress Pocket Book Factory of West Bend, started operations in the Altenhofen building on east Main street, last Monday morning. Seven employees began work on the opening day and on Wednesday a force of thirteen were employed. The capable manager, Herman Gilbert, an experienced pocket book man, states that they are getting along nicely and he has experienced no difficulty in getting good help. Mr. Gilbert prophesies that the present quarters will be too small, if things go on as they have commenced. We are very glad to see this industry prosper here and hope that the future business will demand larger quarters and an increased working force. Kewaskum, for some time has lacked the proper facilities for furnishing employment, and this business solves the problem of giving good clean work to our girls and boys, and also to those of more mature years. May success attend the Enger-Kress branch here and the wish of our citizens is to see it kept in a flourishing condition.

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Adam Roden..... Kewaskum Town
Nic. Remmel..... Kewaskum Village
Fred Zeimer..... Jackson Town
Math. Miller..... Farmington
Jas. O'Kane..... Richfield
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W. L. Beck..... Farmington
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John Hanrahan..... Erin
Alfred Mauer..... Richfield
Henry Suelhoff..... Germantown
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Udel Koch..... Hartford City
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Abounding additional revelations of Count von Bernstorff's direction of German plots in the United States made it certain congress will undertake a thorough investigation.

The investigation will be called as soon as the state department gives the congressional leaders the word.

The disclosures, giving names on Count von Bernstorff's pay roll, specifying amounts, setting forth details of plans to bomb munition plants and blow up shipping, to spread German propaganda and to foment the Irish rebellion, were issued through the committee on public information.

The facts and figures made official Washington dizzy with amazement at the boldness of the game played by the German embassy.

List of Persons Involved. The list of well-known persons who are alleged to have come under the influence of Count von Bernstorff as given in the disclosures, includes:

- Justice Daniel F. Cohan of the New York supreme court. Jeremiah A. O'Leary of the American Truth society. Edwin Emerson, the correspondent. James Archibald, the correspondent. John Devo of New York city, editor of the Gaelic American. Ray Beveridge, the California artist. C. J. Waldron of Medusa, N. Y. T. J. Dowling of Hartford, Conn. Marcus Braun, editor of Fair Play. George Sylvester Viereck, editor of the Fatherland, or as it is now called, Viereck's Weekly. Otto West, proprietor of the Hour Glass, 303 Fifth avenue. Paul Koenig, manager of the secret service of the Hamburg-American Steamship line. Carl A. Heynan of the Hamburg-American line, formerly acting Brazilian consul in Mexico City and for a time in charge of American consular interests there.

Lansing Absolves Congress. Given out as an official document, the specific evidence linking Count von Bernstorff up with the ramifications of German intrigue and propaganda in the United States provoked congressmen to clamor for an investigation.

To clear congress immediately of any suspicion which the state department's revelation may have directed unwittingly at its members, Secretary Lansing dictated the following statement:

"If there is any misunderstanding, I shall say emphatically I do not see how the Bernstorff message in any way reflects upon congress or my member. Apparently it was the purpose to employ agencies to influence them, of which they would have no knowledge, and in case they were influenced would be entirely innocent. I do not know what the organization was. This expose is apropos of German methods of peace propaganda and there is no intention of casting suspicion on members of congress."

Within a few days a German newspaper published in this country employed as a headline to an article dealing with a rumor of German-American disaffection in this country the derisive legend, "Lieb! Washington, magst ruhig sein."

This is, of course, a parody on the refrain of "Die Wacht am Rhein," the German national hymn:

"Lieb Vaterland, magst ruhig sein. —Lover fatherland, be restful (or undisturbed)."

In the parody it carries a sneer comprehensible only to one who understands the German mode of speech and thought.

Typified Propaganda. Of itself the instance is slight. But it typifies a certain important phase of the German propaganda which subtly but persistently seeks to present Germany's course in America in the most favorable light, even to the extent of defending the improper activities of the Teutonic diplomatic representatives before their passports were given them.

Because of this continuing propaganda certain documents in the possession of the department of justice now assume peculiar importance, in that they prove undeniably the intimate relations between the accredited representatives of the kaiser in the United States and plotters against the laws and the security of this country, whose enterprise did not fall short of projected wholesale destruction of life and property.

Office Is Established. Such of these documents as were essential to legal proceedings brought against the Germans have been published. Others are here made public for the first time. They form a curious if disjointed, chapter in the diplomatic history of the war.

In the fall of 1914, when the German plots against Canada were fomenting in this country, there was established, at 60 Wall street, an "advertising" office presided over by a big, suave man of Teutonic aspect named Wolf von Igel. There were two peculiar features about this office. One was that it was frequented during two years of singu-

department of state and a writ of habeas corpus before the lord chief justice of England that he escaped successfully to England, and returned to France.

He was in England at France at the outbreak of the war; he has access to the great sources of British and French official information. He wants to go across to Europe and serve secretly for Germany."

Here's a Pseudo Labor Agency. Closely related to and to some extent under the guidance of Von Igel was the German and Austro-Hungarian labor information and relief bureau, with central headquarters at 136 Liberty street, New York city, and branches in Cleveland, Detroit, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia and Chicago.

The head of this enterprise was Hans Liebau, from whom it took its familiarly accepted name of the "Liebau employment agency."

That the Austro-Hungarian embassy had taken official cognizance of the bureau is disclosed in the letter written by the ambassador to the austro-Hungarian minister for foreign affairs which was found in the possession of James F. J. Archibald, the British authoritie August 30, 1915.

After Ammunition Plots. In this letter the ambassador stated: "It is my impression that we can disorganize and hold up for months, if not entirely prevent, the manufacture of munitions in Bethlehem and the middle West, which, in the opinion of the German military attaché, is of importance and amply outweighs the comparatively small expenditure of money involved; but even if the strikes do not come off, it is probable that we should exert, under pressure of our own government, favorable conditions of labor for our poor, down-trodden fellow countrymen."

"So far as German workmen are found in the skilled hands means of leaving will be provided immediately for them. Besides this, a private German employment office has been established which provides employment for persons who have voluntarily left their places, and it is already working well. We shall also join in, and the widest support is assured us."

The following representations on behalf of the bureau's efficiency were made, under date of March 24, 1916, in a letter to the German ambassador, Von Bernstorff:

"Engineers and persons in the better class of positions, and who had means of their own, were persuaded by the propaganda of the bureau to leave war material factories."

Cause of Strikes. The report comments with unceasing amusement upon the fact that munitions concerns innocently wrote the bureau for workmen who they met, and which it was not always possible to remove quickly, but which, on the contrary, often led to long strikes, may be attributed to the energetic propaganda of the employment bureau.

Von Igel's close connection with the enterprise is indicated by a number of items. For example, there is a notation to the effect that Sir R. Casement, established a Liebau branch office in Detroit, an entry of \$60 paid to Dr. Max Niven of Chicago in February, 1915, for the "labor fund" and an entry, addressed by a bureau official to Von Igel, asking whether the Bosch magneto works manufactured fuses for shells.

The bureau has also been employed to provide for workmen for the Bosch plant. The reply, in the negative, stated that the company was "universally known for its friendly attitude for the Germans."

John Devo and "Irish Revolution." Several lines of communication between the German diplomatic service and the Irish revolutionary movement are indicated in the following documents: John Devo of New York city, now editor of the Gaelic American, a violent anti-British paper, was one of the active agents in the "Irish Revolution." Significant entries appear here and there; references to messages from the German embassy at Washington and the German consulate at New York; in communicating with him and of a "cipher Devo"; also a notation, the details of which were not discovered, concerning "communication re manufacture land grenades."

Devo was who acted, for a time at least, as go-between for the German secret service dealing with Sir R. Casement, executed by the British for treason. There are several references to money and messages for Sir Roger Casement, and one for the British, one record of a check for \$1,600 for Casement, evidently handled by Devo.

Letters to Bernstorff. Devo's intimate connection with the German cause is disclosed in two letters to Ambassador von Bernstorff, the texts of which follow:

New York, April 6, 1916. "The following communication from confidential man John Devo was duly transmitted:

"Letter dated March 22, delayed by censor, seems conclusive that first messenger arrived safe with proposal to send supplies and money to Sir Roger Casement. Second also safe. Third, with change of plans, due about April 15."

John Devo further requested that the following telegram be dispatched to Sir Roger Casement:

"No letter now possible. All funds sent home. Sister and M's family well." Should Sir Roger desires to be informed, J. D. requests that the telegram be delivered to John Monteith.

K. N. St. To His Excellency, the Imperial Ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, Washington, D. C. "New York, April 15, 1916. "Herewith inclosed a report received by us today from John Devo. Kindly order further steps to be taken. The important parts of the report were sent there today per telegram. (8 copy.) To the Imperial Ambassador, Count von Bernstorff, Washington, D. C."

As to Arrest of Roger Casement. In view of the involvement of these prominent Irish-American leaders in the Casement plot and its German ramifications, it is little to be wondered at that they should have endeavored to shoulder upon the American government the responsibility for the arrest of Casement.

The Gaelic-American, Devo's paper, and the syndicated German-American press charged this government with having, on the strength of information obtained from the seized Von Igel papers, advised the British government of its revolutionary plot and Casement's part therein.

The department of state and the department of justice promptly refuted the charges. When the Irish plotters were seized in New York the district attorney and his assistants busied themselves in a search for information in the files of the United States department of justice against Von Igel, and overlooked for the time being the great mass of other evidence which pointed incriminatingly to the German cause.

Department of justice officials admit that the papers relating to Casement were sent to Washington the night before Casement's arrest was reported, but they were not reviewed by the attorney general until the afternoon of the day upon which the British authorities picked up the Irish leader, and were not presented to the state department until

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Paul Koenig, pretending to conduct the secret service of the Hamburg-American Steamship company from a New York office, was discovered to be in reality one of the directors of the German spy system in the United States. He is now interned at Fort Oglethorpe. In Von Bernstorff's code he was known as "XXX."

In a report by Koenig to his boss, Captain von Papan of the German embassy, Koenig describes an agent who has made bombs to resemble lumps of coal to be placed on board merchantmen sailing from New York, for the purpose of blowing them up while at sea.

Dr. Max Niven of Chicago is shown as receiving \$60 for the labor fund in connection with establishing a branch of German and Austro-Hungarian labor information and relief bureau in Detroit.

The German embassy maintained confidential relations with the Irish revolutionary movement, through John Devo of New York (formerly of Chicago), editor of the Gaelic American, through Devo at least one check for \$1,000 was sent to Sir Roger Casement. Daniel F. Cohan, supreme court justice of New York, is shown in a Von Igel cipher message as urging German support for the Irish revolution.

George Sylvester Viereck, editor of The Fatherland, a rabid pro-German weekly published in New York city, is noted in the German records as sending inquiries as to bombs and picnics. Viereck is still conducting his paper, having changed its name to Viereck's Weekly since the United States entered the war.

James F. J. Archibald, the magazine writer, in whose possession the British government discovered official correspondence between Von Bernstorff and Berlin, is shown in one of the papers seized to have acknowledged receipt of \$5,000. Edwin Emerson, another writer, got \$1,000 from Von Igel. Ray Beveridge, a California artist, and sister of Kuehne Beveridge, the sculptor, is shown to have received \$3,000 of German propaganda money.

Concerning the identity of the last entry there might be room for doubt but for a signed receipt from J. F. J. Archibald acknowledging the sum of \$5,000 from the German embassy for propaganda work. What return Archibald ever made in service is not clear, except that certain war correspondents for which he contracted with New York newspapers was so obviously prejudiced on the side of the central powers that they declined to accept it.

Even with such liberal support "Fair Play" did not fill the bill. In January, 1916, a letter was written by F. Schreier, a German newspaper correspondent in Tokyo, to the German diplomatic representatives lamenting the lack of a genuinely influential weekly in New York devoted to Teutonic interests, and suggesting that one Borsod might be the right man to conduct such a publication.

Viereck and Others. Frequent hints of George Sylvester Viereck's journalistic activities appear, and there are a few citations of "Pearson's Subject, Press," which may refer to Pearson's Magazine, of which the editor, Frank Harris, is strongly pro-German, or may indicate a secret agent named Pearson, who is the subject of other entries.

The lecture platform is represented by Ray Beveridge, the California artist, and sister of Kuehne Beveridge, the prominent sculptor. In one entry Privy Council member Albert acknowledges receipt of \$3,000 from the embassy to finance Miss Beveridge's lecture series. German war pictures were also to be furnished, though the alleged scope of the lectures was to be comprised in topics allied to the Great War.

Other figures of more vague import drift into light here and there in the Von Igel papers or the bureau of investigation. Colonel Woodford, an old British hater, appears to have received sundry sums of money for service unspecified. The following letters are also in the Von Igel papers refer to Colonel Woodford:

New York, April 4, 1914. His Excellency, Mr. Von Igel, New York, N. Y. According to a letter received here today, the imperial embassy is of the same opinion as myself—that money should not be paid to Woodford. Please act accordingly and inform Woodford if he should show up there again, that Berlin has received the letter regarding the sum to be paid and besides agrees to be guided by telegraph whether money should be paid.

Until answer is received from Berlin, nothing more can be paid. SIGNED: RETZEL. Colonel Woodford appears, however, from the following letter to have received the sums promised:

New York, April 10, 1916. Please pay the remainder of two hundred and fifty dollars to Woodford. He is to receive \$500 according to order (from Berlin). Please have the inclosed receipt attested. Signed P. R.

How far the plot goes will probably never be known. The spider, Von Igel, had scuttled away to his own refuge in Germany. His nest is destroyed. But the strands of the web that he wove may still stretch over the city or town which you who read this inhabit.

Holland a Way Station. It has long been an open secret that Holland is merely a way station for shipments of contraband into Germany. Here is official confirmation from the Von Igel records, which would seem to indicate a suspicious and confidential relation between the "Holland commission" and the German diplomatic officials accredited to this country, or position held by the Germans that they could not successfully get the munitions into their own country. The message in code, with interlinear translation is entered as "A 2493" and headed "German Embassy, Washington, D. C., April 6, 1916." It runs as follows:

"Telegram from Berlin by secret roundabout way for Carl Heyssen. Content: 200,000 boxes (cartridges) and 200 tons powder. Please get in touch with Holland commission. Sender, war minister, foreign office, in representation. HATZFELDT."

Uncertain Proposition. "Are you going to have a garden this year?" "I can't say. I am going to plant seeds and shrubbery, but whether or not my labors will result in a garden, time alone can tell."

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The KITCHEN CABINET

Paint heart is forerunner of sadness; Despondency robs us of health. The man who is chock-full of gladness Is the man who makes most of life's wealth.

Watermelon and cantaloupes, when really good, need no dressing up to improve their flavor for that is impossible; but a tasteless melon need not be wasted, making delicious pickles and preserves. Never place ice in a melon to chill it as it destroys the fine flavor, especially of a musk melon. Chill them by placing them near the ice. A most delicious melon may be ruined to the eater by being served unchilled. When serving an insipid cantaloupe for breakfast a sprinkling of nutmeg and a dash of lemon juice will improve it. Tasteless melons may be diced and dressed with a French dressing, then served as a salad, or diced and treated with a thin sirup of lemon or orange juice. They make a good fresh fruit. When using a salad dressing for cantaloupes an addition of red pepper and more salt than is usual will improve the dressing, and lemon juice rather than vinegar should always be used as the sharper acid of the lemon is needed for this fruit.

