

GERMANY TO PAY BY RAIL MORTGAGE

Bonds Would Be Divided Among Creditors on Basis of Percentage Fixed at Spa.

Paris.—The expert committees examining into Germany's resources have reached a general agreement on their report to the reparations commission according to information from authoritative quarters. They have decided it is stated, that in stead of the formidable loan to be placed on the international market, previously a specific mortgage of approximately 10,000,000,000 gold marks on the German railway system, and other sources of revenue of the German government, shall form the basis of a plan by which the Allied countries, especially France, will derive regular payments of interest.

The mortgage bonds to be issued would be a first lien on the railways and be divided among Germany's creditors on the basis of the percentage adopted at the Spa conference in 1919—France 52 per cent, Great Britain 25, Italy 19, Belgium 4, with the remainder a pro rata dividend among the other Allies.

POMERENE FOR PROSECUTOR

Walsh Leads Fight on Member of His Own Party in Debate.

Washington.—Over the vigorous opposition of Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, the Senate confirmed the nomination of Alex. Pomerehne, a former senator from Ohio, to be a special government counsel in the oil lease cases. The vote was 39 to 12.

Approval of the nomination of Mr. Pomerehne came after more than two hours of debate. For nearly two hours the Senate fought over the question of whether his nomination should be considered in executive session as is the usual custom, but it voted 63 to 2 to discuss them in the open.

Senators from Ohio and Nebraska, South Dakota, Republicans, voted in the negative.

BRITISH DOCKERS ON STRIKE

Labor Ministers Attempts to Bring Agreement in Paris.

London.—A strike involving 30,000 well-organized dockmen will arrest the port work of the whole nation and if it continues for a considerable time may also make the coal situation for more men concerned in auxiliary work and dependent trades and industries. This strike is expected to be likely to prove much more inconvenient to the public than the recent railway strike, in that any proposed cessation of work at the docks would prevent the unloading of incoming fuel and raw materials—a matter almost impossible to overcome in the most vital government to remedy.

The minister of labor tried his hardest to prevent the strike materializing, but without success. Premier MacDonald is in the country at Chertsey to get a much needed rest, but it is hoped that next week he may take some step in an endeavor to find a way out of the difficulty.

44 DIE IN FANATIC FIGHT

Band Virtually Annihilated in Clash With Island Constabulary.

Manila.—Lectures by the band leaders and eight constabulary soldiers under his command, and 35 religious fanatics, including two of their leaders, were killed in a fanatical clash at Agaña, Pinaric, according to a constabulary report received here. Several other fanatics were wounded.

The majority of the fanatics who took part in the fight is believed, however, were released to return to their homes in the island of Mindanao, which had been the scene of several recent clashes between the constabulary and the fanatics.

PLAN TO BOOST WHEAT DUTY

President to Increase Import Tax From 30 to 45 Cents Per Bushel.

Washington.—President Coolidge, it is indicated, will increase the wheat duty to 45 cents per bushel. The president's decision is based on the report of the tariff commission, which is expected to report to the president in a few days.

The tariff commission's report is expected to recommend an increase in the wheat duty from 30 to 45 cents per bushel, and a decrease in the duty on flour from 10 to 8 cents per barrel.

Potato Meeting Friday Evening

S. G. Rubnow, organization manager for the Minnesota Potato Growers, will speak at Pine City Friday evening February 22nd at eight o'clock and at Askov Saturday February 23rd at one thirty. He is a leading authority on cooperative marketing and everyone should hear him. This is an opportunity for those who doubt the advisability of this plan to come and see their views on the matter to come and see for all.

We believe this subject is of vital importance, to people in town as well as those in the country. If you believe something should be done to better the potato situation, be sure to be at one of these meetings, and if you think that no improvement need be made, come and tell your fellow farmers that everything is lovely and no change of any kind is necessary to come and bring your neighbor and be there yourself.

Kubicek Elected President

Dr. J. L. Kubicek of Waseca was elected president of the state optometrists association at the annual convention held in St. Paul the first of this week.

Dr. Kubicek, or Joe as he is best known here, is a Pine City boy and the son of Mrs. Francis Kubicek. He grew up here and attended the local schools. He is a graduate of the state optometry school at the Iowa state university and has owned an optical business in Waseca the past couple of years where he met and married his wife, who is now in the city.

There were over 200 in attendance at the state meeting and Mr. Kubicek's election to the head of the organization is a distinct honor and recognition of his standing and popularity among the optometrists of the state. The Piker welcomes the opportunity to extend congratulations.

Sandstone Wins Fast Game

In one of the fastest basket ball games ever played on the armory floor, Sandstone defeated Pine City high school by the score of 15 to 9. Before the game, Sandstone was picked to win by a large score, but after two minutes of play it was hard to pick the winner.

Sandstone scored first on a pretty shot by Stenberg, the pine soon shot their strike and the quarter ended Sandstone 4, Pine City 3. The second quarter brought all of the spectators to their feet as the dazzling speed of both teams could not help but cause excitement. The first half ended with Sandstone on the long end of a 7 to 4 score.

The second half started out at a fast clip, although rather rough, and Sandstone started to use their old tactics of winning basket ball game. After about three minutes of hard play, Carl Sandstone's star "bowl" was taken out on personal foul.

Pine City had a stone wall defense and was only by long shots that Sandstone managed to do much scoring. The Pine City boys had little trouble in taking the ball down the floor but did not seem to be able to finish ring.

Stenberg, Sandstone's star guard, went out of the game in the last minute of play, but not early enough to harm Sandstone. Pine City showed that they have the stuff and will put up a good fight at the sub-junior tournament, which is to be held here Feb. 29, and March 1st.

A good crowd attended the game and the pep of the rooters was the best that has been shown this season.

County Convention March 5

The county Republican committee met at Hinckley last week and held a call for the present caucus. The caucus will be held at Hinckley, Minn., on March 5 between 7 and 8 o'clock to elect delegates to the county convention.

Play Rush City Saturday

The Pine City team from last year's team will play Rush City on the Friday floor on Saturday evening. There will be a dance given by the band following the game.

Pine and Rush City have had some very close games in the past. The game between them last year was a good one.

AMERICA'S FOUNDATION



Farmers Exchange K. P.'s Celebrate Basketball Meet

Special Meeting Sixtieth Birthday Here Next Week

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers Exchange was held in the village hall last Monday afternoon. The meeting was for the purpose of adopting by-laws and for the election of a board of directors. A large majority of the stockholders were present at the meeting.

Howard Hay, assistant commissioner of agriculture, was present and read a draft of by-laws suggested by the committee. The draft was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Hay's time was practically all given over to suggestions and advice for the operating of co-operative concerns, in connection of the organizing of gasoline stations, over 4600 co-operative concerns in the state of Minnesota and 182 of these were stores. He stated the latest cooperative movement was the organizing of gasoline stations, over 4600 co-operative concerns in the state of Minnesota and 182 of these were stores. He stated the latest cooperative movement was the organizing of gasoline stations, over 4600 co-operative concerns in the state of Minnesota and 182 of these were stores.

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The sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Pythias lodge was fittingly observed by members of the K. P. at Pythian Sister lodges last evening, with one of the best social gatherings of the year.

There was an ardo attendance of members of both lodges and their friends. The forepart of the evening's entertainment was taken up with an excellent program. Rev. Wilton led the grand march, and a series of eight games will be played between the teams of the various competitors. Two games will be played on Friday at 4 pm and two will be played at 8 pm. Saturday morning at 10 am the two semi-final games will be played. At 5 pm the losers in the semi-final games will compete. The final game will be played at 9 pm. Mr. Glen Jackson, of Minneapolis, will referee the games.

