HEEKLY EXCHANGE TENS AS TAKEN FROM THE COLUMNS OF OUR EXCHANGES

us Assortment of News

Peat beds near Harvard are afire

Careless hunters are supposed to have started the fire. Miss Bertha Woods of Harvard went

to Camp Grant last week, where she listed as an ambulance driver. Elkhorn grocers have abandoned all deliveries about the city as an extra

precaution against the spreading of J. C. Koblentz, proprietor of Hebron's leading store, is selling out his stock of goods and expects to go to farming about March 1.

State's Attorney V. S. Lumley Woodstock, who has been quite serlously ill with an attack of Spanish nza, is on the road to recovery Harvard has been elected mayor pro tem of that city to fill the unexpired m of the late Mayor Calvin J. Hen-

As a precaution against the sprea ease, every public place at Barton has been closed, including schools, churches, picture shows and pool halls.

A statement of operation for period from July 13, 1918, to August 31, 1918, ows a net balance of \$1,231.02 for the Palatine, Lake Zurich and Wau-

On account of the epidemic of inza all the schools, churches, picture show and all places of public ment were closed at Woodstock

A number of near-by cities and villages are holding "Community Sings." an occasion was participated in by a large crowd of people at Harvard last Sunday.

On December 1 forty Chicago brewries will discontinue the manufacture beer and owners are now trying to figure out how to make use of these plants in the future.

couple of peddlers were arrested one day last week, charged with peddling without a They were found guilty and fined \$5.00 and costs each.

The new \$750,000 addition to the Waukegan tannery is now completed, which means that the working force will soon be doubled. At the present time 500 men are employed.

W. S. Battern, former mail carrier, has been appointed city auditor of Woodstock to succeed Ernest Fues, who resigned recently to take up a position with the American National bank of that city.

To assist in the conservation of fuel to fight for true democracy may soon evening excepting Wedsdays and Saturdays.

who have been invalided home and McHenry and the good people of St. ber of the Masonic, Modern Woodman ho are traveling under the name of Mary's parish, and wishes their suc- and Mystic Worker lodges. Vimy Ridge orchestra and chorus, are now touring this country and are house this (Thursday) evening.

Claude McComb and August Klaman, two young men of Harvard, Oct. 5. Both left with the last con- have a good heart to heart talk with tingent of McHenry county boys and had been at the camp for only a think I could get them all to join the

Hebron fruit farm, will have an exhibition of apples at the apple show which is to be held in Chicago next joyed the reputation of being one of the finest of the kind in northern

Frank Brassamen, while working about a tractor near Algonquin one day last week, received a fractured leg, internal injuries and one of his arms was so badly crushed that it was found necessary to amputate rushed to Sherman hospital at Elgin.

The stockholders of the Harvard Syrup company are looking for a and manage same. The plant is now ing of last week, the occasion bein turning out fifty gallons of sorghum her eighteenth birthday anniversary day, for which ready buyers are The evening was most enjoyably harge for making the sorghum is 75 kinds, while the occasion came to a

a cafeteria luncheon. Miss Bla A party of Alden vigilantes visited the home of Carl Bollwahn near that Pryor chaperoned the following young people, who were present on this applied yellow paint to everything in happy occasion: Florence Kamholz, Vera Buss, Leon Leo Heimer, George Phalin, Thos. Frisby and Charles Whiting. Mr. and ng to live up to Uncle Sam's re-

Two carloads of Fordson tractor n in number, were received by anley Bros. at Harvard one day ek. All except two of the , most of which were dispose the McHenry county territory

FORMER PASTOR'S APPEAL To Parishioners of St. Mary's Cath lie Church

and do their share for the good work.

German speaking people of McHenry

family. In the best of regulated fam-

they fight them out and then they set-

tle down and all goes harmoniously

near Coblenz, a district lying between

the rivers Rheine and Masel. Their

are all more or less related to one

another, either by ties of blood or

marriage. All speak the same dia-

If ever there was a time when the

another it is now. Altho we all do our

also should sympathize with one an-

other in our trials and keep harmony

and love among us. If we wish and

of man on earth we must begin right

at home. We are hoping that democ

racy will soon rule the whole world; that kings, kaisers, emperors and all

autocrats and money-kings will be

soon thrown on the junk pile; that the

spirit was in the hearts of the Ger-

liberty and equality for true democ-

Let us hope that the thousands of

for-liberty, equality and the brother

all my dear "Landsleute" there. I

big family circle to which they belong.