Cantaloupe Cocktail.—Cut the melon in balls with a potato scoop and fill the serving glasses, add a few seeded white grapes peeled, a little sliced pineapple and a slice or two of peaches. Cover the whole within a thin sirup using a little strawberry or cherry juice for flavor and serve with a cherry or strawberry on top.

Melons With Ice Cream.—Scoop out halves of cantaloupe until only the green rind is left, these may be left from the cocktails and well-chilled, refill the melon molds with ice cream. Caramel may be used for color and decorate the cream with chocolate-repped almonds to resemble seeds or bits of candied ginger may be cut in the form of seeds, making a favorite flavor combination. The sirup from preserved ginger is also a most delicious addition.

Melon Basket.—For a child's party a pretty basket made of a melon and filled with the rich, red, juicy balls looks too pretty to eat. The balls may be shaped in various ways. As only the red heart of the melon can be used for this two melons will be needed for there will be some waste.

SOME GOOD DISHES. Lima beans, fresh or dried, make most substantial dishes served in various ways.

Lima Beans a la Poulette.—Shell sufficient young lima beans to make a pint, cover with boiling salted water and cook until tender. Pour off all but a half cupful of rich milk. Mix a little cold milk with a tablespoonful of flour and stir into the milk; cook five minutes, add salt and pepper to taste, a few drops of onion sauce, two beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of butter and the same amount of chopped parsley.

Vegetable Soup.—Cut into half-inch dice sufficient carrot and turnip to measure one-third of a cupful each; cut one-half cupful of celery into pieces, dice one and a half cupfuls of potato, and slice one-half of an onion. Put three tablespoonfuls of butter in a stewpan, add the vegetables, cover and cook 15 minutes. Add a quart of water and cook for an hour. Season with salt and pepper and serve with a garnish of parsley.

Veal Hash.—Chop a piece of cooked veal fine. To a pint of the chopped meat allow a teaspoonful of onion juice, a teaspoonful of salt, one-third of a teaspoonful of paprika, one teaspoonful of worcestershire sauce, and a tablespoonful of tomato catsup. Melt a tablespoonful of drippings in a frying pan, moisten the meat with gravy, add seasonings and spread in the pan. Spread over the top one teaspoonful of the drippings and cook slowly for 15 minutes; it should be moist. Heap the hash on buttered toast and place a poached egg on each.

Peach Trifle.—Boil together for five minutes a cupful of sugar and one cupful of water with the stones from a quart of peaches. Allow the stones to stand in the sirup for ten minutes. Skim them out and lay in the peeled peaches, stewing until tender. Line a dish with cake soaked in any fruit, add the peaches and cover with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with almond.

Should Contain Your Ad

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THE HILLMAN
By E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM Author of "THE DOUBLE TRAITOR" "THE MASTER HUMMER," Etc.

CHAPTER XV—Continued.

"It's wonderful!" Sophie declared. "Try and bear the thread of it all in your mind. For two acts you have been asked to focus your attention upon the increasing brutality of the marquis. Remember that, won't you?"

"Not likely to forget it," John replied. "How well they all act!"

There was a quarter of an hour's interval before the curtain rose again. Rumors concerning the last act had been floating about for weeks, and the house was almost tense with excitement as the curtain went up. The scene was the country chateau of the "Marquis de Guizot," who brought a noisy crowd of companions from Paris without any warning. His wife showed signs of dismay at his coming. He had brought with him women whom she declined to receive.

The great scene between her husband and herself took place in the square hall of the chateau, on the first floor. Louise reaffirms her intention of leaving the house. Her husband laughs at her. Her position is hopeless.

"What can you do?" he mocks. She shrugs her shoulders and passes into her room. The marquis sinks upon a settee, and presently is joined by one of the ladies who have traveled with him from Paris. He talks to her of the pictures upon the wall. She is impatient to meet the Marquis de Guizot.

The marquis knocks at his wife's door. Her voice is heard clearly, after a moment's pause.

"In a few minutes," she replies. The marquis resumes his flirtation. His companion becomes impatient—the marquis has pledged his word that she should be received by his wife. An ancient enmity against the Marquis de Guizot prompts her to insist.

The marquis shrugs his shoulders and knocks more loudly than ever at his wife's door. She comes out dressed for travel and is met by Faraday, who suddenly appears.

"You asked me what I could do," she says, pointing to her lover. "You see now!"

There was a moment's breathless silence through the house. The scene in itself was a little beyond anything that the audience had expected. Sophie, who had been leaning over the edge of the box, turned around in no little anxiety. She heard the door slam. John had disappeared!

He left the theater with only his hat in his hand, turning up his coat by instinct as he passed through the driving rain. All his senses seemed tingling with some senseless horror. The brilliance of the language, the subtlety of the situation, seemed like some evil trail drawn across that one horrible climax. It was Louise who had come from that room and pointed to Faraday!

He reached his rooms—he scarcely knew how—and walked upstairs. There he threw off some of his dripping garments, opened the window wide, and stood there.

He looked out over the Thames, and there was a red flare before his eyes. There was nothing but evil to be found here, nothing but bitter disappointment, nothing but the pain which deepens into anguish. Better to remain like Stephen, unloving and unloved, to draw nearer to the mountains, to find joy in the crops and the rain and the sunshine, to listen steadily to the cry of human beings as if to some voice from an unknown world.

He leaned a little further from the window, and gazed into the court at a dizzy depth below. He had cut himself adrift from the pence which might have been his. He would never know again the joys of his earlier life. It was for this that he had fought so many battles, clung so tightly to one ideal—for Louise, who could show herself to anyone who cared to pay his shilling or his half-guinea, glorying in her dishonor; worse than glorying in it—finding some subtle humor in the little gesture with which she had pointed, unashamed, to her lover.

John bent a little lower from the window. A sudden dizziness seemed to have come over him. Then he was forced to turn around. His door had been quickly opened and shut. It was Sophie who was crossing toward him, the rain streaming from her ruined opera cloak.

"John!" she cried. "Oh, John!" She led him back to his chair and knelt by his side. She held his hands tightly.

"You mustn't feel like this," she sobbed; "you mustn't, John, really! You don't understand. It's all a play. Louise wouldn't really do anything like that!"

He shivered. Nevertheless, he clutched her hands and drew her closer to him.

"Do, please, listen to me," she begged. "It's all over. Louise is herself again—Louise Maurel. The Marquis de Guizot never lived except upon those hours. It is simply a wonderful creation. Any one of the great actresses would play that part and glory in it—the very greatest, John. Oh, it's

so hard to make you understand! Louise is waiting for you. They are all waiting at the supper party. You are expected. You must go and tell her that you think it was wonderful!"

He rose slowly to his feet and caught at her hands roughly.

"Supposing I won't go?" he whispered hoarsely. "Supposing—I keep you here instead, Sophie?"

She swayed for a moment. Something flashed into her face and passed away. She was paler than ever.

"Dear John," she begged, "pull yourself together! Remember that Louise is waiting for you. It's Louise you want—not me. Nothing that she has done tonight should make her any the less worthy of you and your love."

He strode away into the farther room. He reappeared in a moment or two, his hair smoothly brushed, his tie newly arranged.

"I'll come, little girl," he promised. "I don't know what I'll say to her, but I'll come. There can't be any harm in that!"

"Of course not," she answered cheerfully. "You're the most terrible goose, John," she added, as they walked down the corridor. "Do, please, lose your tragic air. The whole world is at Louise's feet tonight. You mustn't let her know how absurdly you have been feeling. Tomorrow you will find that every paper in London will be acclaiming her genius!"

John squared his shoulders.

"AM the same," he declared grimly. "If I could burn the theater and the play, and lock up Grallot for a month, tonight, I'd do it!"

CHAPTER XVI.

The days and weeks drifted into months, and John remained in London. His circle of friends and his interests had widened. It was only his relations with Louise which remained still unchanged. Always charming to him, giving him much of her time, favoring him, beyond a doubt, more than any of her admirers, there was yet about her something elusive, something which seemed intended to keep him so far as possible at arm's length.

There was nothing tangible of which he could complain, and this probationary period was of his own suggestion. He bore it grimly, holding his place, wherever it was possible, by her side with dogged persistence. Then one evening there was a knock at his door, and Stephen Strangeway walked in.

Stephen, although he seemed a little taller and gaunter than ever, though he seemed to bring into the perhaps overworn atmosphere of John's little sitting room something of the cold austerity of his own domain, had evidently come in on an unfriendly spirit. He took both his brother's hands in his and gripped them warmly.

"I can't tell you how glad I am to see you, Stephen!" John declared.

"It has been an effort to me to come," John admitted. "I am one of the old-fashioned Strangeways. What I feel is pretty well locked up inside. The last time you and I met perhaps I spoke too much; and here I am!"

"It's fine of you," John declared. "I remember nothing of that day. We will

look at things squarely together, even where we differ. I'm—"

He broke off in the middle of his sentence. The door had been suddenly opened, and Sophie Gerard made a somewhat impetuous entrance.

"I'm absolutely sick of ringing, John," she exclaimed. "Oh, I beg your pardon! I hadn't the least idea you had anyone with you."

She stood still in surprise, a little apologetic smile upon her lips. John hastened forward and welcomed her.

"It's all right, Sophie," he declared. "Let me introduce my brother, may I? My brother Stephen—Miss Sophie Gerard."

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Sophie. She held out her hand, however, and smiled at him delightedly.

"How nice of you to come and see your poor, lonely brother!" she said. "We have done our best to spoil him, but I'm afraid he is very homesick sometimes. I hope you've come to stay a long time and to learn all about London, as John is doing. If you are half as nice as he is, we'll give you such a good time!"

From his great height, Stephen looked down upon the girl's upturned face a little astutely. She chattered away, entirely unabashed.

"I do hope you're not shocked at my bursting in upon your brother like this! We really are great pals, and I live only just across the way. We know much less formal up here, you know, than you are in the country. John, I've brought you a message from Louise."

"About tonight?"

She nodded.

"Louise is most frightfully sorry," she explained, "but she has to go down to Streatham to open a bazaar, and she can't possibly be back in time to dine before the theater. Can you guess what she dared to suggest?"

"I think I can," John replied, smiling. "Say you will, there's a dear," she begged. "I am not playing tonight. May Enser is going on in my place. We arranged it a week ago. I had two fines to pay on Saturday, and I haven't had a cent meal this week. But I had forgotten," she broke off, with a sudden note of disappointment in her tone. "There's your brother. I mustn't take you away from him."

"We'll all have dinner together," John suggested. "You'll come, of course, Stephen?"

Stephen shook his head.

"Thank you," he said, "I am due at my hotel. I'm going back to Cumberland tomorrow morning, and my errand is already done."

"You will do nothing of the sort!" John declared.

"Please be amiable," Sophie begged. "If you won't come with us, I shall simply run away and leave you with John. You needn't look at your clothes," she went on. "We can go to a grillroom. John shall dress, either. I want you to tell me all about Cumberland, where this brother of yours lives. He doesn't tell us half enough!"

John passed his arm through his brother's and led him away.

"Come and have a wash, old chap," he said.

They dined together at Luigi's, a curiously assorted trio—Sophie, between the two men, supplying a distinctly alien note. She was always gay, always amusing, but although she addressed most of her remarks to Stephen, he never once unbent. He ate and drank simply, seldom speaking of himself or his plans, and firmly negating all their suggestions for the remainder of the evening. Occasionally he glanced at the clock. John became conscious of a certain feeling of curiosity, which in a sense Sophie shared.

"Your brother seems to me, like a man with a purpose," she said, as they stood in the entrance hall on their way to the restaurant. "Like a prophet with a mission, perhaps I should say."

John nodded. In the little passage where they stood, he and Stephen seemed to dwarf the passers-by. The men, in their evening clothes and pallid faces, seemed suddenly insignificant, and the women like dolls.

"For the last time, Stephen," John said, "won't you come to a music hall with us?"

"I have made my plans for the evening, thank you," Stephen replied, holding out his hand. "Good night!"

He left them standing there and walked off down the Strand. John, looking after him, frowned. He was conscious of a certain foreboding.

"I suppose," Sophie sighed, as they waited for a taxicab, "we shall spend the remainder of the evening in the usual fashion!"

"Do you mind?" John asked.

"No," she assented resignedly. "That play will end by making a driving idiot of me. If Louise is tired tonight, though, I warn you that I shall insist upon supper."

"It's a bargain," John promised. "We'll drive Louise home, and then I'll take you back to Luigi's. We haven't been out together for some time, have we?"

She looked up at him with a little grimace and patted his hand.

"You have neglected me," she said. "I think all these fine ladies have turned your head."

She drew a little closer to him and passed her arm through his. John made no responsive movement. He was filled with resentment at the sensation of pleasure that her affectionate gesture gave him.

The curtain was up and the play in progress when they reached the box that John had taken for the season.

The spell of it all, against which he had so often fought, came over John anew. He set his chair back against the wall and watched and listened, a veritable sense of hypnotism creeping over his senses. Presently the same impulse which had come to him so many times before induced him to turn his head, to read in the faces of the audience the reflection of her genius. He had often watched those long lines of faces changing, each in its own way, under the magic of her art. Tonight he looked beyond. He knew very well that his search had a special object. Suddenly he gripped the arms of his chair. In the front row of the pit, sitting head and shoulders taller than the men and women who lounged over the wooden rest in front of them was Stephen. More than ever, among these inappropriate surroundings, he seemed to represent something almost patriarchal, a forbidding and disapproving spirit sitting in judgment upon some modern and unworthy wantonness. His

face, stern and grave, showed little sign of approval or disapproval, but to John's apprehending eyes the critical sense was there, the verdict foredoomed. He understood as in a flash that Stephen had come there to judge once more the woman whom his brother desired.

The curtain went up again and the play moved on, with subtle yet inevitable dramatic power, toward the hated and dreaded crisis.

The play came to an end presently, amid a storm of applause. The grim figure in the front of the pit remained motionless and silent. He was one of the last to leave, and John watched his retreating figure with a sigh. Sophie drew him away.

"We had better hurry round," she said. "Louise is always very quick getting ready."

They found her, as a matter of fact, in the act of leaving. She welcomed them naturally enough, but John fancied that her greeting showed some signs of embarrassment.

"You knew that I was going out to supper tonight?" she asked. "Oh didn't I tell you? The prince has asked the

Louise dressed herself simply but carefully. She could conceive of but one reason for Stephen's presence in her house, and it rather amused her. It was, of course, no friendly visit. He had come either to threaten or to cajole. Yet what could he do? What had she to fear? She went over the interview in her mind, imagining him crushed and subdued by her superior subtlety and finesse.

With a little smile of coming triumph upon her lips she descended the stairs and swept into her pleasantly warmed and perfumed little drawing-room. She even held out her hand cordially to the dark, grim figure whose outline against the dainty white wall seemed so inappropriate.

"This is very nice of you indeed, Mr. Strangeway," she began. "I had no idea that you had followed your brother's example and come to town."