Basketball Meet Here Next Week

The sub-junior tournament will be held at Pine City at the Armory on Feb. 29 and March 1. The tournament is comprised of Burnum, Moose Lake, Pine City, Rush City, White Bear, Center City, Cambridge and Forest Lake. The winning team will be played on Friday at 4 pm and two will be played at 8 pm. Saturday morning at 10 am the two semi-final games will be played. At 5 pm the losers in the semi-final games will compete. The final game will be played at 9 pm. Mr. Glen Jackson, of Minneapolis, will referee the games.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gottry were dressed to represent George and Martha Washington and they were attended by four girls in colonial costume—Florence Wilcox, Peggy Carlson, Geraldine Wiley and Wilton McEachern. The ceremonies were opened with a salute to the flag and the singing of the national anthem.

The hall had been given a thorough house cleaning and was very prettily decorated in the national and lodge colors. Following the program, George and Martha Washington led the grand march, and the dancing was enjoyed until supper time. A sumptuous banquet was served by Mrs. Henry Buire.

R. E. Carlson, chairman of the K. P. committee, presided during the evening and was master of ceremonies. He handled the job like a veteran and deserves credit for the success of the affair. He was ably assisted in the work by Mrs. Robt. Wilcox and Mrs. E. E. Carlson of the Pythian Sister lodge.

San Francisco Earthquake

Did the earthquake wipe out San Francisco's Chinatown, or does DuPont street still lead from the Ocean to the Orient for the one white man in ten thousand who has battered down the bulwark of Chinese suspicion.

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Peter Hanson Dies

Peter Hanson, whose farm home is southeast of Pine City, passed away at the Bethesda hospital in St. Paul February 19. Funeral services will be held from the home next Sunday Feb. 24, at 1:30 pm, and from the Pine Grove church at 2 o'clock and the remains will be laid to rest in the Pine Grove cemetery.

Mrs. Algure Called by Death

Mrs. Mary M. Algure, wife of Hugh Algure of Rock Creek, passed away at her home February 16, death resulting from heart trouble. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. John Lowe from the Rock Creek M. E. church this afternoon, at 2 o'clock and the remains will be laid to rest in the Rock Creek cemetery. The pall bearers will be Irving Stevens, George Walton, P. Wilson, J. C. Hammers, Dick Carlson and J. M. Morrow.

Married This Morning

John Franta and Mrs. Antonia Schmidt were united in marriage by Father Lee in the church chapel this morning at 8 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kanosh attended the bridal couple. A wedding breakfast was served the bridal party at the Pine Piker in extended ceremony.

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County Board Met Monday-Tuesday

The regular meeting of the county board was held on Monday and Tuesday of this week. There was little business to transact with the exception of routine matters.

A delegation of county bankers was present Monday afternoon regarding bonds to be furnished for county deposits, etc.

The matter of appointing a county weed inspector for this year was discussed and the board decided not to appoint one.

Six slush scrapers and 4 wheel scrapers were purchased for county road work.

DENBY RESIGNS AS DENBY SECRETARY

Friends Inform Coolidge They Understand His Embarrassment in Keeping Secretary.

Washington.—Secretary of the Navy Edwin Denby has resigned and will retire from the cabinet on March 16. Informing President Coolidge that in view of his connection with the oil leases he did not desire to further embarrass the administration by resigning a member of it.

The president, in a letter accepting the resignation, praised the official record of his retiring naval secretary, and said he accepted to the request with regret.

Theodore Roosevelt, who as assistant secretary under Mr. Denby had a part in drafting the order which transferred the naval reserves from the navy to the interior department, conferred with the president and announced later he did not expect to resign.

There was no indication that Mr. Coolidge had given thought to a successor to Mr. Denby but it appeared likely that one would be selected without delay.

Will Move to Pine City

Ben Hancock, youngest son of Ir. and Mrs. J. C. Hancock of Iron and Miss Ruth Johnson married in St. Paul last Thursday. The newlyweds have rented a house in Pine City and will move there with their parents. The bride has been working in St. Paul and her parents are farmers living at Tracy.

The groom has spent considerable time at home since his parents moved to Pine City and has been employed in the bridge department of the Northern Pacific railway company the past four or five years.

OBREGON FLIGHT REPORTED

Mexican Rebels Claim Heavy Federal Losses. With Many Prisoners. Informers. Details of a battle between the forces of General Estrada and the rear guard of the column commanded by President Obregon near Palo Verde were contained in reports received at headquarters of Adolfo de la Huerta here.

President Obregon was reported to have fled from the scene of combat on horseback when his forces were in confusion following desperate fighting between the rebels and the federal forces. It is reported that the rebels have been heavily losses and the prisoners are reported in number men from the 31 Obregon regiments.

Revolutionist headquarters has received reports that General Cavazos captured over 1000 rebels in the battle of Hidalgo between Mexico City and Pachuca.

HIGHER WHEAT TARIFF URGED

Hearing Opened in Washington on Plea of National Grain Council. The duty on wheat must be accompanied by a corresponding advance on flour. It was contended before the tariff commission at the opening hearing held on the application of Wheat Council of the United States for the present duty of 30 cents a bushel on wheat.

Former Senator McCarver, of North Dakota, counsel for the application, contended that flour was being sold wholesale at a very low margin and reminded the commission that the present duty on wheat is the present tariff law great care was taken to provide the proper differential between the rates of duty imposed on wheat and on flour. This differential, he asserted, could not be disturbed.

Horace Wilcox Passes Away

Horace Wilcox passed away suddenly in a St. Paul hospital yesterday. He had gone to the hospital the day before for medical treatment and his death came as a complete shock to his relatives. Information of the cause of his death has not been received as yet.

The remains will be brought to Pine City tonight and burial will be made in the Wilcox plot in the Brookwood cemetery. Services will be held at the Presbyterian church tomorrow—Friday—afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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High School Honor Roll

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FALL HIGH is as follows: Roy Reinhardt, 93.50; Henry Beery, 93.75; Allen Carlson, 93.50; Leslie Polivka, 92.25; Melba Wiley, 92.50; Geraldine Wiley, 91.25; Eva Franklin, 90.50.

The Sophomores honor students read: March Dyrland, 92.5; Virginia Wilde, 91.25; Margaret Love, 31; Beth Alpin, 90.25; Margaret Somers, 90.25; Harold Truesdell, 91; Henry, 92.35; William Carleton, 92.25; Mary Mack, 91.4.

Those of the Senior Class who eligible are: Galen Weinberger, 92.50; March Dyrland, 92.5; Virginia Wilde, 91.25; Margaret Love, 31; Beth Alpin, 90.25; Margaret Somers, 90.25; Harold Truesdell, 91; Henry, 92.35; William Carleton, 92.25; Mary Mack, 91.4.

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48 INDICTED IN HERBIVOROUS PRISONERS ARRESTED AFTER SERIES OF RIOTS RELEASED—TWO NAMED IN DEATH.

Marion, Ill.—A total of 48 indictments were returned by the William county grand jury which met in session here for the last two weeks investigating the acts of S. Glenn Young, dry road leader, and other leaders, the alleged illegal arrest of the forerunners of the grand jury, and allegations of theft and assault, and other crimes committed by the rioters.

COOLIDGE FOR FARMER AID President Pushes Agricultural Situation Up to Eastern Financiers.

New York—President Coolidge made it emphatically plain to the financial East that the solution of the agricultural problem in the Northwest was of prime importance. In his speech before 2,000 members of the National Republican club of New York city, the chief executive set up squarely to the men of the financial centers of America the problem for united action to bring agriculture back to a sound basis.

PLEDGES JUSTICE OIL CASES Coolidge Promised Immediate and Unshrinking Prosecutions.

New York—The committee on the denials promised by President Coolidge that there will be immediate, adequate and unshrinking prosecutions, criminal and civil, in the oil and gasoline disclosures.

PREMIER ANNOUNCES POLICY Macdonald Complimented On Opening Speech by Baldwin, Aquith.

