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## KEWASKUM LIMITED MUTUAL HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The Kewaskum Mutual Fire Insurance Company held their seventeenth annual meeting in the company's office on Thursday forenoon, January 17th, 1918. After the Secretary and Treasurer read their reports, Messrs. L. P. Rosenheimer and Jacob Schlosser were re-elected directors for the term of three years.

The company has amended its articles of organization and will hereafter be called "The Kewaskum Limited Mutual Fire Insurance Company".

The Board of Directors met the same evening. All the old officers were unanimously re-elected, viz.:

President—A. L. Rosenheimer.  
Vice-president—N. J. Mertes.  
Secretary—Joseph Schmidt.  
Treasurer—L. P. Rosenheimer.

The company's annual statement for the year ending on December 31, 1917, will be published in our next week's issue of the Statesman.

## WHOOOP FOR HOOVER

I have seen Hoover! Any doubts I might have had concerning his being a big man and competent for the big job he has on hand disappeared when he began to talk of that job in a serious, quiet, and modest fashion. He begged us to preach conservation of food—morning, noon and night. While I cannot hope to put across his sermon any better than the others have, nobody can hear his appeal, personally, without the desire to try it.

It is quite likely that you have felt, as I have, a divided desire on the one hand to be patriotic and follow requests to cut wastes, and on the other hand an almost unconquerable desire to eat the very foods we are begged not to. This is partly because of the "soused contrariness" that is in many of us. Hoover knows that this is so because he says that notwithstanding the fact that we have been the most wasteful people in the world of food fats and notwithstanding the appeals to cut wastes, the consumption, instead of decreasing since the war began, actually increased ten per cent.

One of the troubles with us is that we do not appear to realize fully that we are actually in this war and that the food we supply our Allies is just as important to the winning of it as are explosives, ships, aeroplanes and even the soldiers themselves. With this thought in mind, it ought not to be a difficult matter to restrain our appetites a little or to learn to eat those foods which cannot be sent abroad because of the fact that they are too bulky for the limited number of ships or because they are perishable.

But if patriotic appeals won't reach you, if you are too piggyish to care about the country or the boys who will risk their lives in the trenches, consider what has been said before in this column, that your own health will be better, and your chance of living to a decent old age will be increased by "Hooverizing for Health". Already I know men, women and children who are in far better health because they are eating coarser foods and less meat pastry rich cake and candy.

## DEATH OF J. H. SCHWARZ

Word reached this village Friday morning, January 18th, of the death of J. H. Schwarz, which occurred Saturday morning at 8 o'clock, at the Alexian Brothers Hospital at Chicago. The remains will be taken to San Francisco, Cal., for burial next Monday. Deceased was the beloved husband of Christiana Schwarz (nee Kohn) and father of Frank Schwarz. Mr. Schwarz had been making his home at 2320 North Clark street, Chicago.

## TELEPHONE CO. MAY RAISE RATES

The annual meeting of the Eastern Fond du Lac Telephone Company was held Thursday afternoon at Eden. Officers were elected as follows:

President—Gus Rohlf.  
Vice-president—Thomas Tishlin.  
Treasurer—George Flood.  
Secretary—J. M. Stack.  
Directors—Wilbur Adams, John Graham and Thomas Tishlin.

The company experienced a reasonably successful year. It is appreciated, however, that there will be necessity by an advance in the rates on subscribers' telephones.

## THIS CITY IS AGAIN VISITED BY BAD STORM

Just as the residents of our little city were about to take a deep breath and stretch their tired limbs, after shoveling themselves out of the snow drifts caused by the blizzard of January 6th and 7th, another storm more severe and of longer duration than the first, began piling up banks of snow, blockading streets, roadways and railroad tracks.

The second storm of the season struck this community last Friday evening and continued in uninterrupted fury until late Sunday afternoon. The last passenger train during the period of the blizzard passed through here at 8:38 o'clock Friday evening and service on the local division of the Chicago and Northwestern was then abandoned until Sunday afternoon, when several passenger trains were run, preceded by snow plows. Freight service was suspended from Friday until Tuesday morning.

The rural mail carriers covered their routes on Friday and from that time on until Tuesday were unable to get outside of the village limits, country roads being blockaded in every direction with snow drifts towering far above the top of fences and where hills are cut down, the cuts are packed and the snow is frozen over with a crust several inches thick thus making it impossible to do any work with shovels. Travel through the country is carried on by driving across fields, through woods and over the ice covered lakes and ponds.

Reports from many states indicate that the storm was more severe in other places than in Wisconsin. These reports show that many lives were lost, cattle perished and thousands of people are suffering through the shortage of food and fuel. In this respect the local community is exceptionally fortunate as everybody is well supplied with both food and fuel.

## HAVE INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

The fraternal and good-fellowship benefits of society were enjoyed at the Good Templars' Hall Wednesday evening, when the newly elected officers of the local camp, Royal Neighbors of America, were installed. The ceremonies were in charge of Mrs. John Wenzel and Mrs. A. D. Chesley, both of Campbellsport, and who acted as installing officers.

The newly installed officers are:

Oracle—Mrs. August Schnurr.  
Vice-Oracle—Mrs. Adolph Rosenheimer.  
Past Oracle—Mrs. E. L. Morgenroth.  
Chancellor—Mrs. Fred Schleif.  
Recorder—Mrs. Nic Mertes.  
Receiver—Mrs. Jacob Becker.  
Marshal—Mrs. Jacob Schlosser.  
Inner Sentinel—Mrs. H. J. Lay.  
Outer Sentinel—Mrs. Jacob Bruessel.  
Manager—Mrs. David Rosenheimer.

The local camp is steadily increasing in membership and the new set of officers had an opportunity to officiate at initiation ceremonies immediately after their installation, when Miss Margaret Engler was enrolled as a member of the camp.

Following the installation and initiation ceremonies supper was served and the local ladies and their guests from Campbellsport enjoyed several hours of merriment, unmarred by lengthy official speeches, or dry after dinner jokes. Instead of these everybody present "had the floor" at the same time, and from reports of those fortunate enough to be present, everybody made use of the opportunity and the result was a most enjoyable event of chats and good eats.

The following members of the Royal Neighbors' camp of Campbellsport attended the installation ceremonies: Mesdames Maria Klotz, C. R. Van De Zande, H. A. Wrucke, Chas. Vohs, A. D. Chesley, John Wenzel, A. Sackelt and A. L. Yankov.

## CARD OF THANKS

I hereby extend my hearty thanks to all those who assisted me in cutting down the Zumbach bill and otherwise improving the road bed in that vicinity, especially am I grateful to the Kewaskum Advancement Association for their financial aid.

Frank Rose.

## AN APPEAL TO SUBSCRIBERS

Each and everyone of you know that the present high cost of production and the thousand and one other expenses which have hit the newspaper publishers pretty hard, have got to be met, and it becomes your duty to help your newspaper by paying your just dues. Postage has increased and will go still higher for the newspapers on July 1, 1918, when the zone rate goes into effect. So we ask each and every one of you to kindly look at the date opposite your name on the paper, and if in arrears, to promptly send or bring in the amount of your indebtedness. This will save us the necessity of sending you a statement, which we do not like to do unless we have to. We have a large number on our list who are in arrears, and if their remittance is not received shortly we will either be obliged to raise the price of our paper or cancel these delinquents from our list. We have to meet our bills promptly, why shouldn't you? Let this matter receive your immediate attention thus establishing a better relationship between us, and a consciousness that you have done your duty toward your local paper.

## THE PUBLISHERS

## WINTER SKAT TOURNAMENT

The WINTER TOURNAMENT of the WISCONSIN SKAT LEAGUE for the year 1918 will be held at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, February 10th, 1918, at the Auditorium, Main Hall.

The sum of \$3,500.00 has been appropriated for prizes to be apportioned by the Winter Tournament Committee. 266 prizes aggregating \$3,200.00 was given in 1917, this sum has been increased to \$3,500.00 with a corresponding increase in the number of prizes.

The Tournament will be held in two sessions, the first session will be called at 2:45 P. M., and the second session at 7:00 P. M. Drawing of seats will be held at 9 o'clock A. M. for the first session and 6:30 o'clock P. M. for the second session.

The admission to both sessions of the Tournament will be \$2.50, which includes membership card for the ensuing year.

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

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Both young people are very well and favorably known and have a host of friends who wish them happiness.

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The bride was attired in a gown of white messaline with lace trimming and wore a veil. She carried an arm bouquet of roses. Miss Edna Stern and Miss Esther Marquardt as bridesmaids wore green voile and carried pink carnations. The groom was attended by Oscar Stern and Oscar Marquardt.

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## LIBRARY NOTES

Why not come to the Library for the magazines you do not happen to have in your home? Your library has ordered magazines that have articles on most any subject you are interested in. These magazines are loaned for home use.

A class in sergical dressing will be started some time this month. Those wishing to join please call at the library for further information.

A sewing machine has been loaned to the Red Cross for those who wish to do sewing for the soldiers. Come to the library and do your sewing there.

## AMUSEMENTS

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## "THE YUKON TRAIL"

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## FREIGHT CARS ARE IN GREAT DEMAND

Never before in the history of the United States have freight cars been in such heavy demand as they are at the present time and it is a patriotic duty of everyone, receiving carload shipments, to unload and release cars with the utmost promptness that the railroads may immediately increase efficiency so vital to present needs.

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District Postmaster, Kewaskum, Wis.: "In checking up the sales of Thrift and War Savings Stamps in Washington County for December, I was disappointed to find that all district post offices, with the exception of Kewaskum, made a very poor showing. I wish to compliment Kewaskum for its good showing."

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## BUY SMILEAGE BOOK

Soldiers' pals and others in Wisconsin who are looking for opportunities to make life easier for the boys in camp should be interested in the smileage book.

From January 28 to February 2 smileage books will go on sale in every county in the state. These books will sell for \$1 to \$5 and will contain twenty-five cent coupons which are good at the theatres near the training camp if presented by soldiers only. The soldier pal and the stay-at-home man or woman who is anxious to do something for the men at the front are to be asked to buy these books and mail them to personal friends in the service.

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After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Mary Larkin.

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## DEATH OF MISS ADA HELM

Ada Helm, aged 38 years, died Thursday afternoon at the home of Wm. Schultz in the town of Kewaskum, following an illness with cancer of over three years' duration.

Miss Helm was born here January 28th, 1880 and spent the greater part of her life with relatives in this vicinity. She leaves a large circle of intimate friends who mourn her early demise.

The funeral services will be held at one o'clock Sunday afternoon from the local Good Templars' Hall. The Rev. A. H. Otto of West Bend will officiate and interment will take place in Gage's cemetery.

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## ST. KILIAN

Leonard Flasch spent last week Thursday at Fond du Lac.

Kilian Strobel spent last week at Fond du Lac on business of the County Board.

Mrs. Mike Jaeger of Campbellsport spent from Friday until Tuesday with relatives near.

Philip Reischer spent several days of this week with his wife at the St. Agnes Hospital, Fond du Lac.

Andrew Strachota and Jos. P. Schmidt attended the cheesemakers convention at Milwaukee last week.

Wenzel P. Strachota of Killan, Alberta, Canada is visiting with his brothers here since last Saturday. Mr. Strachota left for Canada thirteen years ago and this is his first trip back to the state since he left.

## TOWN OF ASHFORD IS FIRST TO REMIT

M. P. Sehill, treasurer of the town of Ashford, was the first treasurer to make remittance of the state tax. His check for \$3914.65, representing the town's apportionment of the state taxes, was sent to Fond du Lac County Treasurer Grönme during the early part of this week.

## CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to all those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and burial of our beloved son and brother, Charles Volm, to the pall bearers, for the floral tributes and to all those who showed their respect by attending the funeral.

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## OUR HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS DEFEAT THE PLYMOUTH HIGHS

The Kewaskum High School Girls' basket ball team defeated the Plymouth High School Girls' team in a game played here Friday evening, January 11th, by a score of 7 to 2.

The visitors put up a strong fight and the game throughout was one of hard plays, at times touching on the boudry line of roughness. Yet, despite these facts it was interesting and greatly enjoyed by the large number of spectators.

The Plymouth Girls took their defeat good naturedly but they were some what peeved at the weatherman that he sent the blizzard at such a time to make it impossible for them to return to their home town until Sunday afternoon.

The teams lined up as follows:

Kewaskum: Gertrude Mohne, Margaret Ginting, Gladys Porschbacher, Phyllis Melius, Corona Schaefer, Elinora Timm, Florence Groeschel, Romonia Haas, Esther Kaether.

Plymouth: Dorothy Genske.

## WAR SAVINGS STAMP DRIVE TO COMMENCE FEBRUARY 3RD.

One of the most potent factors in the War Savings Stamp Drive which will commence February 3rd, in every city in the state of Wisconsin, will be what is known as the "Blue Post Card" and with which every worker will be supplied in generous quantities. This post card is an order upon the local postmaster to have his mail carriers deliver to the person signing the order such War Savings Stamps or Thrift Stamps as may be desired and at the times designated. The mail carrier making the actual delivery of the stamp and collection for the stamp only when delivered.

This order is provided for on one side of the post card, while on the opposite side is a table of figures showing the cost of the \$5 War Savings Stamps for the different months during 1918. The card is addressed to the local postmaster and bears the government frank, so that no postage is required and they may thus be dropped into any mail box, insuring prompt delivery to the postmaster.

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"Or, if you realized that some American soldier would be deprived of a rifle unless you bought 78 stamps, and that he could not be furnished 100 cartridges, or that he might be mortally wounded because of lack of a helmet that could be purchased from proceeds of 12 stamps—wouldn't you stretch about to obtain this equipment for him?"

The Wisconsin War Savings Committee has compiled figures to show how far generous buying of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps will go toward the purchase of equipment for the American soldiers.

It costs the United States \$156.71 for the equipment of each soldier in the campaign abroad; of this, clothing \$101.62; fighting tools, \$47.26, and eating utensils, \$7.73.

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## COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING

The adjourned annual meeting of the Washington County Agricultural Society was held in the Commercial Club Rooms last Monday afternoon. Owing to the blockaded roads the attendance was very small, only a half dozen farmer members being in attendance.

