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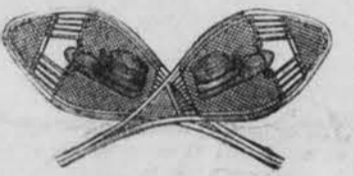
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## WON AFTER A LONG FIGHT.

Hon. Don M. Dickinson Interviewed About Recent Victory for the Homesteaders.

**FINAL DECISION WON AFTER A STUBBORN RESISTANCE.**

Gives Claims to Twelve Hundred Homesteaders Who Were Actual Settlers of the Land.

## HISTORY OF THE CASE GIVEN.

DETROIT, Dec. 11.—The victory of some thousand upper peninsula homesteaders in the United States supreme court after a long fight against the Portage Lake Canal company, in which the titles to their homesteads were hotly contested for six years, is the subject for congratulations on all sides throughout Michigan. Don M. Dickinson, the attorney for the homesteaders, was asked this evening by the Associated Press reporter to give briefly the main circumstances of the long litigation. Dickinson was naturally elated over the results. He gave a brief resume of the matter as follows:

"Congress in 1856 granted to the state for railroad building purposes six sections per mile on each side of the proposed routes. Of these routes the line named in the act from Ontonagon to the Wisconsin state line was never built. Because of this the federal land department and the state government assumed it had reverted to the government. So in 1880 congress made another grant to the state to enable it to build the Portage Lake canal. The canal company selected under its grant a portion of this old railroad grant and the state certified to the company.

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"At this juncture I entered the case. I took the position that the canal company could not make valid selection upon the railroad grant; that the state could not confer the lands; that the interior department could not certify the lands to the canal company under its grant because the original grant vested the title in the state for railroad purposes and it could not be conveyed to it by the state and congress. Circuit Justices Jackson and Brown sat in the case with Judge Severens and granted us a new trial. Judge Severens dissented and never assented to the ruling of the other two judges, but on the new trial directed a verdict for the defendants (homesteaders) on the opinions of the other justices. The homesteaders of some seven hundred and fifty families are involved in this decision.

"The canal company appealed and the decision now rendered by the supreme court confirms the title of every settler who was on the land May 1, 1888, the date on which all the settlers became secure in their possessions under the forfeiture act of congress, passed in 1889. The defense sought with eventual success, first, to destroy the canal company's title as being unlawfully conveyed to it by the state and federal government; second, to confirm the title under the forfeiture act of 1889. "Another case, representing some three hundred homesteaders, was decided against the settlers by Judge Severens on the ground that the state and federal governments had relinquished their title before the canal company had selected its lands. My contention was to that that the state only released moiety of the title and I appealed from Judge Severens' decision. The supreme court has now sustained this contention and declared these three hundred settlers entitled to an undivided interest on the lands upon which they settled. The canal company will now be confronted with damage suits instituted by the settlers for the restitution of property it has taken away.

Dickinson denounces the original grant as a monstrous proceeding which gave away for practically nothing an estate which pays dividends on a capital of \$20,000,000. The company as stated, having constructed a ditch for about \$300,000 and sold it to the state, while it still claims the lands with which to pay for its construction.

## STILL TALKING FINANCE.

Carlisle Again Before the Banking and Currency Committee. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The hearing before the banking and currency committee on the question of reorganizing the currency was resumed today. Horace White of New York was heard. Walker (Mass.) asked if the bill presented by White would secure a safe and uniform currency. White said in his judgment the bill would secure an elastic currency.

Secretary Carlisle then resumed his statement begun yesterday. He presented the bill he had prepared embodying his plan of currency revision and read it to the committee, commenting on it as he proceeded. Concerning the conditions imposed on state banks imposed by his bill he said certain features were added to meet the criticisms made of the plan as outlined in his annual report. Broius (Penn.) asked whether it was not desirable for the government to assume the risk of redeeming the notes rather than leaving it to the banks. Carlisle answered in the negative. He said he did not believe in government responsibility further than in providing the most ample safeguards. The secretary spoke of Comptroller

Eckel's currency plan. Without wishing to criticize he thought its fatal defect was in requiring national banks to take out two different kinds of circulating notes. Hall (Mo.) asked the secretary if the White treasury plan lacked elasticity. Carlisle said there was no difference between the plans as to the amount of circulation which could be taken out.

Shipments of gold were discussed at much length. Carlisle said the loss of gold was very heavy after the passage of the Sherman law, bringing about financial distrust and threatened panic. But there was no real danger.