LONDON—In a calm atmosphere, though not devoid of excitement and in circumstances which a few months ago would have been regarded as impossible, the new labor prime minister, J. Ramsay MacDonald, announced the policy of his government to a crowded and interested assembly.

START OIL COUNCIL FIGHT Strains in Questioned About Connections With 'Whip' Bankers.

Washington—An organization in the Senate against administration bills H. H. Brown and Allen Pomeroy is expected to be organized in the all-congression to British oil and gasoline charges to the rapidly increasing flow of the oil and oil issues.

Washington—Promising signs of a new deal...

Miss Viola A. Smith

New Briefs from The State

Condensed Stories of Happenings of the Week in Minnesota

Waseca—L. J. Sheldon, a local poultryman, is now delivering over 100 dozen eggs a week to local patrons. St. Cloud—A program of "Y" committee work in the various districts and smaller cities of the state was outlined at the 48th annual convention of the Minnesota Y. M. C. A. here.

U. S. MARKET REPORT

(For week ending Feb. 11, 1934) WHEAT—The Chicago market for wheat closed at 1.17 1/2, up from 1.17 1/4. Corn—The Chicago market for corn closed at 47 1/2, up from 47 1/4. Soybeans—The Chicago market for soybeans closed at 1.17 1/2, up from 1.17 1/4.

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Canon Falls—Canon Falls defeated the Faribault high school team in a debate here by a 3 to 0 decision. The immigration question was debated.

Duluth—John King of Greenway high school, Coleraine, won first place in district extemporaneous contest at Hibbing speaking on immigration.

Waseca—Waseca's new \$71,000 sewer system was put in operation for the first time last week and is doing a fine job.

LeSueur—The local creamery made 41,000 pounds of butter in January, an against 27,000 in January a year ago.

Willmar—The Farmers Security State bank of Willmar may open its doors again soon, it was financially aided having been promised the institution.

St. Charles—Mrs. Sophia Pickert, a resident of St. Charles for more than 60 years, was 100 years old.

Blount—At a meeting of the radio owners of this city, an organization was perfected with 30 charter members.

LeSueur—The heaviest log shipment from here in years was one included in a shipment from the Jap Janovsky here.

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SPECIAL COUNSELLORS, HOWEVER, MAY BE TRUSTED TO AVOID ALL PARTISANSHIP.

By EDWARD B. CLARK Washington—Special counsellors of the president are attempting to make it appear that guilt in any matter is partisan rather than personal. Some congressmen, some senators partly, possibly are hurting the cause of party by their violent and virulent attempts to involve not only persons but parties in the current scandal.

Alfred Pomeroy, an attorney named by President Coolidge to coordinate the investigation of the oil scandal, is believed to be a partisan rather than a person. Some congressmen, some senators partly, possibly are hurting the cause of party by their violent and virulent attempts to involve not only persons but parties in the current scandal.

When the Ballinger-Pinchot trouble was at its height in the Taft administration, Denby, then a member of the house of representatives, was a Ballinger partisan, or if it should be put in another way, he was a partisan of the oil scandal.

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PLAN FOR COOKING RICE PROPERLY



Cooking Rice So That It is Fluffy and Each Grain Separate.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Rice can be cooked so that it is fluffy and so each grain remains separate, say food specialists in the United States Department of Agriculture. To obtain this result wash the rice thoroughly, boil it in a large proportion of water, and do not overcook.

To 1 cupful of dry rice, use 4 or 5 quarts of water, and 1 teaspoonful of salt. Wash the rice through several waters until all the loose starch is removed, and drain it. Have the boiling water ready in a deep saucepan, add the salt, slowly drop in the rice, and allow it to boil rapidly for about 15 to 20 minutes, or until a grain when pressed between the thumb and finger is entirely soft.

In order to prevent the rice from sticking to the pan, lift it if necessary from time to time with a fork, but do not stir it, for stirring is likely to break the grains. When sufficiently cooked, turn the rice into a colander or a sieve, and after the water has drained off, cover with a cloth and set over a pan of hot water on the back of the stove. In the oven, or turn the rice into a shallow pan, cover with a lid, and place it in a warm oven for a short time. Treated in this way the grains swell and are kept separate.

PROPER CARE OF FOOD WILL PREVENT WASTE

Many Little Details Which Escape Attention.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

While most good housekeepers pride themselves on being so careful in their purchases for the food they purchase and prepare for their families, there are many details in connection with the handling of specific foods which may have escaped the attention of many housewives unless they have made a special study of the subject. Again, although everyone knows that spoiled food is both unpleasant and dangerous, many persons do not know that food may be contaminated with dangerous bacteria and yet show no outward traces of spoilage.

Farmers' Bulletin 1374, "Care of Food in the Home," prepared by the Bureau of home economics, gives information as to the forms of food, and of food spoilage and suggests methods for keeping various ordinary foods in good condition.

Emphasis is placed on keeping all foods clean; that is, protected from visible dirt and from contamination by insects and other creatures, and from germs micro-organisms. Most kinds should also be kept cool. Dry foods, such as crackers, should be protected from absorbing moisture, and succulent foods, such as fresh vegetables, from losing it.

The following practices, which are brought to the reader's attention, in connection with the home care of food, serve to remind the experienced housekeeper as well as the novice of points that will bear watching in her kitchen, pantry and living, whether she cares for the family food personally or instructs largely to servants or other persons.

Milk, fresh meat, poultry and fish, and many fresh fruits and vegetables should be kept at a temperature of 50 degrees F., or preferably less, in order to check the growth of micro-organisms that cause souring and decay.

All fruits and vegetables that are to be eaten raw should be thoroughly washed, for even though they look clean, dangerous bacteria may cling to skins or leaves. As ripe and succulent meats of any kind should not be eaten. Smoking meat does not kill parasites. Leftover cooked meats should be kept cold and covered, used promptly, especially in warm weather, and, if possible, heated thoroughly before being served again. Dangerous poisons sometimes develop in such foods without making noticeable changes in taste or smell.

Flour, sugar, cereals and other dry groceries should be kept dry and protected from household pests. Tea, coffee and spices hold their flavor best in airtight containers.

Canned foods keep best in a cool, dry closet or storeroom. Those in glass jars should be shielded from the light to prevent possible fading.

Under hygienic conditions, the refrigerator is considered the best means of keeping food cool. Choose one with well-insulated walls, not only clean and clear food in clean containers into it, and keep it clean by the daily practice of genuine neatness.

Food must be safeguarded from spoilage by bacteria, which are produced by changes produced by heat and cold, light, and loss or absorption of moisture, by insects and household pests, and by animal parasites.

Adequate storage places and containers make for economy and safety in handling food in the home.

Farmers' Bulletin 1374 may be obtained free as long as the supply lasts by applying to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Vegetable Water Is Useful in Cooking

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Save your potato water and rice water for use in cooking. Many of the vegetables have been cooked, for rice in which vegetable matter is dissolved will in many cases make gravies and soups better flavored. Some vegetable flavors, especially those which are slightly sweet, are less useful than others in this way. Cooking green vegetables in a small amount of water will result in a more tender and palatable product.

The thermostat—Test it in warm water with a good clinical thermometer. The thermostat—See that it is really regulating the temperature. If not, adjust it as a new one.

The regulator bar—Does it swing freely?

The lamp—Boll the burner, clean or replace the lanthana, and see that the lamp does not smoke.

Water pipes and tanks—Look for leaks on the plain side of the pipe.

Disinfect—Wash inside of machine with one part creol in 10 parts water. Dry out machine with lamp burning and air out well before putting in the eggs.

GRAPE NEEDS CULTIVATION AND PLENTY OF FOOD

Many Good Varieties Can Be Grown Here—Points on Spraying.

