

THE MAZMANIE SICKLE.

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NO. 20

CHURCHES & SOCIETIES

German Lutheran Church.—Services in German next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.—Rev. O. C. Blum, Pastor.

Methodist Church.—Sunday, Jan. 10, 1926. Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.—Rev. P. M. Price, Pastor.

Community Church.—Sunday school at 10:00 a. m. Morning worship at 11:00 a. m. Subject of week, "The Good Light." 4:30 p. m. Christian Epworth Society meetings at 7:30 p. m. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.—Rev. P. M. Price, Pastor.

SCHOOL NEWS

Tenfold our eagles go! Bon-Vol! Our school and see a good game.

There was a cookie sale in the high school, held by the Democratic Society girls.

George Hawley has been absent this week, being confined to the house on account of illness.

At the December meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association it was decided not to have a meeting in January.

School was resumed Monday. Every one seemed excited about the first day vacation and entered into their work with a real 1926 spirit.

Visitors at our school Monday were: Charles, Wendt, Naomi Bennett, and family; Mrs. J. A. Wolf, of Black Earth; Ralph Hodgson and Kenneth Black of Mazomanie; and students of the U. W.

Friday evening, January 8th, the Mazomanie Graded School team will play the Mazomanie Boy Scouts U. S. preliminary game at 7:15. The Graded School team is composed of: Henry Jaworski, captain; Wm. Jones, George Stone, Harper Thiley, Robert Gordon and George and Sammie Hawley.

Mr. Krulic has opened for debates. Several have responded, but he would like to see others out. As yet no girls have admitted a desire to take up this work. The question is: Is desired at the first school debate in "Recreation" that Congress should be granted power to federalize Amendment to regulate the employment of all persons under eighteen years of age?

"The other Fellow's Show."—A comedy of young America and Russia will be presented at the high school commencing on Friday, Jan. 9th, as the third number of the local drama course.

"The other Fellow's Show" is a Yankee comedy, full of quaint characters and humorous situations; a few heart breaks and many laughs. It is a play of the highest order, and the "Land of Laughter" and send you home with a smile on your face and joy in your heart. With all its humor it also teaches the message: "That in the hour of your sorrow, seek the salvation of the world."

If you do not have a season ticket you should purchase a single admission ticket for this first class opportunity to see a real company of stars present a very fine play. The doors will be open at 7:30 and the curtain will go up for the first act at 8:15. The seats will be there. Single admission price is 30 cents. No reserved seats.

MAZMANIE

The Mazmanie Prairie and Mazmanie schools opened Monday, after a two-week vacation.

The Mazmanie, Elletts and Elletts schools open a week visiting relative at Mazmanie.

Leola Schumann spent a few days with Henry Schumann Sr. and family, returning home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewert and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kahow and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Andrew and son, John, of Madison, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ellis on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and family, of Madison, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wolf on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hoeser and daughter, Amanda, of Mazmanie, were guests at the Peter Walker home a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Becker and family, of Madison, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ketscheler and family on New Year's day.

The Thursday evening a number of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewert, to help Mrs. Ewert celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Gertrude Baumann, of Milwaukee, is a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hiltendorf.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Stephenson on December 25, 1925.

Mr. and Mrs. August Walter, Martin Walter, of Prairie du Sac, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matz and family, about fifty-five guests were entertained. Supper was served to all at midnight. Everyone present had a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schumann and son, Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Schumann and son, LeRoy, Mr. and Mrs. Louise Niederer and family, Mrs. August Lieberman and family, and Miss Margaret Lieberman, spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schumann and family.

The Berry and Renshaw Mutual Farmers' Fire Insurance members held a meeting at Schumann hall Tuesday afternoon, January 5th. The following officers were elected: President, Henry Hoeser; Secretary, Michael Thimer; Treasurer, Carl Thimer; Assessor, John Thimer; Wm. Matz; Assessor for Renshaw, Frank Hoeser; Directors, Math Thier and Anton Hoeser.

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OBITUARY

Leona Wolf

Leona Wolf was born in Graubünden, Switzerland, November 26, 1847. She passed away after a lingering illness, at her home in Mazomanie, Monday morning, January 4, 1926, aged seventy-eight years, three months and fourteen days.

When he was seventeen years of age he came to this country with his older brother. They traveled about the states for several years, working at various occupations, making and the opportunities of the new land, until he chose the cooper trade, he began an apprentice at Sauk City.

He married Esther Shier at Sauk City, August 18, 1872. They had their first child in Sauk City, then moved to Mazomanie where he opened his own cooper shop. He operated this shop for many years until he advent of modern machinery and large scale production.