She told herself once more that her slight instinct of uneasiness had been absurd. Stephen's bow, although a little formal and austere, was still an acknowledgment of her welcome. The shadows of the room, perhaps, had prevented him from seeing her outstretched hand.

"Mine is a very short visit, Miss Maurel," he said. "I had no other reason for coming but to see John and to pay this call upon you."

"I am greatly flattered," she told him. "You must please sit down and make yourself comfortable while we talk. See, this is my favorite place," she added, dropping into a corner of her lounge. "Will you sit beside me? Or, if you prefer, draw up that chair?"

"My preference," he replied, "is to remain standing."

She raised her eyebrows. Her tone altered.

"It must be as you wish, of course," she continued; "only I have such pleasant recollections of your hospitality at Peak Hall that I should like, if there was any possible way in which I could return it—"

"Madam," he interrupted, "you must admit that the hospitality of Peak Hall was not willingly offered to you. Save for the force of circumstances, you would never have crossed our threshold."

She shrugged her shoulders. She was adapting her tone and manner to the belligerency of his attitude.

"Well?"

"You want to know why I have found my way to London?" he went on. "I came to find out a little more about you."

"About me?"

"To discover if there was anything about you," he proceeded deliberately, "concerning which report had led. I do not place my faith in newspapers and gossip. There was always a chance that you might have been an honest woman. That is why I came to London, and why I went to see your play last night."

She was speechless. It was as if he were speaking to her in some foreign tongue.

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"My Preference is to Remain Standing."

French people from His Majesty's to meet Mr. Grallot at supper. I am hurrying home to dress."

John handed her into her waiting automobile in silence. She glanced into his face.

"Is anything the matter?" she asked.

"Nothing!"

"The prince would have asked you, without a doubt," Louise continued, "but he knows that you are not really interested in the stage, and this party is entirely French—they do not speak a word of English. Au revoir! Sophie, take care of him, and mind you behave yourselves!"

She waved her hand to them both and threw herself back among the cushions as the car glided off. John walked to the corner of the street in gloomy silence. Then he remembered his companion. He stopped short.

"Sophie," he begged, "don't hold me to my promise. I don't want to take you out to supper tonight. I am not in the humor for it."

"Don't be foolish!" she replied. "If you stay alone, you will only imagine things and be miserable. We needn't have any supper, unless you like. Let me come and sit in your rooms with you."

"No!" he decided, almost roughly. "I am losing myself, Sophie. I am losing something of my strength every day. Louise doesn't help as she might. Don't stay with me, please. I am beginning to have moods, and when they come on I want to be alone."

She drew a little closer to him.

"Let me come, please!" she begged, with a pathetic, almost childlike quiver at the corner of her lips.

He looked down at her. A sudden wave of tenderness swept every other thought from his mind. His mental balance seemed suddenly restored. He hailed a passing taxi and handed Sophie into it.

"What a selfish pig I am!" he exclaimed. "Anyhow, it's all over now. We'll go back to Luigi's to supper, by all means. I am going to make you tell me all about that young man from Bath!"

CHAPTER XVII.

Louise glanced at her watch, sat up in bed, and turned reproachfully toward Alaine.

"Alone, do you know it is only eleven o'clock?" she exclaimed.

"I am very sorry, madame," the latter hastened to explain, "but there is a gentleman downstairs who wishes to see you. He says he will wait until you can receive him. I thought you would like to know."

"A gentleman at this hour of the morning?" Louise yawned. "How absurd! Anyhow, you ought to know better than to wake me up before the proper time."

"I am very sorry, madame," Alaine replied. "I hesitated for some time, but I thought you would like to know that the gentleman was here. It is Mr. Stephen Strangeway—Mr. John's brother."

Louise clasped her knees with her fingers and sat thinking. She was wide awake now.

"He has been here some time already, madame," Alaine continued. "I did not wish to disturb you, but I thought perhaps it was better for you to know that he was here."

"Quite right, Alaine," Louise decided. "Go down and tell him that I will see him in half an hour, and get my bath ready at once."

"That seems impossible to you?" she demanded.

"Utterly impossible!"

"And to John?"

"I am speaking for myself and not for my brother," Stephen replied. "Men like him, who are assailed by a certain madness, are best left alone with it. That is why I came to you to bargain, if I could. Is there anything that you lack—anything which your own success and your lover, or lovers, have failed to provide for you?"

It was useless to try to rise; she was powerless in all her limbs. Side by side with the anger and horror that his words aroused was a sense of something almost grotesque, something which seemed to force an unnatural laugh from her lips.

"So you want to buy me off?"

"I should be glad to believe that it was within my power to do so. I have not John's great fortune, but I have money, the accumulated savings of a lifetime, for which I have no better purpose. There is one more thing, too, to be said."

"Another charge?"

"Not that," he told her; "only it is better for you to understand that if you turn me from your house this morning, I shall still feel the necessity of saving my brother from you."

"Saving him from me?" she exclaimed, rising suddenly and throwing out her arms. "Do you know what you are talking about? Do you know that if I consented to think of your brother as my husband, there is not a man in London who would not envy him? Look at me! I am beautiful, am I not? I am a great artist. I am Louise Maurel, and I have made myself famous by my own work and my own genius. What has your brother done in life to render him worthy of the sacrifice I should make if I chose to give him my hand? You had better go back to Cumberland, Mr. Strangeway. You do not see life as we see it up here!"

"And what about John?" he asked, without moving. "You tempted him away. Was it from wantonness, or do you love him?"

"Love him?" she laughed. "I hate you both! You are bores—you are ignorant people. I hate the moment I ever saw either of you. Take John back with you. Take him out of my life. There is no place there for him!"

Stephen picked up his hat from the sofa where it lay. Louise remained perfectly still, her breath coming quickly, her eyes lit with passion.

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"That seems impossible to you?" she demanded.

"Utterly impossible!"

"And to John?"

"I am speaking for myself and not for my brother," Stephen replied. "Men like him, who are assailed by a certain madness, are best left alone with it. That is why I came to you to bargain, if I could. Is there anything that you lack—anything which your own success and your lover, or lovers, have failed to provide for you?"

It was useless to try to rise; she was powerless in all her limbs. Side by side with the anger and horror that his words aroused was a sense of something almost grotesque, something which seemed to force an unnatural laugh from her lips.

"So you want to buy me off?"

"I should be glad to believe that it was within my power to do so. I have not John's great fortune, but I have money, the accumulated savings of a lifetime, for which I have no better purpose. There is one more thing, too, to be said."

"Another charge?"

"Not that," he told her; "only it is better for you to understand that if you turn me from your house this morning, I shall still feel the necessity of saving my brother from you."

"Saving him from me?" she exclaimed, rising suddenly and throwing out her arms. "Do you know what you are talking about? Do you know that if I consented to think of your brother as my husband, there is not a man in London who would not envy him? Look at me! I am beautiful, am I not? I am a great artist. I am Louise Maurel, and I have made myself famous by my own work and my own genius. What has your brother done in life to render him worthy of the sacrifice I should make if I chose to give him my hand? You had better go back to Cumberland, Mr. Strangeway. You do not see life as we see it up here!"

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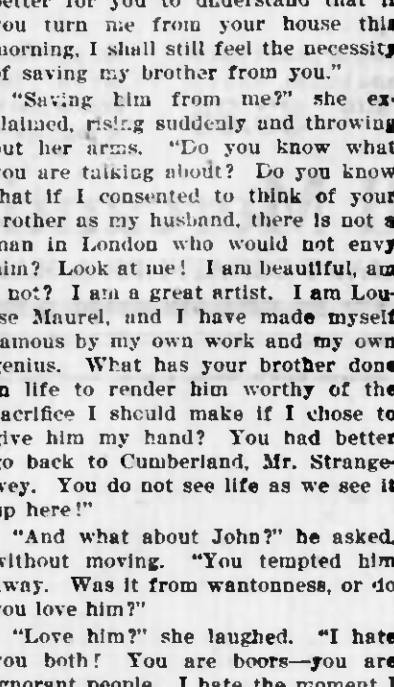
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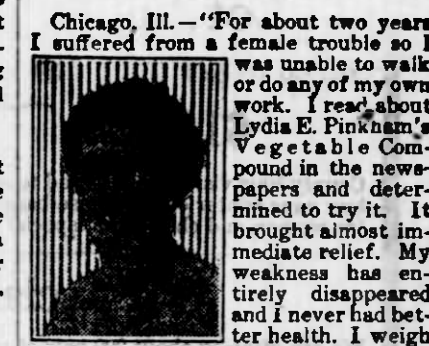
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WOMAN SICK TWO YEARS

Could Do No Work. Now Strong as a Man.



Chicago, Ill.—"For about two years I suffered from a female trouble so I was unable to walk or do any of my own work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers and determined to try it. It brought almost immediate relief. My weakness has entirely disappeared and I never had better health. I weigh 165 pounds and am as strong as a man. I think money is well spent which purchases Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. J. O'BRYAN, 1765 Newport Ave., Chicago, Ill.

The success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, is unparalleled. It may be used with perfect confidence by women who suffer from displacements, inflammation, ulceration, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, bearing-down feeling, flatulency, indigestion, dizziness, and nervous prostration. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the standard remedy for female ills.

Her Choice. Hazel was at a loss to make a choice between two young sprouts in her garden of love. She desired a hardy plant, one that would thrive in any soil and under any conditions. No shadow must prevent the sprout selected from growing.

Every day could not have its full allotment of sunshine. Which would she choose? Either was pleasing to the eye. Then came a day when the wind blew hard—a draft from one end of the country to the other.

One of the sprouts withered from the biting blast. The other thrived and grew as though it had been blessed with continual sunshine. Now Hazel is happy. Her choice has been made.—Indianapolis News.

THIS DRUGGIST KNOWS BEST KIDNEY MEDICINE

Sixteen years ago I began to sell Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root and today I believe it is one of the best medicines on the market; and my patrons are very much pleased with the results obtained from its use and speak very favorably regarding it. Swamp-Root has been very successful in the treatment of kidney, liver and bladder troubles according to the reports received and I have no hesitancy in recommending it for I have great faith in its merits.

Very truly yours,
OWEN DRUG STORE,
By R. F. BOGGS,
Sedalia, Missouri.

Oct. 3, 1916.

Letter to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You. Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

Perseverance. Sheriff Wheeler of Bisbane, the Arizona patriot who deported 1,200 anti-war agitators, said at a banquet in Phoenix:

"I got the best of these rascals by the employment of perseverance. In the police world you've got to have all the perseverance of a Boozier.

"Boozier, you know, was crossing the continent on the limited, and one night, after too many high balls, he tackled me in the smoker, and told me a long, long story about his domestic troubles.

"The next morning, headachy and sober, he came to me again and said how much he regretted his confession of the evening before, and he hoped the facts he'd revealed would go no farther."

"Oh, that's all right," said I, "I never listened to you, old man, and I haven't the least idea of what you said."

"Well, that night the chump turned up in the smoker again, drunker than before, and he sat down beside me, and laid a heavy hand on my knee and said:

"Now, then, damn you, you said you didn't listen to me last night, so I'm going to tell you the whole story of my miserable life—marriage over again."

Fine Pump-house. Charles had lived his four years on a farm. He was on a visit to his city aunt and upon arrival asked for a drink. His mother took him into the bathroom and drew some water from a faucet. "My," exclaimed Charles, looking around the white enameled room, "Aunt Dell has a lovely pump-house."

A quiet wedding is often the prelude to a noisy divorce.

I'm helping to save white bread by eating more Post Toasties

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?

Bobby

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WONDERFUL COAT SALE

Commencing Thursday morning, September 27th, and continuing for days, we offer
129 NEW PLUSH COATS

Every one made of genuine Salts' plush, many of them are lined with Sols 5 year guaranteed lining. There isn't a coat in the entire lot worth less than \$25.00 and up to \$45.00. Our buyer was on the job and bought this lot of 129 coats from the well known firm of Marshall Field & Co., manufacturers, at a price that will enable us to offer them to you at a saving of \$10.00 to \$20.00 on every coat. We offer them to you in 3 lots at the following prices:

Lot No. 1	Lot No. 2	Lot No. 3
\$25.00 to \$27.50 values at	\$30.00 to \$32.50 values at	\$35.00 to \$45.00 values at
\$17.50	\$21.50	\$24.50

County Fair visitors are urged to come to this wonderful coat sale, for you will not have another opportunity to buy your winter coat at these bargain prices. During this big sale we will also offer all the New Fall Cloth Coats for women and children at special sale prices.

Special County Fair Shoe Bargains

We are offering about 200 pair of men's and women's fine shoes at a big saving. All the new lasts and heels are included in this lot

Women's Shoe Special	Men's Shoe Special
About 100 pair of women's fine shoes, in patent leather, vici kid, gun metal, etc. Lace and button, with tip and plain toes. Regular \$4.50 and \$5.00 values, special a pair.....	100 pair men's fine shoes in black, tan and Hindu brown. Former values to \$7.00. English lasts; also button and lace in the round toes. A pair, special sale price.....
\$3.85	\$5.00

The Poull Mercantile Co. West Bend Wisconsin
 HOME OF HART SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES

NEW FANE
 Val Conrad and family of Elkhart Lake spent Sunday with Anna Schmeberger.
 The public school will re-open Monday, Oct. 1st with Gertrude Cassity as teacher.
 Frank Keller and family of Kewaskum spent Sunday with Wm. Uelmen and family.
 John Heberer and wife of Plymouth spent Sunday with Adolph Heberer and family.
 Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair.
 Mrs. John Weddig and children of Kewaskum spent Sunday with Theo. Mertes and wife.
 Frank Ehbert and family and Mrs. Wm. Conrad and children autoed to Hartford Tuesday.
 Amelia and Rudolph Backhaus of Oakland spent Sunday with Herman Backhaus and family.
 Laura Frasch returned to her home at Stevens Point Monday after spending two weeks with Nic Hammes and family.
 The marriage of Lena Schlosser, daughter of John Schlosser and wife, to Jos. Korinek from Milwaukee, took place at St. Michaels Tuesday, Sept. 25th. Rev. Beyer tying the nuptial knot. The bride was attended by her sister Tena, as maid of honor, and Miss Korinek as bridesmaid. The groom was attended by his brother John as best man, and Geo. Schlosser as groomsman. After the ceremony the bride party repaired to the home of the bride where the event was duly celebrated by a large number of relatives and friends. The couple will go to housekeeping at Milwaukee where the groom is employed in a brewery.

ST. MICHAELS

The marriage of Helena Schlosser to Jos Korinek took place Tuesday.
 Nic Rodenkirch and Math Thull attended the fair at Fond du Lac Friday.
 Martin Bremser and wife spent Monday with the former's brother at Batavia.
 The little twin daughter of Philip Schludweiler and wife died last Tuesday.
 John Stelling and wife of Kewaskum spent Sunday with the former's folks here.
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 Mat Stockhausen and wife and Frank Stelling and wife attended the fair at Beaver Dam Tuesday.
 The St. Michaels Society attended the golden jubilee of St. Joseph's Society at Barton last Sunday.
 Louis Habeck and wife, Math Stockhausen and wife, Agnes Schultz and Viola Geanski autoed to Milwaukee last Sunday.
 Louis Habeck and wife, Martin Bremser and wife, J. A. Roden and wife, John Schwartz, Clara Clafley and Viola Geanski spent Tuesday with Albert Butzlaff and wife.

