

# THE WEEKLY ARENA

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## Penny Wise. Pound Foolish.

Methods of Doing Business That Should Have Been Forgotten Many Years Ago.—Small Orders Are Bait for Large Oses.

Unfortunately there are a great many men who are in business today who do not appreciate the fact that a large number of small sales is a boon to any business on account of the opportunity of making larger ones to the same people. They grumble over the loss of time that it takes to make the sale and wrap the parcel. They do not seem to remember that the profit from the small sale yields a much larger percentage for the money invested than a large sale. Nor do they seem to take into consideration that the small buyer is entitled to as much courtesy as the man who buys in large quantities.

As an example, the fore part of this week, a woman made two 35 cent purchases. The seller of the merchandise and another grumbled over the waste of time to make such small sales. It was also a fact that the profit on these two particular sales amounted to exactly the same as if the sales had been for \$3.50 each, yet the grumbling and shortsighted policy of the seller, disgusted the purchaser and we are not far from the mark when we say, lost sales which would mean many times the amount of the time lost on these two sales.

## Must Pay For Paper.

The supreme court of the United States recently made a ruling which in substance makes the subscriber who takes his paper out of the post office and refuses to pay the subscription guilty of felony and liable to arrest, as any other who defrauds. The following is a synopsis of the United States supreme court decision regarding delinquent subscriptions:

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to renew their subscription.
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and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice with payment is sent to the publisher.

### APPRECIATION.

The following letter will speak for itself as to the value that the WEEKLY ARENA gives to its readers. The letter reproduced here is an unsolicited testimonial of the value of the special articles we have been running for the benefit of the dairymen and dairy farmers.

Sept. 15, 1913.

Editor, The Weekly Arena.  
Almont, N. D.

Dear Sir:  
As we have been receiving copies of your regular weekly issue of the Arena we have become interested in some of your discussions on dairying. Your article in issue of the 6th inst. under heading "Centralizers Beneficial" we think is a very fair and unbiased write up on the subject. We are glad to note the clear conception you have of conditions as they exist, and this is more than we can say of much of the country press, they seeming to think the centralizers are a detriment to the dairy interest of all sections rather than a benefit.

Yours truly,  
Milton Dairy Co.  
C. H. Johnson.

### POST-OFFICE.

"Abide With Me" seems to be the favorite hymn of the individual candidates for the post office in this place, and each one of the four who took the examination is wooing the goddess of fate with most winning smiles, trying to call her attention to the relative merits of each particular person. Fond wooers are these and sad will be the day for those who are left when the fickle goddess bestows her favors on one of the number. She may tarry long with him, or she may soon decide that she wishes a more congenial mate, so it is a truism that "Uneasy lies the head of postmasters who hold office under a democratic administration."

Each member of the quarter wishes to be the chorister and the singing is hardly what might be termed harmonious. All desire to sing the bass where the repeat of "Abide With Me" becomes most effective and striking, and last but not least, each one unlike the old darkey, wishes the federal lightning would strike him and not even give the others the slightest shock. The democratic county central committeeman and the chairman of the committee in commenting upon the situation stated that to their way of thinking, the man who had secured the democratic signatures to the petitions would stand the best show for the office.

### WENT TO BISMARCK.

Theodore Feland spent Thursday of this week at the capital city, assisting in completing the arrangements for the funeral of the late E. M. Wilman.

## Emil M. Wilman Passed Away.

Prominent Educator Died at Bismarck after a Brief Illness.—Funeral at Sims Church Sunday at 3 O'clock.

Emil M. Wilman, at the age of 37 years, died in the Bismarck hospital, Bismarck, N. D., after an illness of two days. Decedent leaves a wife, five children, father and mother, six brothers, one sister and numerous other relatives to mourn his early taking away.

Mr. Wilman was born in Trontgen, Norway, at a very early age came to the United States and settled in or near Decorah, Iowa where he was educated at Decorah college. When his education was perfected he came to North Dakota in 1895 and from that time until his passing was engaged in educational work as teacher for fifteen and as deputy county superintendent of schools for the past two years and eight months. He was engaged in visiting a school near Blue Grass when taken with his fatal illness. Tuesday afternoon. When he first felt the symptoms of his illness he started to drive to New Salem, and had reached a point five miles from town when he was overcome. He stopped at a farm house to rest. Dr. O. C. Gaebe of New Salem was immediately summoned. Diagnosis should telescoping of the intestines. Mr. Wilman was taken to Bismarck, Wednesday morning on Train No. 8, and an operation was immediately performed. The inflammation had so far developed at the time of the operation that there was no help for the stricken man. Relatives were notified of his condition but before any could reach his bedside, Mr. Wilman had passed away at 11 o'clock Wednesday evening.

The funeral will be from the Sims Lutheran church of which he was a member, Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock and interment will be in the Sims cemetery.

Mr. Wilman was one of the most highly educated men in the western part of North Dakota and has always been prominent in educational circles. He was always popular with the other teachers and only two years and a half ago was appointed to the position of deputy county superintendent of schools and so ably filled the place that he has been prominently spoken of for higher honors. Sixteen years ago, while perfecting his title to a homestead he met Miss Olivia Feland, of this place and later they were married.

Five children were born of this union, their ages range from three to fourteen years. He also leaves to mourn him three brothers in Klondike, one brother in Norway, one in Seattle and Martin Wilman of this place. Also his father and mother and one sister who resides at the old homestead in Norway. Other relatives are living in this vicinity and some in Iowa.