Eight of the best grape varieties are the grape to grow in Minnesota for jelly and juice, says W. H. Alderman, chief of the division of horticulture, University of Minnesota. For a purple grape, look to eat out of hand and for the other leaves of lettuce, and in their order, Campbell's Early, Moore's Early, Worden, and Concord, for the red, Brighton, Delaware and Niagara, for the white, Niagara, Diamond.

Mr. Alderman recommends that the Beta and grapes generally be planted eight feet apart in rows about 11 feet. Cultivation and fertilization are important because the grapevine is a sturdy grower and consequently a good feeder. Barnyard manure or good commercial fertilizers should be applied. Nitrate of soda should be applied if the vineyard shows signs of weakness. Phosphate is needed on some Minnesota soils. Cultivation is important in conserving moisture and building up the supply of nitrates in the soil. Cover crops should be sown in the vineyard in August for a nitrogen fertilizer, says Mr. Alderman, who says that, in both production and insurance. If the grapes have suffered from black rot the preceding season two sprayings of bordeaux mixture should be given in May before the blossoming time. A third application should follow after blossoming and then perhaps a fourth, depending on circumstances.

The Beta grape, which was originated in Minnesota and is celebrated for its resistance to the sweet potato water mites without being covered except in the northern part of the state. All the purple, red, and white grapes should be laid down in the fall and covered with six inches of dirt.

Sharp Knives Are Essential for Paring Such Things as Apples and Potatoes

Water is in all cases better than in a large quantity, according to the United States Department of Agriculture.

Sharpen your paring knives, and pare such things as apples and potatoes as thinly as possible. Peaches, beets, and tomatoes should be washed and cold dipped to get the skins of quick and economically. When beets, turnips and kohlrabi are young and fresh the tops may all be boiled and served as greens, as may also cauliflower stalks, the coarse stalks of celery, and the outer leaves of lettuce. Small amounts of different kinds of greens can often be combined in one dish.

Making Sweet Potato Pie Is Not Difficult

Somewhat similar in flavor and appearance to pumpkin pie, the sweet potato pie is deservedly popular in districts where sweet potatoes are abundant. This recipe below was tested by extension workers in the Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college, working cooperatively with the United States Department of Agriculture.

Sweet Potato Custard Meringue Pie.—Line a pie in with pastry. Fill with the following mixture:

1 1/2 cups mashed sweet potato
1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup sweet potato
1/2 cup sweet milk
1 egg
2 eggs
1/2 cup lemon
1/2 cup cream

Leave out the egg whites for the meringue. Beat the yolks of the eggs into the cooled and mashed potatoes, add the melted butter and the other ingredients; pour into the pastry and bake in a moderate oven until the custard is set. Add a pinch of salt to the whites, beat until stiff; add two table-spoons of sugar. Mix well. Spread over the top of the pie and put into a very moderate oven until it is a delicate brown. A very light delicate custard may be had if the potatoes are rubbed through a sieve or strainer, or put through a ricer.

Charcoal is a Capital Disinfectant. Keep a dish of it in the larder, and the food that it will not quickly taint.

If you get a cake too stiff never add more milk, but beat an egg and add gradually until the desired thickness is attained.

A thermometer is a true gauge of temperature than your feelings. Hang one up when you start the furnace.

Guard rails in the pig pen keep the sow from mashing her young.



Pertinent Pointers for Practical Farmers

Prepared by the Agricultural Department, University of Minnesota

HATCHING TIME NEARS; THINGS TO DO IN ADVANCE

How Time and Labor Can Be Saved in the Busy Season.

Hatching time approaches long before it is here, the poultryman should take stock of his equipment and determine what will be needed. The work of the busy hatching period can be materially lightened if preparations for it are begun now. In their poultry news letter for February N. E. Chapman and Cora Cooke, specialists with the agricultural extension service of the university say:

If you are hatching with hens, there are nests and coops to be made ready. Having a large number of hens, it is well to have a great deal of time and labor. The hens can be more easily cared for and better results are obtained in raising the chicks. In fact, checks at the same age grow better than there are several lots of different ages.

"Have all the setting hens in a single room if possible. This will save many steps and simplify the work in the winter. Place the nests in a secluded place where the hens will not be disturbed. Nests for this purpose can be made now while the farm work is not so heavy as it will be later. If you use an incubator, it should be brought out from the winter place and receive a thorough overhauling. It is surprising how many things can happen to an incubator during its ten months' vacation. Examine every part to see that everything is all right so that you will not have to send for a new part just when you are ready to put the eggs in it in April."

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SPECIALISTS RECOMMEND ACME POULTRY HOUSE

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The Acme poultry house, which is recommended by the poultry specialists of the state university, is an all-year-round house, being easy to ventilate in summer and being built for winter and dryness.

"Sixty of these houses were built in 1923 in Alitka county, and, according to the county agent, are proving highly serviceable. Owners of flocks housed in the Acme are almost invariably getting high egg production.

Plans and specifications for the house shown herewith can be obtained for ten cents by addressing the Agricultural Extension Service, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn. The picture shows the combination, or unequal span, but the gable, or shed-roof type may be used with slight changes in material for the roof.

"The distinctive features of the Acme plan are the lighting and ventilation," says N. E. Chapman, poultry specialist.

THE SIMPLICITY of the WASHINGTONS

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New Washington Memorial

74 ENROLL FIRST WEEK FOR HORTICULTURE COURSE

Flower, Fruit and Vegetable Growing Studied by Large Class.

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Motion pictures and illustrated lectures will be given at intervals in the lecture hall in the auditorium, Dean W. C. Davis, and the horticultural department of Agriculture will give the address at 3 p. m. Friday, February 22, on "What Horticulture Can Do for Minnesota."

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WASHINGTON'S TOMB

HEAT Kings of old have wrapped their robes around it, and in splendor, yielded up their souls to the great beyond. Dreading a monarch's fame should outlast death, and gold and jewels stay the hand of Fate.

The treasures of the earth have decked their golden crowns, and diamonds and jade have adorned them, but when their dark house holds, and their loved ones might light Death's door.

Yet have kings slept the centuries away. Their names forgotten and their glories dim. And the simple life have named the same of him Who walked as walks a god, a little less than mortal.

But thou, a Country's honor and its pride, His vessel of splendor in thy sleeping place, Thy people's hand has skill enough to trace The story of thy worth, thy grave be made.

Yet here shall gather through all passing days. For man's hand shall reverence the true. Children and children's children, to renew Thy Country's homage in their heart and in their hands.

Sleep thou serenely on the earth's soft breast; O'er thee shall radiant gems or dazzling gold. But thou and reverence about thee fold. In nobler state what king would ask to rest.

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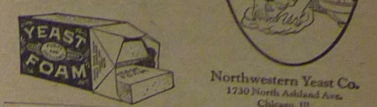
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Ancient Light Built on Cotton Foundation

The employment of cotton as a foundation for buildings erected on sandy soil is a matter of common knowledge, but the story of the first application of the material to this purpose is not generally known.

Dealing with the ancient light at Llanwrthwl, between the Mersey and the Dee, difficulties were encountered in the search for a solid base, and the inspiration of the builders. Some of the cotton which had been washed ashore was mixed with sand, and on this a massive stone tower was erected so firmly that it was found to withstand the fury of the nightfall tempests.

Kissing Termed Crime in Puritan New England

Kissing is considered an unwholesome practice by some people. A few years ago the physicians of Milwaukee prepared a bill for the absolute suppression of kissing, on the ground that the practice was hygienically dangerous.

The bill did not become a law, but would have made Milwaukee more famous, but somewhat similar laws existed in Puritan New England.

In 1636 Capt. Kenble of Boston was "set for two hours in the public stocks for his lewd and unseemly behavior" which consisted in "kissing his wife publicly on the Sabbath day." The same, it would appear, was only less tedious than the kiss itself.—Darrot News.