BEECHWOOD

Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair next week.
 Mrs. Henry Ahrens of Yorkville, Ill. is visiting with Mrs. C. F. Schultz and family and other relatives and friends.
 Mrs. C. F. Schultz and family, Mrs. Henry Ahrens and Mrs. Aug. Heise visited with the Robt Ludwig family at Batavia Sunday.
 Mrs. C. F. Schultz, son Frank, daughters Frieda and Alma and Mrs. Henry Ahrens visited at the home of L. Schimmelpennig at Campbellsport Friday evening.
 Adolph Glass plowed three acres of land from 4 o'clock in the morning till breakfast with his new tractor. If there is any one who can beat that they will have to get up earlier than Mr. Glass.
 Dr. Geo F. Allen and daughter Francis and Mrs. Quereau were pleasant callers at the home of Mrs. C. F. Schultz on their way home from Kelly Lake, Wis., to Aurora, Ill. Mathilda Schultz returned with them to resume her duties in the Allen house hold.

WEST WAYNE

Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair.
 The marriage of Miss Ida Coulter to Walter Welso, took place at Milwaukee last week Tuesday at one o'clock. The Rev. C. Welso, uncle of the groom performing the ceremony. The bride is the oldest daughter of John Coulter and wife, and was attired in a white crepe netting dress trimmed with lace and beads and carried a large bouquet of bridal roses. She was attended by her sister Elizabeth as bridesmaid, who wore a dress of mountain blue khaki kool and carried yellow roses. The groom is a son of J. Welso and wife of Brownsville, was attended by his brother George as best man. The young couple, after spending a few days at Milwaukee, left for a short wedding trip, and will be at home to their many friends Oct. 1st.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.
 FRANK J. CHENEY.
 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.
 A. W. GLEASON,
 Notary Public.
 Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
 Sold by all druggists, 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FREE ADMISSION

—TO THE BEST—

Washington County Fair

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday,
 October 1, 2 and 3

WE have arranged with the management of the Washington County Agricultural Society, whereby you can get a free admission ticket for the best Fair ever held. Here is the plan—effective today: We will give you free of charge, a ticket permitting your admission to the fair grounds on either of the two big days, absolutely free. All that is required for you to do to get this free ticket is to buy \$10 worth of merchandise in our store (elevator goods not included) either in cash or trade, not necessarily in one purchase. Save your sales slips or cash register coupons, total purchases of \$10, beginning today will give you this ticket. Bring your slips to our office for adult—all slips must be properly dated to apply on this offer. You can get as many free tickets as you buy goods in multiples of ten.

Pick Brothers Company

West Bend, Wisconsin

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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

FOR SALE—One Pennsylvanian Range, good as new.—Dr. N. F. Hatzmann

WANTED—Scrap iron of all kinds. Best market price paid.—Nicholas Remmel, Kewaskum, Wis.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; private family; good home. Apply 548 Milwaukee Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. 9-22-3

FOR SALE—2 heaters, organ and axminster rug (size 11-3x12). Write to or call on H. Jandre, Campbellsport, Wis., R. D. 32.

FOR SALE—An English Beagle good hunting dog. Inquire of Alex Klug, Kewaskum, Wis.

Deutscher Advokat
BUCKLIN & GEHL
 Lawyers
 West Bend, Wis.

IN KEWASKUM
 Wednesday of each week, Office 2d floor Bank of Kewaskum Bldg. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

BOLTONVILLE

Mrs. E. Blou is spending a few days with friends here.
 W. Enright and wife were Sheboygan callers Friday.
 The firemen's dance given at the M. W. A. hall was largely attended.
 B. Woog and family and Miss Landgraf were West Bend callers Sunday.
 Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair.
 J. Weyker and family and Hy. Welker, wife and son were Waukega callers Sunday.
 Fred Belger purchased the former E. Dullea residence property in this village and will take possession Oct. 1.
 Paul Belger was taken ill quite suddenly with appendicitis and was taken to Fond du Lac to undergo an operation.
 Miss Burke of Marinette is now principal of the Boltonville public schools to replace Mr. Curtis who was called in the service of his country.

DISTINCTIVE Printing

Printing that will attract attention and put your advertising in a class by itself—printing that contains originality in conception and excellence in its execution—this quality of originality and individuality characterizes all the printed work we turn out.

Chesterfield CIGARETTES

of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC tobaccos—Blended



"They please the taste great! But also—"

If a cigarette simply pleased the taste, smokers used to let it go at that. But not now.

Because Chesterfields give smokers not only a taste that they like, but also a new kind of smoking-enjoyment—

Chesterfields hit the smoke-spot, they let you know you are smoking—they "Satisfy"!

Yet, they're MILD!

The new blend of pure, natural imported and Domestic tobaccos—that tells the story. And the blend can't be copied—don't forget that!

Ask for Chesterfields—next time you buy.

Registered in U.S. Patent Office



Wrapped in glassine paper—keeps them fresh.

They "Satisfy"—and yet they're Mild!

FARMERS BIG ADVERTISERS!

All over the country the farmers are getting to be the biggest advertisers. WHY? Because there is hardly a farmer now days but what has something to sell. They are fast becoming our leading business men.

FARMERS TRY A WANT AD IN THE STATESMAN

Job Printing

We are equipped to handle any kind of Job Printing, and when it comes to Service, we can only refer you to our customers or ask that you give us a trial.



The value of good beer

as a tonic and health builder is beyond question.

If you have never tried

LITHIA BEER

order a case sent home today. You will find it an invigorating, satisfying beverage, as well as a food and tonic.

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West Bend Brewing Company

West Bend, Wisconsin

HELP WANTED

WOMEN, BOYS, GIRLS

to work in the Kewaskum Branch of the Enger-Kress Pocket Book Factory

APPLY SATURDAY

after 10 o'clock a. m.

—AT—

Mrs. Altenhofen Bldg.,

Near the Bridge

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West Bend, Wisconsin

Time Table—C. & N. W. R'y

NORTH BOUND	
No. 208	9:30 p m daily except Sunday
No. 115	12:15 p m daily except Sunday
No. 132	9:04 a m daily except Sunday
No. 107	5:47 p m daily except Sunday
No. 245	6:34 p m Sunday only
No. 141	8:42 a m Sunday only

SOUTH BOUND	
No. 206	9:48 a m daily except Sunday
No. 210	12:30 p m daily except Sunday
No. 215	5:34 p m daily except Sunday
No. 108	7:32 a m daily
No. 244	11:18 p m Sunday only
No. 218	7:08 p m Sunday only

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

County Fair next week. Coming "The Birth of a Nation". See the "Trail of the Lonesome Pine". Don't fail to attend the movies Sunday evening. Mrs. Rob Davies was a Milwaukee caller Monday. Otto E. Lay and wife were Appleton visitors Sunday. Jos. Schmidt and wife were West Bend visitors Saturday. Stock fair held last Wednesday was fairly well attended. Herman Suckow of Barton was a village caller Saturday. Prin. A. L. Simon and wife were West Bend visitors Saturday. Geo. F. Brandt was a business caller at Milwaukee Monday. Wm. and Kathryn Endlich were Fond du Lac callers Sunday. John Andrae visited with his mother at Milwaukee Sunday. Leo Ockenfels of Milwaukee spent Sunday with home folks. Fred Schoenbarr of West Bend was a village caller Wednesday. Miss Katherine Hermann spent Saturday and Sunday at Milwaukee. John Martin and family spent Sunday with Jac Brussels and family. Edwin Pick of West Bend was a business caller in the village Tuesday. Mrs. John F. Schaefer was a West Bend visitor last week Friday. Elwyn Romaine transacted business at the County Seat last Friday. Mrs. A. L. Simon gave a 500 party for her friends on Thursday evening. Miss Kathryn Schoofs of West Bend spent Sunday with home folks. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Kohn a baby boy. Congratulations.

Mrs. Frank Strube of Milwaukee visited the J. W. Schaefer family Monday.

Miss Agnes Schaefer of Milwaukee is spending a few days with home folks.

Miss Olive Haug, who teaches near Rockfield, was a week end visitor at home.

Erwin Mohme returned to Madison Monday to resume his studies at the University.

Geo. E. Schmidt and family of Allenton were over Sunday visitors in the village.

Go see and hear Gov. Phillip at the County Fair at West Bend next Tuesday afternoon.

Just received some more plush and cloth coats. Very pretty Junior coats in this lot.

John Kleinbans and family of Stratford visited with the John Tiss family Thursday.

J. N. Perschbacher of West Bend spent last Wednesday with the A. A. Perschbacher family.

Do not delay making your coat selections, it will be difficult to get what you want later on.

Jno. Naumann and family of the town of Scott visited with the Aug. Kumrow family Sunday.

Grandma Bleck is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kibbel at Campbellsport this week.

The Misses Elester Backhaus and Elva Weddig of Milwaukee visited Sunday with their parents.

Andrew Noll and wife of Chilton visited from Friday till Sunday with the A. L. Simon family.

Mrs. Joseph Hermann and son Raymond left Sunday for an extended stay at Evansville, Ind.

Jacob Schlosser and family motored to Milwaukee last Sunday, spending the day with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schaeffer attended the Schlosser-Korinek wedding at New Fane Tuesday.

NOTICE—Hunting and trespassing are strictly prohibited on our farm.—Louis Backhaus. 2t

L. S. Guth of Lomira took a first prize on one of his ponies at the Fond du Lac county fair last week.

Fred Sexsmith and wife, Walter Gorman and wife of Wausau visited the Otto E. Lay family Saturday.

The movies last Sunday evening drew another capacity house and were very well spoken of by all present.

John Tiss and wife are spending a week in the northern part of the state visiting relatives and friends.

John Volk and family of Wabeno spent a few days visiting with the John Hartner family in the town of Auburn.

The Misses Irene Opgenorth and Ruth Wollensak left for Madison last Friday to enter the University of Wisconsin.

Jac Becker and family and Emil C. Backhaus, wife and mother motored to Port Washington and Saukville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Holley of Antigo spent a few days this with the N. W. Rosenheimer family.

A. W. Koch and wife, Erwin Koch and wife and Oscar Koerbie and wife visited Milwaukee relatives and friends Sunday.

A large number from here attended the Jubilee and 50th anniversary of the St. Josephs society at Barton last Sunday.

Don't miss seeing Charlotte Walker at the Opera House Sunday evening. This will be one of the big shows of the season.

Rev. Ph. Vogt participated in the observance of the Patron Feast of the St. Matthew's Catholic church at Campbellsport last Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Werner and daughter Olive and Erwin Werner and wife of West Bend spent Sunday with Jac Brussels and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Kumrow and son Arnold motored to Fort Atkinson Thursday for an extended visit with the Otto Bammel family.

Mrs. Otto E. Lay and Miss Lilly Schlosser left for East Troy Thursday to spend the balance of the week with the Harry Henry family.

Mrs. Henry Schmidt of Milwaukee spent a few days the forepart of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Geidel and family.

A number of the members of the Washington County Defense Council attended a meeting of the Council at West Bend last Tuesday evening.

Charlotte Walker, the dainty little movie star in the great southern play, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine", at the Opera House Sunday evening.

A kitchen shower was given Miss Edna Guth at the home of Miss Lazetta Schaefer by the Ev. Peace church choir last Saturday evening.

Miss Manilla Groeschel entertained a party of friends at her home last week Thursday evening on the occasion of her birthday anniversary.

Jeff Kreitzer, of the Hartford Times force and Chas. McDonald of the West Bend News paid our sanctorium a very pleasant call last Saturday.

Rev. Mohme conducted a mission Feast at Monroe, Wis. last Sunday, and upon his return visited his son Erwin at the Madison University.

Mrs. L. W. Schaefer and sons Wilbur and Russell of Juneau and Miss Frieda Klokke of Campbellsport spent Sunday with W. F. Schultz and wife.

The dance at the North Side Park last Sunday evening drew a large crowd. The music by Gibson's Harp Orchestra of Appleton was very much enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rimmel of Campbellsport, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Dengel of Merrill and Mrs. Nic Rimmel of Wausau visited with relatives and friends here on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Du Bois, head waitress at the Fadden's Restaurant, one of the leading restaurants at St. Paul, Minn., spent a week's vacation with the Robert Falk family here.

Like a man without a wife
Like a grove without a tree
But the biggest fool in life
Drinks no Rocky Mountain Tea.
—Edw. C. Miller

Geo. Siebert and lady friend, Miss Tillie Haasman, of Plymouth spent a few days this week with the Henry Quade and S. C. Wollensak families. They returned home Wednesday.

The following spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Backhaus and family: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kibbel, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Backhaus, Herman Wilke and family and Grandma Bleck.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinker of Milwaukee and Mrs. Jacob Honeck of West Bend stopped off in the village Thursday while on their way to St. Kilian where they will be guests of the Jacob Batzler family.

The Kewaskum Womans' Club will give a card party next Thursday evening, October 4th, at the Temperance Hall. Admission 15 cents, including coffee and sandwiches, cake extra. Come one, come all.

A traveling trick bicyclist made this village a visit last Thursday and did some very clever things on the bicycle. A collection was taken during the performance and everyone felt well repaid for the donations they accorded him.

Paul Belger of Botosville boarded the train here for Fond du Lac Sunday evening where he underwent an operation for appendicitis at the St. Agnes hospital Monday. Mr. Belger passed a successful operation and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Schulte and daughter, Mrs. Artzberger of Watertown, spent Sunday with the S. C. Wollensak and Henry Quade families. Mr. Wollensak took them home Monday in his car and was accompanied by Mrs. Wollensak and Mrs. Quade.

Nature always warns you if your bowels are clogged or inflamed—heed this. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea removes the inflammation, soothes the irritated organs, aids natural digestion. A cleanser, purifier of great renown.—Edw. C. Miller.

The Woman's Club held their first meeting of the season at Mrs. Fancher Colvin's home last Saturday afternoon. A handkerchief shower was also given to Miss Edna Guth, who was united in marriage to Mr. Elwyn Romaine last Wednesday.

Fred Hammen of Lomira brought a load of potatoes to this village last Wednesday. While here Mr. Hammen made this office a pleasant call and tells us that the roads were pretty wet on the way but upon arriving at Kewaskum they were more so.

You know as well as anyone when you need something to regulate your system. If your bowels are sluggish, food distresses you, your kidneys pain, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Natures wondrous herbs blended scientifically. Results guaranteed. 35c.—Edw. C. Miller.

Mrs. Frank Krueger and family, Aug. Petermann and wife of town Auburn, Fred Groth and wife of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John Farber of West Bend, Miss Ella Gerhardt of Fillmore, Mrs. Rob. Falk and Mrs. Duboy of St. Paul Minn., were guests of the Aug. Kumrow family Sunday.

A new ovation has been added to the play grounds of the public school here, in the form of a slide for the children. This form of amusement is similar to the ones used in the play grounds of the large cities, and it is proving very popular among the pupils. The slide was donated to the school by the Kewaskum Woman's Club.

