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Silver Buckle Catsup, large, 25c value.....	18c	Pineapple, Broadway broken slice, No. 2 1/2 can.....	25c
Broadway Apricots, large can, 35c value.....	25c	"G" Olives 9-oz. jar; 1 jar Mammoth Queens; 1 jar stuffed Manzanillas, COMBINATION DEAL ONLY.....	49c

Watch for our Big Anniversary Sale

Specials December 3

Hams, half or whole, fresh or smoked, per lb. only.....	20c	Pure Pork Sausage (made of hams only), per pound.....	23c
We butcher our own pork and kill nothing but hogs less than 1 year old.		Beef Roast (steer or heifer, corn fed), per pound.....	18c
Pork Shoulders, half or whole, per pound.....	17c	Pure Lard, per pound.....	13 1/2c

The total equalized value of all real and personal property in Dane county is over \$24,000,000, about half of which the suit in circuit court of N. T. Davies vs. Samuel Shower was decided by the jury in favor of the defendant.

Everett Chase, of Baraboo, a brother of Mrs. H. M. LaFollette, died at Madison, Friday, from an overdose of laudanum.

Fire Tuesday morning caused a loss of several thousand dollars in the store of Schneller, Patterson and Co. at Prairie du Sac.

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Friday, Dec. 3, 1897.—Byron Lampman and Miss Ethel Wilkison, of Arena, were married November 25.

Ralph Parkin is sick with appendicitis; at McFarland.

Ass Knapp and Miss Nora Winden were married at Madison, Thursday. Mrs. Alfred Panta, who resides near London, Enc. sent her folks a box of English pheasants and hares.

Fred Allright, 18, of Middleton, accidentally shot himself while hunting, Sunday, and died shortly after.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Friday, Nov. 28, 1907.—Two others were recently caught at Cassell.

John Westmeyer, 73, died Tuesday.

Fred Weber and Miss Minnie Vocht were married Thursday.

Ralph Lee and Miss Orpha Imley were married at Black Earth, Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lawrence, of Black Earth, Saturday.

The average price paid for hogs in Chicago Monday was \$3.96, the lowest since 1900.

TEN YEARS AGO

Friday, Nov. 30, 1917.—A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Showers, Monday of last week.

Gayle Emery has sold his garage business to T. H. Wilson.

Ed Bullweg has sold one of his farms to Will Hague, of Malden Rock, for \$2,000.

John Murrish, Harold Swan and Carroll Wurster have received commissions as second lieutenants at the Ft. Sheridan training camp.

CHRIST FOR ALL—ALL FOR CHRIST

The Word of God
Direct to the heart, and a light upon the path.—Proverbs 1:19-20.

LIVE RIGHT TODAY:—Boast not thyself of tomorrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth. P. 10:25-27.

PRAYER:—Thou art from everlasting to everlasting God but we are as the grass that withereth. We come to Thee to rely in Thee because Thou art our security and our hope. Why should we sing and rejoice? Answer, psalm—Isaiah 49:13.

CHURCHES :: SOCIETIES

Lutheran Church.—Services Sunday, Dec. 4, 10:30 a. m. at St. John's, Marxville. 1:30 p. m. at St. John's, Roxbury.—E. F. Scherler, Pastor.

Community Church.—Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Meeting at 7 p. m. The Annual Bazaar will be held in the church Sunday (to-morrow). All kinds of articles for sale, and a good dinner at noon. Everyone will be heartily welcomed.

ITEMS FROM LONG AGO

FROM THE FILES OF THE SICKLE

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Saturday, Dec. 1, 1877.—The *Interior County Times* has been started at Spring Green.

O. A. Preston is starting a writing school.

Three new steel stoves have been put up in town this week, the first of these luxuries used in Mazomanie.

David Harrop gave his new \$65 cutter a trial Thanksgiving day. The cutter tipped over at the corner of Bridge and Hudson streets. Mr. Harrop was dragged on the hard ground and somewhat bruised.

FORTY YEARS AGO

Saturday, Dec. 3, 1887.—Sleigh bells are jingling.

Rev. Father Hartman shot a wild and pear Cross Plains, Tuesday.

Mrs. P. Murphy, who died at Spicing Green, was buried here Saturday.

It is said that a father is ruminating about the north of this village. Thermometers in different parts of the village registered 22 to 30 degrees below zero last Monday.

Edwin Wilson, of Mounds Valley, and Miss Henrietta, of Arena, were married at Arena November 24.

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SATURDAY, DEC. 3

GEORGE SIDNEY

—in—

"Clancy's Kosher Wedding"

A Jewish Miss! An Irish Kiss! A smashing Fight!