The little gathering held a general discussion in regard to improving the buildings on the fair grounds and in fact in bettering the County Fair all around. As a result a committee of three, Carl Pick, John W. Gehl and Math. N. Weber, was appointed to act in conjunction with the executive officers, to devise ways and means for such improvements.

The salaries of the officers were fixed at the same amounts as last year, namely: President \$25.00; vice-president \$10.00; secretary \$300.00; treasurer \$25.00.

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Honorary vice-presidents were selected as follows:

Jacob Wolf, Addison Peterson, Barton Jos. Burke, Erin Wm. H. Gruhle, Farmington Frank Salter, Germantown Louis Frey, Hartford Town C. J. Heppel, Hartford City Herman Groth, Jackson Alf. B. Froehlich, Jackson Village Gerhard Fellenz, Kewaskum Town Otto E. Lay, Kewaskum Village John B. Koester, Polk Wm. C. Meyer, Richfield Jos. Giudice, Schleisingerville John B. Ahlers, Trenton Ph. Schellinger, Wayne Wm. Rosenthal, West Bend Town Joseph Ott, West Bend City

—West Bend News

## BOWLING NOTES

**BUFFETS**

Alex Klug	209	167	141—517
Geo. Kudek	125	148	120—393
B. Rosenheimer	124	118	181—423
S. Wollensak	156	164	153—473
Total	614	597	595—1806

**STATESMAN**

Art. Schaefer	144	186	153—483
W. Brandstetter	158	139	132—429
Fred Witzig	213	169	161—543
E. Romaine	143	93	150—386
Total	658	587	556—1841

**OVERLANDS**

Al. Schaefer	139	251	153—523
Aug. Bilgo	135	158	147—440
J. Schaefer	196	165	124—485
Wm. Eberle	149	179	201—529
Total</			



CALL ISSUED FOR SPECIAL SESSION

GOV. PHILIPP SETS FEB. 19 AS DATE FOR CONVENING OF LEGISLATURE.

WANTS TO NAME SENATOR

Law Providing Severe Penalties for Disloyalty and Sedition Asked. Would Broaden Absent Voting Power.

Madison—Gov. Philipp has issued a formal call for a special session of the Wisconsin legislature to convene on Feb. 19 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Financial matters, the temporary appointment of a United States senator and broadening of the absent voting law, a more stringent social disease statute, stronger provisions for punishing persons for inciting insurrection and sedition, a law that will permit the manufacture of skimmed milk cheese in this state when properly branded, are among the more important of the reasons given for the call.

The call embodies the following subjects which the legislature is asked to consider and act upon:

- 1. To pass an act authorizing the state to borrow money to repel invasion, suppressing insurrection and defend the state in time of war as provided by Section 7 of Article 8 of the constitution of the State of Wisconsin.
2. To enact drainage legislation and to amend or repeal any of the drainage law.
3. To amend Chapter 2 of the laws of 1916, special session, entitled "An act to create Section 11.69 to 11.83 inclusive on account of military service to vote at general and certain special elections."
4. To pass an act providing for the filling of vacancies in the office of senator of the United States by temporary appointment by the governor until the next succeeding general election.
5. To amend Section 1636-47 of the statutes to permit automobiles and other motor vehicles to be run over the highways of the state when in transit from the manufacturer to the sales agency without a license.
6. To enact such legislation as will permit an increase in salaries of teachers in public schools in cities of the first class during the period of the war.
7. To make an appropriation to the board of regents of the normal schools to enable them to advance the wages of teachers in such schools during the period of the war.
8. To amend Sections 772-4 and 772-10 of the statutes, relating to civil service in counties having a population of 300,000 or more.
9. To amend the statutes relating to the registration of nurses.
10. To repeal Section 1728A-11 of the statutes.
11. To amend Section 1728P to 1728 AZ inclusive so as to make the same apply to cities of the second, third and fourth classes.
12. To enact legislation amending the charter of the Northwestern college at Watertown, Wis.
13. To amend Section 583Q of the statutes by increasing the number of county agricultural representatives and making an appropriation therefor.
14. To enact legislation to permit the employment of prisoners, confined in the Milwaukee house of correction outside of the house of correction and to provide penalties for escapees when so employed.
15. To enact legislation prohibiting inciting or attempting to incite or aid in inciting or insurrection or sedition and prohibiting the teaching or advocating of disloyalty to the national government or opposition to the state government and prohibiting interfering with or discouraging appropriation for national or state defense and enacting such other legislation as will protect our citizens during the time of war and providing penalties therefor.
16. To amend Section 4607A of the statutes so as to permit the manufacture and sale of skimmed milk cheese, providing the same shall be made in form or form that is in neither appearance nor shape resemble full cream cheese.
17. To amend Section 235 of the laws of 1917.
He asks for the repeal of section 1728A-11 of the statutes which, he says, is obsolete as a labor law and has been superseded. This provision relates to minors who cannot read the English language.
Chapter 235 of the laws of 1917, which he would amend, relates to social diseases. The governor would strengthen this statute upon advice of the medical profession of the state.

Few Want to Wed. Green Bay—Only two applications for marriage licenses have been made in Brown county since Jan. 1 when the new marriage law went into effect, according to County Clerk R. B. Vickery.

Plenty of Boys for Farm Work. Madison—It is estimated that there are 125,000 boys between the ages of 15 and 20 in the state of Wisconsin who can be used the coming year in farm labor work.

FIRE AT INDIANAPOLIS

FIRMS WORKING ON WAR CONTRACTS SUFFER \$1,000,000 LOSS.

STARTED BY AN INCENDIARY?

Four-Story Industrial Building, Six Dwellings, Church and Other Structures Destroyed—Firemen Handicapped by Cold.

Indianapolis, Jan. 15.—Fire, believed to have been started by an incendiary, probably an alien enemy, on Sunday night razed the four-story industrial building, occupying the entire block bounded by Tenth, Eleventh and Fayette street and the canal, and periled the entire district bounded by Tenth street on the south, the canal on the west, Fall creek on the north and Illinois street.

The property loss is estimated at more than \$1,000,000, but, in spite of the fact that six dwellings, a church, a grocery and a saloon were also destroyed, it is believed that no lives were lost.

Thirty manufacturing firms have establishments in the industrial building, and the fact that many of them are engaged in making machines and supplies, under war contracts, for the government leads the authorities to believe that the fire was started by an alien enemy.

Fire Chief Loucks is of the opinion that the blaze was of incendiary origin and federal agents and the city police are proceeding on this theory.

The flames appeared to break out simultaneously in two widely separated parts of the structure. Fanned by a gale that swept from the southwest, the flames spread with such rapidity that the 31 companies—Indianapolis' entire equipment—had to struggle desperately to save adjacent blocks to the north and east.

The firemen were handicapped in their work by the zero weather. In order to augment the water supply Chief Loucks had holes cut in the ice of the canal, and was thus able to get additional streams.

Falling walls placed the fire fighters in danger and cut line after line of hose. The rapidity with which the fire spread was explained by the fact that the automatic sprinkler system, with which the building was equipped throughout, had been shut off in all but the southwest corner. In a small section of the plant only did the sprinklers work.

So quickly did the fire spread that it was impossible to save the contents of the factories in the industrial building. It was estimated that fully \$400,000 worth of new automobiles were stored in the basement.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 15.—The Hawkins block, a six-story office building in the business district, was destroyed and two other big buildings adjoining were being swept by a fire of undetermined origin on Sunday night. Almost impassable drifts of snow impeded the firemen in their efforts to control the flames.

SENATOR J. H. BRADY IS DEAD

Lawmaker From Idaho Dies at Washington of Heart Disease After Brief Illness.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Senator James H. Brady of Idaho died at his home here on Sunday of heart disease. He suffered an acute attack a week ago when on his way to Washington from Idaho and had been in a critical state since. Senator Brady was born in Pennsylvania June 12, 1862. He was educated in Kansas public schools and at Normal college, Leavenworth, Kan. He taught school for three years, and edited a newspaper for two years. He was elected governor of Idaho in 1908, and to the United States senate as a Republican in 1913. He was re-elected senator by popular vote in 1914, and his term would have expired March 23, 1921.

100 DIE ON BRITISH WARSHIP

Destroyer Racon Founders During Snowstorm Off Ireland and Most of Crew Perish.

London, Jan. 15.—H. M. S. Racon, a destroyer, foundered and was lost with all aboard—said to be nearly 100 men—off the north coast of Ireland, an admiralty statement announced. The statement says: "H. M. S. Racon, Lieut. George Napier in command, struck on the rocks off the north coast of Ireland at two o'clock in the morning during a snowstorm and subsequently foundered with all hands. "Nine of the crew had been left behind at her last port of call and these are the sole survivors. Seventeen bodies have been picked up."

"Marquis" Held as Spy. New York, Jan. 15.—Charged with violating the espionage act, a man describing himself as Marquis Edmond Rousset de Castillon, born in France thirty years old, was arrested at his home here.

Choate's Estate Valued at \$4,629,879. New York, Jan. 15.—The late Joseph R. Choate's estate is valued at \$4,629,879, in a report filed in surrogate court here. Thirty-seven relatives, friends and employees are beneficiaries.

HIS TREASURE CHEST



URNS ON CRITICS SUFFRAGE BILL WINS

SECRETARY BAKER MAKES DE-TAILED STATEMENT.

Declares American Democracy Has Neither Blundered Nor Hesitated in War Organization.

Washington, Jan. 11.—America now has in France an army of "substantial size, ready for active service, Secretary Baker told the senate war investigating committee.

Arms of the most modern and effective kind, he declares, have been provided for every soldier in France and are available for every fighting man who can be sent to France in 1918.

An army of nearly 1,500,000 men, enlisted and selected, is now in the field or in training at home and abroad, he said.

The substance of the army, he asserted, has been above criticism, while its initial clothing supply temporarily inadequate, is now substantially complete.

In summing up the war department's work the secretary gave the following as its chief accomplishments:

- "1. A large army in the field and in training; so large that further increments to it can be adequately equipped and trained as rapidly as those already in training can be transported.
"2. The army has been enlisted and selected without serious dislocation of the industries of the country.
"3. The training of the army is proceeding rapidly, and its spirit is high. Artillery, machine guns, automatic rifles and small arms have been provided by manufacturers or purchased for every soldier in France, and are available for every soldier who can be sent to France in the year 1918.
"4. A substantial army is already in France, where both men and officers have been additionally and specially trained and are ready for active service.
"5. Independent lines of communication and supplies and vast storage and other facilities are in process of construction in France.
"6. Great program for the manufacture of additional equipment and for the production of new instruments of war have been formulated.
"7. No army of similar size in the history of the world has been raised, equipped or trained so quickly. No such provision has ever been made for the comfort, health and general well-being of an army," declared the secretary.

DRIVE HUNS FROM MOUNTAIN

Retreating Invaders Caught Under Fire of Italian Troops and Suffer Severe Losses.

Rome, Jan. 14.—Austro-German forces were forced to evacuate some trench sections near Cavussehurlina on the Italian mountain front, the war office announced. The retreating Germans were caught under the Italian fire and suffered considerable losses.

U. S. to Control All Oil.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The government is preparing to take control of the oil supply under the fuel administration. A man has been selected to take charge, and his name will be made public with the announcement of the government's decision.

German Raider in Pacific.

Tokyo, Jan. 15.—Another German raider is loose in the Pacific, according to the report of an officer of a Dutch merchant ship. The officer said that the Japanese ship Himeki Haru was captured by Germans.

Seventy-Four Saved From Steamer.

Havana, Jan. 15.—Twenty-four passengers aboard the Peninsular and Oriental steamer Oliveette were rescued on Saturday after their ship had stranded 100 feet off shore eight miles from Havana.

Girl Slays Alleged Thief.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 14.—Mabel Drummer shot and instantly killed E. J. Orr, an alleged hoodlum man, who attempted to rob the P. McCoy Fuel company, where Miss Drummer was in the office.

100,000 Planes a Dream, Says Coffin.

Washington, Jan. 14.—The plan to build 100,000 American airplanes within a year is only a dream, Chairman Howard Coffin of the aircraft production board admitted. He said it was impossible.

KAISER VOIDS OFFER

NONACCEPTANCE OF PEACE TERMS BY ALLIES KILLS RUSS DOCUMENT.

SPIRIT OF ARMISTICE BROKEN

German General Objects to Appeals Sent by Russians to Germans—Trotzky Adjourns Meet to Prepare Russ Reply.

Amsterdam, Jan. 14.—The central powers have withdrawn their peace terms made public at the Brest-Litovsk conference on December 25, it was announced by Dr. von Kuehlmann, the German foreign secretary in his speech at the Brest-Litovsk conference with the Russians on Thursday.

Owing to the nonacceptance by all the enemy powers of those terms, Dr. von Kuehlmann stated, that document had "become null and void."

In the name of the German chief command, General Hoffmann protested most strongly against wireless messages sent out from Russian military stations, containing abuse of the German military institutions and appeals of a revolutionary character to the German troops.

This, he said, transgressed the spirit of the armistice. Representatives of the armies of Germany's allies joined in the protest.

At the proposal of Leon Trotzky, head of the Russian delegation, the sitting was adjourned.

M. Trotzky said he requested adjournment in order that the Russian reply to the Austro-German declarations might be prepared.

The next sitting was fixed for eleven o'clock Friday morning. It was agreed that the Russian and Ukrainian replies would be read at that time.

Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, at a full sitting of the peace conference at Brest-Litovsk on Thursday said that as Russia's allies had not replied to the invitation to participate in the negotiations, it was now a question of a separate peace between Russia and the central powers.

EX-POLICE CHIEF ACQUITTED

Charles C. Healey and Two Others Found Not Guilty of Graft Charges by Jury at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Charles C. Healey, former chief of police, was found not guilty of charges of graft and bribery by a jury in Judge Sabath's court. There were three ballots, the first two standing 10 to 2 for acquittal. Detective Sergeant Stephen J. Barry and William R. Skidmore, saloonkeeper, who were tried with Healey on charges of conspiracy to collect graft from the underworld, also were acquitted.

This dramatic end to the most sensational police graft prosecution in Chicago's history came at 9:05 o'clock Saturday night. The jury reached a verdict after five hours, twenty-four minutes of deliberating.

The jurors by their verdict indicated that they believed the accusations of the defense that the charges against the accused men were the result of a "frame-up."