Father Berthold, you may make any

good. You will be very busy with

your church building work now for

some time. Should you find time now

and then to drop me a line I shall al-

ways be glad to hear and get news

along. Wishing you all success in

on Waukegan street by a company of

very fitting close with the serving

Welch, Ellen Walsh, Ruth Bacon

Cropley, Eleanor Phalin, Sue Harri

Mrs. Welch were also honored guests.

NOVEMBER 5TH ELECTION

Lake, McHenry and Boone Counties

I sell farms. D. F. Quinlan.

Assembley, 8th district.

J. W. FREUND

Yours.

M. W. Barth.

Mildred

I am feeling pretty well and am

from dear old McHenry.

every way. I am.

struggled for true democracy.

hood of man.

hope to bring about the brotherho

their kinsmen.

PNEUMONIA Sierra Madre, Calif., Sept. 27, 1918. Dear Father Berthold-I see from Away at His Late Home on day of This Week ast week's Chicago Wochenblatt that

you have begun the building of a good, practical and nice church, judging from the description you gave me of it in your letter, which I read with great interest. I am glad you are years and then you can look back with 14, 1918, at 7:30 o'clock, after an joy on the sacrifices and labor you ness of but a few days, succumbing after a brave fight against that dream have brought and the good people of your flock will rejoice with you and will be proud of what they have Why the king of terrors claims achieved. I hope the few "slackers"

HENRY F. WHARTON VICTEM OF

him thus ruthlessly, who shall say? there may be will soon come forward Man is disposed, at time, to rebel against the disposition of Provide It would be too bad to see any of the and standing in the presence of of one who was dear in life friends pull away from the rest. They have protest that fate has been unkind.

always been so united, like a big The last act in the drama of the life of our deceased friend typefies ilies they have little disagreements; the utter unselfish and generous character of the man. Always mindful of others, he remained bravely at his again. The ancestors of the Germans post, helping and serving his family of Johnsburg and McHenry most all and friends, neglecting his own percome from Mayen, east of Trier, and sonal welfare until nature rebelled the disease which caused his death being far advanced when he took his Johnsburg and McHenry descendants

Henry F. Wharton, son of and Anna H. Wharton, was born at Gilmore, Illinois, January 8, 1881, and lect in German and it would look had passed peacefully from this life on to see any of them pull away from October 14, 1918, aged 37 years, 9 months and 6 days.

He received his education in the public schools of Illinois and Califor-Germans and descendants of Gemans public schools of Illinois and Califor-in this country should stand by one nia, where he removed with his parents when seven years of age. duty to our adopted country faithfully the age of fifteen he united with the as citizens, we are watched and de- Methodist Episcopal church and lived spised because we have a drop of a consistant Christian life until German blood in our veins. We of claimed by death. Upon the return German descent must do our duty in of the family to his native state, every way to our country here, but Henry began his life of usefulness as a clerk in a store at Edgewood, Ill., Sadoris, Ill., at which place he met his life companion, Myrtle Pearl Berry to whom he was married July 4, 1908 To this union two children were born -Doris Vivian, age nine, and Norman Stewart, age two.

In 1910 Mr. Wharton was engaged as manager of the Klemeyer Lumber world will be ruled for the benefit of company at Bridgeport, Ill., and two the masses and not the classes. That years later removed to Gary, Ind., mans when in 1848 they struck for Gary was his h years ago, when he and his excellent racy and most of the Germans that family became valued and useful citizens of Ringwood. During the first migrated to this country since then year of his residence there he were imbued with that spirit and manager of the lumber yard and they and their descendants have ever years ago was influential in causing the establisment of the Bank of Ringmen of German blood who went across wood, since which time he held the responsible position of cashier of the got what our grandfathers fought he discharged his duties is well known to every one in this community and his genial good nature, pleasant smile Meanwhile, I, as former pastor, and and kindly word will be missed by all. a "Trierer Landsman," who loves old The deceased was an honored mem-

cess and happiness, would beg and en- Besides the grief stricken wife and now touring this country and are treat them to be of one mind and two children, there are left to mourn billed to appear at the Harvard opera heart in helping to build up and keep father, mother, two brothers, Charles up their nice parish. United you will of Edmund, Wis., and Lawrence H. stand—divided you will fall. If of the Great Lakes Naval Training everyone does his duty according to station; also three sisters, Mrs. Clara were numbered among the pneumonia his means you will succeed easily. I Brown of Salem, Ill., Flora and Laurs victims at Camp Grant on Saturday, wish I could come to McHenry and of Woodstock, Ill., numerous other of Woodstock, Ill., numerous other