Don't miss this show—it's Saturday night.

SUNDAY, DEC. 4

WARNER BAXTER

—in—

"The COWARD!"

Persecuted, driven from the places where he was once a welcome society lion, he faced the great North wind, a white livered weakling. And he fought, and Won!

TUESDAY, DEC. 6 (Family Night)

Look at this folks—
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MAZOMANIE SICKLE OF LOCAL INTEREST

—Many students and teachers from colleges and schools came home for the Thanksgiving vacation, and the holiday likewise afforded an opportunity for teachers residing elsewhere to visit their homes.

—An average of 63 tons per acre is the corn silage production for Wisconsin this year, as compared with 76 tons average last year, according to the report of the state and federal crop reporting service.

—Mixer Dances. Old-time dances, modern dances at the New Valley Hall, Black Earth, Friday, December 2nd. Matt Marty, of Mt. Hope, called for the old time dances. Spent's Dance band furnishes the music. Tickets 75c.

—A conference of members of the third district of the American Legion will be held at Mt. Hope, December 4, in the rear quarters of the Frank N. Malone post, according to an announcement made by H. Bogard, commander of the third district.

—Recent visitors at the J. W. Little home were Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Welman, of Madison, Julius Radel, A. Miel Schwenker and Miss Dorothy Little, of Watertown. Wm. Little, of Spring Green, was also a caller at the home of his brother, Thursday.

—The final grade school contest in spelling, arithmetic and speaking will be held at Verona state graded school on Saturday, Dec. 3, beginning promptly at 1:30 p. m. Contestants from this section are Rebecca Wille, Azila Borman and Clara Witko.

—Mrs. Arthur Gund, of Watertown, her daughter, Miss Dorothy Edna Little, to Annie Schwenker, of Watertown. The date of the wedding has not yet been announced. Miss Little resided here with her mother, who was formerly Mrs. Frank Little.

—Mrs. Paul Schroeder, who has been at the Methodist hospital at Madison for a number of weeks, is improving somewhat, and expects to come home in a week or two. Miss Blitke is still at Mary's hospital. Mrs. John Murphy and Miss Helen Speich, also hospital-patients recently, have returned home.

—The Ladies Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Kester, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 3. Leaders, Mrs. H. W. Jones and Mrs. E. W. Voss. Hostesses, Mrs. Kester, Miss Purr, Mrs. Pooks, Mrs. Chas. Morrill, Mrs. Morehead, Mrs. Naderer, Mrs. Will Royston. All ladies are cordially invited.

—Mr. and Mrs. John A. Slack and baby, of Waukegan, spent Thanksgiving at the home of the former's uncle, R. J. Slack. Other visitors were a brother, John O. Slack, and wife, of Minneapolis, Minn., who spent last week at the R. J. Slack home, returning to Minneapolis, Friday. It is twenty years since the brothers have seen each other, and both thoroughly enjoyed the week's visit.

—The following guests attended a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Nitchey, Sunday, given in honor of Mr. Nitchey's son, and Mrs. Chas. Morrill, Mrs. Martha Tyler, Mrs. Belle McFarland, John Morrill, son John and daughters Misses Annie and Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. William Linley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bywater and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knight, R. M. Hodge and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Holmgren and family, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Walen and family.

—The highway program for Dane county for 1928, as recommended by the county budget committee, was approved by the county board of supervisors. The board authorized \$181,433.46 for county road aid to townsships and villages; \$30,000 for maintenance of the state trunk system; \$35,000 for machinery and repairs; \$15,000 for snow removal; \$100,000 for concrete construction; and \$121,700 for the special gravel fund.

—Mazomanie ministers of all faiths will be asked this week to participate in the observance of Health Sunday, which is to be celebrated December 4 in churches throughout the state as a feature of the 1927 Christmas seal campaign. The Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, which is sponsoring Health Sunday, the campaign, is sponsoring Health Sunday. The primary object of this observance, according to Henry Keple, local campaign manager, is to spread

CANT PAY BALANCE OF FINE: GOES TO JAIL.

Ohio Edmond, Cross Plains, surrendered to Sheriff Fred T. Finn Friday to commence serving a jail term because of alleged inability to pay a fine assessed against him in June for violating the state prohibition law. Edmond was ordered, in June, to serve three months in jail and to pay \$200 and costs or serve an additional three months. He paid \$125 of the fine, but declared that he is unable to pay the balance, and will spend part of the sentence in jail.