WAYNE

Nora Petri spent Sunday at Kewaskum.

Jac Kippenhan spent the week with his children at Schleisingerville.

Emma Nisius of Allenton spent Sunday with the John Hawig family.

John Guenther and wife spent Sunday with relatives and friends at Theresa.

Grandpa Wietor spent part of the week with relatives and friends at Lomira and Ashford.

Frank Wietor and family attended the wedding of his wife's second youngest brother at Nenno.

Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair next week.

Mrs. L. Kusterholz of Manitowoc returned home after spending two weeks with Kate Schaub and other friends.

Many autos were here last Sunday. Among the visitors were Dr. William Hausmann and family of West Bend.

Dr. Herman and Dr. Lenz of Seattle, Wash. and John H. Martin of Kewaskum called on the And. Martin Sr. family Wednesday.

Henry Schmidt and daughters of here Fred Burckhardt of Knowles and Mrs. John Petri and son Wendel transacted business at West Bend Wednesday.

F. Burckhardt and family of Knowles called on Henry Schmidt Sr. and family last week. We understand that Mr. Burckhardt bought the local cheese factory of Mrs. John Petrie for \$7,800 and will be given possession on Oct. 1.

KOHLVILLE

Quite a number from here attended the fair at Beaver Dam Wednesday.

Ella Buentherger of Milwaukee is visiting relatives here for a few weeks.

Gust Metzner of Rockford, Ill., spent a few days at his home and other relatives here.

Visit the West Bend First National Bank when attending the Washington County Fair.

Chas. Scheid and Herbert Jung of Elmore and the Misses Emma and Flora Basler autoed to Hartford and Holy Hill Sunday.

Val Bachmann and wife of Kewaskum and Oscar Bachmann and wife of Wayne visited Sunday with the Henry Basler family.

C. F. Rosenthal and family of the town of Barton and Mrs. Theo Weiland and children of St. Kilian called on the Geo. Gutjahr family Sunday.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend the dance at Walter Endlich's hall on Sunday, Sept. 30. Music will be furnished by the Biel's Sisters of Beaver Dam.

The following spent Sunday with the Aug. Hase family: John Klein, wife, and son of Schleisingerville, Walter Brinkman and son of Allenton, August Brinkman and family and John Hase and family of here.

There are all kinds of cheap printing—but none of it is really cheap—at least not on a basis of value. Cheap stuff is usually worth almost what it costs. Our printing isn't the cheapest you can get, but it's as good as the best.

L. ROSENHEIMER

Kewaskum, Wisconsin

Our classy new Jerseys are here. The most delightful color combinations in purple and gold, green and red, etc., also plain greys, maroons and blues, all \$2.50-\$3.75 sizes, prices ranging from \$2.50-\$3.75

Why not do your Coat shopping early, while our line is complete?

Ladies' Beautiful Plush Coats from \$25 up Ladies' Cloth Coats, newest styles, from \$15-\$33

All kinds of Fashionable Autumn Apparel at Moderate Prices

L. ROSENHEIMER

Kewaskum, Wisconsin

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Barley	1.30-1.45
Wheat	1.75-2.10
Red Winter	1.75-2.10
Rye No. 1	1.65-1.85
Oats	.65
Timothy Seed, hd.	\$8.00-8.70
Red Clover Seed, per 100 pounds	16.00-20.00
Alsike Clover Seed, per 100 pounds	15.00
hls. 7 1/2 x 8 Seed, per 100 pounds	25.00-35.00
Butter	40-42
Eggs	40-42
Unwashed Wool	60-64
Beans	7.50-8.00
Hides (calf skin)	21-22
Cow Hides	17-18
Horse Hides	5.50-6.00
Potatoes, new, sorted well	7-8.5
LIVE POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	20
Old Chickens	20
Roosters	13
Geese	14
Ducks	20
DRESSED POULTRY	
Spring Chickens	16-17
Geese	19
Ducks	20
DAIRY MARKET	
SHEBOYGAN.	
Sheboygan, Wis., Sept. 24—12 factories offered 787 cases of longhorns on the call board today. The bid was passed on 50 cases and the balance sold as follows: 54 cases at 26c and 683 at 26c.	
PLYMOUTH.	
Plymouth, Wis., Sept. 24—26 factories offered 3,472 boxes of cheese on the call board today and all sold as follows: 495 twins, 24c; 198 cases young Americas, 26c; 500 daisies, 26c; 500 at 26c; 501 at 26c; 496 double daisies, 25c; 50 cases longhorns, 26c; 471 at 26c; 96 boxes square prints, 26c and 165 at 26c.	

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Bank of Kewaskum

Kewaskum, Wisconsin

at the close of business September 11th, 1917

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$528,889.19
Bonds	44,036.26
Banking House Furniture and Fixt.	15,000.00
Cash on hand and due from banks	131,780.61
	\$719,706.06

LIABILITIES

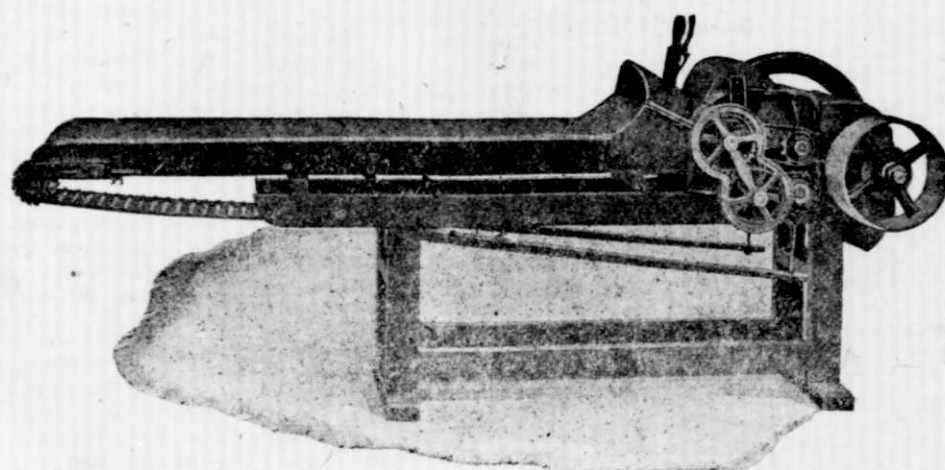
Capital Stock	\$40,000.00
Surplus	20,000.00
Undivided Profits	16,548.69
Deposits	\$643,157.37
	\$719,706.06

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M. Rosenheimer, Vice-President
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U.S. TROOPS ESCAPE BOMBS IN LONDON

American Soldiers in Capital During Air Raid.

ANOTHER ATTACK REPORTED

Fifteen Killed and Seventy Wounded During Airplane and Zeppelin Raids—Paper Demands Reprisals Against Germany.

London, Sept. 26.—Another air raid on London—the second within 48 hours—took place last night. Apparently there were two attacks, for after a quiet interval of 40 minutes anti-aircraft guns resumed firing in the London district. In the first attack, after brisk firing by the defensive guns, lasting only ten minutes, the raiders were driven off before reaching the city of London.

London, Sept. 26.—Many American soldiers, on leave in London, had their first experience with German air raiders Monday night. A large number were at various places of amusement and on the streets when the warning signals were sounded.

"Raids Call for Reprisals." The Daily Mail in an editorial commenting on the night's air raid calls for reprisals, saying: "The British people would view these attacks with entire indifference if they knew that every one of them was followed by an attack in which twice the weight of bombs dropped here was showered on German towns. Let's hit the Germans; hit them hard."

Bombs Killed 15; Hurt 70. Fifteen persons were killed and seventy injured in the air raid over London.

The Zeppelins which crossed the Yorkshire and Lincolnshire coasts did not penetrate inland, being driven off by gunfire. Three women were injured.

Only two airplanes at the most penetrated the defenses of London, it is reported officially.

Two Air Raids Reported. The following official report was given out by Lord French, commander of the home defenses:

"Airplane Raid.—The latest reports concerning the airplane raid show that the group of raiders which approached London was driven off by the fire of anti-aircraft guns. Only one, or at the most, two machines penetrated the defenses. The casualties in all the raided districts reported by the police up to the present are: Killed, 15; injured, 70. The material damage was not great.

Report on Airship Raid. "Airship Raid.—Enemy airships crossed the Yorkshire and Lincolnshire coasts between midnight and 3 a. m. There is no evidence of their having penetrated to any distance inland. They were driven off by gunfire from various defended localities which they attempted to approach. Bombs were dropped at one coast town, three women being slightly injured. Little damage was caused."

Between eight and nine o'clock the noise of battle was heard throughout the city. Anti-aircraft guns were being fired from numerous points and bombs could be heard dropping. Searchlights played over the city and the rocket-like bursts of shrapnel furnished an interesting spectacle.

Drop Bombs on Residences. The Germans did not attack any points of military importance, but dropped their bombs, as usual, on the residential districts, mostly upon the dwellings of the poorer classes.

If a panic might be expected anywhere while the noise of battle was proceeding it would be in the crowded theaters, but the performances in the majority of the playhouses proceeded without a break. The second night of the grand opera in Drury lane was on and the program was carried through to the end, only a few people leaving the house.

Aerial Torpedoes Used. Reports from Yorkshire indicate that the Zeppelins which appeared off the Lincolnshire and Yorkshire coasts dropped bombs and aerial torpedoes. British airmen engaged the raiders, but with what results is not yet known.

The latest reports indicate that the Germans came in three squadrons. McCall Wins Nomination. Executive of Massachusetts Will Be Republican Candidate for Governor Again This Fall.

Boston, Sept. 26.—Gov. Samuel W. McCall will undoubtedly be the Republican nominee again this fall. Early returns on the primary election show that he defeated his rival for the gubernatorial nomination, former Lieut. Gov. G. D. Cushing, by a ratio of 4 to 1.

Forty-two towns and cities outside of Boston gave McCall 6,000 votes and Cushing but 1,500. The returns show that the governor carried every ward in Boston, and the city by a vote of 7,341 to 2,007. Frederick W. Massfield had no opposition for the Democratic nomination.

Heat Wave in Canada. Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—A high temperature of 92 degrees above zero was registered in the heat wave that is passing over western Canada.

FRENCH FLYER KILLED

CAPTAIN GUYNEMER, NOTED AIRMAN, BELIEVED DEAD.

Aviator Missing Following Battle With German Squadron—Brought Down 52 German Machines.

Paris, Sept. 26.—A squadron of German airplanes swept over the French trenches on Monday. Capt. Georges Guynemer and members of Aerial Squadron No. 2 took the air and engaged in the enemy machines. After a terrific battle, lasting hours, the Teuton craft returned to their own lines, but when Aerial Squadron No. 3 landed it was found that Guynemer was missing. Yesterday he was officially reported as "killed in action" and all France mourns the loss of its idol, the hero of France.

The record of Captain Guynemer reads like the wildest dream of an imaginative fictionist. Up to September 10 he was credited officially with having shot down 30 German planes in the course of two years and three months. Unofficial reports gave him credit for 52.

When the war was declared Guynemer was only nineteen years old. He obtained appointment to the aviation corps and after a course of training at Pau was sent to the front.

In July, 1915, Guynemer shot down his first plane. February, 1916, saw the fifth German plane go crashing down to earth under his fire, and Guynemer was officially cited and made an "ace." From that time on he continued to meet and vanquish foe after foe until he had exceeded the record of all other pilots on either side.

On June 6 of this year he shot down four planes in one day, downing two of them in 37 seconds.

He was wounded three times during the course of his army life. In March, 1916, while driving a new plane, he underestimated its speed and flew past his Teutonic adversary, putting himself at a disadvantage. The enemy opened fire and Guynemer was wounded in the arm and face. Driving with one hand, he executed a brilliant landing, while his foe flew off, thinking the famous pilot was dead. After a few weeks in a Paris hospital he returned to his squadron.

The feeling of his countrymen was shown for him when he led the French aviation section in the parade of the American army on the Fourth of July. He was pelted with flowers all along the route and his praise shouted at every step.

The French government bestowed on him the Cross of the Legion of Honor, the military medal, the war cross and every other decoration and honor at its command.

KING IN SECESSION MOVE

Germany's Allies Reported Joining to Force Kaiser to Yield to Entente's Demands.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—Bavaria and Wurttemberg may secede from Germany and form a political connection with Austria if Prussia fails to yield on peace terms. This news reached here from a responsible source. It is learned that Bavaria has sent a separate reply to the pope's peace terms.

Its text is awaited with the greatest interest, as it is believed it will contain specific peace terms.

The note was dispatched by Bavaria because the papal envoy is accredited to that state. The original Vatican note was dispatched to King Ludwig, who transmitted it to the kaiser. Austria is exerting every possible pressure on Germany to make the peace desired by the entente. Bulgaria and Turkey are supporting the stand and are supported by Wurttemberg and Bavaria.

The Leipzig Volkszeitung, the leading minority Socialist newspaper, declares that Germany must accept President Wilson's doctrine of democratization or peace is impossible.

CURB ON SEDITIOUS PRESS

Trading-With-the-Enemy Bill Passed by House—Postmaster General Given Power to Act.

Washington, Sept. 26.—The death warrant of seditious newspapers was signed here. The house finally passed the trading-with-the-enemy act, giving Postmaster General Burleson almost unlimited powers for the suppression of treasonable publications.

"I shall enforce the law," Mr. Burleson said. "I shall enforce it so that my actions will always pass the scrutiny of a court. The law commands me to root out the treasonable and seditious publications, and they will have to go. Under the law any mail clerk or carrier who handles such a publication would be guilty of crime. You can be sure that I am going to protect my employees. No publication that does not conform will be admitted to the mails."

OIL TANK STEAMER BLOWS UP

Explosion on Standard Company's Vessel Called Accident—Two Men Missing.

San Francisco, Sept. 26.—The Standard Oil tank steamer Moffett was blown up by what was said to have been an accidental explosion of a boiler. The explosion occurred at Richmond, a port on San Francisco bay, and was heard in this city, a distance of seven miles. Two men were reported missing. Flames which broke out were extinguished.

STEEL PRICES CUT

REDUCTIONS AS HIGH AS 70 PER CENT DECIDED UPON—ENDS LONG CONTROVERSY.

CO-OPERATION PROMISED U. S.

American Government and Entente Allies to Buy on the Same Basis—Wages Will Not Be Lowered—Prices Effective at Once.

Washington, Sept. 26.—An agreement between the war industries board and steel producers reducing the price of steel from 50 to 70 per cent was announced on Monday following its approval by President Wilson. The new figures become effective at once and are subject to revision January 1, 1918.

The price for steel plates of \$3.25 per hundred weight, or \$65 a ton, is 70.5 per cent less than recent quotations.

The steel men held out for about \$68 a ton, but were forced into line for the lower figure by Bernard Baruch of the war industries board and others who represented the government in conferences during the last few days.

Under the agreement the steel men pledged themselves to the following stipulations:

That there shall be no reduction in the present rate of wages. That the agreed prices shall apply to purchases by the general public as well as to those of the allies and the government.

That the steel men will exert every effort to keep up the production to the maximum of the past so long as the war lasts.

The prices are based on results of an investigation conducted by the federal trade commission into cost production. This inquiry has been in progress for several months.