His wife preceded him in death two years ago. He is survived by his brother John, of San Anselmo, Calif.; six children, and thirteen grandchildren. The children are: Lawrence of Charles City, Iowa; John, of Spring Valley, Wis.; Mrs. P. J. Pease, of Fairmont, Minn.; Mrs. John Neumann, of St. Louis, Mo.; and Frank Wolf, of Mazomanie.

Funeral services were held at St. Bernard's Catholic church Thursday evening, Rev. Father M. G. Nien, officiating. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

Among those who attended the funeral were: L. A. Wolf, of Charles City, Iowa; J. A. Wolf, of Spring Valley, Wis.; Mrs. Charles Brown, of Spring Green; Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of Sauk City; George Mueller, of Portage; William O'Brien, of Montello; Alexander Seiler, John Jordan, A. P. Jordan, Carl Jordan, of Madison.

Card of Thanks

We sincerely thank the friends and neighbors for their kindly assistance during the illness and burial of our father.

The Children.

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR FORDS

The showroom of the Mazo Motor Co., local Ford dealers, will be just about the most popular place in the city next week. Ford National Show Week, which opens January 9th, and will continue through next week, has brought out the greatest exhibit in the history of the Ford Motor Company. Not only is a full line of improved cars being shown, but the trills of the various types are enhanced by new appointments.

Windshield wipers, spray curtains, tool box and windshield wiper are being added to the items of special equipment manufactured by the Ford Motor Company. The first public display of this equipment will be during the Ford National Show Week, January 9 to 16.

The specialties are not "extras" but have been so designed by Ford engineers as to become virtually part of the car. Stamped with the trade mark of the company in its familiar script, the equipment has the identity of genuine Ford parts and is held in the same standard of quality as the car itself. Behind them lies extensive experiment to determine the type and construction best adapted to Ford cars; experiment which was influenced by any compromise necessary to correct adaptation to some other kind of car.

OUR Hired MAN

When I told the boss I smashed his truck in town the other day, and that it would cost \$250.00 to fix it, he said, "The auto is worth the auto worth away."

I hadn't noticed many cars before. I learned I didn't get to light up, switching talk with a brick.

The other night, the boss and the owner left a spot over which was the car. The kid, the kid of the kid.

ITEMS FROM LONG AGO

FROM THE FILES OF THE SICKLE

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Saturday, Jan. 5, 1876. Mrs. Fisher, of Black Earth, died Friday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wolf, December 25th.

Weather warm and pleasant, not so here's anything yet.

Pritchard and Davis have started up their windmill factory.

N. Kirk was considerably injured when his team ran away, near his warehouse, Thursday.

The last quarter of 1875 has been the busiest in the history of the local millinery. Nearly 3000 in same were sold and 361 more orders were issued for \$2770. 8033 registered letters were sent, and 110 received.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Saturday, Jan. 6, 1886. Fourteen electric signs have been placed in the Congregational church.

Nearby of wood has caused the price to advance \$1.50 per cord.

Worcey P. Stebbins, commenced to learn dentistry at Dr. Higgin's office last Monday.

Frank Linley, of Dover, and Miss Elsie Roberts, of Ames, were married January 4th.

A reception was held at the Geo. Seaton home Christmas, at which all members of the family were present.

The annual report of the Mazomanie and Black Earth Fire and Lightning Insurance Co., shows expenses for the year of \$41.31, and a balance in the treasury of \$603.00. Insurance for 1926, \$123,254.20. H. A. Stewart was president, John Gering, treasurer, and J. McKeane, secretary.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 2, 1906. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cole Shackleton, Monday.

William Rogers' horse died Sunday.

John Herman, 70, died at Black Earth, Wednesday.

W. A. Johnson has purchased the city's most famous outfit.

Carl Zirkel, 94, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. Vienne, Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Pinkerton celebrated their silver wedding at Prairie du Sac, yesterday.

Miss Mabel Dunn, of this place, and Martin Gith of Mazomanie, were married here January 1st.

William was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. John Brown, of Berry, last week.

TEN YEARS AGO

Friday, Jan. 2, 1896. F. W. Brown has sold Long farm for \$12,200.

C. W. Vane's family cow died Saturday night.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Isbert, Tuesday.

The Paul block at Spring Green was destroyed by fire Saturday morning.

Mary, aged 15 years, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carter, died Monday.

Two marriages, thirteen deaths and fourteen births occurred in the village last year.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake, at Black Earth, Thursday.

Chauncey Wolfman and Miss Mabel Peterson were married December 21st.

The total number of automobiles licensed in the state last year was 52,760.

The results of Mrs. Daniel Brown, who died at Rochester, N. Y., Monday, were brought here for burial Thursday.

"I scrub the kitchen three times a week," says the widow. "And I skimmed the milk house three times a week," says the boss' wife.

Men's the time you can tell where the drafts in the barn come from, says the boss' wife.

"The milk goes to bed in a bag and it's sure harder for the cow to get in."