473 TO 49 FOR R. O. T. C.

derance of University of Wisconsin derance of University of Wisconsin student sentiment in favor of the R. O. T. C. is shown by the tabulation of returns from the second day's balloting on the referendum being conducted by the Daily Cardinal student newspaper. Students are being asked to vote on whether or not the Cardinal should retain the "plank" in its editorial platform which calls for abolition of the R. O. T. C.

A total of 522 ballots have now been cast. Of these, 473 are in favor of the plank, and only 49 are in favor of its retention.

The ballot was printed in the Cardinal for the last time Thursday.

AN OLD PIG FOUND AT TOWER HILL.

BEN BENOX, caretaker at the Tower Hill state park, recently found a "pig" of lead, overlooked in the days before the shot tower was running. The pig was found near the spot where, in the old days, was the top of a flight of steps used to mount the cliff.

The metal was hauled by ox teams from Mineral Point and Dodgeville and was cast in 75-pound pigs to facilitate its handling.

The chunk of metal which Mr. Benox found was white with corrosion and he at first thought it was a rusted barrel head which had contained a picnic lunch.

As the manufacture of shot was discontinued in 1860 the pig is at least sixty-seven years old and may date

back over ninety years when first the pioneer enterprise of Daniel Whittey 27 Hansen, 26 Thompson, Nelson and Peterson, 24 Davis, 23 Fisher, 21 Roberts and Martin, and 18 Evans, Krueger, Larson and White.

The Browns had the color guard with 28, followed by 18 Whites, 8 Blacks, 4 G. eens, 1 Blue, and 1 Gray.

The Cohens and the Kellys are both in evidence, but the former beat the Irish, 11 to 8.

The prevalence of names derived from trades is very striking, especially Baker, Cook, Taylor, Porter, Schneider, Cooper, Wheeler, Sawyer, Werner, Turner.

The sortest name in the directory is Otto Ey; the first name is Edgar Asberg; the last is Helen Zwolanek.



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OF LOCAL INTEREST

MAZOMANIE, WIS., DEC. 2, 1927.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dabbling are at Madison.
—Mrs. E. M. Schneek and son spent Friday at Madison.
—Jury Schloough of Lone Rock spent Tuesday here.
—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hartwell, of Madison, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knight.

