

HAPPENINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

FARMERS OUT FOR PURE-BRED HOGS

Unusual Interest in Reish Sale, Nearly All Stock Going to Lakeville Men.

Extraordinary interest in the raising of pure-bred hogs was displayed Tuesday afternoon when farmers of Union township bought nearly all of the 27 head of big type Poland China hogs offered for sale by Charles Reish.

The attendance at the sale was made up largely of buyers and the bidding was lively. Prices obtained were conceded to have been somewhat low, both on account of the condition of the corn crop and because of the time of the sale.

A large part of the hogs disposed of were bred for March and April farrow by "A. A. Wonder," a boar owned by Mr. Reish and Victor Jones. This fact was featured in advertising the sale on the claim of "A. A. Wonder" being one of the best known boars in the state.

It was upon the guarantee of Reish, based upon the claims for this sire, that the farmers at the sale invested in his stock for their farms. The terms of the sale were cash or one-year bankable note, thus giving the purchasers every opportunity of realizing upon their purchase before payment.

The sale was conducted by W. M. Waffle of Coldwater, Mich., and Jerry Hildebrand of Lakeville. Mr. Waffle introduced the offerings by pointing out that no better opportunity could be expected by the farmers of the county to secure the sort of stock that would prove a profitable investment on any farm.

MACCABEES TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY TONIGHT

South Bend Tent No. 1 to Give Three Years' Warfare Degree.

LODGE NOTES

Carl Swanson was elected councilor commander last night at the annual election of officers of the Crusade lodge, No. 14, Knights of Pythias, held at the K. of P. hall on S. Michigan st.

Initiation of a class of candidates took place last night at W. O. W. hall by the St. Joseph Valley live, No. 209, Ladies of the Maccabees, at the regular business session.

Election of officers took place at the meeting of Beech Tree court, No. 211, Tribe of Ben Hur, held Tuesday night at Beyer hall.

The assessment roll for the water connections on Keasey st. was filed at the meeting of the board of public works held Tuesday evening.

Fire starting from an overheated boiler at the National Grocery Co., St. Joseph and Division sts., called out Central fire company at 2:25 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

WARDEN OF SING SING IS INDICTED

Thomas M. Osborne is Charged With Failure to Perform Official Duties.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing, was indicted Tuesday for "omission of duty as a public officer."

The indictment charges the warden personally with "unlawful and unnatural acts with inmates." He was also indicted for perjury.

Supt. of Prisons John B. Riley, on hearing of this action, announced that Mr. Osborne would be "summarily removed" as warden of Sing Sing as soon as a high grade man can be found to take the place.

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SOUTH BEND'S GREATEST BARGAIN GIVERS

ECONOMY DEPARTMENTS

219-221 SO. MICHIGAN ST. In Conjunction with Independent 5 and 10c Store.

1/2 PRICE SALE Thursday and Friday

About 500 Trimmed Hats. All the new Gold Lace Hats, Jet Hats, White Hats, Red Hats and Satin Hats included.



Trimmed Hats that were \$1.98, now .99c. Trimmed Hats that were \$2.98, now \$1.49. Trimmed Hats that were \$3.98, now \$1.99. Trimmed Hats that were \$4.98, now \$2.49. Trimmed Hats that were \$7.50, now \$3.75. Trimmed Hats that were \$10.00, now \$5.00.

Untrimmed Hats at Our Low Prices

VELVET AND FELT SHAPES In Black and all colors; \$1 values at 19c.

VELVET SHAPES In all good styles—mostly sailors, \$1.50 values, at 39c.

LYON'S VELVET HATS In black and all good colors; \$3 values at 89c.

RED and WHITE VELVET HATS All the rage in New York; \$3.50 values, at \$1.39.

LARGE SILK VELVET HATS In black, white and colors; \$5.00 values, at only \$1.98.

ANY CHILD'S TRIMMED HATS in the house Thursday and Friday at 39c. Values from 50c to \$1.50.

HOOD AND SCARF SETS AT 1/4 OFF. All our \$1 Scarf and Cap sets, in all colors, at 75c. Any of our \$1.50 Scarf and Cap Sets during this sale at only \$1.15. TAKE ELEVATOR AND SAVE \$\$\$\$.