Unfair

It is unfair that a dumb creature like a cat should have nine lives, while an intelligent pedestrian has only one.

A contentionsist may be completely wrapped up in himself without being contented.

An Amazing Fact

To many people it may seem incredible that a habit so common as coffee-drinking can be harmful. Yet if your doctor were to enumerate the common causes of indigestion, headache, and run-down condition, he would be likely to mention coffee.

If you are troubled with insomnia, nervousness, or are inclined to be high-strung, try Postum in place of coffee for thirty days, and note the difference in the way you feel, and how much better you sleep.

Postum is a pure cereal beverage, absolutely free from caffeine, or any harmful drug.

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All Around the House

Paint on window panes may be red by washing it with vinegar.

To stop hemorrhoids give the patient a teaspoonful of granulated sugar in a vinegar. If this does not afford relief, repeat the dose.

Charcoal is a capital disinfectant. Keep a dish of it in the larder, and the food that it will not quickly taint.

If you get a cake too stiff never add more milk, but beat an egg and add gradually until the desired thickness is attained.

A thermometer is a true gauge of temperature than your feelings. Hang one up when you start the furnace.

Guard rails in the pig pen keep the sow from mashing her young.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1924

SAW MILL FOR SALE.
One lay, wire sawmill.
Nice new location,
Ten-mile haul,
To the shipping station.
Half mile of plank road,
Best of its kind,
Six bridges all condemned,
But otherwise are good.
Timber yellow cypress,
Hewn's many knots,
Awfully sound in places,
Between the rotten spars.
Fire box and boiler,
Every five leaks some,
Injector warped and patched,
With spearmint chewing gum.
Has a darn good whistle,
And a carriage track,
With only nine feet left,
Of the old smokstack.
Belts are a little ragged,
Rats have ate the laces,
Head saw is cracked,
In a couple places.

The engine has a knock,
And is loose upon its base,
And the fly wheel's busted,
In only just one place.
There's a pile of lumber,
And a few call ties,
But they've been attached,
By some credit guys.
There's a mortgage on the land,
That is now way past due,
And I still owe,
For the machinery too.
But if you want to get rich,
Here's the place to begin,
For it's a darn good layout,
For the shape it's in.
—Frank Rous

Theatre Notes

Saturday—
"Lost Gibson in 'Out of Luck.'"
From the rolling plains to the rolling main, "Lost Gibson goes plunging, bucking, pitching and tearing through this rollicking romance, a lightning streak of golden smiles, peppery action and uproarious fun!
You'll laugh until the tears run down your cheeks as you see him in his dizzy escapades on bucking bronco and rolling mat, pitching train and sailor's hammock!
Also a comedy "The Limit" and Movie, Chats.
Sunday—
"The Tie That Binds."
Charles K. Harris is the author of such world-wide successes as "Just Break the News to Mother," "After the Ball" and others. He wrote the story and song, "The Tie That Binds."
Buster Keaton in "Day Dreams."
Tuesday—
"Her Dangerous Path."
"When Fighting's Necessary."

Cow-Testing Records---Assn. No. 2

The following table gives the more than 40 pounds of butterfat records and records of the cows in during the period of 30 days and the Association which have produced it, January 31, 1924.

Owner	Name	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Test	Lbs. Fat
E. Crom	Grade	Holstein	902	4.2	41.66
E. Crom	Grade	Holstein	1259	3.2	40.28
E. Crom	Grade	Holstein	1236	3.8	46.96
E. Crom	Grade	Holstein	1128	3.7	44.76
Chas. Latourell	Grade	Holstein	1010	4.0	40.42
Chas. Latourell	Grade	Holstein	1023	4.1	41.94
Chas. Latourell	Grade	Holstein	1038	3.9	40.59
Chas. Latourell	Grade	Holstein	1122	4.1	44.91
Chas. Bergwig	Grade	Jersey	700	5.8	40.63
W. Abrahamson	Grade	Holstein	1277	3.8	48.53
W. Abrahamson	Grade	Holstein	1035	4.0	41.44
M. Christianson	Grade	Holstein	1184	3.4	40.25
M. Christianson	Grade	Holstein	1209	3.6	44.56
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1838	3.0	55.14
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1888	4.0	64.43
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1184	3.6	42.63
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1665	3.4	53.22
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1419	3.6	51.11
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1855	3.4	63.53
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1621	3.2	51.38
E. S. Hooker	P. B.	Jersey	1091	4.2	45.33
E. S. Hooker	Grade	Jersey	1069	4.6	48.78
L. S. Hoster	Grade	Jersey	1007	4.2	42.31
C. E. Carlson	P. B.	Holstein	1701	3.4	60.92
C. E. Carlson	P. B.	Holstein	1556	3.8	59.13
C. E. Carlson	Grade	Holstein	1060	3.8	40.52
C. E. Tripp	P. B.	Holstein	1931	3.5	67.59
C. E. Tripp	P. B.	Holstein	1488	4.1	61.00
C. E. Tripp	Grade	Guernsey	1010	6.0	61.00
C. E. Tripp	Grade	Guernsey	1069	3.8	40.64
W. Hagonan	Grade	Holstein	1429	4.5	64.30
E. Kuchenblecker	Grade	Holstein	1937	2.8	54.25
E. Kuchenblecker	Grade	Holstein	1571	2.8	44.21
E. Kuchenblecker	P. B.	Holstein	1458	3.1	44.50
E. Kuchenblecker	Grade	Holstein	1481	3.0	41.45
John White	Grade	Holstein	985	4.2	41.40
L. G. Reed	Grade	Guernsey	858	5.0	42.92
J. M. Seedorf	Grade	Jersey	917	4.8	44.04
John Bergwick	Grade	Jersey	877	5.2	45.61
John Bergwick	Grade	Jersey	973	4.7	45.74
Roy Schnapp	Grade	Jersey	936	4.4	41.18
Roy Schnapp	Grade	Shorthorn	1107	3.9	43.17

Arnold Driven, Official Tester E. S. Hooker, Secretary.

Cow-Testing Records---Assn. No. 1

The following table gives the more than 40 pounds of butterfat names and records of the cows in during the period of 30 days ending the Association which have produced it, January 30, 1924.

Owner	Name	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Test	Lbs. Fat
A. W. Sommer	Grade	Holstein	1170	4.0	46.8
A. W. Sommer	Gr.	Holstein	1470	3.0	44.1
Norman Ward	Grade	Holstein	1016	3.6	45.7
Norman Ward	Grade	Holstein	892	4.5	40.1
John Dyrland	Gr.	Holstein	1246	3.4	42.3
John Dyrland	Grade	Holstein	1357	3.0	40.7
A. P. Peppin	P. B.	Jersey	784	6.2	48.5
A. P. Peppin	P. B.	Jersey	956	5.1	48.7
Wedeman Bros.	P. B.	Holstein	930	5.1	47.4
Wedeman Bros.	P. B.	Holstein	1617	4.8	48.3
Wedeman Bros.	Grade	Holstein	1481	3.4	40.1
Wedeman Bros.	Grade	Holstein	1260	3.4	42.4
J. W. Holiday	Grade	Guernsey	705	6.1	49.3
J. W. Holiday	Grade	Guernsey	951	4.3	46.8
Russell Bede	P. B.	Guernsey	533	4.4	41.0
J. E. Swanson & Son	Gr.	Guernsey	1323	4.0	53.5
J. E. Swanson & Son	Gr.	Guernsey	1001	4.2	42.0
E. Downing	Grade	Holstein	1392	3.2	44.5
E. Downing	Grade	Holstein	1898	3.8	45.7
E. Downing	Grade	Holstein	1016	4.0	46.6
William Cort	Grade	Holstein	1238	3.8	47.3
William Cort	Grade	Holstein	1401	3.2	44.3
William Cort	Grade	Holstein	976	4.4	42.9
Wedeman Bros.	Grade	Holstein	1451	3.4	42.3
Wedeman Bros.	Grade	Holstein	1407	3.7	42.9
Ed. Boreen	Grade	Holstein	1094	4.5	44.9
Ed. Boreen	Grade	Holstein	1105	4.5	41.0
Ed. Boreen	Grade	Holstein	1030	4.6	47.3
Ed. Boreen	Grade	Holstein	1132	3.5	47.3
Nels Trolen	Grade	Holstein	940	3.6	41.4
Nels Trolen	Grade	Holstein	1297	4.4	43.8
Jack Trolen	Grade	Holstein	940	3.6	41.4
Martin Bohman	Grade	Holstein	1315	3.1	47.0
Martin Bohman	Grade	Holstein	1307	3.3	44.7
Martin Bohman	Grade	Holstein	1060	4.3	47.2
Herman Teich	Grade	Guernsey	1098	4.0	50.3
Herman Teich	Grade	Guernsey	982	4.2	41.2
Herman Teich	Grade	Guernsey	741	5.4	40.0
Emil Stapel	Grade	Holstein	1153	5.2	59.0
Emil Stapel	Grade	Holstein	1324	3.4	41.6
Emil Stapel	Grade	Holstein	911	4.4	40.0
A. P. Peppin	P. B.	Jersey	748	5.6	41.7