During the general discussion between Carlisle and the members of the committee the secretary referred to the issuing of bonds. He said as much as he regretted it, he saw no way of preventing a further issue of bonds as long as the present system remained.

Mr. Holmer of Baltimore then addressed the committee on the Baltimore plan, favoring it throughout and opposing the treasury plan.

Springer (Dem. Ills.) today introduced in the house Secretary Carlisle's banking bill. It was ordered to be printed and referred to the committee on banking and currency.

## PASSED BY THE HOUSE.

The Railway Pooling Bill Put to Its First Vote.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—In the morning hour Mallory again called up the bill to promote the efficiency of the revenue cutter service which provoked Champ Clark's remarks Saturday and today the Missouriian again took the floor in pursuance of his avowed intention of talking the bill to death and occupied the remainder of the morning hour.

Under special order the consideration of the railroad pooling bill was resumed. It was debated until 3 o'clock by Cannon in opposition to, and Springer, Harter, Sibley and Black in support of the measure, when Patterson moved the previous question on the bill with pending amendments. Dingley and Hopkins protested and Patterson refused to yield and the previous question was ordered, the vote standing 108 to 96. The yeas and nays being demanded the roll was called and the previous question ordered by a vote of 174 to 102. The vote recorded on Blair's amendment to the Cooper substitute. The amendment was agreed to without division and a vote was then taken on the Cooper substitute and defeated—109 to 175. The vote then recurred on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The Hon. J. M. Marshall inaugurated a filibustering movement by moving adjournment, but it did not have sufficient backing to secure the yeas and nays. Cooper, however, secured the yeas and nays on the third reading of the bill and the roll was called. The bill then passed by a vote of 174 to 102. Marshall then resumed his filibustering tactics. Cooper moved that the bill be recommitted to the committee on interstate and foreign commerce and Breckinridge moved to amend the motion to recommit by adding the committee on the subject to report back the amendment making all pooling agreements illegal until approved by interstate commerce commission. The Breckinridge amendment was defeated 108 to 158. The motion to recommit was also lost 63 to 159. The vote on the final passage of the bill resulted yeas 169, nays 110.

The house then adjourned.

## HAVE THE RIGHT MAN.

Embezzling Bookkeeper of New York Arrested in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The police are entirely confident the man they arrested as Seeley, who helped to rob the Shoe & Leather bank of New York of over three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, is the right man. About noon Seeley sent for the chief of detectives. When he arrived after thanking him for the consideration shown him since his arrest he said: "My name is Seeley; Samuel C. Seeley, late bookkeeper of the National Shoe & Leather bank of New York. That's what I wished to say to you." He absolutely declined to enter into further conversation about his case, but added that he was ready to go back to New York without the formality of extradition papers as soon as the officers from there arrived. He preserved the utmost coolness and nonchalance throughout. Seeley said further he would make no effort to gain release from the Chicago officers and did not want an attorney, preferring to wait until he reached New York where he could consult his own lawyer. United States Marshal Arnold was notified by telegraph this afternoon that federal officers and representative of the bank had started for Chicago. Seeley will also be held under United States process.

## COAL MINERS MAY STRIKE.

United Mine Workers Object to the Reduction Made.

REYNOLDSVILLE, Pa., Dec. 11.—The situation among the 10,000 coal miners on the Dubois, Reynoldsville and Punksutawney coal fields is one of grave forebodings. The companies operating there have cut wages 5 per cent. Dec. 1. Saturday a notice signed by the United Mine Workers was posted calling the men to resist the reduction and demand 5 per cent. increase on January 1st. The situation is now felt to be one which may result in a general strike about that time.

## RATES NOT HIGH ENOUGH.

Plumbers of Central States Hold Convention in Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 11.—Delegates representing the manufacturing and jobbing plumbers from Pittsburgh to Kansas City are in session here today. In an address President Wolfe stated that the object of the meeting was to form a stronger tie and secure harmony of action among the members of the organization.

## MURDERED BY A MANIAC.

Missouri Farmer Commits an Awful Crime While Temporarily Insane.

**KILLED HIS WHOLE FAMILY AND THEN HIMSELF.**

After Cutting the Throats of His Family He Turns the Butcher Knife on Himself.