All who have ever known Mr. Wilman will mourn the passing of a steadfast friend and a man of unimpeachable character. His

every act has been guided by the sole aim of being the highest type of citizen that is possible to attain and his example and precept have been such that the children in the schools of the county will mourn him as of the highest type of chivalric life and honest manhood. All who have come in contact with him join in extending sympathy to the bereaved wife and family during their affliction.

### MARRIED IN MILES CITY, MONT.

A number of the Almont people have recently received announcements of the marriage of Miss Getrude M. Lutz to Mr. J. W. Hensleigh, at Miles City, Montana, September 17th. Mr. Hensleigh was formerly located here and his father still lives on a farm few miles east of town.

All join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Hensleigh a happy, successful voyage on the matrimonial seas.

### SHIPPED CARLOAD OF STOCK.

A. M. Johnson who shipped a carload of young stock to St. Paul a few days ago, returned home, Wednesday afternoon. He reports a good market and a fast trip.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

William Weiss was a New Salem visitor, the latter part of the week.

Mrs. George N. Peck and little Reliance Peck, spent Thursday at Bismarck.

C. H. Witte spent Thursday looking after business in New Salem.

G. G. Chamberlin transacted business in Glen Ullin, the latter part of last week.

Manrice Smith, proprietor of the Auto Livery at New Salem, transacted business in this section of the country, Thursday.

R. B. Harper and family are entertaining guests from the east, who arrived in this section the middle of the week.

Miss Hazel Adams came from Bismarck the first of the week to visit at her father's home a couple of days. Miss Adams returned to Bismarck, Thursday morning.

Edwin Beadle of Bismarck, arrived here the first of the week to take to Bismarck, some of his horses which have been in pasture in this section for the past year.

August Vollrath, yardman for the Mangan Mercantile Co., of New Salem, is assisting H. M. Silfverhall a few days this week, so that the latter can look after the collections of the company.

### FROM WATERLOO, IOWA.

E. Duke Nye, of Waterloo, Iowa, who holds a large amount of real estate in this vicinity, arrived in Almont, Wednesday evening for a short business visit. While he is looking after his lands.

## Dairy Cows VS Grain Growing.

Facts Cleaned From Crop Returns of 1913.—Loss Sustained by The Farmers Due to Dry Weather.

Go where you will thruout the Slope country and you will find the greatest hardships are borne by the people who have depended wholly upon grain growing and who have given no attention to raising dairy cows for the production of cream.

Those in this vicinity who have cows are better off financially and are in better condition to go into winter than those who grew grain only. Those who have cows are receiving a certain amount of cash every week. Those who expected to reap much money from their grain will receive only a very small amount of money this fall—an amount not sufficient to meet the many expenses incurred while planting and harvesting and the incidental expenses during the time the crop was growing.

This experience is duplicated in many other localities and the people who depended upon wheat alone, have to wait for another year to roll around before they can expect to realize anything. The man with the cows is weekly receiving money.

## West Lincoln Lights.

Miss Anna Wang called in Carson one day last week.

Miss Bertha Davis called on Mrs. Harper last Monday.

Miss Mable Allen of Carson visited at the Waig home Sunday.

Ben Bird and family of Almont spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the Harper home.

Mrs. Mann and sister Anna Wang visited the Harper home Monday afternoon.

E. H. Mann of Hebron, who has been visiting his wife who is with her mother—Mrs. L. N. Wang returned home last Thursday.

J. I. Nelson and daughters Ruth and Lola and sons Geo. and Laurence are visiting at the J. Johnson home this week and hunting chickens.

Mrs. R. Helmick returned home after spending the summer at her old home in Linton, N. D. accompanied by her mother Mrs. Lee and two brothers.

L. E. Boylan returned home from a visit to his old home, and he tells us he has bought land in Minnesota and intends to move about the first of December.

A number of young people from Glen Ullin are trying this week to improve on Otto Heinstrom's place of real estate in this vicinity, by getting a better crop. They gave a party at the place last Wednesday night which was well attended and a good time was enjoyed by everyone.

**Rheumatism Is Torture**

Many pains that pass as rheumatism are due to weak kidneys—the failure of the kidneys to drive off uric acid properly.

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**News of North Dakota**

Telegraph Items of General Interest Gathered From All Sections of the Flickertail State.

**N. D. INTRODUCING LIVE STOCK**

**BETTER FARMING REPRESENTATIVES BUYING STOCK.**

First Shipment From Drought-Stricken Section Now on Way to State—Sheep From Montana.

Fargo.—Otto Ulhorn, who is a field agent of the North Dakota Better Farming association in Hanson county, has been sent by Director Thomas Cooper to Montana to purchase 2,800 sheep wanted by the farmers of the southeastern section of the state.

Mr. Ulhorn is accompanied by W. J. How, who owns a large farm near Casselton, who will purchase several hundred sheep for his own use as well as two or three carloads of cattle from the Montana ranches.

This movement is a part of work which the Better Farming association is doing to introduce live stock into the state.

A representative of the Better Farming association now in Kansas buying cattle for North Dakota farmers. Advice received here states that the first shipment of cattle from the drought stricken sections is on its way to the state.

**FIVE DEAD; THREE INJURED.**

Hunters in North Dakota Fare Badly in First Week of Open Season in State.

Grand Forks.—Five dead and three seriously injured in the record of hunting accidents during the first week of the open season for small game. The number of accidents is the largest in the history of the state for such a short period.

Of the dead, two were killed by the accidental discharge of shotguns in which runaways figure; one drowned in attempting to recover ducks; one was killed by his companion, and the other was killed by the discharge of his gun while driving, the bolt of his carriage discharging it.