NEUTRALS NEED NOT FIGHT

Subjects of Neutral Countries Free From Draft, Although Have Taken First Papers.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Citizens or subjects of European neutral countries, regardless of whether they have taken out first papers for American citizenship, will be freed from liability to military service in the United States if they appeal through their diplomatic representatives here.

Minister Sulzer of Switzerland on Friday reached an agreement with the state department whereby Swiss already drafted, and in some instances actually serving in the army, shall be discharged if they desire, upon proof of their Swiss citizenship.

Similar arrangements may be made by other neutral representatives, and the war department has signified its willingness to co-operate in securing the quick discharge of drafted aliens entitled to release.

WARNS OF COAL SHORTAGE

Fuel Administrator Says That Unless Rigid Economy Is Put Into Effect Severe Suffering Will Result.

Washington, Jan. 14.—With two months of severe cold weather ahead, the country faces a coal shortage of 38,000,000 tons, according to estimates announced on Friday night by Fuel Administrator Garfield. At the same time he gave a solemn warning that unless universal and rigid economy is put into effect at once severe suffering will ensue.

Thirteen Indian Boys Perish in Fire.

Marble City, Okla., Jan. 15.—Thirteen Indian boys, ranging in age from nine to seventeen years, lost their lives in a fire that destroyed the boys' dormitory of the Dwight Indian Mission school near here on Saturday.

U. S. to Build Powder Plant.

Washington, Jan. 15.—A government powder plant to cost \$60,000,000, and to employ about 15,000 men is to be established by the war department on the Cumberland river about 12 miles from Nashville, Tenn.

MARKETS

Milwaukee, Jan. 16, 1918. Butter—Creamery, extra, 4 1/2 @ 5.00; prints, 50 @ 51c; firsts, 44 @ 47c; seconds, 38 @ 42c; process, 39 @ 40c; dairy, fancy, 45c.

Cheese—American, full cream, twins, 24c; daisies, 25 1/2 @ 26c; long-horns, 27 1/2 @ 28c; brick, fancy, 28 @ 30c.

Eggs—Current receipts, fresh as to quality, 54c; dirties, seconds, 32 @ 40c; checks, 30c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, fancy, 22 @ 23c; roosters, old, 16c; spring chickens, 23c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.70 @ 1.75. Oats—No. 3 white, 82 @ 83c; standard, 83 @ 83 1/2c; No. 4 white, 81 @ 82c.

Rye—No. 2, 1.85 @ 1.86; No. 3, 1.81 @ 1.85.

Barley—Choice, Wisconsin and Eastern Iowa, 1.49 @ 1.57; Minnesota, Western Iowa and Dakota, 1.49 @ 1.57.

Hay—Choice timothy, 28.00 @ 28.50; No. 1 timothy, 26.50 @ 27.00; No. 2 timothy, 23.00 @ 24.50; rye straw, 10.50 @ 11.50.

Potatoes—Minnesota or Wisconsin, red or white stock, on track, sacked, 1.65 @ 1.75; homegrown, out of store, 1.85 @ 2.00.

Hogs—Prime heavy butchers, 16.40 @ 16.50; fair to prime light, 15.75 @ 16.10; pigs, 11.00 @ 14.75.

Cattle—Steers, 8.50 @ 13.00; feeders, 8.75 @ 10.00; cows, 5.75 @ 10.00; heifers, 6.50 @ 10.00; calves, 13.75 @ 15.00.

Minneapolis, Jan. 16, 1918. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 1.85 @ 1.88.

Oats—No. 3 white, 78 @ 79c. Rye—1.87 @ 1.88.

Flax—3.58 @ 3.61.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Table with columns for Open, High, Low, Close and various grain and provision prices for Chicago, Jan. 16.

Wheat—The United States administration four standards are as follows: Spring wheat, in June, \$10.10; special brands, \$10.70 per bu. 94 lb. sack basis; hard winter, in June, \$10.00; soft winter, in June, \$10.00; white rye, \$5.50; dark rye, \$5.00.

HAY—Choice timothy, \$28.00 @ 28.50. No. 1 timothy, \$26.50 @ 27.00. No. 2 timothy, \$23.00 @ 24.50. Rye straw, \$10.50 @ 11.50.

Butter—Creamery extras, 48c; extra firsts, 47 1/2 @ 47c; firsts, 46 1/2 @ 47c; seconds, 45 1/2 @ 46c; process, 44 1/2 @ 45c; packing stock, 34 1/2 @ 35c.

Eggs—Fresh firsts, 54 @ 55c; ordinary firsts, 52 @ 53c; miscellaneous lots, cases included, 48 @ 50c; cases returned, 45 @ 47c; checks, candled, 38 @ 40c; dirties, candled, 35 @ 37c; extras, 44 @ 46c; refrigerator stock, 41 @ 43c; country stores, 40 @ 41c.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, 24c; fowls, 20 @ 22c; roosters, 17c; spring chickens, 22c; ducks, 23 @ 25c; geese, 19 @ 21c.

DRESSED POULTRY—Turkeys, 22 @ 24c; chickens, 20 @ 22c; roosters, 17 @ 19c; ducks, 24 @ 26c; geese, 20c.

PORK—Wisconsin white, \$18.50. POATOS—Minnesota early Ohio, \$1.80 per 100 lb. Minnesota early Ohio, \$1.90 @ 2.00 per 100 lb.

CATTLE—Good to choice steers, \$10.00 @ 14.00; yearlings, good to choice, \$9.00 @ 12.50; stockers and feeders, \$7.50 @ 10.00; good to choice cows, \$7.00 @ 9.50; good to choice heifers, \$7.00 @ 9.50; fair to good cows, \$6.00 @ 8.50; canners, \$5.00 @ 6.00; cutters, \$4.00 @ 4.50; belona bulls, \$7.00 @ 8.00; butcher bulls, \$5.50 @ 6.50; heavy calves, \$5.50 @ 6.50; veal calves, \$12.00 @ 13.75.

HOGS—Prime light butchers, \$16.25 @ 16.50; fair to fancy light, \$16.10 @ 16.25; medium weight butchers, \$16.00 @ 16.50; heavy weight butchers, \$16.00 @ 16.50; rough heavy packing, \$16.00 @ 16.50; pigs, fair to good, \$13.00 @ 14.33; stags, 14.00 @ 15.75.

SHEEP—Good to choice wethers, \$11.00 @ 13.50; good to choice ewes, \$10.00 @ 12.50; yearlings, \$12.50 @ 15.00; western lambs, good to choice, \$14.50 @ 18.00; native lambs, good to choice, \$16.00 @ 17.75; feeding lambs, \$15.00 @ 18.25; goats, \$6.00 @ 8.25.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 16. CATTLE—Receipts, 50; steady. CALVES—Receipts, 50; strong; \$7.00 @ 17.50.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,800; pigs steady; others easier; heavy, \$17.00 @ 17.75; mixed and Yorkers, \$15.00 @ 17.00; light Yorkers, \$16.00 @ 18.75; pigs, \$16.25 @ 18.50; receipts, \$18.00 @ 18.50; \$14.00 @ 15.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,400; active and strong; lambs, \$13.00 @ 16.00; yearlings, \$12.00 @ 15.00; wethers, \$13.00 @ 15.75; ewes, \$6.00 @ 12.50; mixed sheep, \$12.00 @ 15.75.

Concord—Frederick L. Small, the former Boston broker, was executed by hanging at the state prison for the murder at Ossipee in September, 1916, of his wife, Florence Arlene Small.

Washington—An American trawler, operating in European waters, struck a rock and was lost, but all aboard were saved, the navy department has announced.

London—Between 420,000 and 450,000 troops must be raised at once in this country, Sir Auckland Geddes, minister of national service, told the house of commons.

Washington—The American Red Cross has appropriated \$4,771,990 for military and civilian relief in Italy for the seven month period beginning last Nov. 1.

Amsterdam—The Bavarian legislature has ordered the closing of crematories on account of the scarcity of coal.

Kansas City—George E. Rice, 40, and married, president of the Rice Livestock Commission company, is missing and his accounts are short \$12,000, it was announced by L. A. Lemmon, president of the Livestock Exchange.

Syracuse—The costly court house of Onondaga county was damaged by a fire of mysterious origin. It is believed the blaze was the result of a plot to destroy the building.

An Atlantic Port—Plans were announced here for the sending of 400,000 bushels of oats from this port to France within a short time.

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# King of the Khyber Rifles

A Romance of Adventure  
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## CHAPTER XXI—Continued.

But out of the corner of his eye, and once or twice by looking back deliberately, King saw that Ismail was taking the members of his new band one by one and whispering to them. What he said was a mystery, but as they talked each man looked at King. And the more they talked the better pleased they seemed. And as the day wore on the more deferential they grew. By midday if King wanted to dismount there were three at least to hold his stirrup and ten to help him mount again.

Four thousand men with women and children and baggage do not move so swiftly as one man or a dozen, especially in the "Hills," where discipline is reckoned beneath a proud man's honor. There were many miles to go before Khyber, when night fell and the mullah bade them camp. He bade them camp because they would have done it otherwise in any case.

When the evening meal was eaten, and sentries had been set at every vantage point, there came another order from the mullah. The women and children were to be left in camp next dawn, and to remain there until sent for. There was murmuring at that around the camp, and especially among King's contingent. But King laughed. "It is good!" he said.

"Why? How so?" they asked him. "Bid your women make for the Khyber soon after the mullah marches tomorrow. Bid them travel down the Khyber until we and they meet!"

"But—" "Please yourselves, sahibs!" The hakim's air was one of supremest indifference. "As for me, I leave no women behind me in the mountains. I am content."

They murmured a while, but they gave the orders to their women, and King watched the women nod.

Even as Yasmin had tested him and tried him before tempting him at last, she must be watching him now, for even the East repeats itself. She had sent Ismail for that purpose. It was likely that her course would depend on his. If he failed, she was done with him. If he succeeded in establishing a strong position of his own, she would yield. With or without Ismail's aid, with or without his enmity, he must control his eighty men and give the slip to the mullah, and he went at once about the best way to do both.

## CHAPTER XXII.

"Whither?" one whispered to King. "To Khyber!" he answered; and that was enough. Each whispered to the other, and they all became fired with curiosity more potent than money bribes.

When he halted at last and dismounted and sat down and the stragglers caught up, panting, they held a council of war all together, with Ismail sitting at King's back and leaning a chin on his shoulder in order to hear better. Bone pressed on bone, and the place grew numb; King shook him off a dozen times, but each time Ismail set his chin back on the same spot, as a dog will that listens to his master. Yet he insisted he was her man, and not King's.

"Now, ye men of the 'Hills,'" said King, "listen to me who am political-offender - with - reward - for - capture-offered!" That was a gem of a title. It fired their imaginations. "I know things that no soldier would find out in a thousand years, and I will tell you some of what I know."

getting even by condemning the lot of them to death. "An eye for the risk of an eye!" say the unforgiving "Hills."

"If one of us should go back into his camp now he would be tortured. Be sure of that!"

Breathing deeply in the darkness, they nodded, as if the dark had eyes. Ismail's chin drove a fraction deeper into his shoulder.

"Now ye know—for all men know—that the entrance into Khyber caves is free to any man who can tell a lie without flinching. It is the way out again that is not free. How many men do ye know that have entered and never returned?"

They all nodded again. It was common knowledge that Khyber was a very graveyard of the presumptuous. "She has set a trap for the mullah. She will let him and all his men enter and will never let them out again!"

"How knowest thou?" This from two men, one on either hand.

"Was I never in Khyber caves?" he retorted. "Whence came I? I am her man, sent to help trap the mullah! I would have trapped all of you, but for being weary of these 'Hills' and wishing to go back to India and be pardoned! That is who I am! That is how I know!"

"And what does she intend?" King asked him suddenly.

"She? Ask Allah, who put the spirit in her! How should I know?"

"We will march again, my brothers!" King cried, and they streamed along behind him, now with no advance guard, but with the Orakzal Pathan striding beside King's horse, with a great hand on the saddle. Like the others, he seemed decided in his mind that the hakim ought not to be allowed much chance to escape.

Just as the dawn was tinting the surrounding peaks with softest rose they topped a ridge, and Khyber lay below them across the mile-wide bonedry valley. And while they watched, and the Khyber men were beginning to murmur (for they needed no last view of the place to satisfy any longings!) none else than Ismail rose from behind a rock and came to King's stirrup. He tugged and King backed his horse until they stood together apart.

"She sends this message," said Ismail, showing his teeth in the most peculiar grin that surely the "Hills" ever witnessed. "Many of her men, who have never been in the army, are none the less true to her, and she will not leave them to the mullah's mercy. They will leave the caves in a little while, and will come up here. They are to go down into India and be made prisoners if the sarkar will not caress them. You are to wait for them here."

"Is that all her message?" King asked him.

"Nay, That is none of it! This is her message: THOU SHALT KNOW THIS DAY, THOU ENGLISHMAN, WHETHER OR NOT SHE TRULY LOVED THEE! THERE SHALL BE PROOF SUCH AS EVEN THOU SHALT UNDERSTAND!"

Ismail slipped away and lost himself among the men, and none of them seemed to notice that he had been away and had come again. It was a little more than an hour after dawn and the chilled rocks were beginning to grow warmer when the head of a procession came out of Khyber gate and started toward them over the valley. In all more than five hundred men emerged and about a hundred women and children. Then:

"Muhammad Anim comes!" shouted a voice from a crag top.

They snuggled into better hiding, and there was no thought now of leaving before the mullah should go by. It needed an effort to quiet them when the mullah rose into view at last above the rise and paused for a minute to stare across at Khyber before leading his four thousand down and onward. He was silent as an image, but his men roared like a river in flood and he made no effort to check them.

He dismounted, for he had to, and tossed his reins to the nearest man with the air of an emperor. And he led the way down the cliffside without hesitation, striding like a mountaineer. His men followed him noisily.

It was thirty minutes after the last of the mullah's men had vanished through the gate, and his own men in dozens and twenties were scattered

more on the path below missed her footing and fell a dozen feet, only to get up again and scramble as if a thousand devils were behind her, the Rangar riding her grimly, like a jockey in a race. Three more shocks followed. A great slice of Khyber suddenly caved in with a roar, and smoke and dust burst upward through the tumbling crust.