## WHOLE FAMILY SLAUGHTERED.

RIDGEWAY, Mo., Dec. 11.—The most horrible human butchery ever recorded in this section was committed five miles southwest of here this afternoon. David G. Spragg, a fit of insanity murdered his wife and two children, mortally wounded two step-children and then took his own life. The weapon which the maniac wielded with such appalling results was a large butcher knife. The nearest neighbor to Spragg lived almost a mile distant and it was some time before the news of the crime spread. In a few hours numbers of people arrived from town and a most sickening sight met their gaze.

Laying in the yard near the gate were the remains of Mrs. Spragg, mutilated almost beyond recognition and her disheveled hair drowned in a pool of blood. In one corner of the sitting room lay the lifeless body of little Caley, five years old, and in another Albert, the four-year old boy. Albert's head was resting on a slate with which he had been playing, a mass of coagulated blood and brains, while the blood still oozed from the gaping wounds in the throats of each. On the kitchen floor with blood all over his hands and face and still clenching the terrible instrument of death in his bony hands and with his head almost severed from his body, lay the author of the awful scene. The two little step-children were taken to the home of neighbors where they are dying from cuts that cover their bodies.

Evidence of a terrible struggle in the Spragg home is plainly visible. The walls, books, stove and furniture are splattered with blood; chairs are upset, oil can overturned and things generally turned upside down. Particulars of the butchery are learned from Dora Onstatt, a step-daughter. After cluding her step-father's murderous grasp she escaped to the neighbors and gave the alarm. Her statement is substantially as follows:

Spragg complained all morning of an aching head and the nearest neighbor, Meyers, was sent to Ridgeway for a physician. Soon after Meyers' departure Spragg tied Caley's hands behind him and deliberately cut his throat. Mrs. Spragg ran into the room at this point and attempted to interfere when Spragg made a lunge at her. She ran out into the yard, around the house and then into it again closely followed by Spragg. In the house he caught her and a desperate struggle ensued. He literally hacked her head and face into slices and then, cutting her head almost from her body, dragged her by the hair into the yard.

Covered with gore and every minute becoming more frenzied, the human monster now returned to the house. Dora, who was sick in bed, climbed out the window and escaped. When the people first began to arrive they were deterred from entering by Spragg, who stood in the doorway with a loaded shot gun. Finally Spragg locked the door and it was then he butchered the step-children. Just as the crowd was preparing to break into the house, two shots were heard and when the door was finally forced open Spragg was dead and the scene as described was presented to view. The two step-children are still alive but cannot recover.

## WAS BOUND TO SUICIDE.

Fires His House and Barn and Wounds a Neighbor.

SOUTH HAVEN, Mich., Dec. 11.—Robert Webster, an aged farmer living near here, set fire to his barn this morning, shot and fearfully wounded Eugene Keasy, a neighbor who attempted to put the fire out and then attempted suicide by bringing his residence. Keasy's eyes are shot completely out, his nose shot off and one side of his face is nearly gone, but the wounds are not fatal. Webster was dragged out of the burning house too late, however, to save his life.

## MINISTRY RESIGNS.

Turkish Ministers Show Their Feelings Regarding Armenian Affairs.

VIENNA, Dec. 11.—A dispatch from Constantinople says the Turkish cabinet held a long meeting yesterday at which Armenian affairs were almost exclusively discussed. It is considered probable the ministry will resign. The sultan is reported as being much concerned at the turn of events and Great Britain is understood to be asking the powers to take concerted action. It is believed Russia, France, Italy and Austria will support Great Britain in the matter but it is doubtful whether Germany will do so.

## AN EMBEZZLER RETURNS.

Refuses to Make a Statement but Denies the Charge.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Dec. 11.—W. P. Buell, general agent of the Standard Horse & Cattle Food company, who disappeared Nov. 11, and who was reported by President Sanford of the Standard company to be an embezzler to the amount of \$5,000, returned to this city today. He refused to make any statement for publication except that he had been wronged regarding the alleged embezzlement. Captain W. H. Hayden, his successor as general agent, says Buell will be prosecuted.



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A NEWER EDITION of the Houghton County Progress has just been issued.

It is a handsome paper typographically and the departments are well written up.

The Mirror has good field, and as it starts off with a fair showing of advertising patronage it is to be presumed that the business men of Houghton are disposed to give it a generous support.

The initial number of the Escanaba Daily Mirror has reached this office.

It is a handsome paper typographically and the departments are well written up.

