

WITH BOTH FEET.

That's the Way Smith & Wilson Are Getting There With Their Custom House Job.

THE VANDEPOELE ELECTRIC LIGHT PLANT STARTED LAST EVENING.

A Grand Musical Festival—How Edwards Gets Back at the Bottle—Reed's Latest—New Enterprise.

Rushing Matters.

Smith & Wilson, the contractors for the new custom house, have commenced work in earnest, and from this time forward all rush things right along.

Started Up Last Night.

The Vandepoel electric light plant, lately received here by Mr. Colgate for the Burtis mill, and which will be used for a short time for lighting Front street, has been set up in the Iron Bay machine works for the present and last night the dynamo, which has a capacity of 36,000 candle power, was set in motion for the purpose of testing the same.

At St. Peter's Cathedral.

On Tuesday evening, June 5th, a grand musical festival will be given in St. Peter's cathedral in this city.

A large chorus of one hundred voices, selected from the leading cities of the upper peninsula has been under drill during the past month, and are now confident in the rendition of their parts.

Gets Back at the Bottle.

The MINING JOURNAL briefly noted an accident which happened to Mr. Edwards, the operator who takes the press report for the paper, Tuesday night, while he was attempting to decapitate an innocent bottle of ginger ale that had never done him harm.

Lake Freights.

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THE BOTTLE.

Harness me down with your wire bands, Be sure that the cork is tight, For I scorn the strength of your puny hands As the sunshines scorns the night.

THE VICTIM.

Pick it up tenderly, Cork it with care, Fashioned so slenderly, Looking so fair, Sit not beside it, It's a snare and a sell, It's bottled destructiveness, Concentrated hell.

little fellow was resting quite easy yesterday and with good care will be out digging in the sand heaps again soon.

Reed's Latest.

While rambling along the street in the vicinity of the Palace livery and sale stable yesterday afternoon in quest of a news pointer the reporter's attention was called to a handsome new bus bearing the name of its owner, George W. Reed, painted in colored letters on each side, which was received yesterday from the carriage works of Rigger & Peterman, Appleton, and built expressly for Mr. Reed.

New Enterprise.

Mr. Richard Connors and James Cooper have purchased one of Dixon's new steam feather renovators and yesterday the outfit was set up in the Doer building at 429 Washington street, where they will carry on the business of renovating feathers.

Open Air Concert.

On Friday evening the City band will give one of their ever-enjoyable open air concerts at the Ridge street school grounds, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp, wind and weather permitting, when the following program will be rendered in their best style:

Will Soon Appear.

The Sontinelle de Marquette, the new French paper, which will be published in the interest of the French societies of the upper peninsula, will make its first appearance on Friday.

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The funeral of A. Whitman took place from the house at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and the remains followed to the grave by a large number of old friends and neighbors.

Mr. Edwards, who met with a painful accident by the bursting of a ginger ale bottle Tuesday night, is still confined to his room, but says he expects to be on duty Sunday night.

The temperature readings at the U. S. signal station yesterday, 7th meridian time, were: 7 A. M., 32 degrees; 3 P. M., 57 degrees; 10 P. M., 60 degrees; maximum temperature, 75 degrees; minimum temperature, 37 degrees.

The Messier's house, which he purchased from Thomas Dwyer and moved to his place on Washington street, is now in place and work on the new foundation commenced.

The finest lot of brook trout which has been seen in Marquette this season were received at the MINING JOURNAL office last evening nicely boxed and addressed to the editors and a democrat friend, with the compliments of Mr. E. C. Cox, of Munising.

were captured by Mr. Cox himself, and that gentleman can rest assured that the prayers of the force are his to-day while those trout are being properly cared for, and also that the editors congratulate themselves with the thought that it isn't every gang of newspaper fellows in the land who have such a skilled angler friend as Mr. Cox to furnish them with brain food.

Fred Getling has just added a fine line of fancy groceries to his stock of goods at his place on Washington street, and now has one of the noblest little stores in the city.

Mr. R. P. Johnston, one of the oldest and ablest passenger conductors on the D. S. S. & A. road, has resigned his position to take effect on the 31st inst.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. M. Moore, the Bay City lumberman, is at the Clifton.

H. H. Heineman, of Negaunee, was in the city yesterday.

Edward Fraser started yesterday for Ontario, Cal. He was accompanied as far as Chicago by Mrs. Fraser, who is on her way to Kentucky for a visit.

AT THE HOTELS.

SUMMIT HOUSE—Willard Smith, W. T. Long, Saginaw; B. E. Malace, Soo; Silas Heath, E. Wilson, Newago; Arthur Woods, A. Brown, St Ignace; Alfred Bower, E. D. Johnson, Mackinaw City.

HOTEL BRUNSWICK—G. M. Buckley, Iron River; J. R. Stole, Chicago; G. F. Dearborn, city; Mathew Buehholz, Iron River; J. C. Chase, Alma; M. C. Howard, Williamsburg, Pa.; L. Lejanter, Republic; P. Brown, Iron River; D. P. Castor, Ithaca, Mich.

NEW CLIFTON—J. A. Sherman, H. C. Mead, Detroit; W. S. Nelson, Ishpeming; H. H. Heineman, A. Carmichael, Negaunee; P. H. Sercombe, A. Kahn, J. A. Hirsch, Milwaukee; I. N. Knapp, Chicago; M. C. Moore, Bay City; D. Hamel, Appleton; L. G. Goldberg, Milwaukee; Chas. Johnson, Rock River.

HOTEL MARQUETTE—E. Kramer, Chicago; C. W. Orton, Peunquing; Henry Schoenfeld, Milwaukee; J. S. Hendrie, Racine; F. J. Mann, J. Berkenwald, Milwaukee; H. F. Balsh, F. K. Balsh, Minneapolis; J. Q. Murphy, Hancock; T. G. Sullivan, St Ignace; J. M. Speese, Harrisburg, Pa.; H. C. Silsber, East Saginaw; C. H. Clow, Chicago; W. S. Nelson, John Gleason, E. Kennedy, Ishpeming.

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H. F. HANDFORD'S, 206 Front Street.

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I would respectfully announce to the public that I have opened a new shoe store in Nester's block and will handle a complete line of Boots and Shoes.

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Full Line "Red School House" Shoes and Wigwam Slippers.

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127 Washington St. PATRICK KEYES.

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