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Golden Gate.

Miss Mary Palmer of Los Angeles, Cal. is a guest at the John C. Peterson home.

Miss Florence Cutting of Sleepy Eye is visiting with her brother William and family this week.

Mrs. Hannah Case was taken to Minneapolis Sunday where she will receive medical treatment.

Frank Palmer and wife were Sunday guests at the home of his brother Charles and family.

Andrew Clausen and wife of Sleepy Eye spent the week end at the home of his parents west of here.

A. E. Pickle and family spent Sunday with relatives in Ft. Ridgely.

The Misses Emma Peterson, Mary Palmer and Kate Robertson attended the Chautauqua at Redwood Falls Friday. They report a most enjoyable time.

Wm. Grimes of North Mankato looked after his farming interests the first of the week.

Garvin Zieske of Mankato is a visitor at the Edvard Moll home this week.

Farmers in this vicinity are busy cutting their hay crop. Harvesting of rye and barley is in full blast while the cutting of oats and wheat will be in about a week.

Miss Nellie Green is visiting with her parents in Sleepy Eye this week.

Erud Julius and family of Ft. Ridgely Sundayed with relatives in this vicinity.

Realty Transfers.

Julius Krueger to Edward F. Berkner, 199 1-2 acres of S 23 and 24 T 110 R 33, \$13,000.

Annie Boerger et al to Charles A. Stolz, L 14 B 138 North New Ulm, \$1800.

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Arthur Weber, et al, minor to William Piske, 80 acres of S 29 T 109 R 33, \$4480.

John H. Weddendorf to Carl Thedens, L 3 B 175 North New Ulm, \$750.

Wilhelm Guse, et al to Hans Peter Hansen, L 6 and W 1-2 of L 5 B 38 Sleepy Eye, Minn., \$850.

Bertha Scherzberg to John G. Woodrik, L 9 B 12 Sleepy Eye, Minn., \$1500.

George W. Chambard to Emil G. Hage,

L 4 and 5 B 8 Hanska, Minn., \$350.
Anton Hirsch to George Rothmeier, 173 and 32-100 acres of S 21 and 28 T 110 R 33, \$14,705.

Marriage Licenses.

Otto Gruendemann, Eden.
Martha Hammermeister, Eden.
Herman Sprandel, Pine Co.
Amelie Bendtsen, Eden.
Albert Sydon, Stately.
Ellis Kreckel, Stately.

COMB SAGE TEA IN LIFELESS, GRAY HAIR

Look young! Common garden Sage and Sulphur darkens so naturally nobody can tell

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.

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Finest physic in the world for children. They love to take it—it tastes like lemonade. It is mild—and suits their sensitive organs. It is thorough—and keeps their systems cleansed, sweet and wholesome. It does the same for grown-ups, too. An ideal laxative. For sale by all dealers.

HAS YOUR WHEAT BEEN INFESTED WITH THE HESSIAN FLY?

"Has your wheat been infested by the Hessian fly this season?" is a question that the department is now asking farmers. The information is desired that there may be general cooperation between all concerned in reducing the devastations of the fly. There is every indication that the pest will be unusually troublesome to the crop this fall.

Every wheat grower in the country who suspects that his crop has been infested is requested to send his name to the department's Bureau of Entomology at Washington, D. C., with a request for a question blank. The questions to be answered are merely as to whether the wheat grower's crop was infested at certain seasons. The farmer will then be asked to forward some of the infested wheat plants for examination, postage to be paid by the Government. He will also be asked to give his name, address, and the nearest railway station.

The department is cooperating with various State experiment stations in this campaign against the Hessian fly, and in some cases the infested straw will be sent by the farmer to local stations for examination. The wheat grower can learn just where his sample of straw is to be sent when he sends his name to the department indicating his willingness to send the sample. The department encourages the sender not to be afraid to forward too much of the straw, even though it has to be sent by parcel post. The upper part of the straw need not be sent, but enough above the ground should be included to get the insect in what is known as the "flaxseed" stage, when the larva is incased in a hard, brown skin and somewhat resembles a flaxseed. The insects will remain for a considerable time in the "flaxseed" state during a drought and will only emerge after rains have moistened the soil. Dry weather in the late summer tends to keep the insect in that stage, which is a fact of special importance in the North, where the wheat must be sown early enough to enable the plants to stand the winter.

Probably no other insect causes more damage to the wheat crop in the United States than the Hessian fly, although there are certain years when the chinch bug exceeds the fly in its devastations. During the seasons when the fly is especially abundant hundreds of thousands of acres of wheat may be either totally destroyed or so badly injured as to reduce the yield 50 to 75 per cent. The monetary losses run far up into the millions.