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RETURN on the country's gold production for the calendar year 1894 received by the treasury department indicate that it will approximate \$13,000,000, distributed as follows: Colorado, \$11,575,000; Montana, \$9,575,000; Idaho, \$2,350,000; California, \$1,150,000; increase for the four states during the calendar year, \$7,000,000.

Production of all other states and territories, \$13,150,000. This will be something of an increase over the production of recent years, attributable in some degree to the diversion to gold mining resulting from the suspension of so many of the silver mines in the west.

ALLUDING to the decision rendered by the United States supreme court in the homestead cases decided by that tribunal Monday, which were argued before it some weeks ago by Don M. Dickinson on behalf of the settlers, The Detroit Journal says that "the effect of confirming the titles of bona fide settlers prior to May 1, 1883, is exactly what Senator Palmer strove to secure when the forfeiture act was before congress."

Indeed! It remained for Mr. Dickinson to accomplish by legal skill and tireless persistence in defending the rights of the settlers what Mr. Palmer was unable to achieve as a senator of the United States. Quite an admission, that, for Mr. Palmer's organ.

GOMPERS, president of the Federation of Labor, is opposed to compulsory arbitration on the ground that it would break down the labor unions and reduce the workmen to a condition of slavery.

Perhaps it might have a bad effect on the influence of such labor leaders as Gompers, but it is hard to see how a system of arbitration provided by legislative enactment that would facilitate an equitable adjustment of the differences between workmen and their employers would be a bad thing for the former, or would tend to destroy their independence.

But from the standpoint of a professional labor agitator Gompers is right, for if the cause of trouble is removed the man who lives by the trouble will find his occupation gone. Gompers is anxious to hold his job.

The Grand Rapids Herald is not inclined to put faith in the claim of President Havemeyer of the sugar trust that the refineries controlled by the trust have been obliged to curtail operations because they cannot be run at a profit under the new sugar schedule.

It gives these excellent reasons for doubting Havemeyer's statement:

If the quotations are correct raw sugar sold for a higher price two years ago than it commands today, yet the sugar was sold to the consumers at a less price than now.

The refineries were all running on full time then and making a profit for their owners, but now under more favorable conditions Mr. Havemeyer says they are positively losing money. It seems impossible that this should be true; it lacks plausibility and carries with it a suspicion there is a scheme behind it. The fact is that the trust wishes some excuse for raising the price of sugar, that is, some excuse which shall not appear wholly arbitrary; it desires also to create the impression that the present tariff is inadequate as a protective measure.

With this double object in view a subterfuge has been resorted to which may fool congress, but is not at all likely to tend color to its scheming great solicitude for the men thrown out of employment is expressed. It is preposterous to suppose, when wages are lower, raw sugar lower and refined sugar commanding a higher price, that refiners should run at a loss.

SENATORIAL GOSSIP.

Great interest centers on the impending contest over the two senatorships to be filled by the legislature this winter, and all sorts of stories are current as to combinations being effected to bring about results by the several aspirants and their friends.

It has been taken for granted that the long term senatorship would go to McMillan by an unanimous vote, but the Detroit News is advised from Washington that the apais are preparing trouble for the senior senator, and may bring out Congressman Linton, the pet of that order, as a candidate against McMillan. It is claimed that there are sixty members of the

order among the members-elect of the legislature, and that they intend to make their power felt in the election of the two senators to be chosen at the coming session.

The News also has this, furnished by its Grand Rapids correspondent regarding the alleged combination between Representatives Stephenson and Burrows, and the situation generally as to the short-term senatorship:

There is no longer any doubt that the Burrows and Stephenson forces have formed an offensive and defensive alliance. An understanding has been reached between the two candidates named, whereby Burrows is not to let his candidacy interfere with John C. Carr's, although he is to remain in the field.

Stephenson will hold what votes he can without making an aggressive campaign; and if matters assume a stage which seems to warrant such action he will get the support of the man from Kalamazoo.

Although the deal has been denied by the Burrows men since it was first announced, some ten days ago, The News has seen a letter written within the past few days and signed by one of Burrows' boomers reading in this city that also heartily confirms the statement.

The writer has been actively and constantly engaged in looking after Congressman Burrows' interests for several weeks, and being one of the latter's advisers-in-chief, knows what he is talking about on this subject.