The dead are: Garret Murphy of Bismarck, killed by discharge of gun jolted by carriage; fore blow off; Edwin Astor of Bismarck, skull fractured when thrown from buggy by runaway horses frightened at discharge of shotgun; William Fritz of Donnybrook, drowned while attempting to swim around to recover ducks that had been killed; Leonard Loomer of Minn., killed by discharge of a shotgun while horses became unmanageable while hunting; Arthur V. Jacques of Omoke, shot and killed by Arthur Perrin, shotgun accidentally exploding while they were concealed in grass.

The injured are: Edward Johnson of Eganland, left breast almost shot away by charge of shot, accidentally exploded when shotgun dropped to ground; Arthur Larsen of Egan, lost left leg of both eyes when struck by charge of shot fired by son standing on opposite side of Duck lake.

**Turkey Mothers Preach Chickens.**

Bismarck.—The nature fakers of the country have nothing on Burnstad. Mrs. A. C. Smith owns a hen turkey that has a largely developed maternal instinct. In addition to six turkeys of tender age for which she also has mothered a little runt chicken. Whether some wanton prairie hen laid an egg in the turkey nest or whether two neighboring families of juvenile fowls became confused, will never be known.

**Auto Driver Frees Himself.**

Ellendale.—H. H. Perry of Ellendale, a candidate for democratic national committeeman in the last election, was nearly killed when his automobile turned over. For an hour and a half Perry struggled to free himself, being held a captive under the car, and it was only by washing his coat off with a piece of broken glass from the wind shield that he was able to extricate himself.

**EXTRASSESSION ABOUT FEB. 1**

May Not be Confined to U. S. Senator Law Alons—Sentiment Will be Soured.

Bismarck.—Members of the legislature all over the state expect to be called into extraordinary session about Feb. 1. While many have been soured about what they expect they will confine the session to amendment of the law pertaining to the election of a candidate for the United States senate, to succeed Senator Gronna, the general impression is to feel that there is no probability of doing the session adjourned. If this has been suggested, there will be an investigation of departments and officials before adjournment is taken.

Much Lobbying Expected.

It seems also to be the consensus that much lobbying will be done at Bismarck relative to the senatorship. It is thought it will be a good opportunity to sound sentiment. Senator Gronna has heard rumors of discomfiture and left Washington some time ago to drop up his fences.

The western part of the state has grown rapidly and the German population is becoming a strong factor in political affairs. Recent legislative sessions have had a good sized representation of Germans and they are recognized as a power. They are in no way obligated to support Gronna, though it is more than likely many of them will have a friendly feeling for him.

The progressives are attempting to build a ticket around Dr. E. Stuedel of Williston for governor. It is also said they have decided on State Senator Paul Kretschmar of McIntosh county for senate auditor. Kretschmar is acceptable to the German element.

Rest of Ticket.

The remainder of the progressive state ticket has not been discussed to any great extent, except that it will carry Andrew Miller again for attorney general if he does not decide to enter the senatorial contest. Thomas Hall will be selected for secretary of state, but the other places have not been discussed quite so fully as the one of inducing Miss Minnie Nielson of Valley City to become a candidate for state superintendent.

The progressive faction feels confident that with Burdick in the field for governor it will be the easiest matter to defeat him. It is the decision to enter the senatorial campaign and run again for governor.

**27 FIELD AGENTS ATTEND**

Better Farming Association Holds Noteworthy Conference at Fargo.

Fargo.—Field agents of North Dakota and Montana, in conference here two days, closed their sessions after an exhaustive discussion of the duties and requisites of the live agricultural field agent of today.

Twenty-seven agricultural field specialists, in addition to professors and agricultural directors, were in attendance. The conference was the second annual one of the North Dakota Better Farming association.

North Dakota and Montana are fully equipped to fight hog cholera, in the event the disease should spread to these states." was the statement of Dr. L. Van Es, head of the livestock department of the North Dakota agricultural college, who led how to fight the disease. "Sufficient serum is on hand in the state to stem any spread of the disease and our farmers and agricultural field men have profited by the experience in Kansas."

**Pembina Site For Monument.**

Pembina.—The erection of a peace monument on the international boundary line between Pembina and Emerson, Minn., is the plan of the Centenary association. The unveiling will take place in 1914, just 100 years after the permanent establishment of peace between the United States and Great Britain. Under the plan of the Centenary association, six of these monuments will be erected at various places along the boundary, and the Pembina site has been selected for one because of the many historic incidents associated with the British. It was here that English settlers on the American continent, "cast their lot, and the site selected for the monument is about at the center of the district held by the British.

Attacked by Branches.

Minot.—Peter Ramstad, aged 65, had his leg broken in the place known as "Crazy" over in the mud and temple when kicked by a prairie dog at the stockyard. Ramstad was putting a fly net on the animal when attacked. On account of his years his recovery is uncertain.

**HOUSEHOLD WORD WITH PER**

Small Girl's Idea of Germ Was the Familiar Article on the Dining Table.

It was in a rural district and they were having a spelling bee for the youngest members of the class.

The teacher picked a little five-year-old child and each pupil was requested to spell and define the word given.

"Germ," said the teacher. "One little, mossy-headed maid spelled it correctly, and then gave the definition."

"How does a germ look?" the teacher asked. "What is a germ?"

"The little girl did not know. The only thing she could picture, namely the little child, she pointed to and raised her hand triumphantly. When she was called on she almost shouted out in the excess of her zeal.