Our departed friend had lived among us only a few short years, yet his life was an open book, absolutely frank, friendly and generous, he endeared use of this letter you may deem fit or himself to all. A companion to the young and to the little children, a wise counselor for the aged, a brother to the youth and middle-aged and a out of the life of our noble friend and neighbor the stricken family and relatives are suffering the greatest loss the following ladies, who were present ing my little parish work here right that humans are called upon to bear, to enjoy the hospitalities of their

the perfume of sweet charity, clean tempered and honest in his way of life why was he chosen by the dark winged ngel? The babe of unknown promise and the aged drift to the other shore and we know they have yielded to nature's normal course. But our friend, full armored with high comon for his world's work, falls Still in young manhood the life of the beloved friend held many possibilities nest dealing and filling a sphere then Henry Wharton has not lived in press of his heroic courage, to have with his

Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. E.

serenely accepted the decree that sent

BEAR IN MIND

ns after date of expiration, unless subscripti are renewed and paid for." Watch your label.

CHANGE IN PASTORS Rev. Wm. E. Grose Transferred to

As a result of the action taken at the recent Rock river conference Chicago the McHenry M. E. church will have a new pastor during the ming year in the person of Rev. C. J. Hewitt, who has been given charge of the Methodist Episcopal churches of McHenry, Ringwood and Green-

Rev. W. E. Grose, who has taken care of the McHenry charge in con nection with that of Crystal Lake where he has resided during the past Bowen M. E. church, near Ashland and Irving Park Blvd., Chicago. He is succeeded at Crystal Lake by Rev. H. P. Barnes.

non-members of the M. E. church, are sorry to see Mr. Grose leave, as he has made many warm friends during the two years that he has presided here. The writer has had very pleasant dealings with Mr. Grose during his reign here and have yet to meet a more congenial fellow than the

The very best wishes of his little flock as well as his many friends in McHenry will accompany him to new field of labor.

WESTFALL WOODBURN DEAD

Passed Away at His Late Home a Belvidere

Westfall Woodburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. David P. Woodburn of this village, who grew to manhood here, passed away at his late home, corne East Madison street and McKinley avenue, Belvidere, Ill., at 11:40 o'cloc last Friday night, a victim of that much dreaded disease of influenza followed by pneumonia. He was ill but

The deceased will be favorably remembered by many of our people as the family made this village their the family made home for quite a number of years. and after leaving same went to Elgin, where he was employed for a ident of Belvidere for about eight years where he was employed at the worked at the Parsons casket hard ware factory.

There are left to survive him wife and two children, Lenora and Winfield; his parents, who reside in this village, and four brothers, as follows: Wayne of Rockford, Wirth. who is at the present time confined in the Woodstock hospital, Winfield of Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Wallace of Woodstock.

The funeral services were held from the home at one o'clock on Monday afternoon of this week, Rev. R. E. E. Harkness officiating. Burial lace in the Belvidere cemetery,

Mr. Woodburn was about thirty-five years of age. His many friends in McHenry extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives

Entertains at Bunco Party

Mrs. F. H. Schau entertained a company McHenry ladies at a bunco friend to all. Varily in the passing party at her summer home at Rose dale on Thursday afternoon of last week. A delightful time was had by The loss to our community is great. amiable hostess: Mesdames James With a mind rich and fragrant with B. Perry, N. H. Petesch, T. J. Walsh, C. L. Page, C. H. Stephenson, Chas. mpered and honest in his way of life Rietesel, C. M. Bickler, John F. Miller, W. D. Wentworth, Jos. W. Rothermel D. G. Wells and Henry Kinsala. Luncheon was served at the close of the afternoon's pleasure.

Peter Miller lies at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Miller, in this village, suffering with a fractured leg received near Solon Mills one day last week, when an automobile in which he was riding tipped over. While the injury is causing the young

Acting under advice from headuarters, the annual election of officers or the local Red Cross has been post poned and on account of the present epidemic the meetings are postponed until further notice.

Mrs. Jack Walsh, Vice Chairman.

vices at the grave. Mr.