It is understood that Congressman Burrows is emphatic in his desire for an open senatorial caucus and will endeavor to induce all his supporters among the legislators to unite in a demand for it, fearing that some of them will go back on their pledges or instructions if the other method is pursued. It is claimed by some of Burrows' committee-men who were booming Lane two years ago that the latter was the gainer by the open ballot.

Charles E. Baxter, secretary to Senator Patton, said yesterday that while this question had been discussed with numerous other matters of detail by the senator and his friends they had arrived at no conclusion concerning it, believing that it could as well be disposed of two or three weeks hence.

When asked what his preference was, Senator H. Ode said it was a matter of indifference to him which course was pursued, but he added that it appeared to him to be a trifle insolent for men, who were asking the support of legislators to assume to dictate to the latter the manner in which their votes shall be cast. He believes that the men who are to do the voting should be permitted to settle this question without the interference of the candidates.

GAY COLORS FOR HUNTERS.

They Lessen the Chances of Somebody Taking a Shot at the Sportsman.

"You would naturally think the hunter out for game would wear clothes of soft, unobtrusive colors harmonizing with the landscape," said the veteran sportsman to a New York Sun reporter. "Yet, stalking moose and deer in Maine woods, I select apparel pronounced in hue, and often wear a red necktie or hatband. This I do to lessen the danger of being shot through mistake."

"Of the great army of hunters that each fall range the woods of the Pine Tree state there are few that will not sometimes venture a shot into moving bushes on the chances that the invisible object that rustles them may be a deer. The fool sportsman, who is largely in evidence in the shooting season, will do so every time. If it be a man in the bushes, any striking colors of his costume are apt to catch the eye of the one preparing to fire and prevent the shot being fired."

"The danger of alarming game by such costumes! That is not enough to be taken into account. Everything striking in color is more likely than not to excite their curiosity and draw them toward the hunter if he work with proper slowness and caution. Besides that, all the antlered game trust almost wholly to their sense of hearing and smelling to warn them of the approach of danger, and if you can baffle those faculties you need have little fear of their taking alarm from the sight of you."

"But, speaking of costume, don't wear black, else every nunny, and even some experienced sportsman, seeing you among the trees, would let drive at you, believing he was going to bag a bear."

HANDY WITH A WHIP.

A Stage Driver Disarms a Road Agent with a Lash.

One of the dangers which menaced travelers in the early history of California was an attack by highwaymen. An old stage driver who drove over a part of the long line between San Jose and Los Angeles relates an interesting incident of those early days. He says:

"I remember once, says a writer in the Youth's Companion, in a lonely coast-range canyon, through which the road wound, we had a little experience that was thrilling for the moment. It was a moonlight night, and I was pushing ahead at a good speed, with a stage full of passengers, and a heavy treasure box."

"Just as I got around a bend in the road I saw the figure of a man on horseback beside the road. He yelled out for us to stop, and I saw a gun barrel gleam in the moonlight."

"The horses were going at a speed that might be called breakneck, and I made up my mind to take the chance of getting through. I saw the gun raised to the fellow's shoulder as we approached. I had my long whip in my hand, and with a desperation born of the peril of the moment, I made a vicious swipe at him."

"I don't know how it happened, but the lash wound itself around the gun, and as we dashed by, the whip was drawn taut. I was nearly pulled off my seat, but I held on, and the gun was dragged out of the robber's hand and fell to the ground. At the same moment it was discharged by the shock."

"It rattled along the road for quite a distance before the whiplash unwound itself. I don't know what the highwayman thought, but I'll wager he was surprised."

FACE READING.

Some Interesting Facts About the Art of Reading Human Documents.

The human character is divided into two parts, the animal and the intellectual. I say animal first because the animal propensities are always the strongest, the intellect located in the brain having to keep in subjection the requirements of the whole body. The three principal features are the eyes, the nose and the mouth, and each of these features has its part to play in forming the character of the individual. The eyes, being located directly under the brain, are the feature of intellect or intelligent emotions; the nose, being formed of bone and cartilage, shows, according to its height and prominence, the executive power of the individual; the greater the height and prominence of the nose the more executive; and the mouth which is composed of blood, tissue, nerves and muscles, is the feature which interprets the quality of the passions and senses. Thus the forehead and the eyes are the intellectual, the nose and cheek bones the executive, and the mouth and chin the animal features, each defined according to its degree of development. The top of the eye-sockets is the region of the perceptive faculties, which are located in the brain at the back of the frontal sinus, and these faculties are estimated in value according to their external prominence.

