

at the office of the St. Peters Bote for charitable purposes: \$3.00 from a reader at Engelfeld for the orphans; \$5.00 from a reader at Münster for the orphans and \$5.00 from the same party for Father Egenolf; \$25.00 from a generous giver at Humboldt for the new convent of the Ursuline Nuns to be erected at Bruno. God bless you for your generosity!

—Mr. J. Limpinsel, of Windthorst, Sask., writes, under date of Jan. 18th as follows: "We have had your paper, the St. Peters Bote, for nearly 15 years, as long as we have been out here, and we certainly liked it."

—On page six of this issue, credit for the article "Exile vs. Gratitude" belongs to the New York Jesuit Review "America." This accidental omission is hereby rectified.

—The weather of the past week has again been very beautiful and mild. On Jan. 24th, however, we were visited by a heavy storm, during which the volume of snow has been increased considerably.

—The Rev. Abbot Bruno returned Saturday from his trip to Allan, Colonsay, Saskatoon, Regina and Winnipeg.

—Since Wednesday last the following Rev. Fathers were on a visit at the Abbey: Father Leo of Bruno, Father Lawrence of Fulda and Father Mathias of Leofeld. None of them had the influenza, though each one had a lot of sick-calls during the epidemic, and all of them look well and are in the best of spirits.

—The Banque d'Hochelega has selected the building between Woell-Mainzer's Store and the telephone office, and Mr. Chas. Bonas is fitting it up for the temporary bank building.

—We refer the kind reader to the advertisement of "The Carmel Mercantile Co., Ltd." on page 5.

—A respected subscriber to the St. Peters Bote at Humboldt sends us the following communication: "Some years ago I noticed a brief article in the 'Examiner,' San Jose, Cal., where a certain Geo. A. Adams recommended the following simple remedy to cure pneumonia, which article, it was claimed, had been copied from a medical journal. The article read as follows: 'An old German professor in Bavaria, in a practice of over forty years, had never lost a patient stricken with pneumonia; his treatment gave immediate and permanent relief and was so simple as to be within the reach of all without calling in a physician. Here is his recipe: Make a ball of cotton about as large as a small marble, saturate it thoroughly with alcohol; then drop about six drops of chloroform on it; then cover it slightly with cotton, apply to the mouth of the patient, and the fumes thus inhaled will inflate the lungs and open and expand every lung-cell instantaneously.'—I have tried it successfully many times, have also given it to hundreds of others and have never known it to fail. Try it yourself and you will not hesitate to give the public the benefit of it." The St. Peters Bote is not in a position to pass judgment on the efficacy of this remedy, though we have been told that a remedy, very much like the one described, had been used by some influenza patients with signal success.

Notice to Telephone Applicants.

Anyone who wishes to be connected with the MÜNSTER RURAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM is hereby kindly asked to personally make Application at Mr. Hy. Bruning's office with whom I have placed the necessary papers. Said applications must be made before the 15th of February, as we must have the papers in Regina by February the 20th. Those who applied last year are not required to apply again. MÜNSTER RURAL TELEPHONE CO., LTD. A. W. Loehr, Sec.-Treas.

ST. GREGOR, Jan. 20th, 1919
Dear St. Peters Bote:—

Our last general meeting of the Cath. Volksverein was a successful one. It was opened with prayer by the chairman. After the minutes of the preceding meeting had been read, the annual financial statement was laid before the members and ratified. Various subjects were then discussed. The president, Mr. Clem. Raskob having resigned his office, the following officials were elected: Louis Moormann, president; Emil Hohmann, secretary-treasurer; directors: Clemens Raskob, Zach. Trueby and Peter Burton. In the name of the Verein thanks are hereby extended to the receding president for having conducted its affairs, during the past year, with much ability and circumspection. It was decided to convene every second month, on the first Sunday, for the regular meeting of the Verein. Towards the end of the meeting the resolution was passed that, on Shrove-Tuesday, a theatrical performance and concert be given, the further particulars of which shall be published in due time in St. Peters Bote. Prayers were then recited in the usual manner, and the meeting was adjourned.

With Catholic greetings
E. HOHMANN, Sec.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kind assistance given, both during the illness of our dearly beloved son Hugo Joseph, and at the time of his death and exequies.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bittmann,
Fulda, Sask.

United States News

WASHINGTON.—There were sixty-two lynchings in this country last year. Of the victims, fifty-eight were negroes, including five women. Of the colored men killed, 10 were accused of assault and 6 of attempted assault.