"A germ is a little cake baked in a gem pan!"

Baby's Deduction.

A well known clergyman tells this story to illustrate the early age at which children learn to "notice."

A young father, not particularly given to profanity, had slipped into the habit of using bad words when, as too frequently happened, his collar refused to fasten easily. One day the collar impatiently discarded—fell upon the floor and later was retrieved by the baby, just beginning to creep and talk.

"Dada, dada," cried the baby, waving the rejected article of apparel.

"What is he doing with that?" the proud parent, snatching up his son and heir. "Now baby tell papa its name."

"Dada's dama," came the cooling reply.

Managerial Dilemma.

Friend—What's the matter? Theatrical Manager—I'm debating whether to put on a play that's recommended by doctors or one that's approved by the clergy—Judge.

Considerably Removed.

"Rather nifty looking dairy maids in this musical comedy."

"Yes, but I dare say the nearest they ever got to a dairy was a dairy lurch."

Its Advantage.

"Fog has no advantage in the language used about it."

"What might that be?"

"It is correct to talk about its taking people in its mist."

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## Home Happenings.

There is to be a dance given in Almont, Saturday evening Sept. 27th.

Cornelius Knutson transacted business at Glen Ullin, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. O. C. Ellingson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobson at Sims, Tuesday.

"Have you set up your stove? The question is most frequently asked during this chill weather.

A number of Almont people are in the vicinity of Lark today, attending the public sale at E. C. Noble's farm.

THE WEEKLY ARENA and MANDAN NEWS until October 1st, both for \$1.50 at the ARENA OFFICE. Advt.

August Timmerman has recently installed a wagon scale in front of his Main street store. John Galzauer did the work.

Editor Wiedenmeyer transacted business at Stanton and Krem two days this week, returning to Almont, Tuesday night.

There is a report, unconfirmed tho, to the effect that Golden Rule A. E. Jacobs of Glen Ullin, is to start a dry goods and gent's furnishing store in Almont in the near future.

O. C. Ellingson was a New Salem visitor, Friday. While in that city he had his injured arm attended by Dr. Burman. The wound is healing nicely and will be well in a few days.

G. H. Anderson and E. Duke Naven spent Thursday in the vicinity of Lark and Flasher, looking over some real estate. They returned to Almont Friday morning in time for Mr. Naven to leave for the east on No. 8.

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FROM MANY POINTS  
EVENTS OF THE DAY HELD TO A FEW LINES.

LATE EVENTS BOILED DOWN

Personal, Political, Foreign and Other Intelligence Interesting to the General Reader.

WASHINGTON.

Representative Johnson of Washington has introduced a resolution requesting the president to negotiate with British and Canadian governments for railway connections between the United States and Alaska.

The treasury department has deposited about \$5,000,000 of the \$50,000,000 of government funds to be distributed in assisting to move crops, principally in Washington, Baltimore and southern cities.

The administration currency bill was started in its devious way of the statute books when Glass of the house banking committee and one of the fathers of the measure opened the currency debate in the house.

The ministers from Panama, Costa Rica, Nicaragua and Guatemala, the latter also acting for Honduras, called on President Wilson to protest against the duty of one-tenth of 1 per cent per pound on bananas contained in the tariff bill.

Mrs Anna Laura Newman, who says she served as a spy for the union army in the civil war, applied to Charles F. DeWoody, head of the department of justice in Chicago, for a position as a secret service agent to work on cases involving violations of the Mann act.

An official from the reclamation service will soon visit southwestern Nebraska to investigate and report upon the feasibility of improving the water supply for irrigation purposes. This is the same project as reported by Roscoe Barton, who has been working on the matter.

The house has passed a resolution that foreign products designed for exhibition at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in 1915 may enter the United States freely. The resolution also would protect foreign patents and copyrights on articles brought in for exhibition.

Collector of Customs Pendleton, at Los Angeles, Cal., was dismissed by Secretary McAdoo because he refused to resign. John B. Elliott of Los Angeles will be appointed to succeed him. Pendleton claims he had been appointed for a definite term and that he should be permitted to serve.

The department of justice has begun an investigation to determine whether the decree dissolving the tobacco trust has been violated. Special agents are inquiring into the operations of the former subsidiaries of the American Tobacco company, and if their reports indicate that the trust is not being lived up to the case undoubtedly will be assigned to a lawyer for consideration of contempt of court proceedings.

DOMESTIC.

Philadelphia proposes to spend \$1,000,000 in the erection of school buildings to meet immediate needs.

Direct wireless communication between this country and Asia is now accomplished. The United States station at Nome, Alaska, is in daily communication with the Russhak at Andrey, Siberia, which is 500 miles from Nome.

The state adjutant general's office, which for several months has been investigating the reported existence of numerous armed Japanese military organizations in California, has announced that they had found no evidence that state or federal laws had been violated.

According to a statement made public by J. S. Speed, manager of the Arkansas actuarial bureau, the property loss in the recent fire at 1601 Springs, Ark., amounted to \$1,500,000. Thirty-two and one-half blocks were burned, including 518 buildings.

Kansas City voters by a score of 2,676 to 209, declared in favor of free text books in the public schools. Books are to be supplied out of a state fund created by taxation of foreign insurance companies.

Denver is to open a chain of municipal neighborhood produce markets.

As a birthday gift Mrs. Russell Sage distributed \$64,000 among institutions in Syracuse, her girlhood home.

Atlanta, Ga., has a public safety league, of which more than 1,000 street railway employes are members.