The organs which are most discernible may be mentioned as follows: Form, color, order, calculation, time, taste, constructiveness, causality, comparison, memory and congruity; but to be able to define them accurately you must learn their exact location, and be very practiced in noting their gradations at a glance. The eyes being the feature of intellect, we will commence by explaining their characteristics. Note particularly the manner in which they are placed in their sockets. There is more shrewdness with deep-set eyes than with prominent ones. The deeper the eyes are set in the head, the greater their proximity to the brain. Dr. stretch-Dowse, in writing of the nerve agent's velocity of transmission, says:

This estimation of velocity varies in regard to different individuals. In fact, we know from daily observation, how variable in different individuals is the rapidity of the sensitive and sensorial excitations, and that of the consecutive motor reactions. How common the remark that such a person's understanding is lively and active, or slow and dull. The difficulty which some persons have in catching a joke, which at once makes other people laugh, is a striking example of inequality of perception. To be shrewd the brow must overhang the eyes; when the eyes are level with the forehead it then denotes a lack of perception, and such people are dull and wanting in grasp. A projecting eye more readily receives impressions from surrounding objects, it indicates ready and universal observation, but a lack of close scrutiny and perception of individual things. Deep-set eyes receive more definite and accurate impressions, but their possessors are less readily impressed and less discursive in their views. Round-eyed persons see much and live much in the senses, but think less. Narrow-eyed persons see less, but think more and feel more intensely. The larger the pupil of the eye, the clearer the intellect and the quicker the powers of comprehension. People who show the whites above and below the pupil are generally very restless and half-simply; you will seldom find this kind of eye in clever or sensible people; it is generally known as the stupid eye.

The color of the eyes is caused by fluids of various tints and shades, the darker the more condensed in quality. Thus dark eyes indicate power, and light eyes delicacy. There are no such things as black eyes, though they are often written and spoken about. The darkness is caused simply by a condensation of the pigment which, if dissolved in spirit or acid, would be of the palest yellow tint. There are many characteristics applied to the color of the eyes, but I fear there is no anatomical basis for them. There is certainly more passion and intensity in dark eyes, whereas gray and light eyes are calculating, cool and precise. One generally hears of gray-eyed people being greedy; but this greed seems to me to be more the outcome of calculation and anxiety for gain than for the satisfaction or gratification of the physical senses. Prominence or fullness under the eyes indicates large language and persons with prominent eyes are ready speakers and writers.

The organ of language, or eloquence, as it might more properly be called, lies in the brain behind the ball of the eye, at the top; and, when large, it pushes the eye outward and downward, causing prominence or anterior projection. Prof. Ferrier and other anatomists have localized this organ in the same position as the phrenologists, viz., the third frontal convolution of the brain; but they term it speech, which is a more correct interpretation, as people are apt to imagine that the word language means the faculty to learn or speak foreign languages. That would be quickness of learning, and is called application. Language in this sense means eloquence, and great speakers and writers have this particular fullness under the eyes. You must be careful not to confound this fullness with "baggingness," the result generally of ill-health or dissipation.

The eyes of Charles Dickens, Disraeli, Gladstone, Shakespeare, Byron, and many other great writers and speakers illustrate the organ of language. Musicians are generally fully developed under the eyes, but that is due to the development of the organs of time and tune, which lie at the top of the eyeball. Music is the language of the soul, and expresses itself in sound; as ideas would in speech. There is a great deal of character in the eyes, and their fleeting expressions alone show almost all the mental emotions of mirth, fear, anger, horror, love and astonishment.—N. Y. Advertiser.

—The passion of acquiring riches in order to support a vain expense corrupts the purest souls.—Fenelon.

SOME LIVING PRETENDERS.

An Amazing Spanish Duke with a Herald and an Enormous Fortune.

The possession of the royal pretender is very much overdone in Europe, just now. A Madrid editor, less than six months ago, wrote an article in which he said that he had seen a number of men who think they have permanent rights to the throne of Spain and the purple of small Italian principalities.