There was a pause after that, as if the waiting elements were gathering strength. For ten minutes they watched and scarcely breathed. Rewa Gunza gained the summit and dismounting, stood by King with the reins over his arm. The mare was too blown to do anything but stand and tremble. And King was too enthralled to do anything but stare.

"That is what a woman can do for a man!" said Rewa Gunza grimly. "She set a fuse and exploded all the dynamite. There were tons of it! The galleries must have fallen in, one on the other! A thousand men digging for a thousand years could never get into Khyber now, and the only way out is down Earth's Drink! She bade me come and bid you goodbye, sahib. I would have stayed in there, but she commanded me. She said, 'Tell King sahib my love was true. Tell him I give him India and all Asia that were in my mercy!'"

While the Rangar spoke there came three more earth tremors in swift succession, and a thunder out of Khyber as if the very "Hills" were coming to an end. The mare grew frantic and the Rangar summoned six men to hold her.

Suddenly, right over the top of Khyber's upper rim, where only the eagles ever perched, there burst a column of water, immeasurable, huge, that for a moment blotted out the sun. It rose sheer upward, curved on itself, and fell in a million-ton deluge on to Khyber and into Khyber valley, hissing and roaring and thundering.

Earth's Drink had been blocked by the explosion and had found a new way over the barrier before plunging down again into the bowels of the world. The one sky-dung leap it made as its weight burst down a mountain wall was enough to blot out Khyber forever, and what had been a dry, mile-wide moat was a shallow lake with death's rack and rubbish floating on the surface.

The earth rocked. King was up on his feet in a second and faced about. The Rangar laughed.

"So ends the 'Heart of the Hills!'" he said. "Think kindly of her, sahib. She thought well enough of you!"

He laughed again and sprang on the black mare, and before King could speak or raise a hand to stop him he was off at wondrous speed along the precipice in the direction of the Khyber pass and India. Two of the men who had come out of Khyber mounted and spurred after him.

## CHAPTER XXIII.

They reached the Khyber famished and were fed at All Masjid fort, after King had given a certain password and had whispered to the officer commanding. But he did not change into European clothes yet, and none of his following suspected him of being an Englishman.

"A Rangar on a black mare has gone down the pass ahead of you to a hurry," they told him at All Masjid. "He had two men with him and food enough. Gaily stopped long enough to make his business known."

"What did he say his business is?" asked King.

"He gave a sign and said a word that satisfied us on that point!"



"Thou Shalt Know This Day, Thou Englishman, Whether or Not She Truly Loves Thee."

along the cliff-top arguing against delay with growing rancor, when a lone horseman galloped out of Khyber gate and started across the valley. He rode recklessly. He was either panic-stricken or else bolder than the devil. In a minute King had recognized the mare, and so had the eyes of fifty men around him. No man with half an eye for a horse could have failed to recognize that black mare, having ever seen her once. In another two minutes King had recognized the Rangar's silken turban.

assured him that, ridiculous though it sounded, the British were actually willing to forgive their enemies and to pardon all deserters who applied for pardon on condition of good faith in the future.

That they prayed to Allah like little children lost and found. The woman crooned love-songs to their babies over the clear fires and the men talked—and talked—and talked until the stars grew big as moons to weary eyes and they slept at last, to dream of khaki uniforms and karnel sahibs who knew neither fear nor favor and who said things that were so. It is a mad world to the Himalayan hillman where men in authority tell truth unadorned without shame and without consideration—a mad, mad world, and perhaps too exotic to be wholesome, but pleasant while the dream lasts.

Over in the fort Courtenay placed a bath at King's disposal and lent him clean clothes and a razor. But he was not very cordial.

"Tell me all the war news!" said King, splashing in the tub. And Courtenay told him, passing him another cake of soap when the first was finished. After all, there was not much to tell—butchery in Belgium—Huns and guns—and the everlastingly glorious stand that saved Paris and France and Europe.

"According to the cables our men are going the records one better. I think that's all," said Courtenay.

"Then why the stiffness?" asked King. "Why am I talked to at the end of a tube, so to speak?"

"You're under arrest!" said Courtenay.

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He Said He Was Nearly Sure He Heard Weeping.

threw most doubt on the sentry's tale about the golden hair. But, as the sentry said, no doubt Partan Singh was jealous.

There is no doubt whatever that the general went back to Peshawar in the train at eight o'clock and that the Rangar went with him in a separate compartment with about a dozen hillmen chosen from among those who had come down with King.

And it is certain that before they went King had a talk with the Rangar in a room alone, of which conversation, however, the sentry reported afterward that he did not overhear one word; and he had to go to the doctor with a cold in his ear at that. He said he was nearly sure he heard weeping. But on the other hand, those who saw both of them come out were certain that both were smiling.

It is quite certain that Athelstan King went up the Khyber again, for the official records say so, and they never lie, especially in time of war. He rode a coal-black mare, and Courtenay called him "Chikki"—a "lifter."

Some say the Rangar went to Delhi. Some say Yasmin is in Delhi. Some say no. But it is quite certain that before he started up the Khyber King showed Courtenay a great gold bracelet that he had under his sleeve. Five men saw him do it.

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### ELMORE

Peter Becker was a caller here Wednesday.  
 John F. Schrauth is harvesting his ice this week.  
 J. C. Sonn spent a few days in Campbellsport.  
 Andrew Beisbier of St. Kilian called in our burg Tuesday.  
 George Theisen of Campbellsport was a village caller Tuesday.  
 John F. Schrauth was a business caller at West Bend Monday.  
 John Schrauth called on his mother, Mrs. J. A. Schrauth at Kewaskum.  
 Miss Viola Backhaus is employed at Mike Gantenbein Jr.'s for some time.  
 Duncan Buddenhagen and Victor Haessly spent Thursday at Fond du Lac.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Backhaus spent Tuesday evening with Wm. Geidel and family.  
 Misses Olive and Adella Schrauth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Weis and family.  
 John Volm and wife attended the funeral of the former's cousin at St. Bridget's last Monday.  
 Mrs. Max H. Hagenah from Rhode Island is spending a few weeks here with the J. F. Schrauth family.  
 Alfred and Franklin Geidel and sisters Nora and Ella, and Frank Becker were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Backhaus Sunday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Backhaus, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Geidel and daughters Ella and Oleida spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Breseman near Wayne.

### WAYNE

Chas. Brandt of Kewaskum called in our burg Wednesday.  
 Mr. Bingen of St. Anthony called on the Jacob Hawig family Monday.  
 Peter Heisler local cheese maker visited Sunday with his parents and other friends in St. Kilian.  
 On account of the severe snow storm the forepart of this week the local mail carriers were unable to cover their routes.  
 Henry Schmidt Sr., son John and daughter Alice and Fred Borchert and family attended the funeral of Herman Marose at Knowles Wednesday.  
 Fred Borchert and family and Alice Schmidt spent the latter part of last week and the first part of this week with relatives and friends in Milwaukee.

### CASCADE

Mrs. P. Doherty and son Johnnie were Waldo callers Tuesday.  
 Owing to the blizzard no services were held in the church here on Sunday.  
 Miss Grace Hoyue left this week for Delafeld, where she will spend some time.  
 Mrs. Geo. Murphy of Granton, Wis., is visiting her parents and other relatives here.  
 Mrs. Elizabeth Peterson is spending a few days in Plymouth with her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Lammers.  
 H. J. Darneider, cashier of the local bank was in Sheboygan and Milwaukee from Friday until Monday.  
 H. Zimmerman has a force of men at work at Lake Ellen filling the large new ice house he recently completed.  
 Oswald Halbath left this week for Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, where he will enter a training school preparatory for Uncle Sam's aviation corps.  
 Rex, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Nimmemann is on the sick list. Miss Bertha Nimmemann of Milwaukee, who is a trained nurse, is here, assisting in caring for the little fellow.  
 Owing to the severe storm we have had very irregular mail service the past week. Carrier Kramer made the trip twice on foot, while the rural carriers have not been able to complete their entire trip since the first big storm a week ago Sunday.  
 Mrs. Alice Snow and daughter Frances who have spent several months here with Mrs. Elizabeth Skelton, left Tuesday afternoon for their home in Los Angeles, Cal. The pupils of the Cascade school entertained Miss Frances at a farewell party at the school house Monday evening.  
 A local branch of the Red Cross Society was organized here Wednesday evening. Considering the condition of the roads, a goodly number were present. Officers were elected as follows: President—Mrs. Hoffmann; Vice President—Mrs. G. C. Amberling; Secretary—Mrs. G. D. Vincent; Treasurer—Mrs. N. A. Bradley; Mrs. A. P. Croghan was chosen as the fifth member of the executive committee. Supplies will undoubtedly soon be here so that those who wish to do so may begin work.

### KOHLVILLE

Miss Selma Endlich is visiting relatives at West Bend at present.  
 Mail routes were not covered here on Saturday on account of the severe snow storm.  
 There was no school here on Monday in Dist. No. 8, on account of the teacher being ill.  
 Miss Amanda Endlich left for Milwaukee on Wednesday, where she intends to stay for some time.  
 Some of our members attended the Allenton-Kohlville telephone meeting at Allenton on Tuesday.  
 Some of our young people attended the dance at Allenton on Wednesday evening. All reported a good time.  
 The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Block is seriously ill with pneumonia. We all hope for a speedy recovery.

### Washing the Hoos.

Into a warm full of company rushed Donald, soaking wet from head to feet. "Why, Donald!" exclaimed his astonished mother, "where have you been?" "I been," gulped Donald. "I been washin' the hoos!"

### NEW PROSPECT

Edgar Bowen of Dundee was a village caller Monday.  
 John Krueger made a business trip to Campbellsport Tuesday.  
 August Bartlett put up his supply of ice for the summer Friday.  
 The public school opened Wednesday after a three weeks' vacation.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Butzke spent Tuesday with relatives at Beechwood.  
 Joe. Ewald and George Thayer of Dundee were here on business Tuesday.  
 Herman and August Jandre made a business trip to Kewaskum Wednesday.  
 Town Treasurer Chas. Bleck collected taxes at John Tunn's place Wednesday.  
 Herman Molkenthine and A. Vangilder drove to Dundee on business last Tuesday.  
 Miss Clara Rinzel of St. Mathias spent the past week with John Rinzel and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Meyer and Mrs. J. P. Uelmen were to Kewaskum on Wednesday.  
 G. M. Romaine and son Edgar transacted business at Kewaskum on Wednesday.  
 Aug. Stern and sons Clarence and George made a business trip to Dundee Monday.  
 Peter Krenn and Gust. Fitter of Waucoista spent Thursday with John Tunn and family.  
 Miss Coral Romaine left for Fond du Lac for an extended visit with relatives and friends.  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Rinzel and children were the guests of Nic. Hammes and family at St. Mathias Tuesday.  
 Miss Helen Treleven returned from Fond du Lac Tuesday after spending three weeks with her parents and friends.  
 Wm. Martin, our mail carrier was unable to cover his route Saturday on account of the drifted condition of the roads.

### It Can't Be Done.

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### BATAVIA

Mrs. H. W. Leifer and daughter Elaine spent Thursday at H. Hintz's.  
 Mrs. Robert Ludwig was a business caller at Milwaukee Thursday.  
 Mrs. Bertha Schilling and daughter Elda were business callers at Milwaukee Friday.  
 A bouncing baby boy arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Wagner Thursday.  
 Miss Thekla Leifer is able to be out again, after suffering several weeks with a severe cold.  
 Miss Rosa Liebenstein and Maudie Klein and Thekla Leifer spent Monday afternoon at H. F. Holtz's.  
 The local branch of the Red Cross association organized here Thursday evening at the school house with 19 in the roll call. Officers were elected as follows: President—Mrs. E. Benis; Treasurer—Mrs. Rob. Donath; Secretary—Miss Nora Fitzpatrick; Assistants—Mrs. G. A. Leifer, Mrs. Fred Held and Miss Ida Liebenstein.  
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- Private Walter Schaefer, Co. C 107th Field Sig. Bat., Camp Mac Arthur, Waco, Texas.
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—Fred Kempf had a wood cutting bee Friday.

—Fred Andrae spent Friday at Campbellsport.

—O. E. Lay transacted business at West Bend Friday.

—Mrs. Val. Peters was a visitor at Milwaukee Monday.

—Miss Edna Schmidt left for Lake Forest Wednesday.

—Wm. P. Hamm of Milwaukee spent Thursday here.

—Miss Irene Peters was among the visitors at Milwaukee Monday.

—L. P. Rosenheimer transacted business at Chicago Wednesday.

—Miss Elizabeth Korner of Fond du Lac called on friends here Monday.

—D. M. Rosenheimer was a Milwaukee business caller Wednesday.

—Mrs. Dahl and daughter of Milwaukee were visitors here Tuesday.

—Victor Hustling of Milwaukee was a business caller here Thursday.

—Miss Adela Gotsleben spent Wednesday evening with friends at West Bend.

—Robt. Ramthun was a business caller at West Bend Thursday and Friday.

—Arthur Schaefer and P. J. Haug were West Bend callers Tuesday afternoon.

—Dr. N. Edw. Hausmann was a professional caller at Fond du Lac Monday.

—Closing out regular 3 to 10 cent laces, at 1 cent per yard, at L. Rosenheimer's.

—Misses Hattie Belger and Theresa Raether were Milwaukee visitors Tuesday.

—Mrs. L. P. Rosenheimer was a guest of relatives at Milwaukee on Wednesday.

—E. Romaine and Frank Kaas transacted business at West Bend on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Fred Belger left for Sheboygan Monday to attend the funeral of a friend.

—W. O. Meilaha of Milwaukee spent the latter part of last week with his parents.

—Odd trimmings regular 10 to 35 cent sellers at 10 cents per yard at L. Rosenheimer's.

—A number from here attended the auto show in the Auditorium at Milwaukee this week.

—Wm. Foerster of Wayne boarded the train here for Milwaukee on Thursday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ramthun visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Krahn on Thursday and Friday.

—Arnold Krahn, who visited two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. H. Krahn, returned home Friday.

—Frank Hilmes spent several days of this week with relatives and friends at Campbellsport.

—Jos. Honeck of Milwaukee spent a few days the forepart of the week with friends in the village.