The State Board of Health of Pennsylvania has begun a special inspection of 350,000 children in the 1831 district schools of the fourth class.

In a will of fewer than fifty words, filed in New York, Timothy J. Kioley, who died on August 19 last, disposed of property estimated at slightly less than \$2,000,000.

The bridge across the Willamette river at Portland Ore., is decorated with more than 7,000 electric lights, making it one of the most artistic structures in the world.

Tony Janusz, aviator had a narrow escape while giving an exhibition flight at Carol, Ill., when the carter of his motor came off while the biplane was 900 feet in the air.

As a result of the secret oath taken by the forty-five convicts detailed to work on the roads near Dixon, to hunt down those of their number who broke their words of honor, there was instituted at the local penitentiary a movement for a national organization of paroled convicts who would strive to hold parole convicts to their word and to hunt down those that break parole.

Thirty convicts from Walla Walla state penitentiary, under escort, except their words of honor not to attempt to escape, arrived at Seattle, Wash., by train, spent the night at a hotel and boarded a steamer for floodport on flood canal, where they will work out the remainder of their terms in a quarry camp getting out materials for state roads.

How former Immigration Commissioner Keefe ordered the Ellis Island station to send no immigrant laborers to the West Virginia strike mine was told in a letter not uninteresting to the public by the state investigating committee by William B. Ord and Captain E. H. Berger, who went to New York and were told by C. L. Greene, head of the immigration division that Washington had "ambushed" immigrants to their fields.

FOREIGN.

For fifty years Norwegian women in the postal service have been paid the same salaries as men for the same work.

The whole of Nanking now is in possession of the loyalists. The rebels have vacated Lion hill. There was fierce fighting around the south gate. 200 rebels being killed.

The Italian operators of the Marconi wireless system aboard steamers have gone on strike because they failed to obtain certain demands from the company. They have requested the operators at Paris Liverpool, New York and other places to stand by them.

The execution of an entire company of federal soldiers captured after a severe fight near San Bruno, Cal., was officially reported to constitutionalist headquarters by Colonel Allaire, in command of a large body of insurgents operating about Maricopa.

Great Britain, France, Germany, Russia, Finland, Sweden and Austria have definitely promised James B. Sullivan, secretary of the American athletic union, that they will send teams to San Francisco in 1915 at the opening of the Panama-Pacific exposition.

One of the assassins of Director Montano, Abbe, of the Japanese foreign office, committed suicide by plunging a sword into his throat. Director Abbe was attacked on September 4, by two men who stabbed him twice in the abdomen. He died the next day.

The commercial treaty organization, engaged in furthering German trade, considered the advisability of German participation in the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco in 1915. It reached the same conclusion as the government commission and in against German participation.

A Japanese armed force was landed at Aomori, China, according to a special dispatch from Shanghai. Three Japanese destroyers and a gunboat arrived at the Chinese river port and 100 Japanese marines and several quick firing guns were sent ashore and now are quartered at the Japanese consulate.

TARIFF BILL MAY BE SIGNED MONDAY

THOUGHT THAT MEASURE SHOULD BE COMPLETED BY THAT TIME.

WILSON BACK AT HIS DESK

Returns to Washington to Find Currency Bill Well Under Way—Doings of the Cabinet.

Washington, Sept. 17.—President Wilson returned from Cornish, N. H., to the White House. The president returned to his desk to find the administration currency bill well on its way through the house, with the democratic majority bringing a first reading attack so far, and the tariff differences between the house and senate well on the way to settlement. Some of his advisers thought the Underwood-Simmons bill might come before him for signature Monday.

Question of Congratulations. Outwardly, the most pressing question in the Mexican situation was whether a congratulatory message should be dispatched to Mexico City on the occasion of the anniversary of Mexico's independence and to whom it should be addressed. Some officials were of the opinion that such a message would be, in a measure, a recognition of the Huerta government. The White House has recovered from its former reaction, the winter decorations were in place and blazing hearth fires greeted the president. The engagement list for the day was small.

Delegates Are Received. The first batch of the president did to receive several hundred delegates to the international congress on reintegration. The long line passed through the president's room in the executive offices where the president shook hands with all but made no speech.

Secretary Bryan had a conference on Mexico with Secretary McAdoo had an engagement to talk over the collectorship of the port of Boston. It was not expected that the president would appear on the collectorship until the president has conferred with Massachusetts members of congress, with whom he has engagements.

Holds Gross Earnings Tax Unfair.

Doubt, Sept. 17.—Theodore Gross, earnings tax system which practically exempts railroads and other corporations to which it applies from the payment of special assessments for public improvements of the state and unfair to general taxpayers in cities of the state with tax facilities, according to an opinion handed down by Judge Bert Foster in district court. Judge Foster's opinion follows his decision of an appeal taken by the Northern Pacific Railway company from an assessment to defray the expense of repaving and improving a city highway.

RISKS LIFE; SAVES HIS SON

Father Beats Flyer by Using Electric Speeder in Getting Child to Doctor.

Hammond, Ind., Sept. 17.—Racing on an electric speeder ahead of an Erie flyer which momentarily threatened to run him down, Christie Hendrix, maintainer of an electric interlocking tower at Griffith, saved the life of his little son Jack. The boy was poisoned by eating canned watermelon. The nearest physician was at the limit of his time due to a few minutes but it could not be stopped at Griffith. Realizing the boy's life depended on immediate medical care, the father took him to a nearby road and sped to the doctor where he arrived only a few seconds before the flyer passed. Physicians declared the father's promptness saved the boy's life.