The most interesting of the Spanish pretenders is not Don Carlos, but a man whose name is seldom mentioned outside the Iberian peninsula. He is the duke of Medina-Celi, chief defender of the faith fourteen-fold grandee of Spain, first of all Castilian knights, and direct descendant of Ferdinand and Isabella. For him and his family the race of Bourbon-Anjou, who now rule Spain, are nothing more than usurpers. As often as a new king of Spain is crowned the duke's herald appears in the palace, and in the presence of all the grandees of Spain, protests in the name of his lord against this usurpation, sets forth the claims of the Medina-Celi to the throne, and challenges every knight who may venture to dispute the legitimacy of the duke's rights to defend his opinion in a duel to the death "on the mountain or on the plain, by day or by night." As no grandee of Spain has ever seen fit to take the duke and his herald seriously, the head of the house of Medina-Celi has been left free to spend the income from his enormous fortune on beautiful Spanish girls and to make perennial tours of his numerous estates. It is said that he can travel from one end of Spain to the other and sleep every night in his own house. Under these circumstances he has proved a much less troublesome pretender than Don Carlos. This chief of Spanish pretenders was once so impoverished that, with the help of his secretary, he tried to turn into coin the gold chain of his Order of the Golden Fleece. By the death of Count Chambord and some ink in matrimony, however, he was enabled eventually to lay up a fortune against a rainy day and keep his decorations away from the goldsmiths and pawnbrokers.

A group of pretenders, who are chronically bankrupt, afflict the Italian provinces. At almost any time one may find in the continental newspapers brief paragraphs concerning the difficulties which a count of Aquila, or Trani, or Syracuse, is having with the sheriff. A census of pretenders has not been taken. A partial list of those who think they have valid claims to the throne of France was published recently, however. They are: Don Carlos, duke of Madrid; Alfonso XIII, king of Spain; Francis, sometime king of both Sicilies; Francis, Sebastian's son by his second wife, an aunt of the dead king; Robert, once duke of Parma; Louis Philippe of Orleans. All of these gentlemen are descendants of Louis XIII, of France. The last one to announce his pretensions to the world is Gen. Francis of Bourbon, who suddenly began calling himself the duke of Anjou after the count of Paris' death, and sent out a manifesto concerning his claims. This course has been rather disastrous to him, for he has been deprived not only of his command in the Spanish army, but also of the salary that went with it. He can spare the command, but will miss the salary, for he is poor.—N. Y. Sun.

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The New Salvation Army Barracks at Calumet Are About Completed.

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An Effort is Being Made to Have General Booth Present at the Dedication Ceremony.

[All communications intended for this department should be addressed to Fred J. Stevens, Houghton, Mich. Telephone connection.] CALUMET.

Arrangements are being made for the dedication of the Salvation Army barracks which are practically completed. The new structure is a handsome building of rather striking design for so massive a structure, located at the corner of Seventh and Portland streets, fronting on the former. The lower floor will be used for religious services while the second floor has been divided into very comfortable suites of rooms which are for the use of the officers. The new building is undoubtedly the best in the upper peninsula possessed by the red coated soldiers and has been worked for with unremitting zeal by the members of the organization. The manner of its construction is effective a very considerable saving to the army as every soldier who was not otherwise employed was set at work wielding a hammer, a saw or shovel on the work and the officers pulled off their coats and hammered nails, and occasionally their thumbs, as zealously as though they had been duly apprenticed carpenters in their early days. The officers and members of the army here have been making every effort possible to secure the attendance of General William Booth, the famous founder of the army, at the dedication ceremonies, and it is still hoped by bringing the very largest crowd to Calumet that was ever seen here.

Geo. Washington lodge, Junior Sons of St. George, will give an entertainment at the Red Jacket opera house on Saturday evening, Dec. 22nd.

The pupils of the Sacred Heart convent will give a concert and entertainment at the opera house on Christmas night.

The German-American Bowling club will celebrate Christmas with a festival to be held at the opera house on Wednesday evening, Dec. 25th. There will be a Christmas tree for the children, song and music for the elders, and a good time for all who attend.

The committee that steered the Fourth of July celebration last summer and which met with such success, has decided to enter the arena again and will give a ball at the opera house on the night of Monday, Dec. 31st. No name has yet been given the committee and the choice of an appellation will probably be left to the guests at the dance.

Matt Stukel is acting as marshal during Mr. Ward's absence in Lansing. Mr. Stukel is right in the line of succession and should the council be called upon to fill a vacancy in the marshal's office, Mr. Stukel would probably be the leading candidate for the place.

The proprietors of the two ice rinks have been spending a very uncomfortable week. With their rinks just completed and everything ready for business they have been compelled to wait for more reasonable weather drawing their sole consolation from the remembrance that two years ago at this season the Mineral Range trains were stuck in snowdrifts at the highway, and that the weather was of a sufficiently frigid and snowy nature to satisfy the most exacting.