A number of years ago there was in Kansas general cooperation between grain dealers, millers, and farmers to restrict the ravages of this dangerous insect. According to their own estimate, over a million dollars were saved by prompt action and thorough measures. This year the department hopes to secure general cooperation throughout the country in combating the pest. There are indications that its ravages may be severe. Already in Iowa and Oklahoma there have been threatening outbreaks of the insect.

Not only are Federal and State organizations of the Government cooperating in this campaign, but others, such as the National Millers' Federation, are working to secure better control over the Hessian fly. The individual wheat grower is asked to send his samples of infested straw before the middle of September, and sooner if possible, as after that the fly will have hatched and have entered into the wheat.

Late sowing of the seed and burning of the stubble when not seeded to grass or clover are the only measures known to date that are effective in controlling the Hessian fly—that is, for winter-wheat sections late seeding will not apply. On the contrary, the earlier it is sown in the spring the less it seems to suffer from this pest.

A more detailed explanation of late sowing for winter wheat to avoid attack by the Hessian fly will be given in a subsequent article. The present article is merely an invitation to the wheat grower to help the department in its campaign. The post card to be forwarded the farmer contains enlarged illustrations of the fly in its adult and also its "flaxseed" state.

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There is sure and wholesome action in every dose of Foley Cathartic Tablets. They cleanse with never a gripe or pain. Chronic cases of constipation find them invaluable. Stout people are relieved of that bloated, congested feeling, so uncomfortable especially in hot weather. They keep your liver busy. For sale by all dealers.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

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HAPPENINGS IN THE FATHERLAND

News of Interest Gathered in Germany and Austria.

AFFECTING THE BIRTH RATE

German Government Aroused Over Question of Housing Her Growing Population.

Germany has vigorously taken in hand its great housing problem. It is a troublesome task. Bad housing, says former Minister of the Interior Count Posadowsky, is the reason why the national birth rate has fallen from forty-two to twenty-nine per 1,000 in the last forty years. The absence of imperial housing legislation is one source of the evil. Other social problems have been beneficially regulated by the *bundesrat* and *reichstag*; but housing has been left to the state legislatures and these have done little. Mainly the reformers are fighting the specific evils which spring from a brand new urban civilization. Every fifth German lives in a town of over 100,000 population. Housing on the land is fairly satisfactory, but in the great cities it is worse than in America, England, Belgium, Holland, and, in some respects, France. The so-called "flat-barracks" dominates. The average Berlin house shelters eighty-two persons, as against seven persons per house in London and Antwerp. On hygienic, social, moral and economic grounds, the big apartment house system is universally condemned.

WOMAN TOBACCONIST RICH.

One of the most prosperous women in Germany at the present time is Frau Ewers, who is likely to be known to fame as the Widow Zabrern. During the "army vs. people" episodes in Alsace-Lorraine last winter she eked out a humble existence as a tobacconist. Her shop was near the public square in which Colonel von Reuter's troops overawed the populace after arresting the town judge, public prosecutor and thirty other civilians. At the court she gave evidence in favor of the officers and civilians boycotted her shop. A statement to that effect was published broadcast in the German press and Frau Ewers began to receive checks and orders for cigars and tobacco from all parts of the country. Most of them came from army officers or ex-officers and were accompanied by words of gratitude for her patriotic conduct. Each of her new customers seemed to take it upon himself to secure orders for the widow, with the result that she had to engage assistance. Now she has practically become a wholesale dealer, as most of her orders come from outside Zabrern, and she has found it necessary to establish a branch shop in neighboring Alsace-Lorraine towns.

NOBLES MARCH IN PROTEST.

The small number invited to the funeral of the late Archduke Francis Ferdinand and his wife in the imperial court chapel at Vienna, although attributed solely to the limited accommodations, gave great umbrage to many titled friends of the couple who were not invited. As a protest against their exclusion about 120 members of the noblest families in Austria and Hungary, some of them being privy councillors and court chamberlains and nearly all holding court offices, decided to march in the funeral procession from the Hofburg to the railroad station. When this fact was learned by Prince Montenuovo, chamberlain of the emperor's court, he hastily summoned a ministerial council to decide what action should be taken to prevent a demonstration. The council, when informed that the nobles concerned would resign their offices if interfered with, decided to do nothing. Consequently, when the nobles appeared, many of them wearing their official uniforms, the police made way and allowed them to fall in immediately behind the hearses.