—Soldiers who would be jobless if turned out of the army can remain in the service temporarily upon their own request, according to war orders just issued. This does not bind them to remain any considerable time.

—An official report for General Pershing shows that on Jan. 9th, there were 105,753 men in American army hospitals in France, of whom 72,642 were suffering from disease and 33,111 from wounds or other injuries.

—By a vote of 50 to 21 the U. S. Senate decided that the speech delivered by Senator La Follette of Wisconsin at St. Paul in September 1917, does not justify his expulsion from the senate. The charges of disloyalty preferred by the Minnesota Public Safety Commission, have been dismissed, and all proceedings in the case ended.

—Complete exoneration of Col. E. A. Deeds of the U. S. Signal Corps, whose trial by court martial was recommended by Charles E. Hughes in his report on aircraft production, has resulted from an investigation by a special war department board of inquiry!

—Wyoming and Idaho notified the state department of the ratification of the national prohibition amendment, making 42 states reporting.

—The Montenegrin Legation here announces that occupation of Montenegro by Serbian troops has resulted in a revolt by Montenegrins.

NEW YORK.—There are 10,000 jobless persons in the United States today, Dr. Geo. Kirchwey, federal director of employment for New York state, declared in an address in Brooklyn. Dr. Kirchwey predicted that there would be a period, "not terrible, but serious,"

while soldiers and war workers were being replaced in peace time industries. The employment service, he said, will give preference in the assignment of jobs to men returning from overseas, but he feared that in many cases the offers would be "apologies for jobs." Already, he said, the service has been compelled to place war workers who had been earning as high as \$25 a week in jobs which paid as little as \$8.30 a week.

—A group of bankers headed by J. P. Morgan and Company, have underwritten the privilege of converting into 20 year gold bonds the outstanding two years 5 1/2% notes of the British government loan floated in this country and due February 1st.

—There is no immediate hope of an appreciable reduction of food prices, according to Sylvan L. Stix, president of the Wholesale Grocers' Association. Addressing the annual convention here, he declared the process of re-adjusting food prices will extend over a number of years and probably will never revert to the old standard.

ALBANY, N.Y.—After a debate lasting nearly five hours which was proceeded by a republican caucus in which it was made a party measure, a resolution to ratify the federal prohibition amendment was adopted by the assembly of the New York legislature. The vote was 81 to 66.

LANSING, Mich.—The state railroad commission has declined to give immediate approval to new telephone rates ordered by Postmaster General Burleson.

CHICAGO.—The hearing of a motion for a new trial for Victor Berger and four convicted Socialists, was postponed to Feb. 1st by Judge Landis, on account of the absence of Seymour Stedman, counsel for the Socialists.

—The Illinois Public Utilities Commission ruled that the long

distance telephone rates ordered by Postmaster General Burleson are opposed to the Illinois laws. The federal order has been suspended for five months.

SHERMAN, S. D.—Five sick children of Mrs. Clara Hanson, wife of the town marshal, are dead,

slain by the hand of their mother. Declaring she did not want to see her children suffer longer the mother killed them one by one with a pistol and then shot a bullet into her head. She is in a critical condition.

TACOMA.—At a meeting the Tacoma Metal Trades Council unanimously decided to strike with the Seattle council. Approximately 7,000 men are affected.

Friend—Do you enjoy your motor car trips?
Henpeck—Yes, sir. We go so fast my wife is afraid to talk!

Teacher Wanted.
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IN THE SURROGATE COURT
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF HUMBOLDT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
JOHN C. SUEB, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said John C. Sueb, who died on or about the 15th day of November, A. D. 1918, are required on or before the 1st day of February, A. D. 1919, to send, by post, prepaid, or to deliver to H. J. Foik, of the Town of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, Solicitor for the Administrator of the Estate of said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, statements of accounts, duly verified by statutory declarations, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said Administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons, of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of said distribution.

DATED at Humboldt, Saskatchewan this 31st day of December, A. D. 1918.

H. J. FOIK,
Solicitor for the Administrator of said Estate.

IN THE SURROGATE COURT
JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF HUMBOLDT
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
JOSEPH KRENN, DECEASED.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said Joseph Krenn, who died on or about the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1918, are required on or before the 1st day of February, A. D. 1919, to send, by post, prepaid, or to deliver to H. J. Foik of the Town of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, Solicitor for the Executor of the Estate of said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, statements of accounts, duly verified by statutory declarations, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that after such last mentioned date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons, of whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of said distribution.

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Estray

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