Russell Bede, Secretary

"Fresh Eggs."
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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH NEWS

There will be a congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian church, Tuesday, Feb. 26th at 8 p.m., at the church. The future welfare of the church will be discussed. This is a very important meeting and everyone interested in the church should be there. Rev. J. F. McCleod will moderate the meeting.

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Naturally such sweeping commendation is gratifying but if, as we suspect, and want to believe, Mr. Ford's remark was prompted by his knowledge that this Company is succeeding in rendering a superior service to the public, then it is doubly pleasing.

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To produce an oil that will increase the revolutions per minute of machinery in other essential industries and thereby increase their output—that is service.

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To maintain a fair and equitable price for its products—that is service.

Skill in management of any business is mirrored in the service rendered. An organization which puts profits ahead of service cannot endure.

Firm in its conviction that the greater the service, the greater the profit, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) looks to service as its chief concern.

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910 So. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. 3503

CATHOLIC CHURCH NEWS

Father Leo, pastor
Services at Pine City next Sunday morning at 10:30, Sunday school at 9:30.
No services at Beroun next Sunday.
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Chocolate ice cream soda on Friday and Saturday at Prochaska's for 5c.

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For Friday and Saturday
February 22nd and 23rd

GROCERIES

Sanitary Seal Soda Crackers in 4-lb. Caddies	60c	value per caddie	45c
Rutabagas	2c	" "	1c
Fancy Box Apples, 40 lbs. net weight	\$2.25	" per box	\$1.69
Foley's Coffee, 3 lb. Utility Can	1.40	" can	1.19
Our Best Bulk Coffee	35c	" lb.	30c
Forbes' Breakfast Coffee	18c	" pkg	13c
Fresh Comb Honey, 1 lb Combs	22c	" lb.	17c
Corn Meal, 10-lb. bags	40c	" bag	32c

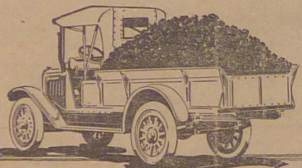
MEATS

Side Pork	18c	value per lb	13c
Bologna	18c	" "	12c
Pork Steak	20c	" "	15c
Swift's Bacon	28c	" "	18c

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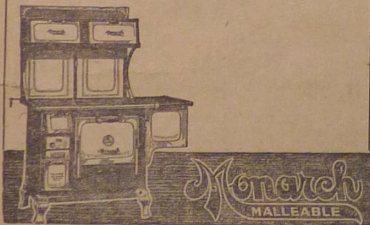
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By Reading The Poker "Ads"

Local News

Wm. Challeen has sold a radio to Mrs. John Hady.

Mrs. Cranton returned from a visit in the Twin cities last Saturday.

Ed. Prochaska left for the Twin cities Monday to attend the state convention of the state optometrists.

Mrs. Jos. Therien left for Two Harbors Tuesday where she will visit for a few days with relatives.

J. P. Buchan was a business caller in the Twin cities last week, going down Friday morning.

Miss Helen Brookshire leaves for the Twin cities today to spend the balance of the week with friends.

The W. G. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. J. D. Doyle on Tuesday afternoon of next week.

Miss Alice Daniels is spending a few days visiting with friends at St. Cloud.

Mrs. Fred Brandes came up from St. Paul Saturday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Therien.

Phil Maisonneuve returned from Minneapolis last Thursday where he was called by the death of his sister.

S. B. Wells, Ed. Hakes and Albert Lloyd have been logging on the Wells farm near Hinckley the past couple of weeks.

Miss Berna Dette and Eugene Yonnelle of Stillwater visited over the week end at the Korbel and Jos. Holatz homes.

Miss Evangeline Frankson, who was indisposed Saturday, with a severe cold felt much better Sunday, and was able to take the limited back to Minneapolis.

Mrs. Ed. Larson came up from Minneapolis last Saturday to spend the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wandel sr.

Mrs. R. A. Hunt and one of the children went to Minneapolis last Thursday where they will visit for a week or more at the home of her sister.

Mrs. R. L. Wiseman and Mrs. McEachern went to St. Paul today to attend the state convention of Federated Womens Clubs.

Mrs. Nels Hillman left for the meeting yesterday.

Ottocar Sobotka took over the postoffice last Monday and is now in charge as postmaster. J. M. Collins, postmaster for the past eight years, is undecided as to his future plans.

The valentine dance given by the band in the armory Thursday evening drew a fair sized crowd and quite a number of the dancers appeared in fancy costumes. Prizes were given for the best costumes and prize dancers.

Sheriff Hawley is still confined to his home with his injured ankle and his deputy, Jack Woodhead, is taking care of his work during his chief's absence. He left for St. Peter last evening with a patient from Denham who has been committed to the state institution.

It is reported that Mr. Monahan of Minneapolis, who suffered a fractured skull in an auto accident here recently died last week. The injury was received when the auto, in which he was riding, upset in front of the Henry Buirge home February 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sauser and children leave for the Twin cities today where they will spend the balance of this week and part of next. Mr. Sauser will attend the annual stockholders meeting of the Hall Hardware Co. on Friday and Saturday and the annual convention of the state hardwaremen next week.

Miss Elizabeth Stephan is here from St. Paul for a visit at the home of her parents, Mrs. Mullins, who was here visiting her parents last week returned to the city with her husband, who came up Saturday.

Mrs. Stephan has been quite sick but is improving steadily and the girls have been home to help care for her.

On our journey through the court house in quest of news this week, we called on Treasurer Frank Pofert and his contribution to this week's issue of The Poker is the following verse which was given to him by a Canadian visitor recently: Half a

dozen Yankos who were feeling ev' Hat to go to Canada to get a Bill, rye! When the rye was opened they all began to sing, Who the Heck is Vaincent! God save the King.

We are informed that Emil Munch has sold quite a little of his Gross lake shore property and the purchasers may possibly build this coming summer. The purchasers reported are Charles P. Kalschauer, E. H. O'Rourke and H. V. Glycerman, all of St. Paul. It will not be many years until the east shore of Gross lake will be thickly settled with summer homes.

R. P. Allen received a telegram from Los Angeles, Calif., last Saturday informing him of the serious injury of his father, J. M. Allen. The telegram did not state how the injury happened but gave the information that Mr. Allen sr. had a fractured hip and was also suffering from a bad case of pneumonia. He went to Los Angeles in November to spend the winter there.