OSCAR'S BRIDE UNDER BAN.

Prince Oscar of Prussia, the Kaiser's fifth son, and his bride, Countess Ina von Bassawitz, who is a lady-in-waiting to the empress, are now experiencing some of the hardships which amorganatic marriage entails at the Prussian court, despite the good will of leading members of the imperial family toward the young countess. Negotiations are now proceeding between the ministry of the royal household and Count Bassawitz-Lewitzow, the bride's father, for a settlement of the countess's position. Countless intrigues against the countess have already begun in minor court circles, where the fact that a simple Prussian countess should love and be loved by an imperial prince is not easily forgiven.

HOPE TO CAUSE WAR.

If the whole world is not shocked and horrified by European war in the course of the next few years it will not be the fault of a certain circumscribed disgruntled section of the German community. This insidious

campaign is bolstered up by men who disguise their patriotism under a strange cloak. At the moment the campaign takes the line of "creating" an atmosphere favorable to a greater navy and if the object is achieved it is certain that a huge navy would require some outlet for its warlike activities. Throughout Bavaria, Baden, Wurtemberg and Saxony lectures and cinematograph shows are in full swing, showing the deluded people how a greater navy is essential for the future of the German race. Recently Admiral Bräuning has been telling a spellbound Stuttgart audience that not only is the German navy inadequate to protect German interests, but he is looking forward to the time when the German navy will sweep Great Britain from the seas.

GIFT AVAILABLE IN 2254.

Herr Steiferth, mayor of the little Saxe-Weimer city of Weida, has made a donation to the city which has set mathematicians to figuring compound interest problems of an unusual sort. The donation consists of \$50 and it is to be invested and the interest compounded regularly for 340 years, or until 2254. In May of that year 70 per cent of the accumulated interest is to be at the untrammelled disposal of the municipality. The remaining 30 per cent is to be similarly compounded for a further 100 years, when the total shall vest as an absolute gift to the city. Estimates of the sum that will be available in 2254 vary from \$1,250,000 to \$15,000,000, always assuming that financial conditions do not vary greatly from what they are today.

HARD BLOW TO GERMAN.

The majority of the German newspapers take a pessimistic view of the consequences of the assassination of Archduke Ferdinand of Austria, whose loss from a political standpoint will be felt more keenly in Germany than among the high nobility by whom he was not loved. "We hear the future thunder rumbling. None can now see the consequences of this dastardly deed," says the Berliner Venesten Nachbichten. Some of the newspapers even profess to see in the assassination the seeds of the dreaded war between the Slavic and Germanic races through Austria.

FARMER LADS ARE FIT.

Of every 100 persons subject to military duty in Germany 58.9 per cent of the farmer lads are fit for service, against 31.9 per cent in Berlin proper, which shows the smallest percentage of able-bodied youths of any place in the empire. The statistics, which are for the year 1912, have just been made public. Wilmsdorf, one of the Greater Berlin municipalities, which has the lowest death rate of any other large city in the country, recruits for service among every 100 men examined a figure exceeding that of any other large city in the country.

DAMAGES FOR BAD PHONE.

Buzzing, rattling and other unusual noises in a telephone may so affect one's nerves as to make him an invalid and such cases are covered by accident insurance policies, according to a ruling by the German imperial supreme court. The case came on appeal from a judgment against an insurance company. The defendant contended that the plaintiff was of neurasthenic pre-disposition, and that the effect of unusual telephonic noises upon him was a "psychic effect," which was not covered by an accident insurance policy. The court held otherwise.

EXPLORE EARTH BY WIRELESS.

The latest wireless marvel is the employment of the Hertzian waves for the detection of ores, water and other substances in the bowels of the earth. Doctors Leibach and Loewy of the University of Goettingen announce that they have invented a wireless system for the exploration of the structure of the earth and the detection of subterranean springs and ore deposits without boring.

OBJECT TO EVENING DRESS.

German waiters have decided to put a ban on their uniform of evening dress. They contend that most of their figures are not good enough for such attire and that they look ridiculous. They also declare that people in restaurants generally make a laughing stock of the waiters in evening dress.

AUSTRIA PREPARES FOR WAR.

A dispatch from Belgrade, Serbia, says extraordinary military activity is being displayed in Austria-Hungary. Forty carloads of artillery are known to have left Budapest for the frontier and feverish energy is shown along the whole northern border of Serbia.

PUNISHED FOR HIS RELIGION.

A private named Much in the Forty-third regiment has been sentenced by a courtmartial at Spandau, Germany, to three months' imprisonment for obstinately refusing to do any military duty on Saturday. His defense was that he was an Anabaptist.