Trains Attempt Train Robbery. Toledo, O., Sept. 17.—Fire-brands, who boarded a fast passenger train on the C. & D. railroad as it was leaving this city for Detroit, were arrested at Bluffton, Mich., charged with attempting to rob the train. The men forced their way into the express car through a rear door. The messenger, James Ellison, was threatened with the use of a knife. Ellison was missing from the car when the train was made.

Drivers Are Being Battered. Philadelphia, Sept. 17.—Police officers believed to be making frequent workers and their sympathizers, were so badly beaten in a disturbance that they had to be sent to a hospital.

N. D. INTRODUCING LIVE STOCK

BETTER FARMING REPRESENTATIVES BUYING STOCK.

First Shipment From Drought-Stricken Section Now on Way to State—Sheep From Montana.

Fargo, N. D., Sept. 17.—Otto Ulhorn, field agent of the North-Dakota-Better Farming association in Hanson county, has been sent by Director Thomas Cooper to Montana to purchase 2,500 sheep wanted by the farmers of the drought-stricken section of the state. Mr. Ulhorn is accompanied by W. J. Howe, owner of a large farm near Asselst, who will purchase several hundred sheep for his own use as well as two or three carloads of cattle from the Montana ranches.

This movement is a part of work which the Better Farming association is doing to introduce live stock into the state. A representative of the Better Farming association now is in Kansas buying cattle for North Dakota farmers. Advisers received here state that the first shipment of cattle from the drought-stricken sections is on its way to the state.

Lutherans to Raise \$10,000,000.

Toledo, Sept. 17.—As part of the celebration in 1917 of the four hundredth anniversary of the Reformation, the general council of the Evangelical Lutheran church adopted a resolution to raise \$2,000,000 for the ministers' pension fund and missionary work. The fabric committee of the general council will co-operate with other general Lutheran bodies in this country to unite in making a total fund of \$10,000,000.

Widow Only Entitled to Money.

Boston, Mass., Sept. 17.—Only the widow is entitled to compensation under the workmen's compensation act for the death of the husband and father, according to a decision handed down by the full bench of the state supreme court. By this ruling, children, except where their only parent is removed, are not to receive compensation.

\$550,000 Necklace Is Found.

London, Sept. 17.—A workman found on a sidewalk practically the entire pearl necklace, valued at \$550,000, which was stolen on July 15 while in transit by mail from Paris to London.

Wisconsin Musician Succumbs.

Oshkosh, Wis., Sept. 17.—George H. Briggs, 44 years old, one of the best known musicians in the state, is dead as a result of an operation.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Table with columns for American Association, National League, and Philadelphia Athletics, listing wins, losses, and percentages.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Table listing wins, losses, and percentages for National League teams: New York, Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Cleveland, St. Louis, Detroit, Chicago, Boston, and Washington.

DAILY MARKET REPORT.

Table with columns for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, and Live Stock, listing prices and market conditions.

PRIEST CONFESSES HE MURDERED GIRL

REV. HANS SCHMIDT ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDE WHEN ARRESTED.

A QUEER SERIES OF CLEWS

Disembodied Body of His Victim First Found in Hudson—Had Confessed to Murder.

New York, Sept. 15.—With the arrest of Rev. Hans Schmidt, assistant rector of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church, charged with the murder of Anna Amulder, a domestic, the mystery surrounding the finding 12 days ago of parts of the disembodied body of a girl in the Hudson river was solved. Schmidt, according to the police, has confessed, and, at the time of his arrest, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a safety razor blade.

Two Versions of Cause.

"I killed her because I loved her so much," Schmidt is alleged to have told his captors, but the police version of the matter for the crime is that the young woman was about to become a mother. He had married her through a ceremony of his own performing, without witnesses. According to the police and the district attorney's office, Schmidt's confession, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a safety razor blade.

In the apartment the police found a marriage license, issued in New York last February and bearing the names of the priest and the murdered woman. This license had been used in connection with Schmidt's confession he went through a marriage ceremony with the girl. In this ceremony Schmidt was both priest and "bridegroom"; there were no witnesses.

Clue to Solution.

A gay-colored pillow of unusual pattern led to Schmidt's apprehension. This pillow was wrapped around a portion of the body. The detectives traced the pillow to its manufacturer; the manufacturer traced it to the dealer; the dealer traced it to Schmidt. And the police, tracing Schmidt and the girl, knew all about both of them hours before they arrested him.

Schmidt was arrested by Inspector Faurot, in charge of the detective bureau. The priest was dressed in full clerical garb when the detective entered his room in the parish house of St. Joseph's church, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

Made a Confession.

Early Sunday, according to parishioners of the church, Schmidt said to Rev. Father Huntmann, rector of St. Joseph's church, that he would confess more confessions and when asked for his reason, said: "I have something of importance to tell you." With his superior, Schmidt then returned to the study where the latter told him that he had transpired in the Bradhurst avenue flat where he murdered the girl. Father Huntmann confided with his other assistants, and it was agreed that the authorities should be notified. The police, however, were then on Schmidt's trail, and his arrest followed shortly. Schmidt was taken to the Tombs. He made full confession.

MAKES UNPRECEDENTED SWIM

Boston Man Goss From Battery to Sandy Hook with His Ties—Rose Pitouff of Paris.

