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Rubber Goods

THERE is nothing more disappointing than inferior Rubber Goods. They are bound to give out when most needed. If you need anything in the line of Hot Water Bags, Ice Bags, Invalid Cushions, Fountain Syringes, etc., call on us. All these goods are guaranteed and you run no risk.

METZ PHARMACY
Depot for Nyl's Family Remedies

ENTERED INTO REST

Frank Enzenroth died at his home at about ten o'clock on Tuesday morning, Jan. 23, after a lingering illness; aged 59 years 4 months and 26 days. He had been ill for many months and his death was not unexpected. The funeral will take place tomorrow, Thursday, afternoon at 2 o'clock. Further notice will be published next week.

Dennis Shea. Mr. Dennis Shea died Thursday Jan. 18, 1912.

Born in Ireland Oct. 15 1850 came to Mineral Point about 25 yrs. ago and made his home with his sister Mrs. Mary Dunn. During his stay in this city he made many friends and was an honest upright man and a devoted Christian. The funeral took place on Saturday with services in St. Paul's church and burial in St. Paul's cemetery.

Stanley E. Wallis. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Wallis and family of Modesto, California, formerly of Mineral Point, Wisconsin, will be surprised to learn of the sudden death of their son, Stanley E. He was born in California 29 years ago, and although the family has moved a number of times, including several times to and from Wisconsin, it happened that he was born just about half way between the residence of his parents, where he died on Sunday morning, Dec. 24, 1911.

He was a model brother, son and neighbor, and a most consistent and active member of the Christian Church, the Sunday School, Loyal Son's Bible Class, and the Christian Endeavor Society. He was always fond of singing and ever willing to assist with the musical numbers in the various organizations of the Church. He possessed a very sweet bass voice and for many years has sung in the church choir and in a male quartette of which his brothers, Frank and Fred were members. His solos were always well chosen and beautifully and impressively rendered. He was of an even temperament and very conciliatory and obliging in disposition.

The night before Christmas eve, not feeling very well, he stayed home with his mother and studied the next day's Sunday School lesson. Before retiring he declared that he had enjoyed himself more than if he had gone to the Christmas tree festivities at the church. About daybreak the next morning he quietly "fell asleep in Jesus," the physician believes painlessly, from heart failure.

Stanley will be remembered by many residents of Mineral Point because his parents moved there during his infancy and until about his tenth year, when they returned to California. He leaves, besides his parents, three brothers, Frank, Fred, and Leslie Wallis and one sister, Miss Irene Wallis. He is a nephew of the late John B. Wallis and a cousin of Miss Nettie Wallis and Mrs. Henry Bray of Mineral Point, and a nephew of Will N. Cork of Spring Green.

J. W. WEBB.

SCHOOL WORK

Which Receives the Unqualified Approval of State University Inspectors.

MINERAL POINT HIGH SCHOOL

Is Congratulated Upon Excellence of Work and Upon Record Made by Students.

NOTES.

This week ends the first half of the year and examinations are on in the high school.

New classes will be started next week in Book keeping, Botany, English History and word analysis. This would be a good time for any one to start in who is prepared to take these studies.

More interest than usual is being shown in the contest work this year. This is a very important part of the course and all are invited to get the training.

The basket ball game with Linden Friday evening resulted in a score of 45 to 3 in our favor. Our players were Roy McMurrrough, Osmon Fox, Gerald Salmon, Victor Mener, Russel Ryan, Courtney Sherman, Harvey Huxtable, and Stanway Jacka.

Monroe High School will play us at the city hall Friday evening. Neither team has been defeated, so this will be a good game.

THE LETTER.

The following letter will be understood by all, and will be good news to all who have the best interests of the high school at heart:

THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN,

Madison, Wis., Jan. 23, 1912.

Mr. R. E. Loveland, Principal High School, Mineral Point, Wis.

Dear Mr. Loveland—Our committee has recommended that the Mineral Point High School be continued on the accredited list (of the Wisconsin University).

Herewith, I am sending you Professor Bassett's letter in which he comments on your school and teachers. We are very glad to learn that he found the school in excellent condition. The records which your students have made here in recent years is a very good one. Congratulating you upon the excellent condition of your school, I am

Very sincerely yours,

A. W. TRESSLER,

Secretary of the Committee."

The Commercial Club Party will be given on Thursday evening, February 1.

Joke Was on Senator Cummins.

Senator Brown of Nebraska addressed an Iowa multitude at a political meeting last summer and jabbed a little quiet comedy at Senator Cummins. "I hope you'll pardon me," he said to the crowd, "if I talk a little longer than you think I ought to. It isn't often that I get a chance to talk. At home I have a wife and two daughters, and in the senate—well, you know there's a certain senator from Iowa, and"—The crowd caught it right off the bat and yelled.

SPECIALS

Another 5c Cookie Sale SATURDAY

Think of it—cheaper than you can bake them. (Done by us as an advertisement.)