The detailed schedule of prices follows:

Iron ore, basis, lower lake ports, price agreed upon, \$5.05 gross ton; recent prices, \$5.05 gross ton. Coke basis Connellsville, price agreed upon \$6 net ton, recent price, \$16; reduction, \$10; per cent reduction, 62.5.

Pig iron, price agreed upon, \$33; recent price, \$58, gross ton; reduction, \$25; reduction per cent, 43.1.

Steel bars, basis, Pittsburgh and Chicago, prices agreed upon, \$2.90 hundredweight; recent price, \$5.50 hundredweight; reduction, \$2.60; reduction per cent, 47.3.

Shapes, basis, Pittsburgh and Chicago, prices agreed upon, \$3 hundredweight; recent price, \$6 hundredweight; reduction, \$3; reduction per cent, 50.0.

Plates, basis, Pittsburgh and Chicago, prices agreed upon, \$3.25 hundredweight; recent price, \$11 hundredweight; reduction, \$7.75; reduction per cent, 70.5.

BIG I. W. W. PLOT IS BARED

Conspiracy to Burn Cities and Kill Officers Told at Trial of Anti-Draft Agitators at Enid, Okla.

Enid, Okla., Sept. 26.—A revelation of 2,000,000 malcontents, nation-wide in scope, backed by I. W. W. and 48 affiliated organizations, including the Working Class union, in which it was planned to apply the torch to small cities, shoot officers of the government and demoralize communication, was planned for July 27 last, according to the testimony given on Monday by Will Hoover, state witness in the trial of 11 alleged anti-draft agitators from central Oklahoma.

The Industrial Workers of the World were to launch the uprising, Hoover said. "Rube" Munson, alleged state organizer of the W. C. U., told a meeting of the Friendship local in an open corral near Sasakawa.

At a prearranged time the W. C. U. was to capture small towns, take charge of banks, burn bridges and cut telegraph wires, while the I. W. W. cared for the larger cities in a like manner.

BIG RUSS VICTORY NEAR

Slavs Win Two Battles With Germans and Bar Advance Towards Petrograd.

Petrograd, Sept. 26.—Russian forces in two battles have succeeded in barring the way of the German advance from Riga toward the capital.

The Teutonic vanguard was driven back at Rudna, 129 miles southwest of Petrograd. The main body of the invaders met with defeat south of the Pskoff high road, 102 miles from the city Peter the Great built.

Russian armies are now everywhere on the Riga front on the offensive, and the campaign to recapture the main Baltic port before winter sets in is progressing in the most favorable degree.

5,000 Strike at Navy Yard

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 26.—Approximately 5,000 men, employed at the navy yard here struck pending an agreement on a new wage scale. Work in many departments of the plant was said to have been virtually suspended.

Former Allan Liner Sunk

Hullfax, N. S., Sept. 26.—The British steamship Virginian of 6,827 tons, formerly an Allan liner in transatlantic passenger trade, is said to have been one of the victims of the massed attack by German submarines.

DR. VAN SANDT



Dr. Van Sandt, the civilian governor of Belgium, has been dismissed, according to a dispatch reaching this country via London. He was the only German official, the dispatch says, who ever gave any evidence of humanity in treatment of the Belgian populace.

RULERS' PEACE PLEA

GERMANY AND AUSTRIA REPLY TO POPE'S MESSAGE.

Kaiser Says He "Cherishes a Lively Desire That the Appeal May Meet With Success."

Amsterdam, Sept. 24.—The German government in its reply to the peace note of Pope Benedict, a copy of which has been received here, "cherishes a lively desire" that the appeal may meet with success.

Emperor William, the German note says, has been following the efforts of the pope toward peace for a considerable time, with high respect.

Peace would come from the recent proposals of Pope Benedict XV if the belligerent nations would enter into negotiations in the sense of the pontiff's suggestions. Emperor Charles of Austria-Hungary states in his reply to the Vatican note.

The emperor sees in the pope's peace plan a suitable basis for starting negotiations toward a just and lasting peace, and expresses the hope that the nations opposing his own may be animated by the same idea.

The Austrian emperor admits that the future arrangement of the world must be based on the elimination of armed force and on the rule of international justice and legality.

Austria is prepared, the reply states, to enter into negotiations for the submission of international disputes to compulsory arbitration.

SUGAR PRICE TO BE LOWER

United States and Allies Unite to Assure Economy in Distribution.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Appointment of an international committee to arrange for the distribution of available supplies of sugar in the world was announced on Thursday by the food administration. Two members of the committee were appointed by the allied governments. They are Sir Joseph White-Todd and John V. Drake, Sr. Two American members of the committee appointed by the food administration are Earl D. Pabst, president of the American Sugar Refining company, and William A. Jamison of Arbuckle Brothers. The fifth member of the committee is George M. Rolph.

All the beet sugar producers have signed the contract presented by the government assuring a maximum price for beet sugar of \$7.25 a hundred pounds at seaboard refining points as soon as the crop is available. It is said that this should mean a reduction of 1 cent a pound in the retail price.

TO READJUST WHEAT PRICES

Hoover Promises Delegation From the Northwestern States to Fix Differentials on Grain.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Readjustments in the differentials on wheat from the Northwestern states were promised to a delegation of wheat growers by Food Administrator Hoover. The wheat growers complained that since their wheat did not go to Chicago, where the price was fixed at \$2.50, they were losing up to 30 cents a bushel under the differential scale worked out by the food administration. Mr. Hoover's promise is the first made by any administration official looking to an alteration in the government's fixed wheat scale.

Boarder Fatally Wounds Woman

Perry, Ia., Sept. 25.—S. A. Aldrich, fifty-five, a shoemaker, shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Frank Brown, thirty-eight, and then killed himself here. Aldrich had been a boarder at Mrs. Brown's home for four years.

British Ship Is Submarine.

An Atlantic Port, Sept. 25.—The British steamship La Negra, on its way from Buenos Aires to Havre, with a cargo of Argentine beef, was sunk by a German submarine September 3, 45 miles off Plymouth.

HALTS VOTE ON WAR

KAISER DISAVOWS LUXBURG JUST AS ARGENTINA WAS READY TO ACT.

SATISFIED WITH NEW NOTE?

Teuton Intrigue Suspected to Be Back of General Strike of Railroad Workers—Martial Law May Be Declared.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 25.—Just as the Argentine chamber of deputies was preparing to vote on breaking diplomatic relations with Germany, an official communication was received from the Berlin foreign office.

The German note which is said to give satisfaction to Argentina, disapproves of the ideas expressed by Count von Luxburg, the German minister here, regarding Germany's "cruiser warfare." The word "cruiser" leaves some doubt whether Germany intends to modify her submarine campaign.

A declaration of war on Germany has been postponed, although the majority in the house is bent upon a rupture of relations and proposes to vote for it later.

A general strike of 200,000 railroad workers went into effect yesterday. The managers of the road declare to grant the increase demanded would involve a 75 per cent raise in rates.

Union officials say they will refuse to go back to work until their demands are met.

It is reported German intrigue is behind the strike. The rumor is given credence owing to the abundance of money among the strikers.

It is probable martial law will be declared.

SAY FIVE SHIPS SENT DOWN

Passengers Arriving at Atlantic Port Tell of Destruction of British Steamships.

An Atlantic Port, Sept. 25.—Word that five British steamships and two destroyers were sunk by German submarines a few hours out of Lough Swilly, Ireland, September 3, was brought by passengers who have just arrived from England on an American vessel. The reports are regarded as circumstantial. The five steamers, it was said, convoyed by a fleet of six destroyers, put to sea shortly after midnight and were attacked by massed submarines at daylight the following morning. The news of the disaster was received here Saturday.

ENDANGERS SUCCESS OF WAR

War Department Censor Sharply Rebukes Newspapers for Publishing Troop Movement Details.

Washington, Sept. 22.—Recurring publication by certain newspapers and press associations of details of the landing in France of certain units of the United States army brought from Brig. Gen. Frank McIntyre, the war department censor, a sharp rebuke and a demand that this practice be discontinued. General McIntyre made it plain that such a publication endangers the lives of American soldiers and the success of war operations of the United States.

U. S. SOLDIERS UNDER FIRE

Two Soldiers Wounded at Front in France—Contingent of Army Directly Behind British Line.

With the British Armies in the Field, Sept. 26.—American troops for the first time are under German fire in France. Two American soldiers have been slightly wounded. They were struck by fragments of a bursting shell.

A certain contingent of the American army is now located directly behind the British line, well within range of the enemy guns.

KILLED "LOOPING THE LOOP"

Cadet Aviator, William D. Mong, Crashes Down at Mount Clemens, Mich.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Sept. 24.—Wilbur D. Mong, a cadet aviator of Cleveland, was killed when his airplane crashed to the ground on the government aviation field. It was said that Mong attempted to "loop the loop" too close to the earth.

SUFFRAGE WINS IN HOUSE

Creation of Committee on Woman Suffrage Ordered by Vote of 181 to 107.

Washington, Sept. 26.—Creation of a house committee on woman suffrage was ordered on Monday by a vote of 181 to 107.

Pass Enemy Trading Bill

Washington, Sept. 26.—After brief debate the senate adopted the conference report on the trading-with-the-enemy bill, with only six negative votes. The house is expected to accept the report.

15 Hurt in Trolley Crash

Battle Creek, Mich., Sept. 26.—Fifteen workmen were injured when two interurban cars, one heavily loaded, collided in a fog on Monday one mile from the government cantonment at Camp Center.

BRIG. GEN. FOULOIS



Brig. Gen. Benjamin D. Foulois will be the title of the chief of the aviation section, signal corps, U. S. A., as soon as his nomination is confirmed by the senate. He was promoted to that rank from the rank of major. General Foulois was in charge of aviation activities during the recent Mexican operations.

TAKE 3,000 GERMANS

BRITISH PENETRATE ENEMY'S LINES EAST OF YPRES.

Allies Win Positions on Wide Front in Belgium and Menace Submarine Base.

London, Sept. 22.—British troops on the Belgian front attacked the German positions east of Ypres and are reported to have penetrated the German positions as far as the Zonnebeke-Gheluvelt line. The official report issued on Thursday night says 3,000 prisoners were taken.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters, reporting the extent of the British advance, telegraphs that up to the time his report was dispatched the Germans had launched no counter-attacks. They were massing in certain places, however, where the British guns were bombarding them.

The British penetration has reached the depth of a mile, "which, considering the character of the ground, is a wonderful achievement," the dispatch adds.

Field Marshal Haig's selection of the battle front to the east of Ypres, in Belgium, as the scene of his latest offensive against the Germans, indicates that it is the continuance of the expressed purpose of the British commander in chief to force the armies of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria from the western coast of Belgium and to cut off the German submarine and airplane bases on the North sea from Zebrugge to Nieupoort, including Ostend.

The British drive apparently is being made in the direction of Roulers and Courtrai, from which Belgian towns, according to recent dispatches from the Dutch frontier, the German military authorities have been evacuating the civilian population.

PRICE OF COPPER 23 1-2C

Employers Unable to Cut Wages and United States May Seize Recalcitrant Mines.

Washington, Sept. 22.—President Wilson approved an agreement entered into by the United States government, its allies and the public will obtain copper at 23 1/2 cents a pound, f. o. b. New York. A formal statement said that the proper departments would be asked to take over mines and plants of those who balked. The agreement provides that wages in the copper industry, now at a high level, shall not be lowered.

U. S. ASKED TO SAVE SUGAR

Hoover Urges All to Reduce Consumption—Needed Urgently by France.

Washington, Sept. 25.—The American people are called upon today to make the first real sacrifice of the war for the aid of the French. Unless Americans cut down their consumption of sugar by one-third the French people will be entirely without the product for the next two months. As sugar is considered vital to the physical welfare of the fighting men, the decision of the citizens of this nation may have a vital effect upon the war.

Herbert Hoover, food administrator, issued the appeal.

10,000 Vote Lake Strike

Chicago, Sept. 26.—A strike of 10,000 members of the Lake Seaman's union, including sailors, cooks and firemen employed on freight boats plying on the Great Lakes, has been set for October 1.

Bar Shipping Gold to Spain

Washington, Sept. 26.—Treasury officials, carrying out the government's policy governing the conservation of gold, have virtually decided upon a policy prohibiting the export of gold to Spain.

MARKETS

Milwaukee, Sept. 26, 1917. Butter—Creamery, extra, 44c; prints, 45c; firsts, 41c@42c; seconds, 37c@39c; process, 39c@40c; dairy, fancy, 40c.

Cheese—American, full cream twins, 26c@26 1/2c; daisies, 27c@28c; Young Americas, 27 1/2c@28c; longhorns, 22 1/2c@23c; brick, fancy, 29c.

Eggs—Current receipts, fresh as to quality, 34c@35c; dirties, seconds, 25c@27c; checks, 24c@25c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, fancy, 22c@22 1/2c; roosters, old, 15c@16c; spring chickens, 22c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 2.04@2.05. Oats—No. 3 white, 60c@61c; standard, 60c@61c; No. 4 white, 59c@60c. Rye—No. 2, 1.89@1.90; No. 3, 1.82@1.88.

Hay—Choice timothy, 21.00@22.00; No. 1 timothy, 19.00@20.00; No. 2 timothy, 17.00@18.00; rye straw, 9.00@9.25.

Potatoes—Minnesota or Wisconsin, early Obios, sacked, on track, 1.15@1.20; homegrown, out of store, 1.20@1.30.

Hogs—Prime heavy butchers, 18.75@19.00; fair to prime light, 17.50@18.50; pigs, 10.00@17.50.

Cattle—Steers, 7.85@12.75; feeders, 8.60@9.75; cows, 4.75@9.25; heifers, 6.00@8.75; calves, 14.50@15.50.

Minneapolis, Sept. 26, 1917. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.93@1.95. Oats—No. 3 white, 58c@60c. Rye—1.86@1.87. Flax—3.48@3.52.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Sept. 25. Corn—Open—High—Low—Close. May 1.17 1/2 1.19 1/2 1.18 1/2 1.19 1/2. Dec. 1.30 1.22 1.21 1.21 1/4 1.21 1/4. Sept. 1.14 1/4 1.15 1/4 1.14 1/4 1.15 1/4.

PLOUR—Spring wheat, special brands, in wood, \$1.80 per bu.; hard spring wheat patents, 85 per cent grade, in July, \$1.90; straight, in export bags, \$1.05; first clear \$1.00, in July; second clear, \$0.95; low grades, \$0.90@0.95; fancy soft winter wheat patents, in July, \$1.30; standard soft winter wheat patents, \$1.10, in July; fancy hard winter wheat patents, \$1.00, in July; standard hard winter patents, \$0.75, in July; first clear, \$1.00, in July; second clear, in July, \$0.90@0.95; new white rye, \$1.10; new dark rye, \$0.90.

HAY—Choice timothy, old and new, \$23.00@24.00; No. 1, \$21.00@22.00; No. 2, \$20.00@21.00; standard, \$20.00@21.00; No. 2, red top and grassy mixed, \$18.00@21.00; light clover mixed, \$20.00@21.00; heavy clover mixed, \$18.00@20.00; clover hay, \$18.00@20.00; timothy, old timothy, \$22.00@23.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 43c@44c; extra firsts, 42c@43c; firsts, 41c@42c; seconds, 40c@41c; ladles, 37c@38c; process, 40c; packing stock, 37c@38c.

Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinges when bending, or an all-day back-ache; each is cause enough to suspect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys. We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Michigan Case

Michael Rupp, 1322 Walnut St., N. Lansing, Mich., says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills several years ago for weak kidneys. My back used to ache and I could hardly keep up and around. The kidney secretions passed too frequently. I read so much about Doan's Kidney Pills that I tried them, and the first box helped me. I continued using them and was cured."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS FOSTER-MILBURN CO., BUFFALO, N. Y.

Save the Calves!

Stamp ABORTION Out of Your Herd and Keep It Out! Apply treatment yourself. Small expense. Write for free booklet on Abortion, "Questions and Answers". State number of calves.

WANTED MEN and WOMEN to learn the Barber Trade. Can earn \$25 per week and more. Free weeks required; tools furnished. The Wisconsin Barber College, 305-307 Chestnut St., Milwaukee, Wis.

BIG QUESTIONS WAR RAISES

Tremendous Variety of Problems Must Be Solved by Those Directing the World Conflict.

Somewhere in the Australian hinterland railway trackage is being pulled up in order to be laid down again in the desert of Sinai or along the Tigris or in Albania or near the White sea or in the sector of Arras, says a thoughtful writer in a New York journal.

Given a shipload of iron ore, it is for someone to decide whether that iron is to be shell, or barbed wire, or steel helmet, or airplane engine, or anti-submarine net, or boat anchor, or traveling crane, or farm tractor for the raising potatoes to feed the crew of the ship that brings Chinese coolies from Canton to Marseilles to handle other masses of iron ore at the Creusot armament factories.

And when you multiply the task by the number of departments, war, admiralty, agriculture and subsistence, when the problem develops into one of determining whether a man can be best used for throwing hand grenades or Bullecourt or plowing in Sussex or unloading wheat at Liverpool or manufacturing boots for the Russian armies in Romania, it becomes plain how inadequate is the ordinary pencil stub and newspaper margin for winning the war out of hand.

Neighborhood Society. "Oh, mother," cried Mabel, who had never visited in the country. "I have just had a letter from my schoolmate inviting me to spend two weeks on her father's farm."

Mabel's mother looked up languidly. "Yes, dear," she remarked, "and what does she say about the society in the neighborhood? Does she mention anyone?"

"No," answered Mabel thoughtfully, "but I've heard her mention the Holsteins and Guernseys."

"Oh, well," said her mother, "I presume they are pleasant people."—Rebboth Sunday Herald.

She Would Get Even. Marcellis was very fond of playtng with the calves. One day one chased her. Very much frightened, she crawled under the fence and said, "You can stand there looking at me now, calf, but I'll have some of you in my stomach before long."

Lacked Temptation. "Have you ever been arrested?" "No, sir. I've never owned an automobile."

If you never tasted Grape-Nuts FOOD you have missed one of the good things in life

WAR COURSES FOR VARSITY STUDENTS

Wisconsin University Establishes Schools of Aviation, Wireless, Etc.

PLAN ALSO R. O. T. CORPS

Commandant Assigned to the University by Government—Maj. Arthur R. Kerwin, Retired, Will Drill Student Military Companies.

Madison.—The University of Wisconsin found itself organized and prepared on a "war basis" when the academic year of 1917-18 opened the sixtieth regular session of the school. It had assimilated the lessons learned last spring in devoting as much as possible of its staff and energies to war purposes without seriously interfering with the regular academic work, and has made readjustments to meet the crisis.

The ideal of the year's work will be to carry on its usual academic and educational work without break, in accordance with President Wilson's recommendation that the colleges must devote their forces to training young men and women for the great work of reconstruction when peace is declared.

Many Faculty Men Gone

The academic year began on September 24. The first semester will continue until February 13, with Christmas recess from December 20 to January 8. The second semester will begin on February 14 and continue until June 21, with spring recess from April 17 to 23.

Many of the faculty are now in uniform or are away on special government missions, and some of those at the university will give part of their time to war work, but the great majority will devote their time to academic and educational work.

To Give War Courses

A number of special war courses which are now being prepared include aviation, wireless and wire telegraphy, and courses in food conservation and preservation. Much of the special war research work undertaken by the faculty will be continued.

An infantry unit of the reserve officers' training corps will be established with the opening of the university. Application for the R. O. T. C. was made by the board of regents last spring, and announcement has just been received from the war department that it has been established. The new commandant is Maj. Arthur R. Kerwin, retired, who saw service with General Pershing in Mexico. With the assistance of Sergt. W. G. Atkins, U. S. A., retired, he will command the regular student military companies and the R. O. T. C.

Will Teach Conservation

One of the special emergency courses will be a series of lectures by President C. R. Van Hise on "Conservation and Regulation in the United States During the World War," supplemented by other lectures and specialized courses. He has been requested by the national food administration to organize the conservation work to be carried on in higher institutions of learning, and he is arranging to have the same courses of lectures delivered in all colleges and universities that are co-operating.

Reform in Birth Registration

Tests as to the completeness of birth registration in Wisconsin will be conducted by federal investigators before the year is over. Upon the result will depend Wisconsin's admission to the birth registration area, established in 1915 and now, with the recent admission of Maryland, Virginia and Kentucky, embracing 13 states and the District of Columbia. Tests are being made in Indiana and New Jersey, and later this year will be begun in Wisconsin, North Carolina, Ohio and Utah.

In one county in this state the neglect of physicians and midwives to record birth certificates has become so widespread and has lowered the county's birth rate to such an extent that unless there is early reform prosecutions will be begun after October 1. Proof of willful failure to file in other localities in the state will result in arrests.

The importance of birth registration is greatly enhanced by the war. Every day the Wisconsin state board of health has been asked for affidavits of birth registry by many young men on the border line of the draft, and by persons close to the age required for permits under the child labor law. The county registers of deeds are being besieged in the same way. One physician has become so aroused that he reported to the local registrar 450 births which had occurred in his practice since 1900.

Second Draft May Be Voluntary

If the war department is willing Wisconsin's second draft army will be composed entirely of volunteers. Governor Philipp wrote Secretary of War Baker asking permission to put in force the plan worked out by Adj. Gen. Orlando Holway of the Wisconsin National Guard. Approval by President Wilson and Secretary Baker is necessary before any steps can be taken. The second draft army is expected to be raised within a few months and it is assumed that the same number of men will be required.

Newspaper Men on Food Committee

Editors and publishers of Wisconsin daily newspapers have been appointed as members of an advisory committee by Food Administrator Magnus Swenson. The members are:

Fred L. Berner, Appleton Daily Journal; Sam J. Ryan, Argonne Crescent; Thomas B. Reid, Appleton Post; John C. Chapple, Ashland Press; H. E. Cole, Baraboo News; George H. Hood, Baraboo Republic; E. E. Parker, Beaver Dam Citizen; D. B. Worthington, Beloit News; C. C. Starks, Beloit Journal; George E. Dee, Chippewa Falls Herald; T. J. Cunningham, Chippewa Falls Independent; Charles W. Fiske, Eau Claire Telegram; E. M. Jensen, Fond du Lac Commonwealth; L. A. Lange, Fond du Lac Reporter; John K. Kline, Green Bay Gazette; David Atwood, Janesville Gazette; W. T. Mariart, Kenosha News; A. M. Brynton, La Crosse Tribune and Leader-Press; O. D. Brandenburg, Madison Democrat; Richard Lloyd Jones, Madison State Journal; Edward W. Mackey, Manitowish Herald; George McFarlane, Manitowish Daily News; E. W. Le Roy, Marinette Eagle-Star; A. H. Smith, Merrill Herald; Ira H. Clough, Menasha Record; John R. Wolf, Evening Wisconsin, Milwaukee; John Poppendieck, Jr., Milwaukee Sentinel; Henry Campbell, Milwaukee Journal; A. O. Royce, Milwaukee Free Press; M. A. Hoyt, Milwaukee News; E. Van Schelmitz, Milwaukee Germania; Michael Kruska, Milwaukee Kurier-Polski; L. A. Wootte, Milwaukee Pioneer; Emory A. Odell, Monroe Times; J. H. Bloom, Neenah News; J. S. Stone, Neenah Times; Col. John Hicks, Oshkosh Northwest; E. C. Jones, Portage Democrat; A. A. Porter, Portage Register; F. W. Starbuck, Racine Journal-News; W. S. Goodland, Racine Times-Courier; M. H. Barron, Rhinelander Daily News; C. E. Broughton, Sheboygan Press; Frank A. Zuffelt, Sheboygan Telegram; T. L. McLaughlin, Stevens Point Journal; J. M. Hibbard, Stoughton Courier-Hub; H. C. Strivers, Superior Telegram; James P. Holland, Watertown Times; J. L. Sturtevant, Wausau Record-Herald.

The work of the food administrator in the state will encounter many problems, and it was to take advantage of the advice and counsel of these men, whose knowledge of the state and especially of their own communities will be of value, that Magnus Swenson formed the committee.

Renew Pledges of '61

Adopting resolutions pledging allegiance to "One country, one flag," the Fifteenth Wisconsin volunteers and the Scandinavian Veterans' association closed its joint reunion at Madison. The resolutions follow:

"Whereas, In the days of our young manhood we faced a national crisis, a conflict for freedom or slavery, the boys of '61 and '65 rallied to the call of Abraham Lincoln and won the battle of freedom.

"Whereas, We are now in the midst of a still greater conflict—who shall rule the world, autocracy or democracy? We, survivors of the Fifteenth Wisconsin infantry and Scandinavian veterans of the Civil war, in reunion assembled at Madison, September 12 and 13, 1917, do hereby

"Resolve, That we stand now where we stood in our young manhood in the days of '61 to '65—on the side of humanity, liberty and freedom.

"We pledge our undivided support to our brave boys who are gathering to fight the battle of democracy.

"In the days of our national struggle 50 years ago we knew no party lines, and we now declare our faith in President Wilson's administration and pledge him our support; one country and one flag."

Plans soon will be begun for the Heg memorial at Madison, voted by the convention.

Ask Governor to Amend Fish Laws

Green Bay fishermen, headed by Senator Timothy Burke, appeared before the governor to ascertain if some ruling can be obtained which will permit the taking of perch six inches in length. The legislature increased the size to seven inches and the fishermen claim that their business is being hampered in war times and that a larger supply of fish is being wanted in the interests of food conservation.

State Sealer Resigns

Fred P. Downing, state supervisor of weights and measures in the state dairy and food department during the last six years, resigned to become director of the marketing bureau of the federal department of agriculture at Washington. He will receive \$3,000 a year, an increase of \$500 over his salary here. Commissioner Weigle will soon fill the vacant position.

\$93,000 Paid "Third House."

Corporations and individuals paid \$93,000 during the last session of the legislature as a contribution to the "third house." In working for and against legislation, according to reports filed in the state secretary's office.

Levy on Street Railways

The city of Madison will receive \$8,231.18 in street railway taxes this year, according to the announcement of the state tax commission. Last year the city received \$9,192.22. The total tax levied on the company is \$13,152.62 as compared with \$11,196.72 last year. Hereof, the state and the towns through which the lines operated have received the taxes, but the legislature gave 20 per cent to the counties, thus lessening the amount to the towns, street railways will pay over \$120,000 increase in taxes this year.

BADGER STATE NEWS

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

PAY HONOR TO NEAL BROWN

Prominent Men From All Parts of Wisconsin Attend Funeral of Wausau Lawyer—Buried in Cemetery He Laid Out.

Wausau—Neal Brown, lawyer, author and orator, was buried at Pine Grove in a cemetery he had laid out. Chief Justice John E. Winslow and Associate Justice M. B. Rosenberry of the state supreme court and ex-Judge John Barnes represented the bench, with Circuit Judges G. W. Burnell, Oshkosh, and Byron P. Park, Stevens Point, attended the funeral. Emerson Hough, writer, was there as representative of the Campfire clubs. Masonic lodges from Merrill and Tomahawk were represented.

Adulterated Milk Sale Charged

La Crosse—Five milk dealers of this city have been arrested and charged with selling an adulterated product following the annual inspection of dairies by Health Commissioner J. M. Furstmann, Jacob Herman and Jacob Bona paid fines of \$25 and costs. The others, Fred, Jacob and Charles Kramer, brothers, are to be arraigned later.

Twins' Request Granted

Alma—Arthur and Arnold Koopp, twins, wanted to train with the National army at Rockford together. But they were disappointed when Uncle Sam called one to leave Sept. 29, and the other was left for the next call. Arthur reported for duty, Arnold then asked to be allowed to accompany the quota and the local board granted his request.

Conservation Rules in Janesville

Janesville—Meatless and wheatless days will be almost universally observed by Janesville hotels and cafes as their part in the great conservation movement throughout the United States. Practically all the owners of the cafes and hotels agreed to conform strictly to the rulings of the food administrator regardless of what course their competitors took.

Loyalty Day a Success

Phillips—Loyalty day at the Price county fair held at Phillips, was blessed with delightful weather, 3,000 people and a ringing address by Rev. B. T. Schrengeld of Park Falls. The speaker was at his best and his appeal for the support of the best government on earth was received with unquestioned sincerity.

Stranger Found Unconscious

Kenosha—Mystery surrounds the identity of a well dressed man who was found probably fatally injured in a ditch along the tracks of the Chicago, North Shore and Milwaukee Electric Railway North of Kenosha. The only clue to his identity are the initials "F. P.," found on his clothing.

Peevish at Loss of Hat

Eau Claire—Earl Miller lost his hat from a car, got off, and three cars passed him despite signals. He placed a tie on the track and mounted the next car. He drew two years at Wausau.

Trainer Support Wilson

Milwaukee—V. A. Gardner lodge No. 191, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, has adopted a resolution pledging its support to the president and government in the present crisis.

Postpone County Council's Meet

Madison—Owing to the fact that the third contingent of selected men will leave on Oct. 3 and 4, the state-wide conference of county councils has been postponed until Oct. 9 and 10.

Breaks Back in Fall; Dies

Marinette—Adolph Wales, an employe of the Girard Lumber Company at Dunbar, was fatally injured when he broke his back in a fall. He died at a hospital here.

Die of Battle Wounds

De Pere—Louis Roffers, enlisted in the Canadian army, died of wounds received in a battle in France, according to a message received by his parents here.

Newcomer Killed in France

La Crosse—Dr. George R. Reay was notified that his nephew, Raymond Reay, had been killed in action on the west front. He was a member of a Canadian army unit.

Alleged Deserter Taken Back

Neenah—Robert Kammin, deserter from Battery C, Racine, was taken to Camp Douglas for court martial and sentence.

Asks \$10,000 from Hotel Company

Milwaukee—Charging that he was forcibly ejected from the Schlitz hotel, cafe on Feb. 26, 1917, George K. Lauer filed suit for \$10,000 damages against the Schlitz Hotel company in circuit court here.

Pipers Granted to Eighty-one

Green Bay—Eighty-one residents of Brown county were added to the citizenship of the United States, when applications were granted by Judge Henry Grass.