PERRY IS OVER THE TOP IN ITS SUBSCRIPTION TO THE

FOURTH LOAN

ver-Subscribes Her Quota By Over \$20,000—McHenry People Loyal to the Core—Is Second In County

The village of McHenry, in perfect ng with the spirit that she own since the outbreak of the pres ant war with Germany, went the top" in its subscription towards Not only did our good people con

forward and subscribe its full quota but they have done even better, and by the time that the loan closes next Saturday night our records will show that we have subscribed to bonds to amount that will represent in and numbers a total of nearly

This splendid record has been best work of the best McHenry county and the splendid co-operation of our people and it is needless to say that the workers as well as the subthat goes with this grand, patriotic

certainly was), our quota was made up in a comparatively easy manner, judging from the work that has bee and is being done by workers in othe localities. The true 100 American spirit thus exemplified here tunity of extending its thanks to thos who are in any manner responsible for giving our community this excel-lent standing in the eyes of the entire

It is indeed gratifying to our hardworking and never-tiring county chairnan, C. W. Stenger, to know that his did example, one that is now being followed out by various other county organizations in their endeavor to put top by the time the gong sounds the closing of the drive.

To begin with, the village of Mc

Henry was thoroly organized for the work that had been laid out and every one who shouldered the responsibility of getting in the subscriptions worked hard and unceasingly from the very first day of the drive until the present number of years. He has been a res- workers feel that their duty to their country is just about completed. and done it well no one can deny. the co-operation of our good citizens and we believe that we are not speakand every purchaser of a liberty bond today feels mighty proud to be the owner of such. It proves beyond a shadow of doubt that each and every subscriber realizes to the fullest extent the important factor that we really are in this gigantic conflict, for without our money our cause would be a forlorn hope.

During the entire drive everyon in this community has taken renewe interest in the world war. All have made a sacrifice and all have bought to the very utmost of their ability In fact, it just seemed as if everyone appointed himself or herself as a committee of one to see that McHenry

went over the top with honor. Our deeds and actions, combined with those of the people of the entire U. S. A., have already started the opening of the gates to an honorabl peace, which is sure to come to us and our allies in due time, and when those brave boys are given back to us we will all be in a position, at least here in McHenry, to greet them with open arms and tell them that we who re mained at home also fought the battle of victory and fought it well.

Fox Lake Boy Returns

The village of Fox Lake paid hom age and deference to the first returned Lake county marine, Noal White, injured in service abroad, when on Tuesday afternoon he left the Great Lake station and rode in an automobile to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. man considerable pain, he is getting Ed. White, well known residents of along as well as could be expected. Fox Lake, to greet them for the first time since his return from abroad. He has been at the Great Lakes station for the past ten days, being one of the eleven men sent back from France to recuperate at the big training station after being injured in ser-

Change In Time Card

this branch of the C. & N. W. railroad have been discontinued since last Saturday. These include the Saturday and around and will soon be able to afternoon train, one Sunday train and the early Monday morning train.

PUBLIC PLACES CLOSED

Drastic Action Taken by the Village

As an extra precaution against the spread of any disease that may have infected this community, our schools, moving picture show, public halls and all places of public amusement were ordered closed the first of the week

As an extra precaution against the spread of any disease that may have infected this community, our village poard met on Monday evening of this week and passed a resolution which calls for the closing of our schools, churches, moving picture show, lodge halls, dance halls and all other places of public gatherings.

Our schools were the first to ob the order, they closing on Monday of this week, while J. W. Smith, proprietor of the Central opera house, also closed down, there having been no shows at that popular playhouse since Sunday evening.

The pastors of the various churches in the village were notified this (Thursday) morning and, altho masse have been read at the Catholic church here every morning this week, we are informed by the clergymen of Mc-Henry that they are willing to abide by the ruling, which means that no masses will be read until such time as the village board and board of health see fit to lift the ban.

Mayor Chamberlin informed us this (Thursday) morning that over at Woodstock, where everything has been closed for nearly a week, very gratifying results have already been obtained, and as a result of this the bar in that city may be lifted at any time. Children, who have been sent home from school, are also warned to keep

off the streets. If everyone will observe the closing and do everything passed and McHenry will be spared much sickness and possibly deaths The village board and board of health thus kindly ask our people to co-operate so that this desired end may be obtained. Just how long the schools and other

public places will remain closed in McHenry depends upon local health know of a single serious case of illness, altho there may be some. However, taking into consideration that the influenza and pneumonia epidemic seems to be on the wane thruout this entire locality, it looks to us as if the of the little folks, the Boy Scouts present ban will be of very short

AN INFLUENZA WARNING sued by Dr. C. St. Clair Drake of the

State Dept. of Public Health

An influenza warning has been is sued by Dr. C. St. Clair Drake, director of the state department of pub-

The work of these individuals was On guard against the careless sneezer made easy as well as pleasant thru cougher and spitter because such persons are largely responsible for the widespread epidemic of influenza ing an untruth when we say that each which already has invaded 800 Illinois cities and towns and has caused hunderds of deaths.