Sweet Navel Oranges 20c per Doz.

Be surprised once—use flour that works easy; makes the bread you like to have when you have company come.—**CREAM OF WHEAT** Try a Peanut Coffee Cake (Dutch cake); best 10c ever spent.

Compressed yeast is quicker. Cream Puffs (dainties) Coconut Macaroons.

Breads (fresh daily) 6 for...25c Phone 58 **Wallace Bros.**

Gundry & Gray Co.

New Embroideries

New Wool Dress Goods

New Cotton Dress Goods

New Laces

Gundry & Gray Co.

Two Teams Wanted.

The Asylum Trustees and Superintendent will buy at the Asylum on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 1, one driving team and one work team.

Bad Colds

Must be checked before they become serious, or you will suffer much inconvenience.

We have no remedy we can recommend more highly than

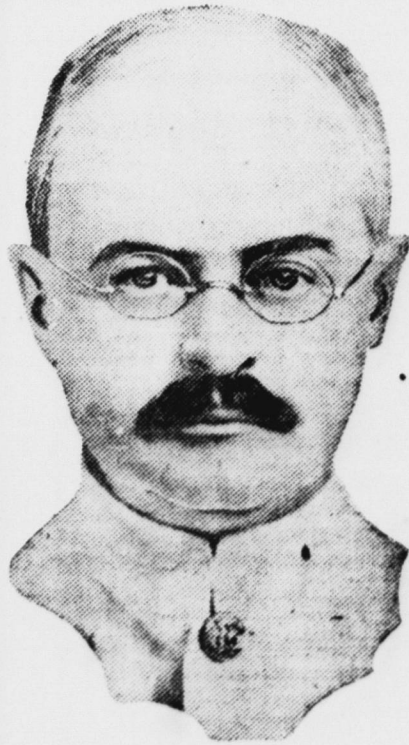
REXALL COLD TABLETS

They are guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Ivey's Pharmacy The Rexall Store

Uncle Sam's Chief Navigator.

Commander Philip Andrews, U. S. N., who became chief of the bureau of navigation on Jan. 1, has been naval aid to Secretary Meyer since October, 1909. He succeeded Rear Admiral Nicholson, who will take command of the Asiatic fleet. The appointment of a commander to so high a position is regarded as another example of Mr. Meyer's policy of putting young men in important places in the navy when their efficiency warrants it. Previously he had appointed Hutch I. Cone, with the rank of lieutenant command.



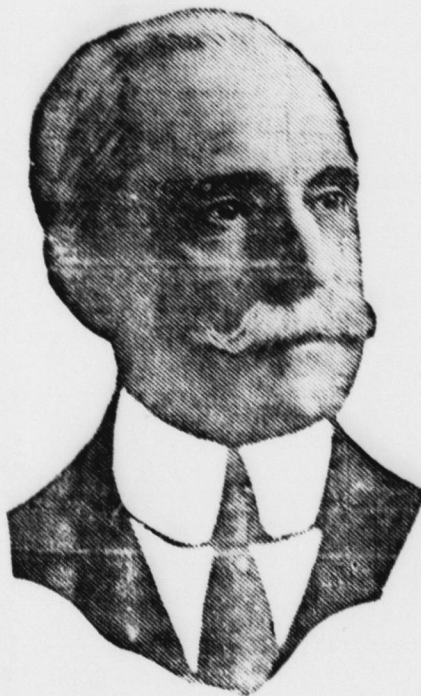
COMMANDER PHILIP ANDREWS.

er, engineer in chief of the navy and Commander Nathan C. Twining chief of the bureau of ordnance. The work of these officers has justified Secretary Meyer's selection.

Commander Andrews in a native of New York and was appointed to the naval service from New Jersey in 1882. Since he was selected naval aid to the secretary of the navy he has been in close touch with all matters of importance in his office and has absorbed Secretary Meyer's reorganization plans.

E. T. STOTESBURY.

Partner of J. P. Morgan Who Gave His Bride Fortune Wedding Day.



ORDER TWO BATTLESHIPS

Will Be Called Nevada and Oklahoma and Cost \$6,000,000 Each.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Contracts for the construction of two battleships have been signed for the navy department by Acting Secretary Winthrop.

The two ships are to be called the Nevada and Oklahoma. The Fore River Shipbuilding company of Quincy, Mass., will build one for \$5,890,000 with Curtiss compound turbine engines. The New York Shipbuilding company of Camden will build the other battleship for \$5,926,000.

MINSTRELS IN WRECK

Sleeping Car Telescoped by a Rear-End Crash.

Twenty-Seven Members of a Minstrel Company in the Car—Two Men Fatally Injured.

Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Two men were fatally injured and a dozen badly hurt in a wreck at Chenango Forks early in the day. A sleeping car attached to train No. 82 on the Utica division of the Lackawanna was telescoped by train No. 92 of the Syracuse division. The two most seriously injured passengers were members of John W. Vogel's minstrels. They are Edward C. Hayes of Indianapolis and George F. Kelly of Claremont, N. H. Several other members of the company are less seriously hurt.