—Governor Philipp has called a special session of the legislature to convene on February 19th.

—The new milk condensery at West Bend is nearing completion and will be ready to operate shortly.

—Albert Opgenorth assisted in the mason work on the new milk condensery at West Bend this week.

—N. W. Rosenheimer left Wednesday morning for Milwaukee, where he spent the day on business.

**FOR SALE—One Peninsular Range, good as new.—Dr. N. Hausmann.**

—Mrs. Fred Belger spent a few days this week with her daughter, Mrs. Gust. Krueger at Campbellsport.

—Herman Lawrenz and Chas. Garbisch of the town of Scott visited with Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrenz last Friday.

—The Misses Manilla Klessig and Lydia Guth of the Milwaukee Normal visited their parents Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schaefer, Al. Terlinden and Jos. Eborle were among those who spent Thursday at Milwaukee.

—The dance to be held at the Opera House on Sunday evening, January 20th, promises to be a hummer. Do not miss it.

—The fourth of a series of Sectional teachers' meetings will be held today, Saturday, January 19th, at the Barton school house.

**NOTICE—**I have opened a shoe repair shop at New Fane, Wis., and am ready to do all kinds of repair work. Give me a trial. —Fred Manske.

—Don't forget to attend the dance at the Opera House on Sunday evening, January 20. Music by the Kewaskum Quintette.

—Herman Siedlow of Farmer, N. D., is spending a few weeks with the Robt. Falk family and other relatives and friends in this vicinity.

**FOR SALE—**One Bay Mare, weighing 1100 pounds. Inquire at the Kewaskum Creamery, Kewaskum, Wis. 12-22-tf.

**NOTICE—**Automobile and Carriage painting. Bring in your automobiles for re-painting and varnishing.—G. B. Wright, Kewaskum, Wis. 29-tf.

—The schools of Fond du Lac reopened Monday after a three weeks' vacation. The scarlet fever epidemic at that place is pretty well under control.

—Word was received here that our boys stationed at Camp Mac Arthur, Waco, Texas, had moved to somewhere in the United States on their way to France.

—Remember the day and date of the Grand dance at the Opera House on Sunday evening, January 20th. Music will be furnished by the popular Kewaskum Quintette.

—Miss Elsa Barwig of Mayville, daughter of Senator Barwig, underwent an operation at St. Agnes Hospital at Fond du Lac on Thursday. Her condition is much improved today.

—Chas. E. Krahn left for his southern trip last Friday and expects to be gone about two or three months. In an interview with Mr. Krahn he stated that Florida would be his destination.

—The Royal Neighbors are making great preparations to make their annual mask ball which will be held at the Opera House on Saturday, Jan. 26th, 1918, one of the best events of the season.

—The following postmasters were re-appointed by the President in Wisconsin Thursday: Geo. H. Schmidt, Kewaskum; Henry W. Graser, Menomonee Falls; Wigand B. Krause, Port Washington.

—Everything is in readiness for the grand dance to be held at the Opera House on Sunday evening, Jan. 20, 1918. Music will be furnished by the popular Kewaskum Quintette. All are welcome to attend this ball.

—Corporal Edwin Backus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Backus, of this village, who is with the 119th Machine Gun Co., at Waco, Texas, was quite seriously ill with pneumonia. Last reports are that he is getting along nicely.

—The Kewaskum Woman's Club entertained their husbands and friends at a supper at the village hall last Monday evening. This is an annual affair and we are positive that everyone present enjoyed the spread immensely.

—Fred Schaefer Jr., who is with Headquarters Troop, 1st Regiment Wisconsin Cavalry, N. G., located at Camp Mac Arthur, Waco, Texas, was hurt recently by his horse falling upon him. Recent reports are that he is all right again.

**NOTICE—**All members of the Kewaskum Fire Department are urgently requested to attend the meeting of the Joint Fire Department, which will be held on Monday evening, January 21, at 7:30 o'clock.—John F. Schaefer, Chief.

**FOR SALE—**High Grade Holstein Cows. Bred Milking Cows—Bred to Sire whose dam has 600 pound butter record. Milking Cows (not bred) and Springers, for sale by Richard F. Adams, Route 31, Campbellsport, Wis. 1-12-2.

—Last Tuesday morning at about one o'clock, fire was discovered in Jos. Biersack's barn at Barton, and before the fire department managed to get it under control destroyed the barn, dance hall and an adjoining building formerly used as a butcher shop. Mr. Biersack's saloon and residence were also badly damaged. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

**Tough, Sure 'Nuff.**

High up on the list of those who have no luck, says the Kansas City Star, is the man who advertised for a wife, and whose first wife read the ad and came back to him.

**GOLDEN RULE HAS PLACE IN TRADE**

**Has Been Found to Be Good Business Policy Both for Buyer and Seller.**

**OBLIGATION NOT ONE-SIDED**

**Consumer Gains As Much By Being Fair With Merchant As Latter Does By Being Square and Honest.**

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Some cynical persons have remarked that the Golden Rule has no place in business. They have taken the position that instead of doing unto others as you would have them do unto you, the only safe and sane plan is to do others before they have a chance to do you.

Fortunately for business and for the world at large, however, these persons are few and far between. The great majority of people are honest.

It has been proven repeatedly that even in business it pays to practice the Golden Rule, just as it has been proven repeatedly that "honesty is the best policy." It not only makes a man feel better down in his heart when he employs the principle of the Golden Rule, but he finds that it is good business. This applies not only to the man who stands behind the counter and gives a full pound of sugar to the man who asks for a pound, but also to the man who stands on the other side of the counter and pays his money for the pound of sugar.

**Does Consumer Do His Part?**

The consumer expects the merchant to be honest and square and give him his money's worth for every penny that he spends with him, but how often does the consumer stop and ask himself the question, "Am I being as fair and honest with the merchant as he is being with me?" The consumer not only expects the merchant to give him honest weight and full measure at the lowest possible price, but he expects a world of other things at the same time. Nine times out of ten he expects the merchant to give him credit and nine times out of ten the merchant does it. Many times he expects the merchant to "carry" him for three or four months before he pays for what he buys, and as many times the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to pay for advertising space in the church program which he is getting up, and the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to "kick in" most liberally when he is raising a fund for the benefit of the town band, and the merchant does it.

He expects the merchant to provide the bonus which is to be paid to obtain a new factory which will benefit the working man, the clerk and everybody else in the town, and the merchant does it. He expects the merchant to "come across" with a donation to help the poor family which otherwise would become a charge upon the common funds of the community, and the merchant does it.

**Another Side to Picture.**

Now, look on the other side of the picture. Mr. Consumer decides that he needs a new suit of clothes, or Mrs. Consumer decides that she wants a new kitchen range, or some of the little Consumers express a desire for a train or car or a bobbed. Mr. Consumer picks up the big mail-order catalogue which the mail-order house has printed with his money or that of others like him, and he looks it over until he finds a picture that strikes his eye. It's a picture of a "nifty" looking suit of clothes. Of course, he can't feel the picture to see whether the cloth is as good as it looks; he can't look the mail-order man in the eye and ask him whether he will guarantee it to wear for at least a month or six weeks; he can't tell the mail-order man that he will drop in the first of the month and settle for it; he can't tell the mail-order man that he would like to have a little of his business or a chance to do a little carpenter work or painting or plumbing work for him, as long as he is buying his goods from him, for the mail-order man hasn't any business or any work to give him. But the picture is a pretty one, so Mr. Consumer digs out his hard-earned cash, goes down to the postoffice, buys a money-order and sends it to the mail-order man.

After a week or ten days, or possibly two weeks, the suit arrives. It may be nothing like the picture. The cloth may be of poor quality. The chances are that it doesn't fit at all. But there is nothing for Mr. Consumer to do but put the suit on and wear it. He can't get his money back. He might send the suit back and the mail-order man might send another in its place, but the chances are that it wouldn't be any better than the first and Mr. Consumer would only be out the additional express charges.

**Found Golden Rule Pays.**

Mr. Consumer found that it pays to remember the Golden Rule in business. If he had done unto the merchant as he would like the merchant to do unto him, he would have got more for his money and he would have aided in making it possible for the merchant to help him and his town when they needed help.

The world has discovered that Golden Rule is not for use on Sundays, but that it is valuable on a day of the week.

—Subscribe for the Statesman now.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO AND NOW**

Items taken from our files of twenty years ago which may prove interesting to a great many of our readers:

The genial atmosphere and good sleighing of last Sunday moved many to drive out for pleasure.

Willy Hausmann returned home from the Franklin Mission College last Saturday and does not intend to go back again.

Nic Rimmel was over to Lomira a few days this week putting the steam apparatus in the factory of the Lomira Manufacturing Co.

John Groeschel this week received the sad news of the death of his brother, Charles, which occurred at Kingston, Ill., on Jan. 6th.

John Kocher and Hubert Keller have rented the butcher shop of Mrs. P. Wunderle for the next two years, and they will take possession on the 1st.

Among those who succeeded in passing the recent civil service examination held at Milwaukee, we notice the name of Wm. Ludwig, whose rating was 83, that being seventh on the list.

Henry Wittenberg exchanged his saloon property here, this week for property in Milwaukee. Frank Noworatzke, the new proprietor of the Northwestern hotel will take possession on either the 1st or 15th of next month. The property here was figured at \$5,500 in the trade.

William Kuehn made his first trip through here, for the Schoenecker Boot and Shoe Co., of Milwaukee, this week. He began as traveling salesman for that firm on Jan. 1st, and says that he is pleased with the position and the success which he is having.

The fine sleighing experienced this week made business lively in the village. Wood was marketed in large quantities, while the capacity of the L. Rosenheimer Malt & Grain Company's elevator has become so overtaxed that barley is now being loaded directly into cars. Besides this the fine weather prompted many farmers to market potatoes to such an extent that our merchants shipped seven car loads east, where the tubers are scarce. In this connection some think that the late heavy receipts of potatoes will weaken the local market price of them, while others believe there will be a steady demand here for the tubers until spring, when the supply of seed potatoes will be called for. At any rate it is now generally conceded that the potato crop of 1897 exceeds the amount at which it had been figured.

Following is a comparison of prices in the weekly market report of 1898 and 1918. This may prove interesting:

	1918	1898
Barley	1.40-1.57	30c-37c
Wheat	1.75-2.10	85c
Red winter wheat	1.75-2.10	85c
Rye No. 1	1.65-1.85	40c
Oats	80c	20c
Butter	40c-44c	13c-16c
Eggs	45c	19c
Unwashed wool	60c-64c	16c-18c
Potatoes, bushel	85c-90c	40c-45c
Beans, bushel	7.50	90c
Hay, ton	25.00	8.00
Red clover seed	20.00-25.00	2.50-3.00
White clover seed	25.00	3.00-5.00
Hides	1.70-7.50	08c
Honey	15c	07c
Dressed chickens	21c	07c
Dressed ducks	24c	09c
Dressed geese	22c	09c
Dressed turkeys	11c	11c

**Wool Woof!**

Perch!—"Why you are annoyed if I enjoy a wool in your presence?" Patience—"Not at all. I look at tubers in the same light as hay. I don't eat it myself, but I like to see other enjoy it."

**January Clearance of Remnants**

After inventory we find among our stock numerous remnants of quilting goods, scrim flannelette, percales and gingham. These are in one and one-half 3 yard lengths. Very good bargains at 1-3 off.

**Ribbons and Lace Remnants at 1-3 off**

**January Clearance of Winter Coats**

Plush, Cloth and Velour Coats, formerly ranging in price from \$13.50 to \$29.50, now going at 1-3 off.

**Many Other After Inventory Bargains**

**L. ROSENHEIMER**

Kewaskum, Wisconsin

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If you draw your check on a bank that is notably strong your creditor draws the apt conclusion that your credit is ALSO strong. And that is a valuable asset for the business man or farmer to own.

**OUR last report to the Commissioner of Banking revealed total resources of over \$700,000.00. WHEN YOU CHECK OUT FUNDS FROM THIS BANK YOUR CREDIT RISES AT ONCE.**

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**LOCAL MARKET REPORT**

Barley	1.40 to 1.57
Wheat	1.75 to 2.10
Red Winter	1.75 to 2.10
Rye No. 1	1.65 to 1.85
Oats	80c
Butter	40c to 44c
Eggs	45c
Unwashed Wool	60c to 64c
Potatoes, bushel	85c to 90c
Beans, bushel	7.50
Hay, ton	25.00
Red clover seed	20.00-25.00
White clover seed	25.00
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**WE WANT YOU AT KEWASKUM**

And we will do everything in our power to make it of interest to you to do your trading in our little city by offering merchandise of the highest quality, give you the best of service and make you feel at home whenever you visit our places of business.

**Bank of Kewaskum**

**Farmers & Merchants Bank**

**L. Rosenheimer**

**Mrs. K. Endlich**

**West Bend Motor Co.**

**John Marx**

**Val. Peters**

**G. Konitz**

**S. Moses**

Bowels clogged, sick headache, no fun is it? Why not have that happy face, red cheeks that come with good digestion? Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes the bowels work regular, natural—makes you feel like new. Take it tonight.—Edw. C. Miller.

**This Means You, Mr. Merchant!**

**DID you know that you and this paper have an interest in common? Your success helps the community as a whole which in turn is of benefit to us.**

**When a merchant advertises with us, he is investing his money, which is returned with interest.**

Show Your Goods in the Windows and Advertise Them in This Paper

**Good Printing Pays**

**THE** kind of printing that pays dividends is the kind you should have. Pale, muddied, poorly arranged printed matter is worse than none. The quality of your business is often judged by the quality of your stationery. Inferior printing gives an impression of cheapness that is hard to overcome, while good printing carries with it a desirable suggestion of quality.

We produce only **Quality Printing**. Whether you want an inexpensive handbill or a letterhead in colors, if you order it from us you will be sure of getting good work. We have the equipment and the "know-how" that enables us to get out really good printing—printing that impresses people with the good taste of its users. That is the only kind of printing that



# Fads And Fancies Of Fashion



SMART FROCK FOR THE BUSINESS GIRL.

In the drama of fashions, the part of the one-piece frock has grown in importance for three seasons. It made a triumphant entry this fall and has held the center of the stage ever since. The advent of the "bustle dress" (which hardly deserved its name), and the furor for velvet portends a brilliant finish for this season of a style that is sure to reappear in the spring.