Last week we heard a talk by Sunday Agent on Mazomanie in Mazomanie.

"It's the little things that count," he said.

It's a whole lot of something, says the boss' wife, "telling a whole a whole."

To train a child properly the parent must first have more sense than the child.

You can't grasp opportunity if you have dates on your hands.

"Handy Andy on the Farm" Now Works on the Air



"HANDY ANDY," columnist of Farm Mazmanie magazine, drops in every Wednesday noon at WLS, the Mazmanie Foundation station, Chicago, and tells his farm folks about work, spending and labor-saving devices. He has a word picture on the air, explaining how to make "Thompson's" to take up with his tips to take drooping out of scrubbing the floor, again he describes a device to help father do some of the jobs more easily. "Handy Andy" is a cheerful and helpful, clear, and entertaining something on the farm boys in the way of things for the evening farm and household work. Back at his office he is I. N. Hinkle, but in WLS studio he is only known as "Handy Andy on the Farm."

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It will give you something to remember.

Of all the paths that lead through life, the happiest is Memory Lane.

Also

Memoirs of the

"CHEAP SKATES"

INSURANCE COMPANY MEETING

The annual meeting of the Mazomanie and Black Earth Mutual Town Insurance Co. was held at the town hall in the village of Mazomanie on Thursday, January 3, 1920.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Harry Cooke

Secretary—E. L. Wolfman

Treasurer—James H. King

Investor—Walter Turk, August

Meinertzen, Joe Sharratt, Howard

Stewart, and Hugh Roberts.

The following change was made in the by-laws: Section 8 was changed so as to allow the following property to be taken on the regular 5-year policy at the rate per cent stated thereafter:

Structure—1 per cent

Household—1 per cent

Auto—1 per cent

Fire—2 per cent

Life—2 per cent

While allowed to be taken in its name rate as other than machinery.

One reason why there is so much property uninsured in this country is because there are too many "cheap" policies.

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Admission 10 and 20 cents

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ASTRID

THE COMEDY OF LIGHTNING

Also

KINGGRAMS

SUNDAY

Admission 10 and 20 cents

"A MAN OF NERVE"

You've seen good old Bob in a dozen dramatic thrillers of the picture but none would hold a candle to his present masterpiece. Now brought to our screen for your entertainment!

Added Attractions

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BANK REPORT

(Official Publication.)

Report of the Condition of The People's State Bank, located at Mazomanie, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1919, pursuant to call by the Commissioner of Banking.

ASSETS:

Loans and Discounts \$176,294.86

Overdrafts 5.00

U. S. securities owned 11,511.51

Other bonds 126,910.70

Banking house 4,526.00

Furniture and fixtures 2,290.00

Other real estate owned 400.00

Other real estate owned 400.00

Cash on hand and due from approved reserve banks \$1,712.82

Cash items 206.49

Total \$492,691.36

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in \$25,000.00

Surplus fund 5,000.00

Undivided profits 5,991.27

Individual deposits 142,211.73

Time deposits 222,086.92

Total \$492,691.36

State of Wisconsin, ss.

County of Dane, ss.

I, N. C. KIRCH, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear, that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

N. C. KIRCH, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1920.

Harry Lagler, Notary Public

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The Blue Bird

says



The human quest is hard to turn. God made the country, but man put up the desire signs.

The income tax has been reduced, but most of us are in reduced circumstances anyway.

There's nothing sure but death and taxes, according to the old saying. At least, where is the sting?

Has it decided the next war, says an expert? It always has decided family matters.

Wonder what the German counterfeiter is doing for a living nowadays?

A recent stamp will take your letter from Maine to California. If two cents will go so far in the Post Office Department, maybe Congress was justified in voting not to increase the current rate.

If the foreigners who come over here in search of liberty had it so what they would please let it know where.

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Evelyn Olson, Cottage Grove.

John Elmer, Baraboo.

Glenn Frederickson, Mt. Horeb.

Milo Cross, Madison.

Maud Foster, Madison.

Eugene Rankin, Madison.

Mary Moenan, Madison.

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The marked advantage of using pure-bred bulls, declares the Institute, is easily shown in a study of a recent survey of 577 farms. Those farmers who used a single bull from one to five years had a labor income of \$1800.00, while those who used a herd of five to ten years had a labor income of \$2400.00. In the latter case the farmers who used pure-bred bulls from one to five years had a labor income of \$2000.00 and used pure-bred bulls from one to five years had a labor income of \$2000.00. The dairy farmer who uses good milk cows will find, as always, that they will help to make his financial position secure, carry part of the burden of his mortgage and interest, but education for his children, pay for the new house and barn and leave the farm itself more productive as the years pass by. Now is the opportunity of a decade to build up a pure-bred dairy herd, according to the Institute.

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