Train No. 812 was standing on the main track when the accident occurred. Twenty-seven members of the minstrel company were in the sleeping car. As the locomotive of train No. 912 crashed into the car, the actors were thrown from their berths and scalded by escaping steam and hot water.

Members of the train crew and villagers took the injured men from the car and bore them to the station, where cots were provided. The wreck is said to have resulted from failure of the block system to work properly.

FORMAL WILEY VERDICT

Investigators Hold Chief Chemist Guiltless, but Score Methods.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley is held "not guilty" of conspiracy to evade the law in a report filed with the house by the committee which conducted an investigation last August into the charges on which President Taft was asked to dismiss the nation's chief chemist from the government service.

Not only does the committee absolve Dr. Wiley from criticism for the employment of Dr. H. H. Rusby of New York as a government expert at a technical rate of \$20 a day but it attacks in measured terms the whole administration of the national pure food law and demands of congress action to change the method in the department of agriculture by which the law is applied.

KNOX REFUSES INFORMATION

Bases Action on Legislative Orders Issued by President Taft.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Secretary of State Knox appeared before the house committee on expenditures in the state department, of which Representative Hamlin of Missouri is chairman, and refused all information concerning the expenditure of \$250,000 appropriated by congress for the Lake Champlain centennial celebration in 1910. This fund was expended under the direction of the state department.

Mr. Knox bases his refusal on the legislative order issued by President Taft last summer when the committee was probing the Day portrait mystery. This order prohibits officials of the state department from giving information about expenditures certified by the secretary of state as "secret."

THE WHITE HOUSE - MINERAL POINT

A CLEAN-UP SALE

AT THE

White House

FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS we will make Very Special Prices on all remnants and short lengths. All broken lots in shoes, underwear, blankets, and in fact every department, will be cleared of all small lots before the spring opens up.

10c sheeting 7c
20c and 22c casing 15c
9-4 sheeting 17c

A special discount of 15 per cent on table damask during this sale.

Our new line of muslin underwear, spring gingham and embroideries are ready for those who want to do their spring sewing early. Come and inspect the prettiest line we have ever shown.

The White House

Mineral Point, Wis.

Help Yourself.

If you want to become intelligent you must take your own little pitcher to the well of knowledge and dip it in yourself.

WALDWICK.

By LULA BUCKINGHAM

Joseph Gratton is visiting his brother Wm. Gratton of Williamsburg Virginia. Miss Sallie Teague spent a few days last week with her friends Mrs. Harry Collicott of Mineral Point.

Mr. A. Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teague and Mrs. W. J. Tomlin were at Blanchardville on business Wednesday. Misses Nina Masons, Carrie Engleson and Messrs. Homer Robinson and Morris Uren of Blanchardville were the guests of Miss Margie Cocking Sunday.

Miss Ina Martin is assisting Mrs. Chad Harker with her work a few weeks.

Mrs. Mack Hanson and little son visited Mrs. A. Teague Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Teague and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tomlin and daughter Sundayed at W. Ching's.

Mrs. Will Tredinnick and Willie Baker are visiting friends at Darlington. The Woodmen installed their recently elected officers Saturday night.

A few from here attended the supper at Hollandale Saturday evening.

The Woodmen will give an oyster supper at the M. W. A. hall Wednesday evening Feb. 7. Supper 30 cents.

Mr. Henry Skinner and daughter spent Saturday at Clara Buckingham's. Owing to the light plant being frozen services were held in the vestry Sunday evening.

Wash. Keegan visited Elias Reynolds the first of the week.

Want advs. on page 8, column 4.

Handy Miner's Lamp.

A portable electric lamp useful to miners or other persons who have to work in the dark has been patented by a New York man.

SPECIAL

FOR

SATURDAY

JANUARY 27

1-10 lb. box Best Soda Crackers

FOR

75 Cents

JAMES BREWER CO.

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Meat Dept.
Phone 245.

Grapefruit Cocktails.

Peel the grapefruit and remove the flesh of each section from the tough skin that divides them. Place each portion in a sherbet or a cocktail glass and pour over them the juice of maraschino cherries or pineapple sirup. Garnish with a cherry and serve ice cold.

Concerning Turnips.

Turnips are useful in soups. They give the stock a good flavor. Turnips contain a substance which gives the soups in which they are cooked a gelatinous consistency when cold. Yellow turnips ought to be bottled about two hours.

TO OUR Customers and Friends

WE have added to our Meat department one of the latest VAN BERKEL'S PATENT-SLICING MACHINE.

THIS machine slices Dried Beef, Boiled Ham or Bacon as fine as you prefer it.

Dried Beef, per lb 35c

Boiled Ham, per lb 35c

Bacon, per lb 20 to 35c

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