Train Kills Mauston Guardsman

Marinette—William Williston, member of Company L, was fatally injured at Mauston when struck by a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train while crossing the track. His body was hurled fifty feet, breaking his neck, and he died a half hour later. His remains were brought home for burial. Eight members of Company L acted as pallbearers. When Williston was struck his body, in passing through the air, hit the station agent at Mauston, injuring him quite badly.

To Open Big Packing Plant

Green Bay—A modern packing plant will be opened by the Green Bay Packing company early next month. It comprises three firms with an aggregate capital of \$650,000. The business will represent an outlay of \$1,000,000 in two years, it is predicted by officers of the corporation. The main packing plant will enable the company to kill and dress 150 cattle, 300 hogs and any amount of veal and mutton that may be offered a day.

Three Hurt in Holdup

Racine—As a result of a holdup game three men are in the hospital in a critical condition, all suffering from either bullet or stab wounds. The police claim that James Henderson, a plumber, first held up and shot Frank Markano, and then, running three blocks, held up George Olson, and that in the fight Henderson was cut in the abdomen by the dirk with which he wounded Olson.

Teachers Enter U. S. Service

Milwaukee—Four teachers of the Washington high school staff have taken up service in military branches of the government. H. F. Smith, director of music, has joined the army band; R. E. Chamberlain, football coach, is at the officers' training camp; Miss Alice Natz, gymnasium instructor, is in the hospital service, and L. D. Shinkle, chemistry teacher, is doing chemistry work in Washington.

Four Arrested for Selling Liquor

La Crosse—Peter Swanson's inability to see a blue uniform behind some brass buttons in the dark led to the arrest of four men charged with selling liquor to soldiers. The man he took for a soldier was a policeman and he was promptly arrested when he pushed a bottle of booze into his hands. Three others also were arrested.

To Hit Foreign Owned Papers

Milwaukee—In a letter to the trades council, Senator Huston says that he is drafting a bill which, if passed, will deny any foreign owned or edited paper second class mail privileges. He states that both charges that Lord Northcliffe and Germans had bought up American newspapers would be investigated.

Hermit Would Kill Wilson

Prairie du Chien—Claiming that he had received a telegram from God ordering him to kill President Wilson led to the undoing of Herman Larson, hermit of Bridgeport, near here. He was arrested and examined as to his sanity, the doctors pronouncing him mentally unbalanced. He was taken to Mendota.

Corporation to Increase Wages

Milwaukee—About 1,700 employes of the Illinois Steel company here will receive a 10 per cent increase in pay, taking effect Oct. 1. The United States Steel company, of which the Illinois Steel company is a subsidiary, has announced the general raise. This is the fourth increase since the war, and brings the total up to 45 per cent.

Daily League Elects Officers

Janesville—The Wisconsin Daily League, in session here, scored La Follette's actions heavily. Officers elected were: J. L. Sturtevant, Wausau Record-Herald, president; N. L. Hardy, Oshkosh Northwestern, vice-president; H. H. Bliss, Janesville Register-Gazette, secretary-treasurer.

La Follette Silent on Threat

Madison—Senator La Follette, declined to make any comment on the statement of Gov. Borquist, Minnesota, that the latter would request his arrest in case an investigation of the senator's remarks should prove them scintillous.

Want Negro Stevedores

Milwaukee—Orders have been received here to assign recruit men for the regular United States cavalry. Orders also have been received to secure negro stevedores for special branches of the national army. They will be sent to Newport News, Va.

Start \$100,000 Power Plant

Ashland—The Ashland Light, Power & Street Railway Co. has begun construction of a \$100,000 power plant at the mouth of Montreal river on the boundary line between Michigan and Wisconsin.

Preacher Going to Fight

Birchwood—The Rev. Father J. J. Crawford, pastor of the Episcopal church at Spooner, and widely known and liked, has gone in training to be an artillery officer at Fort Sheridan.

Against Paying Maintenance

Racine—The guardian of Mary Minihan, inmate of the insane asylum, has appealed to court against paying \$58 for her maintenance, alleging the county owes her for labor taking bread for other inmates.

La Follette Hung in Effigy

Green Bay—Senator La Follette was hung in effigy to a smokestack of the Britton Cooperage company plant here. Practically all of the workers signed the loyalty pledge.

Decorating a Savage

Florence Partello Stuart, in one of her delightful tales of the Moro chieftain, Piang, tells of an embarrassing situation. Piang had saved the governor's life at the risk of his own. "Piang, I am about to decorate you with the emblem of our government; these infantry cross-guns I shall pin on your breast—the dignified governor reached forward to make good his words, but paused in embarrassment, the speech dying on his lips. He gazed in dismay at the scantily clothed little savage, standing straight and expectant before him.

"I shall place this emblem, again began the worthy official. There was a titter among the spectators. "Piang, eagerly eyeing the treasure, wondered why the governor delayed. Suddenly a gleam of understanding broke over Piang, and he grinned broadly. With the tip of his finger he touched the shining cross-guns, then his necklace of crocodile teeth. The situation was saved."—St. Nicholas.

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She Followed Rule 34

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Legally Tied. "There is a tide in the affairs of men," said the man who habitually quotes Shakespeare, "which, taken at the flood, leads on to fortune." "Yes," replied the man who had married an heiress, "I remember the tide that led to my fortune well." "What tide was that?" "It was an eventide and we were sitting in the garden." Nearly all free thinking men are in the bachelor class.

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Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even the slightest smarting, either when applying freezeone or afterwards. This drug doesn't eat up the corn or callus, but shrivels them so they loosen and come right out. It is no humbug! It works like a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints and never burns, bites or inflames. If your druggist hasn't any freezeone yet, tell him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.—adv. Good Christians pray for the ice-man.

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ELMORE

Arnold Spradow and lady friend autoed to Fond du Lac. Sunday.

John Kleinhaus and family of Stratford are visiting relatives here.

Christ Becker and son made a business trip to Fond du Lac Tuesday.

Reuben Backhaus and wife spent Sunday with Julius Kloke and family.

Marcella Mathieu is visiting with her grand father, Chas Corbett and family.

Geo and Wm. Mathieu are doing some painting for Chas Corbett at Dundee.

Peter Boegel and wife spent Sunday with the Raymond Boegel family at St. Kilian.

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Albert Struebing and family spent Sunday with And. Beisler and family at St. Killian.

Wm. Geidel, wife and daughter Oleida spent Sunday with Chas Spradow and family.

Nic Kedinger purchased a Crow Elkart car from Mr. Jaeger at Campbellsport the past week.

Ernst Reinhardt, Chas Struebing and Harry Welsch of Milwaukee autoed to Sheboygan Sunday.

Mrs. Theresa O'Hare of Milwaukee is spending the week here with J. F. Schrauth and family.

Joe Schmidt and family and Mrs. Geo German visited with John Mathieu and family Sunday.

John Lichtenstiger and Herman Lichtenstiger and family spent Sunday with John Mathieu and family.

Mike Gantenbein and family and Hugo Volke, wife and son enjoyed an auto trip to Fond du Lac Sunday.

Born, to Geo Neitschke and wife a baby boy at Eldorado. Mrs. Neitschke will be remembered as Miss Rebeca Gantenbein.

Paul Kleinhaus of Friendship and Tony Schaeffer and wife of Fond du Lac called on the F Kleinhaus family Sunday.

John Schrauth and daughters Olive and Adela and sons Alfonso and Clarence spent Sunday at Saukville and Port Washington.

Mike Gantenbein Jr. and family, Lydia Schmitt and Hugo Volke and son William autoed to Lonira and Fond du Lac Sunday.

R. Larsen and wife and son Walter and John Sandler and wife of Milwaukee spent Sunday with Geo Rauch and family. They made the trip in Mr. Sandler's Ford car.

Peter Bach, wife and daughter from Saukville, John Freite, wife and daughter Alice, Mrs. Theo Freise all of Port Washington, Mrs. Theresa O'Hara of Milwaukee and Mrs. Theresa Bach of Campbellsport, John Schrauth and wife visited with Anton and John Schrauth families Friday.

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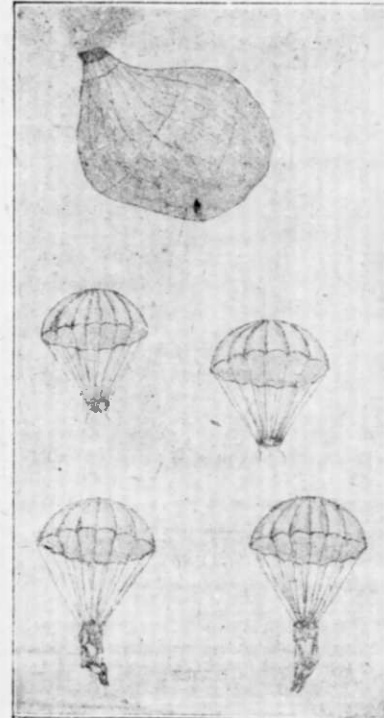
Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, **OCTOBER 1-2-3**

Program-Tuesday, October 2

1 P. M.—National Salute of 21 guns.
1:15—Star Spangled Banner.
1:30—Patriotic Address.
2:00—Start of races, 2:15 Trot and 2:14 Pace.
Daylight Fireworks.
8 Free Acts on platform in front of grandstand.
Band Concerts.
Base Ball.
Balloon Ascension and Double Parachute Drop.

Wednesday, October 3

1 P. M.—National Salute of 21 guns.
1:15—Star Spangled Banner.
1:30—Start of races; 2:22 pace, 2:24 trot, free-for-all trot and pace.
Daylight Fireworks. Band Concerts.
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AUBURN

Otto Diekmann spent Tuesday at Kewaskum.

Aug. Treiber, wife and son Oscar autoed to Sheboygan Sunday.

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Herman Butzke and wife attended the funeral of the latter's father which was held at Fond du Lac Monday.

Alex Sook, Wm. Dins, Gust Lawrence and Jos Uelman attended the county fair at Beaver Dam Wednesday.

Mrs. Charlotte Fick returned home after a week's visit with her daughter and family at Grand Meadow, Minn.

Aurilla Diekmann returned home Wednesday after a few weeks visit with friends at Milwaukee and Waukesha.

Henry Schmidt and family and Ed. Schield of Wayne and Otto Hoge of Jackson spent Sunday at the Peter Terlinden home.

Peter Terlinden and wife left Tuesday for Bonduel where they will visit at the home of their son, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Terlinden.

SOUTH EDEN

Ernest Ryan spent Sunday at Fond du Lac.

Thomas Flood purchased a Ford car recently.

Frank Brath and wife were at Eden Monday.

Erwin Seefeld was a county fair visitor Wednesday.

Frank Bonaster was a Campbellsport visitor Sunday.

Born, to Emmet Ryann and wife a son on Sunday, Sept. 9.

Mrs. Edw. C. Baumhardt was a Fond du Lac caller Tuesday.

Mr. St. Mary of Fond du Lac is visiting in this vicinity for a few days.

Celia Ludwig and Art. Bartelt of Waucousta visited with Edw. Baumhardt here Sunday.

ASHFORD

Peter Reimer is building a new silo.

Math Schill was very ill with pleureisy.

Peter Reimer spent Sunday at Milwaukee.

Math Benard of Chilton spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Ben Weyer spent Monday and Tuesday at Le Roy.

John Meyers and family spent Sunday at Ben Weyers.

Mr. Zeimet and family of Beaver Dam spent a week with Anton Tueck.

Agnes Schill who has been at Kenosha for the past several months, is at home.

Mrs. Peter Hilbert and sons and Mrs. Wm. Driekosen Jr. spent Sunday at Holy Hill.

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A Krudwig and family and Miss Mary Seadlic and Al. Serve spent Saturday at Milwaukee.

People Speak Well of Chamberlain's Tablets.

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In Public Life.

"To look at me now, mum, you wouldn't think that I used to be in public life," said the tattered visitor. "Dear me!" exclaimed the sympathetic housewife. "Were you a member of congress, or something like that?" "No, mum, I was a train announcer in one of the largest railroad stations in the country."

Child's Love of Music.

When a child has shown sufficient interest in music to wish to hear it, he should certainly be allowed to try and imitate what he has heard, and to create music for himself. Sometimes a child of four or five shows more love for music than one double that age. If they desire to listen and to learn, age makes little difference.—Exchange.

Coercion.

Norah—"An' did she give you a reference?" Bridget—"Yes; I threatened to stay if she didn't."

LAKE FIFTEEN

Otto Krueger and wife were Dundee callers Saturday.

Wm. Wunder and wife spent Tuesday at New Prospect.

Anna Scholtz spent a few days with friends at Beechwood.

Chas Krueger and wife visited with the Wm. Krueh family Sunday.

Norma and Clara Krueger were callers at the Kaueger home Sunday.

Krueger Bros. finished building an engine and milk house Wednesday.

Al. Harrington and family were Sunday visitors at the Al. Kunrow home.

Chas Krueger, wife and son Chas visited with relatives at Waucousta Sunday.

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Wm. Kruewald and son Arnold attended the auction at Ernest Hausner's Tuesday.

Frank Scholtz and wife returned home after visiting relatives in the northern part of the state.

Al. Kunrow and family took a pleasure trip to Plymouth, Sheboygan Falls and Sheboygan Saturday.

Adam Smith and family of Milwaukee spent several days this week with the Al. Harrington family.

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P. Uelman was a Milwaukee business caller Saturday.

Wm. Calvey was a business caller in the village Tuesday.

E. Rusch and wife were guests of friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. Henry Schimmelpennig was a pleasant village caller Monday.

E. Seim and wife, who visited friends in Dakota, returned home Monday.

R. Weber and K. Beisler were Milwaukee callers the latter part of last week.

Nic Schlaefer of Jackson called on his parents, Jos Schlaefer and wife here Sunday.

B. Reder, Jas Fuller and R. B. Ellis were business callers at Fond du Lac Monday.

Lydia Vetsch of Milwaukee spent Sunday here with her parents, John Vetsch and wife.

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Bank when attending the Washington County Fair next week.

Wm. Meyers, Jas Ward, M. Fellenz, S. Tuttle and wife, C. Odekirk and wife were at Fond du Lac Friday.

E. Schneider, D. Wenzel and wife, J. L. Gudex, A. Jewson and wife, and Sherman Tuttle were Fond du Lac callers the forepart of the week.

The following spent Thursday at the County Seat: Conrad Mack, S. Tuttle, Mrs. M. Biersdorf, Bell Bump, John Wenzel Chas Van de Zande, F. Loomis, John Lichtenstiger and John Schafer.

John Bolan and wife, Chas Romaine, R. Mayer and wife, J. B. Williams and wife, Olive Johnson, W. Glass, F. Criminger and Blanch Murray were Fond du Lac business callers Saturday, and also visited relatives and friends while there.

H. Seering, A. Pesch, C. Becker, G. Ulrich, J. Schrooten and wife, John Vetsch and son, F. Diekmann, H. Walsh, wife and daughter, L. Hall, M. Polzean, John Feuerhammer and wife Henry Feuerhammer, Ben Day and H. Mc Collough were at Fond du Lac Wednesday.