The bustle dress is given its name because it is caught up in drapery below the waistline at the back and merely suggests the bustle of other years. It is prettiest in velvet or heavy satin or crisp tulle, but of all velvet. In the latest models skirts are narrow and drawn back from the front by the back draping. They have long, close-fitting sleeves and high necks.

One-piece frocks of serge and other durable cloths have proven themselves the smartest sort of frocks for business women. This term includes about everyone these days when it is unthinkable that any well woman should be idle.

The frock of serge shown in the picture is enough to reconcile the most inconsequent of idlers to a business life. Consider its good points and remember how entirely practical it is. In addition to being good looking it is new and original. The sleeves are set on to an underbodice and finished on the forearm with neat straps of the material. The overbodice fastens over a separate vestee of washable white satin, which may be varied with vests of other materials by way of change. A wide fold, instead of revers, on the bodice is placed high enough at the back to provide an unusually becoming neck finish, and a big trench



JANUARY HATS REVEAL A SUMMER MIND.

buckle shows the resourcefulness of the designer in providing a unique fastening.

The skirt has two box plaits at the back and front and cascaded drapery at the sides to lend it shapeliness and interest. Trim rows of bone buttons on the plaits at the front consign this frock to the ranks of the tailor-made.

Hats that reveal a "summer mind" have become fashionable for wear in January. They dare to be inconsistent and with true feminine unreason are worn with the warmest furs in northern latitudes as well as in sunny southern lands. It happens that December sees many hats, designed for southern tourist use, displayed in the shops of northern cities. They are irresistible and they are inspiring a new

planned the inquisitive fashion writer knows no more than she did before. Anyway they appear to have found just the right background, in the clear blue of the hat and the wreath makes way for a bow of velvet in the same blue at the front.

*Julia Bottinelly*

**A Lemon on Your Hair.**  
Wet the hair with warm water, then rub the juice of a lemon into the scalp. Afterward rinse the hair thoroughly and dry with a soft towel. The lemon juice will remove all dirt and grease and leave the hair glossy and soft.

## DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

### THE STORM PARADE.

"Are you ready?" asked old Mr. North Wind.

"We are ready," said all the little breezes.

"How about you, hail drops?"

"We're ready," they said.

"And Prince Sleet, how about you?"

"All ready, Mr. North Wind."

"Then set—Go!" said the north wind. And such a storm as there was. But it was quite the funniest kind of a storm for it seemed to be clear in one place and then all of a sudden the storm continued.

"We'll start," said old Mr. North Wind, "at one end of the city, and we'll give a parade."

The others did not know at first what a storm parade meant, but old Mr. North Wind explained.

"You see," he said, "we'll start to blow and roar and storm at one end of the city. The other end will be perfectly free from the storm, but gradually, little by little, we will work our way right through the city. Ah, won't we have a joke on the earth people! They will say:

"See the storm! Isn't it strange? It's hailing here, and down the street



Mr. North Wind Marched Ahead.

there is no sign of a storm, not even a snowflake is flying. And then we'll move on down there."

"It's a splendid idea," said Prince Sleet. "I can hardly wait to begin marching."

"Oh," said old King Snow, "must we march? I don't know that I'm very good at marching. I fall most beautifully and I dance about very often before I fall. But as for marching—well, I'm not quite so sure." And he looked rather sad.

"Cheer up, cheer up," said the Storm King. "Old North Wind doesn't care if we don't keep step."

"I should say not," laughed the North Wind, and his laugh was so cold that they all wanted to start right away. They felt like exercising and blowing and snowing.

Prince Sleet was talking with the King of the Clouds and the Hail King. "We'll give them a good time," they all said. "Yes, we'll come down together, rain and hail and sleet. Oh, it will be a gorgeous storm!"

"We're all ready, then, eh?" asked old Mr. North Wind once more.

"We're all ready," they said. And the earth people shivered, sat closer to the fires, and the ones who were outside drew their collars and furs tighter.

"Then—Go!" said old Mr. North Wind. And the storm parade began. It was the Storm King, King Hail, old King Snow, Prince Sleet, the King of the Clouds, his army of Raindrops the Snowflake children, the Winter Breezes and old Mr. North Wind marched ahead carrying a big stick made out of icicles which he threw up in the air and looked exactly like a drum-major.

Of course the people on the earth could not see him, but they could feel him! Oh, how cold it was! And what a terrific storm!

The city people said that they would not be able to get about and that cars and traffic of all sorts would be delayed.

But the strangest thing of all was the way the storm acted. It began at one end and went straight through the city but only a section at a time. When it had finished storming in one section it went on down a little further to another, while all the parts around were fine and clear.

The evening newspapers in the city said that the storm was "freakish," and one little girl who was riding in a motorcar with her mother said that they seemed to keep pace with the storm straight down through the city. But they managed to escape the very end of it which was the worst of all.

"Now for a good wind-up," said old King Snow as he blew.

"That's a good expression," said old Mr. North Wind. For even though he was the drum-major of the storm the others made suggestions as to how the storm could be made worse.

And they all ended up by blowing, snowing, sleet, hailing, raining and freezing harder than ever.

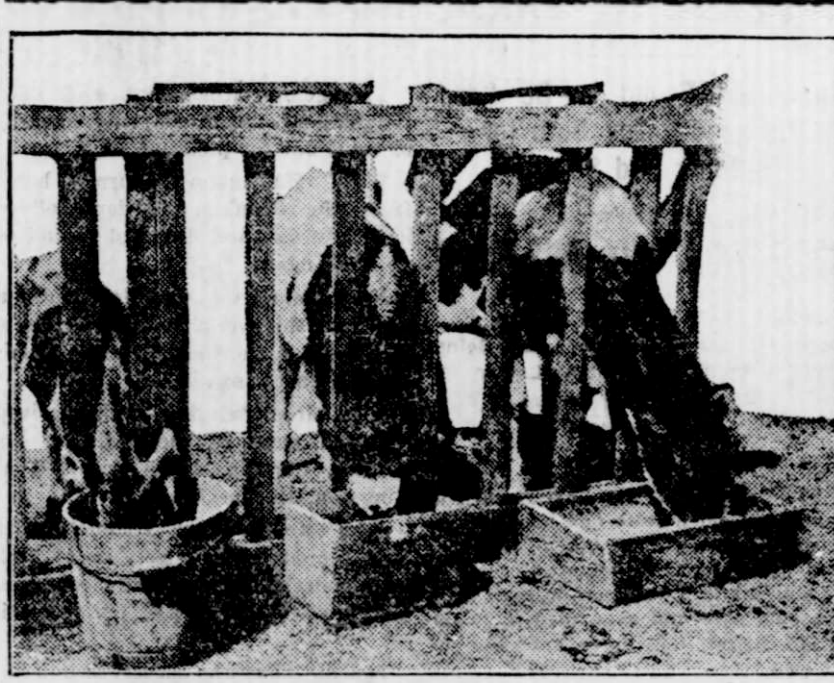
"Oh, it was a gorgeous parade," said old Mr. North Wind. "We moved right along just like a regular parade but we had the streets almost to ourselves which is quite different from a regular parade, and extremely superior!"

Sometimes a valuable calf, too weak at birth either to suck the cow or to drink from a pail, can be saved by feeding from a bottle, either with or without a nipple.

**Cleanliness First Essential.**  
Cleanliness is absolutely essential to the successful raising of calves. This is equally necessary in feed, pens, bedding, and pails or utensils. All milk fed should be fresh and clean, and the same is true of other feeds. Calf pens should always be kept clean and be filled with plenty of dry bedding. Great care should be taken in washing the milk pails. These should be thoroughly scalded with boiling water, or sterilized with steam if possible. Discarded feed should be removed from the feed boxes, and cleaned each day. Attention to these details is the best prevention of disease. Nearly all disorders or diseases of the calf are caused either directly or indirectly by lack of cleanliness.

**Success and Failure.**  
Success is generally due to holding on, and failure to letting go. It depends upon how much pluck and perseverance that word "decide" contains. "With time and patience the mulberry leaf becomes satin."—Babcock.

## FEED AND MANAGEMENT OF DAIRY CALF



EACH CALF SURE OF GETTING HIS SHARE OF FEED.

Under natural conditions the young calf receives nourishment every two or three hours. In hand feeding it is best to follow these conditions as closely as possible, but because of the trouble and expense involved it has been found impracticable to feed calves more frequently than three times a day, and in some cases only twice a day.

It is the practice of many dairymen to feed young calves three times rather than twice a day, because the better results obtained more than pay for the additional work. When this is done the periods between feeding should be as nearly equal as possible. The chief advantages of feeding in this manner are that the calf cannot overload its stomach, and that the digestion of the feed is more evenly distributed throughout the 24 hours. When calves are fed only twice a day the utmost care should be observed to see that the feedings are, as nearly as possible, 12 hours apart. The importance of regularity in feeding cannot be over-emphasized.

**Water and Salt.**  
Many feeders fail to realize the importance of providing the young calf with plenty of water. It is a mistake to think that because the calf drinks milk it does not need water. After the calf is two weeks old it should have access to plenty of fresh, clean water at all times, and when it is old enough to eat roughage it should have access to salt.

## BUTTER GRADING IS A PRACTICAL NEED

Just as Much Need With Dairy Products as There Is With Other Farm Commodities.

R. M. Washburn of the dairy division, University farm, says there is just as much need of grading and standardizing butter as there is of standardizing other agricultural products, and that grading will help butter just as much as it has helped other products.

Grading can be done best near the point of production, adds Mr. Washburn. This would mean the establishing of two or three grading stations at easily accessible points in Minnesota.

Every creamery in the state makes its own brand of butter different from the brand of other creameries. In order to get the best prices the products should be standardized. This could be done at grading stations. In Canada and other countries butter is graded, and the graded butter brings in an average of one cent more a pound. In 1915 Minnesota produced 126,060,000 pounds of butter, worth \$365,000,000. At one cent more a pound the return would be increased by \$1,260,000.

At the creamery men's conference to be held at University farm, St. Paul, January 3 and 4, men will be present who know butter-grading, and the subject will be discussed.

## SILAGE FAVORED TO INCREASE MILK FLOW

Results Given of Test With Dairy Cows Conducted at Ohio Experiment Station.

Cows fed a ration composed largely of silage produced 17 per cent more milk and 28 per cent more butter fat than those given a ration consisting mainly of grain in a feeding test for 121 days at the Ohio Experiment station. The silage ration was also cheaper for milk production. The cows gained nearly 8 per cent in milk yield when put on the silage ration. They produced butter fat at a cost of 13 cents a pound, while the cost of a pound from the cows fed mainly grain was 22 cents. There was little difference in the gains in live weight between the two lots.

In addition to 58 pounds of silage and 6.8 pounds of hay, the one lot received only four pounds of grain consisting of oatmeal and bran. The grain-fed lot received only 12 pounds of corn stover and hay, but 13.6 pounds of a grain mixture of oatmeal, cornmeal and bran.

## The KITCHEN CABINET

When Adam delved and Eve span Who was then the gentleman?

### A FEW LEFTOVERS AND OTHER THINGS.

A most appetizing dish of hash may be made using the boiled vegetables from a boiled dinner with some of the meat all chopped fine and mixed with a little of the liquor from the kettle which should always be saved for this purpose. Have a hot frying pan well greased with drippings, then turn in the chopped mixture. Add the liquor, cover and let stand on the back of the stove to simmer until hot and of the right consistency to serve.

**Cheese Rolls.**—Slice a rather fresh loaf of bread very thin, removing the crusts. Cream together a small jar of pimento cheese or, if made at home, add the pimentos to a rich cheese, soften with a little cream or butter if needed, add a half cupful of finely chopped nut meats and spread the slices with this. Roll up and skewer with tooth picks. Put into a hot oven to toast. Serve with salad, or tea.

**Scrambled Rice With Bacon.**—Fry until crisp twelve slices of bacon, pour off half the fat and put the bacon aside in a warm place. Mix together three beaten eggs, three cupfuls of rice well cooked and salt and pepper to taste. Pour it into the hot bacon fat left in the pan and scramble. Heap in a mound on hot platter with the bacon around the rice.

**Hash Cakes.**—Take a pint of well-seasoned mashed potatoes and mix with one onion finely chopped and a half cupful or more of finely minced ham. Form into cakes and brown in bacon fat. The cakes may be rolled in barley flour or cornmeal, which gives them a fine crust and also adds to their nutriment.

When the salad dressing has extracted the juices from the vegetable, making it too watery for a dainty salad, just break up a few small salty crackers and stir into the salad to absorb the excess of liquid.

**Cabbage Omelet.**—Take two cupfuls of hot cooked cabbage, add a tablespoonful of drippings, and a fourth of a cupful of cream, then add two eggs well beaten; mix and pour into a well-greased frying pan and cook until delicately brown on the under side. Put into the oven to cook on top, then fold and turn on a hot platter.

**White Bread.**—Take a pint of boiling water, two tablespoonfuls of condensed milk, two tablespoonfuls of fat, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar, one-half cupful of home-made yeast and three cupfuls of flour. Prepare and bake as usual. This makes two loaves.

Tables should be like pictures to the sight—Some dishes cast in shade, Some spread in light.

### MEATLESS DISHES FOR MEAT-LESS DAYS.

**Savory Irish Fritters.**—Soak a pound of stale crusts of bread in cold water, squeeze dry and chop. Peel and boil six or eight white onions in salted water until tender, chop fine and add to the bread crumbs. Season well to taste with salt and pepper, add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley, a quarter of a teaspoonful of thyme rubbed fine and a dash of celery salt. Form into small cakes, roll in cornmeal and fry in hot fat.

**Fish Pudding With Rice.**—Boil a cupful of well-washed rice for ten minutes in salted water. Take a pound of codfish, whitefish or halibut and brown in hot fat, long enough to make it tender to flake. Peel and chop, one onion, fry until brown. Grease a mold and fill with layers of rice, fish and onion, seasoning with salt and pepper, having the first and last layers of the rice. Steam for forty-five minutes and serve with any fish sauce.

**Rice With Scrambled Eggs.**—Take a quarter of a cupful of rice, add two of three tablespoonfuls of sweet drippings and stir until a light brown in a frying pan over the fire. Then add a pint of potato water, cover and cook until the rice is tender, season well with salt and pepper and stir in three or four eggs lightly beaten, add a little milk if needed for moisture and you will have a dish of eggs for five persons.