Grunwald's Cash Store

Home Phone 7120. 1624-1628 S. Mich. St. Bell Phone 270. Staple and Fancy Groceries. HEADQUARTERS FOR QUALITY AND QUANTITY. Holiday Week Specialties.

Fine Oranges, 19c dozen. 10 lbs. H. & E. Sugar for 57c, with \$1 order or over. Grape Fruit, 6 for 25c; 3 for 25c.

Home Mixed Nuts, lb., 15c. Jello, all flavors, 2 for .17c. Cocoa, 25c size, 19c; 10c size .08c. Bitter Chocolate, 10c bar 6c; 20c bar .12c.

7 lb. sack Pastry Flour, .23c. Tomato Soup, 2 cans, .15c. Olives, 25c size, 19c; 10c size .07 1/2c. Argo Starch, 5 lb. pkg., 19c.

Quail Oats, 2-10c pkgs. 17c. Dates, 2 packages .17c. Figs, 2 packages .17c. None Such Mince Meat, 3 for .24c. 3-5c sacks Salt .10c.

Fine Head Rice, lb., .5c. 10 bars American Soap 41c. Golden Sun Coffee, lb., .28c. Corn Meal, 2 sacks, .17c. Toilet Paper, 3 rolls for 12c.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 2 packages for 17c. White Sand Potatoes, 59c bushel. Fine eating and cooking Apples, 19c peck.

Headquarters for all 1915 crop Nuts. CALL GRUNWALD TO SAVE MONEY. HE DELIVERS TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY.

Stephenson Underwear Mills Offer New Issue Treasury Stock for Sale

The Stephenson Underwear Mills offer 1,000 shares Preferred Treasury Stock at par value of \$100 per share. This stock is non-Assessable—non-Taxable, and bears 6% cumulative dividends payable first day of June and first day of December of each year, subject to redemption on first day of December, 1920, or at any dividend date thereafter. The purpose of this issue is for enlargement of the mechanical equipment to provide for the increasing demand for the Company's product and general expansion of the business.

PARTY DRESSES. Very large selection pretty Dancing and Party Dresses; \$15 to \$19.75. \$10 dresses for . . . . . \$10

Brandon-Durrell Co.

STREET DRESSES. Silk, Serge and Poplin Dresses that sold from \$15 to \$22.50, marked down to . . . . . \$10

BIG END OF THE YEAR SALE

After the Largest Christmas business in our history, we are again breaking all records this week. Crowds of shrewd buyers are coming for miles to attend this Sale.



The Best In Coats

We are certainly doing the Coat business. Coats for Dress, Street, Travel or Auto wear, in large selection of smart styles; Broadcloths, Duvetynes, Pebbled Chevots, Ripple Cloth, Scotch Mixtures, Plaids, Novelties, Curlix, Zibelines and Corduroy Velvets; \$15.00 to \$19.75. \$9.75 Coats, for . . . . . \$9.75

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COATS. Smart new styles in Wool Plush, Zibelines, Pebbled Chevots, Curlix, Broadcloth and mixtures; \$25 coats. Sale price \$14.75

Girls' Winter Coats

These are odd lots and broken lines left from the wonderful fall and winter business that we would rather take a big loss on than carry over until another season. We have a large selection of coats for 3 to 15 years old, that we have been selling from \$3.98 to \$8.50. Marked down to . . . . . \$1.98

SUITS

You'll never be offered such Bargains as these again. WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS. All this season's latest styles, Serges and Poplins; black, navy and colors; \$6.75 \$15.00 suits, cut to . . . . . \$6.75

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS. Smart suits in many styles, Serges, Poplins, Broadcloths and Whipcords; black and colors; \$19.75 and \$25.00. \$9.75 suits, cut to . . . . . \$9.75

HANDSOME VELVET SUITS. All the latest styles; \$39.75 to \$50.00 suits, cut to . . . . . \$24.75

WAIST SPECIALS. From New York comes a big Waist deal in Crepe de Chinese, Laces, Nets and Silks, in pretty stripes; values to \$3.50. Choice . . . . . \$1.95

DRESS SKIRTS. We offer to close quickly a large selection Black and Colored Dress Skirts that sold as high as \$10, to close at . . . . . \$2.95