J. D. Johnson of Nickerson was a visitor in the village last Monday. Mr. Johnson is one of Pine county's old time politicians and he says he misses the old days of the real exciting county conventions when the chairman of the convention generally controlled the meeting to his heart's content. Mr. Johnson says that folks in the eastern part of the county are just beginning to interest themselves in the coming election when they will elect a commissioner for the fifth district. He is of the opinion there will be a merry contest in the Fifth this year.

Mrs. Chas. Spieker returned from St. Paul yesterday where she visited the past couple of weeks at the home of her sister. A man was shot by highway men there last Thursday night, later dying from the wounds. The holdup occurred in front of the house where Mrs. Spieker was visiting. She heard the shots fired and on going to the window to look out, she saw the wounded man take a few steps up the street and then fall to the ground. The bullets made their escape in a car. She says there was considerable excitement for a few minutes with the police patrol, ambulances, policemen and crowd that gathered.

SCHOOL NOTES

(James Pofert, Editor)

Annie Scotting was enrolled in the first grade this week.

The second graders have made some new mother goose posters.

The second graders receiving stars for clean finger nails this week are Cleo DeWeese, Delores Lindgren, Paul Stoffel, Robert Therien, Marguerite Johnson. Much interest is being shown in the Keep Clean Crusade.

Mary Oliverious and Phillip Johnson brought two new plants, for the second grade.

The seventh graders are having a debate on which is best a horse or a Ford.

The eighth graders have written themes on George Washington. A box of candy is offered as a prize for the best theme submitted.

Lone Scholtis, Paul Hagen, Clarence Lewis and Olga Holatz received Palm Method Writing certificates.

Mr. Grinnell is reading essays on old maxims, such as Honesty, Truth, Work, etc.

The H. S. B. B. tossers lost a game last Friday evening when they took the small end of a 13 to 7 score against the Sandstone team.

They go to Elyrs Lake tonight where they will play the last game of the regular season.

The Bear Cats will play the Rush City Katzenjammers at Rush City Friday morning.

Card of Thanks

I wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks to our many kind friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of assistance, and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our beloved husband and uncle, and We also wish to thank those who so kindly furnished automobiles at the funeral—Mrs. Henry Louis and niece.

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Old Dutch Cleanser	3 cans	27c
A good bulk Coffee		special 29c
Bulk Oat Meal	6 lbs.	25c
10-lb. sack Table Salt		22c
Lantern Globes		special 10c
Men's 12-in. Lumbermen's Overs, reg.		\$4.75 value
		3.90
Men's 2:20 weight Overalls, a bargain at		\$1.85
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A FULL LINE OF RADIO EQUIPMENT ON HAND

Duds for Spring and Winter Wear

There are evening gowns of exquisite brocade, floral and silk, handsome unadorned fur-trimmed gowns for afternoon, wraps, furs, sport suits, tea gowns, lingerie. In contrast with these, writes a fashion correspondent in the New York Times, are the sunny frocks and trappings for the Southern season—fashion suits, sun-shades, frilly muslin frocks and dory hats. Just around the corner from this touch of spring are the gowns for wraps, the heavy wool sport suits and overcoats with bushy fur collars, and all the things that go with suits and slates, knosweaves and heavy stock.

An exhibit always interesting to womanhood is the lingerie given over down and whole cross are given over



Ribbon and Roses Trim Chic Night Robe of Peach Crepe de Chine.

to it, and within, counters are piled with a stock of new and beautiful things in all the colors of the rainbow and a great many more.

By the old-time standards no woman of refinement wears anything but white lingerie, and that in cotton or rayon. The annual or semi-annual "occasion" was announced as a "white" sale. But the new idea is quite otherwise as to both fabric and color. White is the exception, and the fine linen lawn and sheer batiste are largely worn by the woman of old-fashioned or at least thoroughly conservative taste.

Muslin lingerie, except only the exquisitely embroidered and lace-trimmed undergarments of the most delicate quality, has a homely, the most plebeian look, it must be admitted, and certainly the younger generation will have none of it. Then there are the gossamer chiffons and georgettes, the clinging crepes and satins, and in almost every shade but white.

In the lovely nightgowns, pajamas, chemises, "step-ins" and shirts there is never a hint of warmth. They are for beauty and the delicious feeling that comes in the contact with soft, fine materials, though some of the crepes and satins are washable and practical and are of longer life than the white garments that stand the test of bleach and starch.

The actual goods of which today's lingerie is fashioned are crepe de chine, wash mull, pussy willow, georgette, crepe chiffon and chiffon. Some extravagances, of course, appear to gratify the fancy of those who indulge, for example, early colored satins printed in Oriental and batik patterns. But these are the freak features that usually are presented in contrast to the conventional article.

Lingerie Gowns Liked by Women

Fashioning the fresh and alluring supply of lingerie, there are attractions that are worth the while of women who desire to dress well at the most reasonable price. In all of the larger shops are offered racks full of gowns and wraps that are really truly beautiful. There are serviceable models—pajamas, gowns and coat dresses of Pique, tulle, damask, kasha, or any of the lightweight weaves, many of them trimmed with fancy braids and borders, some with worsted needlework in bright colors. There are, also, smart crepe de chine, muslin frocks with the glistening silk and a touch of embroidery or other artistic feature. And feodoras, crepe de chine, washable and voile gowns for morning and afternoon wear that will answer for the early spring season.

One special opportunity is the lingerie gown. This is the delicate, essentially feminine dress of lace and silk, that is ever a treasure in the wardrobe of a smartly dressed woman. It has the advantage of being an outfit for daytime or evening.

How to Remove Shine From Skirts or Coats

The best way to remove that shiny appearance from the back of one's skirt or coat is to never let it get there, but then, that is not the matter that is in the world to do. One should be careful to avoid it whenever possible as shiny skirts or dresses or coats are not good-looking and often spoil what would be a good costume otherwise.

Materials with piles that are high or that have a nap are often rather hard to keep in good condition. Brushes also to prevent the shine. Serge and one way to keep the pile raised and fluffed are also benefited. Serge and one way to keep the pile raised and fluffed are also benefited. Serge and one way to keep the pile raised and fluffed are also benefited.

Seven Firemen Drowned in Oil During This Fire



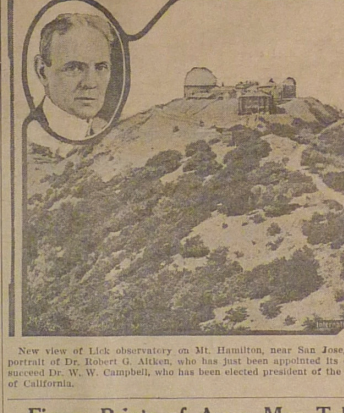
View of the fire at the Atlantic Refining company's plant in Pittsburgh in the course of which seven firemen fell into a huge tank of oil and were drowned.

Mexican Indians Join the Forces of Obregon



Two thousand Yaqui and Mayo Indians, after passing through the United States, entered Mexico at Juarez, where they joined the local Obregon forces in an attack on the rebel troops. The photograph shows the arrival at Juarez.

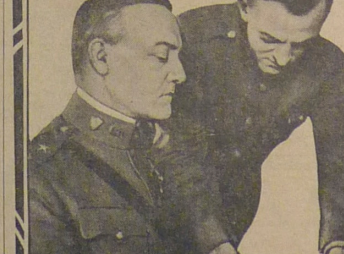
DEMOCRATIC LEADER Lick Observatory and New Chief



Dr. Jennie Callias of Omaha, Neb., the only woman on the staff of physicians at the World's fair in St. Louis was also the first woman to be elected to the board of education of Omaha.

New view of Lick Observatory on Mt. Hamilton, near San Jose, Cal., and portrait of Dr. Robert G. Allen, who has just been appointed its director to succeed Dr. W. W. Campbell, who has been elected president of the University of California.