**Chinese Fish Balls.**—Boil two pounds of fresh fish in salted water for twenty minutes, then carefully remove. Reject all skin and bones; put a pint of the stock in a small saucepan, rub together two tablespoonfuls of butter and four tablespoonfuls of flour; add this to the stock and stir constantly until smooth, add the yolks of two eggs and take from the fire; add two tablespoonfuls of finely chopped parsley, salt and red pepper, a tablespoonful of grated onion, and a grating of nutmeg. Mix well, and then stir carefully into the fish. Do not stir until the fish is broken. Turn the mixture out to cool, and when cold, form into balls, dip in egg and crumbs and fry in smoking hot fat. Pour over a well-seasoned tomato sauce when serving.

*Nellie Maxwell*

## TWO DOLLAR WHEAT

This Price Will Hold For Some Years.

A well advised commercial authority gives it as his opinion, "as a slow process may be counted on in the prices for grain when the war ends—it may take several years to restore the world's stock of foodstuffs to normal—there is good ground for confidence in the outlook for rapid development in agriculture."

If this be correct, it follows that the profession of farming will materially increase its ranks in the next few years.

Today, the price of wheat is set by the United States government at \$2.20 per bushel, and in Canada the price has been set at \$2.21. This, of course, is less freight and handling charges which brings the average to the farmers at about \$2.00 per bushel. This price will pay so long as land, material and labor can be secured at reasonable prices. It remains for the would-be producer to ascertain where he can secure these at prices that will make the production of grain profitable. He will estimate what price he can afford to pay for land that will give him a yield of wheat which when sold at \$2.00 per bushel, will return him a fair profit. Local and social conditions will also enter into the consideration. Finding what he wants he would be wise to make his purchase now. Land prices in some portions of the country are low, certainly as low as they will ever be. City property and town property will fluctuate, but farm property will hold its own. The price of grain is as low as it will be for some years. Therefore it would be well to look about, and find what can be done.

There are doubtless many opportunities in the United States, especially in the Western States, to purchase good agricultural lands, that will produce well, at reasonable prices. If the would-be buyer has the time to investigate, and that is needed, for these lands do not exist in any considerable area, he would be well repaid. Not only will his land certainly increase in value—the unearned increment would be an asset—while under cultivation he can find nothing that will give better results. He will at the same time be performing a patriotic act, a needful act, one that would meet with the food controller's plea to increase agricultural production and assist in reducing the deficit of 75 million bushels of wheat reported by the controller.

In addition to the vacant lands in the United States which should be brought under cultivation, Western Canada offers today the greatest area of just the land that is required, and at low prices—prices that cannot last long. Even now land prices are increasing, as their value is daily becoming more apparent, and their location desirable.

As to the intrinsic value of land in Western Canada, hundreds of concrete cases could be cited, which go to prove that at fifty and sixty dollars per acre—figures that have recently been paid for improved farms—the crops grown on them gave a profit of from twenty to thirty per cent and even higher, on such an investment. One instance, is that of a young Englishman, unaccustomed to farming before he took his seat on the sulky plow with which he does most of his work, after allowing himself \$1,000 for his own wages last year, made a profit of \$2,200 on a \$20,000 investment. His total sales amounted to \$5,700 and his expense, which included the \$1,000 wages for himself, was \$3,500. The interest was 11 1/2 per cent.

To the man who does not care to buy or who has not the means to purchase, but possesses wealth in his own hardihood, his muscle, and determination, there are the thousands of free homesteads of which he may have the pick on paying an entry fee of ten dollars. These are high class lands and adapted to all kinds of farming. Send to your nearest Canadian Government Agent for literature, descriptive of the splendid opportunities that are still open in Western Canada, Adv.

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**Comfort Baby's Skin**  
When red, rough and itching with hot baths of Cuticura Soap and touches of Cuticura Ointment. This means sleep for baby and rest for mother. For free samples address, "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

She—"I am just crazy about surf bathing." He—"A dipsomaniac, then?" The Lamb.

**Piles Cured in 4 to 14 Days**  
Druggists refund money if PAIN OINTMENT fails to cure itching, bleeding or protruding Piles. First application gives relief. See.

"Jane, is my wife going out?" "Yes, sir." "Do you know if I am going with her?"

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad. God helps them that helps themselves.

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Sore Eyes, Eyes Itched by Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by Murine. Try it in your Eyes and in Baby's Eyes. YOUR EYES No Stinging, Just Eye Comfort. Murine Eye Remedy At Your Druggist's or by Mail, 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Salve, in Tubes 10c. For Book of the Eye—Free. Ask Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.



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MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN. Relieve Feverishness, Constipation, Colds and croup disorders of the stomach and bowels.

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Aunt Elvira rushed into the house, hysterical. "I've lost my hearing," she shouted.

"You have?" her frightened sister shouted back. "How do you know?" "See that man out there playing that hand-organ? Well, I can't hear a single note!"

"That's a moving-picture photographer at work!" snapped her sister.—New York Evening Post.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER. Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach.

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Back Lame and Achy? There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first there may be nothing more serious than dull aches, dizziness and kidney irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious trouble, dropsy, gravel, heart disease, Bright's disease.

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WORKERS TAKEN ILL

THIRTY-EIGHT LUMBERMEN IN CAMP NEAR OCONTO ARE POISONED BY FOOD.

OTHER WISCONSIN DOINGS

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

Green Bay—Thirty-eight men were taken seriously ill at a lumber camp near Oconto as a result of poison in their food. Frank Ziubach, chore boy, was arrested on orders of District Attorney Neuman of Oconto county and federal authorities came here to investigate. Ziubach, it is said, carried passports to Switzerland counterfeited by former Ambassador Bernstorff.

Prof. Hetherington Leaves U. Madison—Prof. Clark W. Hetherington of the physical education department of the University of Wisconsin has accepted a position as head of the physical education department of the State of California. He left to take immediate charge.

Make Big Fish Haul. Menasha—One thousand pounds of fish, some of which were pike and pickerel but the majority rough species, were taken from Little Lake Butte des Morts in a single haul by fishermen operating under government license and warden supervision.

Council Forms Price Fixing Body. Neenah—The Neenah council of defense has firmly established itself as a price fixing body. A committee has been appointed to fix prices of staple groceries and merchants who sell for higher figures will be prosecuted.

Boardman Leaves for France. Oshkosh—Friends here received the announcement that Gen. C. R. Boardman, Oshkosh, long at the head of the Wisconsin National Guard, left New York for France. He was stationed for some time at Waco, Tex.

Police Chief Invited to Hanging. La Crosse—Chief of Police John B. Webber received an invitation to the hanging of three criminals in Montana from Sheriff John O'Rourke of Butte, but declined. The "bid" came in an envelope with a black border.

Mothers Get Pensions. Appleton—Fifty-nine mothers in Outagamie county received pensions that totaled \$10,938 during 1917. In 1916 the pensions received by mothers in this county amounted to \$6,650, and forty mothers were benefited.

Triplets Born to Antigo Couple. Antigo—Triplets, all boys, were born to Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Koepfen of Mattoon. They have been married five years and have three girls, the oldest 4 years old, besides the triplets.

Fire Destroys Oconto Theater. Oconto—The Bijou theater here was destroyed by fire. Firemen fought the blaze five hours as it spread to an adjoining building. The theater will be rebuilt.

Short Fall Breaks Neck. Green Bay—Falling on the edge of a box in the basement of her home Mrs. Timothy Hogan, wife of a railroad engineer, sustained injuries that caused her death. Her neck was broken.

Marshfield Man in France. Marshfield—Word has been received here that William, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Upham of this city, has arrived in France with a contingent of marines in which he is enlisted.

Organize \$1,500,000 Firm. Madison—That Wisconsin may enter more extensively into the subject of shipment was indicated by articles of incorporation to start a \$1,500,000 ship building concern in Sheboygan.

New Railroad Nears Completion. Blair—Despite the war, a new railroad is nearing completion here. It connects this place with Ettrick, also in Trempealeau county, and is twelve miles long.

County Board Condemns La Follette. Fond du Lac—The Fond du Lac county board of fifty members adopted resolutions condemning United States Senator La Follette and pledged their heartfelt support to the government.

Physics Publicly Opened. Madison—The new physics building at the University of Wisconsin was formally opened with the annual regents-faculty reception.

Seek Badger Law on Soldiers' Vote. Madison—Secretary of State Merlino is receiving requests from many states asking for copies of the Wisconsin soldiers voting law.

To Prove State's Loyalty. Green Bay—In an effort to repudiate the charges that Wisconsin is a disloyal state, business men of Green Bay have adopted a method of presenting in all letters going outside of the state a brief outline of "Green Bay's Patriotic Record."

Resigns University Post. Madison—E. R. McIntyre has resigned from the College of Agriculture faculty to become associate editor of Wisconsin Farmer.

Former U. Student Dies at Camp. Manitowish—Messages received here announced the death of Jacob Guy Drews at Camp Custer, Mich. Mr. Drews' death was due to pneumonia. He was a graduate of the Milwaukee Normal school and attended the state university.

Forty-first in State Service. Jefferson—The Forty-first Separate company of the Wisconsin State Guard was mustered into state service here with 125 active members.

Equity Society Move Headquarters. Madison—The national headquarters of the American Society of Equity, now located in Wausau, will be moved to this city, D. O. Mahoney, president, announced that a national weekly paper will be issued, contracts having been closed with the Capitol Times company. The organization has a membership of 30,000, of whom 15,000 are in Wisconsin.

Fire Destroys Lodi High School. Lodi—Fire of unknown origin destroyed Lodi's new high school building, causing a loss of \$40,000, partly covered by insurance. Plans are being made to house the students in the city hall and in the former school building, which has not been in use since the completion of the new structure in 1913.

Prominent Banker Resigns. Eau Claire—After thirty-six years in the banking business in Eau Claire, James T. Joyce has resigned as vice-president of the Union National bank of this city and withdrawn from its management, to take charge of the active management of large mining properties in which he and his associates are interested.

Milk Lunches for School Children. Eau Claire—With a view of demonstrating their value and of persuading the board of education to adopt the plan as part of the city school system the Eau Claire Woman's club will begin serving forenoon milk lunches for the 250 pupils of the Seventh ward school, under the administration and direction of the city school nurse.

Woman Has Knitting Record. Appleton—Since May, 1917, when the Appleton chapter of the Red Cross was organized, Mrs. O. P. Schaefer has knitted the following articles: 38 pairs socks, 8 helmets, 5 pair wristlets, 6 mufflers, 4 pair mitts. Meaning she taught over fifty pupils to knit.

Three-Year Terms for Whole County. Madison—That the Grass bill, enacted in the law at the last session of the legislature, providing for three-year terms for members of the county board, must apply to the entire county as a unit system, was the opinion of Atty.-Gen. Haven to Dist. Atty. L. C. Fellens of Fond du Lac.

College Fund Campaign Opens Feb. 3. Appleton—The work of the \$500,000 campaign for Lawrence college will start on launching Sunday, Feb. 3, when forty special workers will preach in the largest churches of the state. The details were planned by Dr. C. E. Lettsell of New York, and the board of directors of Lawrence college.

Company E Mascot Injured. Menasha—Co. E. of this city, reports its first casualty. "Jess," dog pet and mascot of the organization, was wounded by a bullet on the rifle range but was nursed back to health by the field hospital staff. "Jess" will go to France with the "E" boys.

Beloit Has Service Flag. Beloit—The Beloit service flag, made by order of the common council, has arrived. It is twenty-eight by fifteen feet in size and contains 550 stars, in honor of the Beloit men who are in the military service. A formal flag raising is planned.

Telegraphy Popular Among Women. Eau Claire—Five married women and twenty girls made up the latest organized class in telegraphy at the industrial school. Nine Eau Claire girls now are employed as operators by the Omaha, Soo, and Northern Pacific railroads.

Birchwood Priest in France. Birchwood—The Rev. F. W. P. Beaudette, formerly in charge of St. John's Catholic church, has arrived in France, according to word received by friends. He recently entered the service of the United States as a chaplain.

Plan Model School. New London—A model rural community house is to be built near Black Creek, according to a contract just let. The building will have steam heat and will be strictly modern. The cost, aside from the heating, will be \$5,250.

Boys for Farm Work Plentiful. Madison—It is estimated that there are 125,000 boys between the ages of 16 and 20 in the state of Wisconsin who can be used the coming year in farm labor work.

Portage Soldier Dies at Camp. Portage—Lieut. Orris C. Kohler, aged 25, died at Camp Custer from pneumonia. He is the first Portage soldier to succumb in this war.

Veterinarian Named Second Lieut. Manawa—Dr. W. E. Popelars, veterinarian, of Manawa, has been given a commission as a second lieutenant in the United States army.

Give to Hoard Memorial. Neenah—Fifty dollars to the Hoard memorial fund was contributed by the Fox River Valley Holstein Breeders' association while in convention here.

Wants 8,000 Badger Boys on Farms. J. B. Borden, assistant superintendent of public instruction, was asked by Superintendent C. P. Cary, at the request of the Wisconsin council of defense to organize the available school boys of the state for work upon the farms. This task is made necessary because of the great drain of available farm labor due to the draft. Under the plan outlined here sixteen years old and over, in the grade and high schools of the state, will be asked to enlist for farm labor during the summer, and hundreds are expected to respond.

WISCONSIN TRADE BODIES TO MEET

Commercial and Industrial Congress at Madison February 20, 21 and 22.

WILL BE A WAR CONFERENCE

Various State Organizations Arrange to Hold Their Annual Meetings at Capital City on These Dates.

Madison—Many Wisconsin residents will be attracted to this city on February 20, 21 and 22, to attend the third annual Wisconsin Commercial and Industrial congress. Secretary of Labor Wilson has accepted an invitation to address the congress. Secretary of the Interior Lane and Joseph W. Folk have also been invited.

Gov. E. L. Phillips, Chairman Magnus Swenson and the state council of defense and Richard Lloyd Jones are co-operating with the committee in charge of the congress—Andrew Melville, chairman; Prof. Richard T. Ely, Prof. John R. Commons, Dean Robert Prof. F. H. MacGregor, executive secretary—in bringing federal officials and other prominent men here to address the sessions.