KAISER ON YEARLY CRUISE.

Emperor William is making his annual cruise along the coast of Norway. He left Kiel on the imperial yacht Hohenzollern on July 7.

REBEL FORCES WILL BE UNITED

Advance on Mexico City to Begin Shortly.

VILLA OCCUPIES THE CENTER

Will Converge With Other Armies and Attack on Capital Will Be Made by 60,000 Men.

Washington, July 12.—Information was received from Mexico City by diplomats here saying General Huerta would resign within two or three days in favor of Francisco Carranza, newly appointed minister of foreign affairs. The appointment of Carranza, who took office Friday, is part of a general program by which it is hoped to make peace with the Constitutionalists.

El Paso, Tex., July 11.—The speedy return of Villa's army southward from Chihuahua City to resume the campaign against Mexico City was predicted here following receipt of advices from Torreon that the international peace conference was ended and a report of its transactions soon would be given to the press.

With Guadalajara in Constitutional hands and San Luis Potosi besieged by the revolutionists there remain only two or three points of defense for the federalists between the national capital and the southern edge of the territory controlled by the revolutionists. On the east General Pablo Gonzales, with an army of 20,000 men, holds dominion from the border to San Luis Potosi, twenty-four hours by rail from Mexico City.

In the center General Villa's division occupies the country from Juarez to Aguas Calientes, eighteen hours' travel from the capital city of Mexico.

To the west General Obregon has stretched his lines as far as Guadalajara, within six hours' ride by railway of the central goal.

Will Converge on Capital. Once San Luis Potosi is captured the three military divisions of the rebel forces will converge on Mexico City, according to assertions made in El Paso by both Carranza and Villa followers. When this combination is effected 60,000 men will be available for the movement against the ultimate goal. It is predicted here that this concentration will take place at Celaya, state of Guanajuato, eight hours' ride from Mexico City, a junction of railway lines from Guadalajara, Aguas Calientes and San Luis Potosi.

Before the three armies arrive here two or three strongly fortified towns held by Huerta's troops, including Guanajuato and Silao, must be captured. From Celaya, the meeting point, the combined armies would have before them only one fortified city, Queretaro, ninety miles from Mexico City, and the place where Huerta, according to general belief, intends to make his last stand.

General Obregon has advised General Carranza that his troops in taking Guadalajara captured fifteen troop trains and eight cannon.

REBELS TAKE FIVE THOUSAND FEDERALS

Gain Sweeping Victory When Gaudalajara Falls.

Saltillo, Mex., July 11.—The rebels under General Obregon have won a sweeping victory at Gaudalajara.

The city was captured after a fierce battle, 5,000 federals were captured and the federal army of 12,000 completely routed.

General Jesus Carranza is expected to attack San Luis Potosi at once. With this city in the hands of the rebels the road will be clear to Queretaro and Mexico City.

Constitutionalists say the importance of this victory cannot be exaggerated. Military men say that if Obregon should push his way towards the capital as rapidly as possible he could be menacing Huerta's gates in a week.

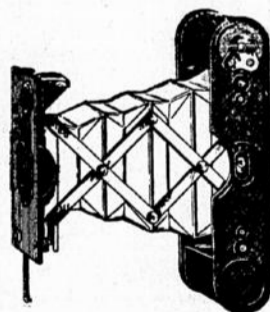
FRISCO FORECLOSURE ASKED

Trust Company Holds Mortgage of \$68,666,000 on Railroad.

St. Louis, July 10.—Foreclosure of a mortgage of \$68,666,000 on the Frisco railroad was asked in the United States district court here by the Guaranty Trust company of New York. The Frisco is in the hands of receivers.

Failure to meet interest due on bonds is the reason for the action.

TAKE A KODAK With You.

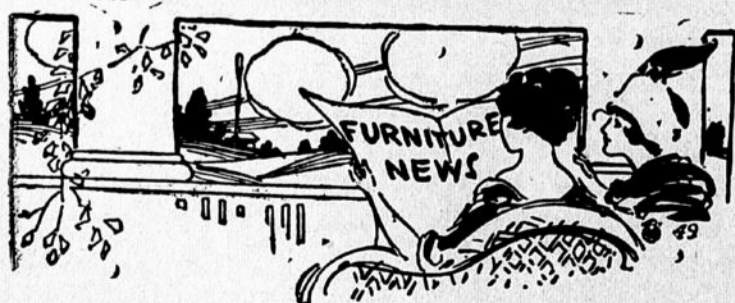


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