Finger Prints of Army Men Taken



Count Ludwig Salm von Hoogstraeten, whose swift courtship of Miss Rogers of New York, grand daughter of the late H. H. Rogers, culminated in their marriage the other day, is here seen reading some of the numerous telegrams and cables congratulating him. And perhaps he should be congratulated, for though he is renouncing his bride in haste to about \$400,000,000 of Standard Oil money.

Under a new order of the War department finger prints are being taken of all officers, warrant officers, members of the army nurse corps, field clerks and cadets. Maj. Gen. Robert C. Davis, adjutant general, is shown having his finger prints taken by a staff sergeant.

"King of Bath"

The sobriquet, "King of Bath," was conferred upon Richard Nash (1874-1901), commonly known as "Boss Nash." He was appointed master of ceremonies and director of arrangements at Bath, England, and for fifteen years presided over the social affairs of that fashionable resort.

WORTH KNOWING

Much yellow silk is now raised in Japan. The famous elm of Cambridge, Mass., is older than the United States. Twenty-eight days are required to hatch the eggs of a turkey. A tax on cigarettes yields the state of Utah more than \$100,000 a year. Col. E. J. Smith was the originator of the method of putting silk thread in blankets. In Siberia the ground freezes 100 feet deep. Sun King, president of China, is sixty years old. Initiation duty is made from the legs of mules. A tax on cigarettes yields the state of Utah more than \$100,000 a year. Col. E. J. Smith was the originator of the method of putting silk thread in blankets. The first monument raised to dogs of war was unveiled at the cemetery, just north of New York.

NERVOUS & HALF-SICK WOMEN

Relieved by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

These Three Letters Prove It

Lowell, Mass.—"I am sending you a few lines to let you know what good your medicine has done for me. I want you to let every one know that it has helped me in nervous troubles. I have four children and you know there is a lot to do where children are. They would come in from school and they would start telling me about their little troubles but I could not stand it. I had to send them away. I could not even walk on the street alone I was so nervous. I found one of your books and read it and then I saw in the paper about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I got it and had taken one bottle when I saw a change in myself. I was surprised. The children can talk all they want to now and it does not bother me. I am still taking the Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. LOUISE LEASDA, 34 South Street, Lowell, Mass.

most no time. I had hardly been able to do my own work and after taking the Vegetable Compound I felt like a new woman. I recommend it to my friends who have troubles like I did, and hope they will find the same results."—Mrs. M. CARPENTER, 677 W. Chase Street, Springfield, Missouri.

40 Years Old, Feels Like 20
Hagerstown, Md.—"I was very bad off with backache, a bearing-down feeling in my body and a pain in my left side. I could not get on my feet at times and once I was so bad I walked bent over to one side for three months. My sister read of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and got me a bottle. I got so much relief that I took more until I was well. I am 40 years old and feel like 20. I am sure this medicine will help all women."—Mrs. MARY E. SANDY, 438 W. Franklin Street, Hagerstown, Md.

Felt Like A New Woman
Springfield, Missouri.—"For four or five months I was run-down, nervous, my back ached and I did not feel like doing a thing. Sometimes my legs ached and felt like they would break and I had a hurting in my side. I had been reading in the newspapers the letters of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and the advertising of it appealed to me so I bought some and saw results in al-

Over 100,000 women have so far replied to our question, "Have you been benefited from taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?" 98 per cent of these replies are "Yes." That means that 98 out of every 100 women who take this medicine for the ailments for which it is recommended are benefited by it. All druggists are having increased sales of this medicine.

Two pleasant ways to relieve a cough

Take your choice and suit your taste. S-B-Cough Drops, Menthol flavor. A sure relief for coughs, colds and hoarseness. Put one in your mouth at bedtime. Always keep a box on hand.

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S.B. COUGH DROPS MENTHOL
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Sure Sign
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Cures Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache, Indigestion. Drug stores. Adv.

About the easiest way to settle an argument is to shut up.
Hunting is likely to go on even after there is a rabbit left.

Children Cry for
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CASTORIA
MOTHERS—Fletcher's Castoria is a pleasant, harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared for Infants and Children all ages.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher. Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

Laxatives do not overcome constipation
LAXATIVES and cathartics provide temporary relief only, at the expense of permanent injury. In time, says an eminent physician, an almost incalculable amount of harm is done by the use of pills, salts, mineral waters, castor oil and the like. Some laxatives, according to an intestinal specialist, contain poisons which affect the stomach and intestines, resulting in grave disorders. Certain laxatives are a direct cause of piles.

Physicians Advise Lubrication for Internal Cleanliness
Medical science, through knowledge of the intestinal tract gained by X-ray observation, has found at last in lubrication a means of overcoming constipation. The gentle lubricant, Nujol, penetrates and softens the hard food waste and thus hastens its passage through and out of the body. Thus Nujol brings internal cleanliness.

Not a Medicine
Nujol is used in leading hospitals and is prescribed by physicians throughout the world. Nujol is not a medicine or laxative and cannot grip. Like pure water it is harmless.

Get rid of constipation and avoid disease by adopting the habit of internal cleanliness. Use Nujol as regularly as you brush your teeth or wash your face. For sale by all druggists.

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Relief for coughs Use THIS prescription quickly relieves children and adults.

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Next time your head aches just try Shac

When they cough! KEMP'S BALSAM

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His Decision "Listen to this, boys," said Mr. Johnson, in the midst of her reading.

Teaching the Young Idea "Mother, dear, I want a liver."

Hall's Catarrh Medicine will do what no other medicine can.

The BRAITING by Katharine Newlin Burt

CHAPTER III Fight. There was a girl named Joan who followed Pierre Landis because he laid his hand upon her wrist, and there was another Joan who fled up the mountain-side at sight of him, as though the fire that had once touched her shoulder had burnt his way into her heart.

"What did he ask for? What did you tell them?" The men had asked for a lady. He had told them, as Prosper had once instructed him, that no lady was living there that the man had gone for.

"The stranger dropped to his heels, squatted, and rolled a cigarette." "I'll wait," he murmured. "You can let him know when the doves make."

CHAPTER IV Luck's Play. A young man who had just landed in New York from one of the big, adventurous transatlantic liners had called a taxicab and was quickly driven away into the glitter and gaiety of a bright winter morning.

The Stranger Dropped to His Heels, Squatted, and Rolled a Cigarette. "I'll wait," he murmured. "You can let him know when the doves make."

"Dear Luck," his manager had written, using the college title which Prosper's name and unerring good fortune suggested.

Improper Feeding Cause of Trouble With Calves. Scours in calves may be due to over-feeding of milk.

Origin of the Ribston Pippin. Each leading apple has its story, and one may be given that of the Ribston Pippin.

LAMB OR NOTHING FOR THIS MAN Offended Butcher Certainly Not For Lengthy Interview With The "Family Mutton."

The Wise Man. It sometimes happens that the world thinks a man is wise because he doesn't take the trouble to explain his mistakes.

A Lucid Explanation. "How did he make such a go of his business?" Jinks—Because he had the staying power.

Mr. Charles Chick of Oskosh, Wis., possesses a quill containing 2,118 separate pieces.

loss of breath and Yarnall, annoyed as he was, was gripped with sympathetic compassion. "I would advise the young man, to know her name."

Pierre raised a white, tense face. "Let?" He turned as if he would run after her.

"Yes, sir. These people I've had here look away with them. That he, they've been urging her to go, but she refused."

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The Manicurist. "Father—James! Tell Miss Helen the manicurist has arrived!"

MOTHER! Child's Best Laxative is "California Fig Syrup"

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Arheological. "Noah—Noah, what can be the matter with the camel?"

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Keep Well! Avoid Sickness. Take Brandrett Pills. One or two at bed time will cleanse the system, purify the blood and keep you well—Adv.

Without Training. "No," he replied, "he was a teacher."

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