New York, Sept. 16.—Samuel Richards of Boston has accomplished the unprecedented feat of making the swim from the Battery to Sandy Hook on one tide. His time was 8 hours and 15 minutes, bettering by 5 hours and 25 minutes the record made by Alfred Brown, the first time that stretch of water had been crossed by a swimmer. Brown took two tides to make his swim. Rose Pitouff of Boston also got across the Sandy Hook swim and was credited in a quarter of a mile of the goal. She was marking time at that point, waiting for the tide to turn when she tackled with cramps and had to be taken into her boat. She had been in the water 15 hours and 35 minutes.

Wilson Returning to Capital. Washington, Sept. 17.—President Wilson is expected to return to the White House on Monday. He is now in Cornish, N. H., where he is spending some time this week. President Wilson plans to leave here and return to Washington.

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"My rich uncle is dead," "Did he leave you anything?" "Yes, he left me penniless."

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BURNING, ITCHING ECZEMA

St. Helens, Ore.—"Desama had bothered me for two years. First it came on my hands then on my face, neck and arms. My hand first began to crack along the lines in the hand, and a white rash broke out. I was bothered with it. A rash came all over my face and I could not sleep nights. I scratched myself at night till my neck, arms and face were one mass of sores. I could not put my hands in water and my hands and face were all disfigured. A friend sent for a sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I made me a present of it and before I had used half of the sample I felt a relief from that terrific itching and burning. I then bought four cakes of Cuticura Soap and six boxes of Cuticura Ointment and used three cakes of the Cuticura Soap and three boxes of the Cuticura Ointment and now I am entirely cured." (Signed) J. A. Pender, Apr. 22, 1918.

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Its Advantages.

"There is one very good thing about a circus."

"What is that?" "An inn can see the elephant" with out having a lot of fuss made about it."

Look for Look.

Mrs. Eyo—While I was going down town on the car this morning the conductor came along and looked at me as if I hadn't paid my fare. So I asked him: "Excuse—well, what did you do?" Mrs. Kao—Looked at him as if I had.

It Was Sure.

"Sir," said a smart lawyer, "do you on your oath, swear that this is not your handwriting?" "I reckon not," was the cool reply. "Do you swear that it does not resemble your writing?" "I do."

Father Would Understand.

This is the letter a boy away a boarding school for the first time it said to have written home.

"Dear Parents: I hardly think I will be able to send you many letters while here. You see, when things are happening, I haven't time to write, and when they aren't happening, I haven't anything to write about. You'll understand how it is, won't you, father? And, mother, dear, you just ask father to explain to you how it is. So now I'll say goodbye, with love and give myself in haste. Your

"LOVING SON."

GROWING STRONGER

Apparently, with Advancing Age.

"At the age of 49 years I collapsed from excessive coffee drinking," writes a man in Mo. "For four years I shambled about with all the aid of crutches or cane, most of the time unable to dress myself without help."

"My feet were greatly swollen, my right arm was shrunken and twisted inward, the fingers of my right hand were cleaved and could not be extended except with great effort and pain. Nothing seemed to give me more than temporary relief."

"Now, during all this time and for about 30 years previously, I drank daily an average of 6 cups of strong coffee—rarely missing a meal."

"My wife at last took my case into her own hands and bought some Postum. She made it according to directions and I liked it fully as well as the best high-grade coffee."

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Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Write for copy of the little book, "The Life of a Coffee Drinker." Postum comes in two forms:

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MISS FAY HARDY



Miss Fay Hardy, the youngest daughter of Congressman and Mrs. Rufus Hardy, will be one of the debutantes from the congressional circle in Washington society this coming winter.

AMERICANS ARE CAPTURED

REFUGEES IN MEXICAN REBELS HANDS, SAYS REPORT.

Federal Forces Refused to Aid Them, Fear ing Atrocities Will Result—Congress Convenes.

Mexico City, Sept. 16.—One hundred Americans, including a number of women and children, refugees at Torreon, are reported to have fallen into the hands of rebels while proceeding overland to Saltillo. The authorities at Saltillo decline to take the responsibility of sending a force to their rescue, fearing, they say, that the rebels might commit atrocities upon the refugees which would possibly otherwise be avoided.

The report comes from an official source at Saltillo, but has not been confirmed. The American embassy has called upon Mexican forces to investigate.

Senor Gamboa, the foreign minister expressed regret, but added that it was no more than might be expected as the result of the "neutrality policy" of the United States, which had hampered the administration in proceeding with a strong hand against rebels and bandits.

The Americans are headed by Deputy Consul General J. C. Allen of Monterey.

Mexican Congress Meets.

Mexico City, Sept. 16.—With favor (and still awaiting instructions at Vera Cruz, the Mexican authorities appear to regard the diplomatic exchanges as a lost incident. Interest in the possible resumption of the negotiations is overshadowed by the opening of congress and the delivery of Provisional President Huerta's message.

"BARBARY COAST" MUST GO

Injurious to Panama-Pacific Exposition, Say San Franciscoans Who Oppose It.

San Francisco, Sept. 16.—On the ground that it will be injurious to the Panama-Pacific exposition, the Barbary coast faces extinction. A score of clergymen culminated from their pulpits Sunday against this world-famous assemblage of dance halls, drinking places, lodging houses and dives. First known to deep sea sailors, later exploited in many a novel and South Sea story.

The coast manifestly is unclean because behind the throat of the city-dweller its habitually economic pressure, women's suffrage, and a new state law providing that any place may be summarily closed upon substantiated complaint of any citizen that is by common report of bad reputation.

Pope Is Restored to Health.