Arrangements are being made for meetings here during the congress of the two organizations of commercial club secretaries of the state, the Wisconsin Retail Grocers' association, the Wisconsin Wholesale Grocers' association, the state lumber dealers, the state clothing, dry goods merchants and the Wisconsin Jewelers' association.

The congress will be converted into a war conference, according to Professor MacGregor. Business men of Wisconsin, he said, must be prepared for what is to come.

Teachers May Receive More Pay. Provision may be made at the special session of the legislature for an increase in the salaries of Milwaukee teachers in the graded school.

Gov. E. L. Phillips indicated he would include this subject in his call, because he believes the minimum salary of \$650 a year too low during the period of the war and the high cost of living.

An increase was made in the school board mill tax at the last session of the legislature, but, owing to the increase in the price of fuel and in other operating expenses no part of it was applied on a salary increase for graded school teachers, the state executive has been informed. A further increase in the mill tax is proposed now, so that salaries may be raised.

Savings for War Popular. J. H. Puelicher, state director for war savings, and Robert Baird, state executive secretary, returned from a tour through the northern part of the state, in the interest of the war savings campaign. They visited Marinette, Oconto, Green Bay and Appleton, at each of which places large public meetings were held, and the campaign carefully outlined. Mr. Puelicher says: "We found a splendid optimism prevailing in every city visited. In each place working organizations have been perfected, and the campaign is well under way. At Marinette we addressed a meeting consisting of more than fifty workers. At Green Bay and Appleton, each, more than 100 were assembled, and at Oconto more than 200."

Digging Out of the Snow. The greater portion of this state has been busy the past few days endeavoring to dig out from under the snow, the result of the recent blizzard. Numerous cities and towns were covered with from two to several feet of snow in places, similar to the experience of other midwestern states. Train and mail service, street cars, schools and all business suffered greatly from the effects of the blockading of streets and railway lines. The snowfall is regarded as among the heaviest ever experienced in the state and inconvenience in all commercial lines is expected to continue for some time.

Professor Ross En Route Home. Prof. Edward A. Ross, head of the department of sociology at the University of Wisconsin, who has been investigating social and economic conditions in Russia for the last six months, has sailed for the United States. He is expected to reach Madison about January 30. Professor Ross was granted a leave of absence from the university last spring to go to Russia for the United States government. He will resume his work here as lecturer at the opening of the first semester. Professor Ross left Petrograd on December 10 and his trip home has been through Siberia, China and Japan.

State Loses Indian Land Suit. A dispatch from Washington says: The state of Wisconsin has lost its suit to obtain title to 6,400 acres of land, mostly timbered, in the Menominee Indian reservation. The suit was based on the provision of the ordinance of 1878 setting aside one school section in each township, and devoting it and its income to school purposes. The state claimed that this land, good of the reservation as elsewhere, and sought to restrain the Indians, under government supervision, from cutting timber for the mill on the reservation.

Whittet Answers Critics of State. In a speech at Janesville, before the Twilight club, in which he reviewed Wisconsin's part in the war, Speaker Lawrence Whittet of the assembly took to task those persons who refer to Wisconsin as a disloyal state. He reviewed the creation of the state council of defense and told of its activities.

"I think I am violating no trust when I relate a few of the situations that confronted the governor at the time of the recent draft," said Mr. Whittet. "From Milwaukee came the statement that there was decided opposition to the draft, and that bloodshed would surely follow if state militia was not present to quell the disturbances that were sure to arise. Governor Phillip personally investigated conditions and was unable to find anything to substantiate the charges that had been made. He refused to send militia. The result is too well known for me to make any comment here. It is regretted that the only disturbance that occurred in Wisconsin on registration day was a fight in Milwaukee between two men to see which one should register first."

Military records of Wisconsin since the beginning of the war and the first call for volunteers are cited by all who are aware of the loyalty of the people of the state.

To Set Pace for the Nation. One million individual investors in war savings stamps in Wisconsin before February 10 will be the slogan of an intensive drive to be instituted February 3 by the Wisconsin War Savings committee.

The campaign will be state wide and, in respect to the number of individuals actually canvassed, will surpass all previous war campaigns in Wisconsin or in the nation.

At a meeting with State Director J. H. Puelicher in Milwaukee, various leaders in the different war campaigns were consulted and it was decided to launch the war savings stamp campaign in Wisconsin on February 3, this date being designated by the American Bankers' association as a national thrift day.

To the 71 county committees already enlisted under Mr. Puelicher for war savings will be added the strength of the Red Cross chapters throughout the state and the women's organizations under the leadership of Mrs. J. W. Mariner.

Seventh Annual Road School. The seventh annual road school of the Wisconsin highway commission will be held at Madison February 4 to 9, inclusive.

The road school may not be so largely attended this year as in the past, owing to an opinion just rendered by the attorney general that a county is not liable for expenses of members of the state road and bridges committee, and that the law does not permit the expenditures of public funds for that purpose. The week will be devoted to discussion of various live topics of interest to road builders.

The commission announces that 1918 will be a road maintenance year in Wisconsin, and the program is largely devoted to topics and discussion which will help Wisconsin's road builders to save roads already built, and maintain the new state trunk highway system.

Shows Way to Shorten Hours. "If Wisconsin women are to get a shorter working day, they will have to go to the legislature," said F. M. Wilcox of the industrial commission in a talk before the Wisconsin Federation of Women Wage Earners.

"It is necessary for some organization to determine proper wages and hours, and you can do it," explained Mr. Wilcox. "The reason men get twice as much as women for the same work is because of their unions."

"The industrial commission does much to improve conditions under which women work, and is ever checking up on employers and striving to make their situations ideal. All sanitary conditions are properly inspected and proper heating, lighting, and lunch-room facilities are insisted upon. We are also concerned with hours and wages and can forbid employment of women in certain capacities."

To Stop Coal Shipments. Gov. E. L. Phillips is considering drastic steps to halt shipment of Wisconsin coal into other states—action that would cause a big shortage in the Badger state. The dispute over control of coal shipped into Wisconsin by the state administrator, and now lying on the docks along Lake Michigan is raging again.

The trouble dates back to the appointment of Federal Fuel Administrator Garfield to W. H. Groverman of Minneapolis as district distributor, and the taking of control over distribution out of the hands of State Fuel Administrator William Fitzgerald. Protests from Governor Phillip put Fitzgerald again in authority, but now Governor Garfield has given Groverman power to move the Wisconsin coal into Minnesota, the Dakotas and Iowa.

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Unexpected Frankness. Visitor—"How many men are studying at Lehigh?" Host—"Oh! Not half of them."—Lehigh Burr.

With a man an effect must have its cause; with a woman it must have its because.

ALL MEN AT HOME SHOULD PREPARE FOR WAR

The first test a man is put thru for either war or life insurance is an examination of his water. This is most essential because the kidneys play a most important part in causing premature old age and death. The more injurious the poisons passing thru the kidneys the sooner comes decay—so says Dr. Pierce of Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., who further advises all people who are past thirty to preserve the vitality of the kidneys and free the blood from poisonous elements, such as uric acid—drink plenty of water—sweat some daily and take Anuric, double strength, before meals.

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Watch Your Calves At the first indication of scours or cholera, give them Dr. David Roberts' Calf Cholera Remedy \$7.50 For scours in calves, horses and hogs. Read the Practical Home Veterinarian. If no dealer in your town, write Dr. David Roberts' Vet. Co., 100 Grand Ave., Waukegan, Ill.

What Wisconsin Women Say Kenosha, Wis.—"My mother used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and it practically cured her of woman's trouble. Two other relatives used it with good results. For myself, I am now taking it for nervousness and weakness. I find it overcomes the nervousness and makes my appetite better."—MRS. R. E. RICE, 303 Halberstadt Court.

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# Our New Serial

**CAMPBELLSPORT**

Geo. Romaine called on friends here this week.

A. White was a village caller one day last week.

Geo. Wright was a pleasant caller here this week.

Miss E. Powers was a Fond du Lac caller last week.

M. Polzean called on friends at Fond du Lac last week.

F. Schmidt spent several days of last week at Chicago.

Reinhard Weber spent Tuesday on business at Manitowoc.

Sheldon Tuttle called on friends at Fond du Lac this week.

J. Duen of Milwaukee was a business caller here this week.

H. Painter is visiting with relatives

and friends here this week.

Wallace Barbeau was a business caller at Milwaukee Monday.

Ernest Perkins of Ashland was a business caller here this week.

Wm. Gores of Fond du Lac transacted business here Monday.

Henry Grabl of Eden called on P. M. Schaefer Tuesday morning.

Miss Margaret Fellens spent Friday until Monday at Hartford.

A. Schwandt was a Milwaukee business caller the latter part of last week.

George Foerster spent several days on business at Milwaukee this week.

Alvin Haug of Kewaskum spent Sunday with Otto Dickmann and family.

Mrs. A. J. Guepe of Milwaukee was a week-end guest of Mrs. Mary

**Signal Battalion.**

The marriage of Miss Johanna Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell, and Frank Ketter, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ketter, was solemnized at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Matthew's church, the Rev. B. July officiating. The bride was attired in a blue traveling suit and wore a white satin hat. She was attended by her sister, Miss Martha Campbell, who also wore a blue suit and white hat. The groom was attended by his brother Lawrence Ketter. After the services at the church a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, to immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

A scrubbing bee was scheduled for the early evening hours last Saturday at the pool hall, and the invited (?) force appeared on the scene of action in due time. Proprietor Kraemer, however, objected to having his place of business mopped up by the bunch and so informed them to let it go until Monday. This did not suit the prospective scrubbers, and in their determined way proceeded to do business. The back door of the pool hall was thrown open and Mr. Kraemer was seized and flung through the opening, landing in a six foot snow drift, and before he was able to extricate himself from this unpleasant situation, his place of business was given a brilliant shine. After Alex saw how spick and span everything was after the boys had given it the once over, he thanked them for the kindness they bestowed on him and even promised to forgive and forget the flight through the back door into the snow bank. Later in the evening the event was celebrated with a beef fry. "Turkey" Wenzel and Leo Ward acting as chief cooks and bottle washers.

**SOUTH EDEN**

Martin Wietor was a caller at Lomira Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Vandegrinde on January 4th, a baby boy.

Messrs. Wm. Reilly, George Seefeld and Bernard Clark were Campbellsport callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Seefeld entertained a number of their friends to a card party last week Wednesday evening.

Miss Elsie Seefeld returned home last week Wednesday from Birmannwood, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Adolph Boettcher for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reilly entertained the following to a card party Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wietor and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. Clark and family, Ed. Vandegrinde and Mr. and Mrs. George Seefeld and Erwin Seefeld.

**ASHFORD**

Too Late For Last Week

Ed. Berg spent Tuesday at Ripon.

Anton Hilbert of Camp Grant spent a few days at home.

Tillie Berg arrived home from a six weeks visit at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kadinger of Lomira spent New Years at Peter Hilbert's.

Quite a few from here attended the funeral of Rev. Weyer at Lomira on Tuesday.

Miss Alexia Maul is at home after being one year at St. Joseph's hospital at Milwaukee.

**Oil From Shark Livers.**

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**VALLEY VIEW**

George Johnson transacted business at Eden Monday.

Alvin Seefeld of South Eden called on friends here recently.

Francis Mc Namara spent Sunday at the F. J. Murray home.

Lee Norton of Hillside spent Friday evening with Harold Johnson.

Frank Wetter was a business caller at Campbellsport Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brietzke were Campbellsport visitors Wednesday.

Paul Chesley spent Tuesday as a guest of John Hughes in North Ashford.

Peter Schommer entertained the "Schmier Players" last Thursday evening.

Miss Blanchie Murray spent Monday evening with friends in North Ashford.

The "Schmier Players" met with John Mullen in North Ashford Monday evening.

Miss Leona Pagel returned home Friday after a two weeks visit with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Theresa Schomer is spending the week as a guest of friends and relatives at Fond du Lac.

Miss Genevieve Uelmen of Green Bay spent Wednesday with her aunt, Mrs. Peter Schommer Jr.

Anton Koehne and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norton were business callers at Campbellsport Wednesday.

Francis Devine of North Ashford was a pleasant caller at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Schommer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Chesley and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hughes called on friends at Campbellsport Tuesday.

**MIDDLETOWN**

Eddie Ford was a caller here Monday.

W. Schultz is spending a few days at Dotyville.

Mrs. W. Bartelt spent Tuesday at Frank Rahn's.

H. Bartelt was a caller at Wm. Rahn's Friday.

Albert Schultz was a caller at W. Bartelt's Tuesday.

H. Bartelt helped Oscar Bartelt saw wood Tuesday.

H. Bartelt was a business caller at Aug. Giese's Wednesday.

Elsie Bartelt spent Sunday afternoon with Evelyn Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bartelt were callers at the Mullen home in Ashford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Bartelt, Mrs. Wm. Schultz and H. Bartelt were business callers at Campbellsport Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rahn returned to their home at Campbellsport Monday, after spending a week at H. Bartelt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wachs and Elizabeth Ford visited Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schultz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Schultz and daughter Evelyn visited Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. Bartelt and family.

**FOUR CORNERS**

Erick Falk drove to Campbellsport Thursday.

John Bohlman was a caller at Dundee Friday.

John Corbett was a caller in Mitchell Thursday.

Charlie Marquardt was a caller at Dundee Friday.

John Corbett and wife spent Friday at Campbellsport.

Gustie Polzean spent one day last week in Fond du Lac.

Bennie Polzean is visiting with his brother, John this week.

John Polzean and wife spent Saturday in Fond du Lac on business.

Andy Polzean and brother Mike spent Wednesday at Campbellsport.

John Polzean of Waucousta called on the Mike Polzean family Thursday.

John Ludwig is spending a few weeks with the Alfred Ludwig family.

Andy Polzean and Alfred Ludwig were business callers at Fond du Lac Thursday.

Mrs. Alfred Ludwig visited Thursday with the Fred Ludwig family at Waucousta.

Mrs. Ed. Flynn returned home on Wednesday after spending a week with her folks at Ripon.

Art. Schultz and George Flynn visited with Ransom Tuttle Thursday, who is now at St. Agnes hospital.

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