—Mrs. Robt. Tyler has returned to her home at Homestead, Mont.
—Mrs. Heywood has returned from a visit at Trenton, N. J.
—Jos. Schwenke was home from Beaver Dam over Sunday.
—Miss Alma Weston visited friends at Madison over Sunday.
—Miss Dorothy Jordan was home from Madison over Thanksgiving.
—Mrs. Joe Salata and daughter, Miss Lucy, spent Friday at Madison.
—Leland Vinton spent Thursday and Friday at Milwaukee.
—Ted Lathrop, of Madison, called on friends here Saturday.
—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mathewson were in Chicago Saturday.
—Miss Anna Hokkison, of Madison, spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ross and son, of Madison, spent Thanksgiving with Wm. Voss.
—Harry Vogel, Patrick Hilley and Thos. Burns made a trip to Minneapolis last week.
—Mrs. Fred Smith, of Wilmette, Ill., visited Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith and family.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. B. Oederick and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown spent Sunday at Milwaukee.
—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moran, of Evanston, visited over Sunday at the D. V. Lynch home.
—Mrs. C. C. Lloyd and son, Claire, of Rockford, Ill., spent Sunday with Mr. M. E. Johnson.
—Mrs. W. E. Elise, of Janesville, visited with the E. H. Davies family several days this week.
—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Haseltine, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor spent Thanksgiving at Madison.
—Mrs. John Parman and children spent Thanksgiving evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knight.
—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swearingen and baby, of Madison, spent Thanksgiving with relatives here.
—Willert Klassy, of Belleville, visited at the home of his aunt, Mrs. W. Meserich, over the week-end.
—Nels Johnson attended a meeting of Ford dealers and saw the new Ford at Milwaukee, Friday.
—Ale. Parman, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Swearingen, and Mrs. Ben Wein were at Madison Thanksgiving day.
—The answer to that puzzling question, "What shall we do this evening," is—attend the Majestic Theatre.
—Mrs. C. E. Jung, of Milwaukee, spent Thanksgiving at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Seston.
—"Family Night" is a popular night at the Majestic. The entire family admitted for one adult ticket.
—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schultz and baby, of Deerfield, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Billig.
—Frank Tebo and daughter, Elizabeth, of Oshkosh, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tebo and family.
—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schumann and sons, Karl and Paul, and Carl Schumann, Sr., spent Thanksgiving at Stoughton.
—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wiesend and two children, of Milwaukee, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mrs. Frank Mikula.
—Mr. and Mrs. John King, Jr., and children, and Mrs. John King, Sr., drove to Chicago last week to visit Mrs. John Carey.
—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. West and Mrs. Wm. Fries, of Chicago, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fries and family last week.
—Mr. and Mrs. John Booth spent Thanksgiving day and the balance of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Booth and family.
—"The Harvester," Gogo Stratton, Portia's famous story, at the Majestic Theatre very good. Wait and see it at YOUR theatre.
—Remember the date, December 2, Place Community church. A good place to buy your Christmas gifts and a good dinner.
—Alfred Marten and Miss Margaret Packer, of Berry, were married at the parsonage by Rev. E. F. Scherel, at Madison, November 28.
—I wish to thank the High School students and faculty for their many kindnesses to me during my stay at the hospital—Helen Speich.
—Mrs. H. L. Swan entertained a number of guests at cards Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mr. Swan's birthday anniversary.
—Mrs. Herbert Adams and children, of "Charlie Kalkowsky" are visiting at the home of Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Voss.
—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Broderick and baby, of Portage, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, of Milwaukee, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hendrick.
—Mrs. John Huntz and children, Miss Anna and Virgil, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. White near Oregon, the former extending her stay until Monday.
—State institutions with a capacity of 6,975 had a total population of 6,333 on Oct. 31, according to the monthly report of the state board of control. Of this number there were 4,470 men and 2,863 women. Inmates of state institutions increased by 305 in the last year and county institutions by 259.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lincoln and son, George, of Black Earth, Mr. Hamilton, of LaCrosse, Mr. Stewart, of Escanaba, Mich., spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Geo. Lincoln.
—The entire family called "The Harvester." It's the cleanest, most entertaining and inspiring play, ever to be shown on the Majestic's screen. Coming very soon.
—Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kalkow and daughter, Emma, and Miss Stella Kirch, of Madison, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schwanke and family spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. F. M. Kirch.
—John, Hector, and Glenn Morrow, of this place, Archie Morrow, of Madison, and James Morrow, of Milwaukee, drove to Ellsworth, on Thanksgiving day, to visit their grandfather.
—Geo. Knight celebrated Thanksgiving by having all his family here, also Miss Marion Billings of Wausau, Mr. Shaw and friend, of Madison, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Knight.
—Harold Higgins and Miss Grace Miller, of Milwaukee, were married at this city, Saturday. They spent Sunday here at the home of the parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Higgins.
—The community was saddened on Wednesday afternoon by the death of Mrs. A. Wm. Weinschenk, which occurred at about five o'clock. Mrs. Weinschenk was nearly forty-five years of age, and is survived by her husband and six children. The funeral will be held Saturday forenoon, with services at St. Barnabas' church at ten o'clock.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Not so many days are left before that season of good-will and cheer.

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Our Christmas list includes: Shirts, Ties, Mufflers, Sox, Handkerchiefs, Bedroom Slippers, Leather Coats, Silk Underwear, Silk and Wool Hose, Lunch Sets, Kid and Chamouisee Gloves, Aprons, Pillows, Blankets, and other things too numerous to mention.

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And where is the girl that has too many fine silk stockings? The woman of your heart will receive with sincere thanks a gift of Humming Bird hosiery, Parisian shades in beautiful gift boxes.

We can't tell you here about all new things. Let your eyes scan our new goods, and you'll see the very things you need. One woman said: "I don't like to come to your store," and when we asked her why, she said: "You have so many nice things I always buy too much." Don't wait till you have to storm the doors to get what you want.

Many new boxed gift goods that cost little. "Wow" you'll say when you see the new shoes we got this week. L. K. Hebbig, 409 E. Wash. Ave., Madison, writes: "I'll keep both prs. of shoes you sent me. Both fit me so well. I'm hard to fit. It seems I can't get shoes to fit me anywhere else."

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MR. SAMUEL HAMILTON, LACROSSE, WIS.

These meetings are illustrated by a large Chart—"Two roads and two destinies." Friend, "Which of these roads are you traveling on? The narrow way that leads to Heaven, or the broad way that ends in Hell?"

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REDUCTION IN LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE RATES

Effective December 1, 1927

Reductions in Rates to Distant Points.

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Many Evening Rates Reduced.

The evening rates (applying from 7 p. m. to 8:30 p. m.) between the points affected will be reduced to a level about half way between the night rates and the new day rates. In order to minimize congestion during the night hours the night rates now in use after 8:30 p. m. will be held at approximately their present levels.

Service Features Retained.

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