The rules issued are as follows: Do not become panicky. Do not visit the sick.

Keep out of crowds. Avoid dusty places.

Work, sleep and live in the open air. Avoid contact with persons who ave "colds."

Keep your hands clean and keep your fingers out of your mouth. If you get a cold, go home, go to ed and have a doctor called. Dress warmly, do not permit your

self to get over tired, avoid chills. The influenza germs are spread by areless sneezing, coughing and spit-

Do not use patent medicines

other so-called "cures." If you are tired, chilled or physically below par," you are most likely to

be infected with influenza. If you hear of a case of known or suspected influenza, report it at once to the local health officer.

If you get a cold, cough, sneeze and spit in a cloth which must be burned or thoroly disinfected.

Sick and Convelescent

Mr. and Mrs. Nick P. Justen, who have been confined to their home thru illness, have entirely recovered. Wm. Pries, the Centerville meat dealer, is again up and around after

a three days' confinement to his home thru illness. Geo. Buss, an employe at the Terra Cotta factory, is again able to up and

round after a short confinement to his ome thru illness. Police Officer Jack Walsh was able to be up and around this (Thursday)

orning after a few days' confinement to his home thru illness. Jacob Justen, the Centerville furniture dealer, who has been confined to

his home thru illness, is again able to be about his place of business. Village Clerk W. G. Schreiner. has been on the sick list, is again up resume his duties at the Oliver type-

writer factory at Woodstock.

LIBERTY DAY IS O

DEMONSTRATION LAST SATURDAY

Parade Is Feature of the Day-L

Another very splendid patriotic emonstration occurred in this village servance of Liberty day took place. As announced in last week's issue of The Plaindealer, the day was maked with a big parade, followed the raising of McHenry's liberty k

honor flag and a short program.

The parade, almost a half mile

ength and participated in by the Mc-Henry Boy Scouts, school child liberty loan workers, busin and citizens in general, left the Henry public school grounds at 2:30. The parade was headed by Earl Walsh and Frank Chance Page, who spotted Shetland ponies. Foll these were the Boy Scouts, school children, liberty loan workers, lodges, ousiness men, citizens and three he tiful as well as most appropriatel ecorated floats. The line of was as follows: Starting from front of the public school building east to Green street, north on Green street to Elm street, east on Elm street to Green street, south on Green street gan street to Railroad street, so Main street to Green street, north Green street to the village hall, where the flag raising and program to

True to the 100 per cent Americ spirit that has been manifested in the village ever since the outbreak of the is now engaged, nearly every two hours that the parade and exer-

Each and every one who took part in the parade is worthy of the cr Liberty day, 1918, one that will lo witnessed same. All of the liber loan workers appeared in the para each carrying a large Americ the high school girls who rode in the floats, not forgetting the many grown people who joined in to make the event

hall consisted of the rasing of the honor flag, together with a be American flag, a short speech by Postmaster T. J. Walsh and the singing of "America" by the entire ass onstration. Mr. Walsh's speech in perfect keeping with the day and ed that the village of McHenry had over-subscribed \$20,000 a mighty cheer went up from those assembled. A more patriotic spirit could not have prevailed and the day will go down in history as one of the grandest and most memorable that the village has ever experienced.

Friday and Saturday of this w are children's \$1.00 days at the B sisters' millinery parlor. Call and in spect the children's hats at \$1.00 each.

Christmas Cartons Ordered

An order for twenty-five carto e used for shipment to our overseas for Christmas was given by the vice chairman of the McHenry Red Cross this week. Que will b given to each of the mothers or no relatives, into which three pounds n be packed. A committee will act with the postmasters in the work of spection. The vice chairman has re ported the mothers or guardians of the following McHenry boys who are overseas and if any names have be omitted or misnamed relatives w kindly call phone 61-M: Paul Stoffel, Jack Mitchell, Leo Smith, Carl Patz ke. Fred Schoewer, Walter Sa Meyers Bros., Martin Weber, Al-ford Pouse, Mike Degen, Walter Fay, Louis Stoffel, James Doherty, Arth Smith, Wm. Ensign, Mort. S Walter Conway, Carl Payne, Rays Powers, Frank Masquelet, Alfred J Richardson, James Boyle, Wm. K. Harry Niesen, Leo Adams, St Adams, Geo. Schreiner and John

Enjoy Trip to County Seat

A motoring party, for wh Frank Schnorr and Mrs. L. H. Ov who are guests of relatives he son Six was hired by the la they included in their party M to say, all enjoyed and a