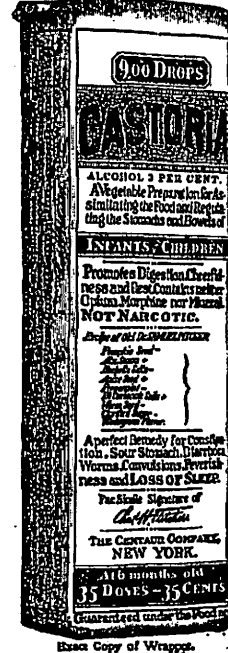
Boston, Sept. 16.—Cardinal O'Connell, who recently returned from a visit to Rome, delivered a short address in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, in which he spoke of the pope's health. "The pope enjoys wonderful vigor for one so advanced in years," he said. "His appetite and sleep are completely restored, to health and strength, and had already begun to take up his usual work."

Arkansas Centennial Peases Away.

Estimate, Ark., Sept. 16.—William Adams, 101 years old, whose oldest son is 101, died at his home here.

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Letters from Prominent Physicians addressed to Chas. H. Fletcher.

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Quite So. "Everything is done now by machinery." "Yes, I notice that even children are brought-up by elevators."

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**Sims Sidelights.**

A. M. Johnson shipped a car of choice cattle from here Saturday.

Operator A. V. Teed will leave for Billings, Mont. soon as relieved.

Mrs. F. Holritz Sr. made a trip to Almont one day last week returning the following day.

John Delange, Gust Johnson and August Johnson assisted A. M. Johnson driving his cattle to Sims.

Clarence Johnson went to Hebron the fore part of the week to spend a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Irtich of that place.

School No. 2 in Feland School Dist. opened last Monday with Miss Inga Ims as teacher.

Clarence Johnson and Mrs. J. Ims spent a couple of days at Hebron the fore part of the week.

Aug. Timmerman had his wagon scales taken down and moved to Almont last Saturday. John Jacobson had charge of the work.

Inga Ims and cousin Clarence Johnson of Milwaukee drove out to Leth last Monday returning on Wednesday.

A tramp came very near getting cilled at Sims last Saturday while trying to board an east bound freight train while running at the rate of about 25 miles per hour. He ran alongside the train grabbed the grab iron on the side of the car, but as the train was running considerable faster than he was, he was thrown to the ground. Those who saw the accident claim that he fell on the rail, but the momentum with which he fell rolled him off the rail before the wheel caught him. When he was picked up it was found that his collar bone was broken, and he was taken to Mandan on the local for medical aid. This should be a lesson to certain youngsters who make a practice of jumping off and on moving trains.

**Custer Creek**

Elmus Martin was an Almont shopper Tuesday.

Miss Karen Jacobson was in Almont one day this week.

Bernad Rolstad visited with Ole Jacobson one day this week.

Chas. Lindstrand was a business visitor at H. G. Timpe's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Spath were in Almont on business Tuesday.

Chas. Lindstrand was transacting business in Almont on Tuesday last.

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By JAMES J. CORBETT.

My lecture on temperance given before the Wilterson branch of the Woman's Christian Temperance union has caused a lot of amusement among my friends. They seem to think it strange that a pugilist should talk on temperance.

I don't think there is anything funny about it. A great many people think that because a man is a pugilist he must certainly be a drinking man. That is a false impression.

I know a great many pugilists who do not drink, and one of that class is James J. Corbett.

Take a good look at me. I will be forty-seven years old next September. I know I don't look it. For I am taken for thirty-five or thirty-six every day. How do I do it? Temperance and clean living—that's the answer.

Last October I was stricken with appendicitis, carried out of my hotel in Philadelphia to a hospital, where they examined me and found that my appendix had become so perforated had set in. The surgeons said I would not live through the night. Well, here I am alive and well again.

During my convalescence I asked the doctor what pulled me through. "Your wonderful constitution and vitality," he replied.

"You are not a drinking man, are you?" the doctor asked.

"No," I said.

"I thought not," he returned. "If you had been you would be a dead man today."

In the Nevada bank in San Francisco in which I was a clerk the vice president was a drinking man. When I first noticed him he was only a very moderate drinker, but each year he got to drinking more and more until the sixth year, his last to the institution before leaving to become a pugilist. That year he was drinking heavily.

Many times at the solicitation of the man's wife I went around to dives in San Francisco and look him some. Of course she did not see very good example to the clerks in the bank, who were usually inclined to look up to and emulate a man occupying so important a position.

About fifteen years after I left the bank I was sitting in my cafe on Broadway, in New York, one night when I staggered an intoxicated man, very sooty in appearance and with disheveled hair and bloodshot eyes. He called out, "Hello, Jimmy Corbett." I went up to him, looked closely at him for several moments and was surprised to recognize in that besotted creature the man who was formerly vice president of a large bank and possessed of a comfortable fortune. The poor fellow was completely down and out. I gave him some money, and I haven't seen him since.

Any man who would not profit by an example of that kind must be crazy. It certainly was a wonderful lesson to me, and I have never taken a drink since that night. I had certainly taken a glass of beer or wine before that, but now I am a teetotaler.

Have I any message for the young men of today? Yes, and here it is: Young men, never take the first drink. I know that it takes a lot of moral courage for a young man who has just come to a great city and is going out with friends to refuse invitations to drink. It is called a Rust and gayer unmercifully, but if he can resist the moral courage he must possess the first he will congratulate himself later.

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The reason is a good one and should be heeded by every man who wants to have a reputation as a sober man. It is decidedly a man's business to get into a habit of drinking, and in these days of intense competition every man who desires to prosper will see the necessity as a bit of business prudence for avoiding the drink habit.

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