Reserved seats for the concert to be given Friday evening at the opera house will cost seventy-five cents each, at Fichtel & Rupprecht's, but those holding season tickets will pay no more for each entertainment than persons paying for general admission at the door, and will have first pick at the best seats.

The annual ball of the Red Jacket lodge No. 367, Brotherhood of Locomotive Trainmen, will be given at the Armory on the night of Monday, Dec. 31. The public is invited to come along in large numbers as it is desired to fill the big dancing floor and make the ball an occasion after which all future dances will be patterned for some time to come.

The Lovejoy tribe, which is always at some mischief in this constant source of expense to the village and county, is in hot water again. One of the women is in jail for depraved conduct and one of the young men is to be tried on the charge of keeping a house of a little more than questionable character. People who have superfluous kittens or puppies tie a stone around each one's neck and dump them in the lake. It is to be regretted that such a course cannot be pursued with the pestiferous family that is always making trouble.

The Calumet village drug store has been opened but a few days but the people seem to be aware of its presence. For it is doing a great business. Dr. McNaughton is now located up stairs over the store and can be called night or day.

All lodges of the A. O. H. in the county will celebrate St. Patrick's day next March in Calumet, a decision to that effect having been reached at the county meeting held on Sunday last.

HOUGHTON. The date set for the change from the American Express company to the newly organized Western Express company is December 15th, which falls on Saturday next. Notwithstanding the near approach of the time set for the turning over of the express business to the South Shore and Mineral Range from the old to the new, nothing seems to be known here or elsewhere along the line about the matter. The contract of the American Express on Dec. 15th, hence the choosing of that date for the time of change. As a matter of

fact a worse time could not possibly be selected by the new concern, as the Christmas business would then be flooding everything and doubling the difficulty which would inevitably be incurred by changing from old employees to new, with the added disadvantage of transfers at a half dozen points where connecting lines tap the D. S. S. & A. from the south. For this reason, and because nothing definite is known regarding the matter within four days of the date set for the change, it is supposed by employees of both the road and the express company that some postponement of the date has been agreed on or that some amicable arrangement is already made or under discussion looking toward the retention of the express business of the South Shore by the company that has always held it.

Herbert M. Clarke, who has been spending a week or more in the county in the interests of the Y. M. C. A., was a passenger down to Marquette yesterday. He spoke there last night in the interests of the association and will endeavor to interest local strength in the effort to give a Y. M. C. A. to that sinful town.

Mr. Ford, general manager of the Western Express company, arrived here Monday evening and spent Tuesday at Calumet and Portage Lake on business connected with the transfer of the express business.

HANCOCK. The union Sunday school meeting held at the Methodist church last Sunday evening resulted in fully as large a congregation as the edifice would seat. The delegates to the state convention held recently at Grand Rapids reported on their work and the conversion in general.

The Y. M. C. A. is introducing the new game of basket ball, of which the members have rather high ideas and great hopes. It is generally understood that the larger the basket the better the chance of bagging the ball and it is probable that the amateurs will present themselves with baskets of all sizes and descriptions unless they are set right by some one who has seen the game.

A snow storm set in Tuesday morning which promised to make good any loss of concealed moisture which has been suffered in the past week.

Ernest Jaderholm, who sold his drug business last week to A. W. Lindholm, is closing up his affairs here and will leave on Saturday for Finland, where he proposes to remain the balance of his days. Mr. Jaderholm has made many friends in the copper and iron districts during his four years' residence in the upper peninsula who will wish him a safe and pleasant voyage.

### DOG BITES AS ASSETS.

One Way of Getting Even With an Inevitable Debtor.

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The owner of the dog paid down the money, as he was afraid the other fellow might exasperate him if he hit him with a club of that size. The owner of the dog also said he was sorry the dog had bitten the intruder's son.

"Why, he ain't my son," said the intruder pleasantly, as he stowed away the money.

"Whose son is he, then?" asked the astonished owner of the dog.

"He is the son of a friend of mine who owed me seventeen dollars and a half, but he is poor, and the only available assets he has are these dog-bites on his son's body, which he turned over to me for collection."

"Well, I'll be blowed!"

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### AMERICAN TITLES.

How Military Designations Stick—Peculiar Newspaper Prefixes.

"Say," said the "Kicker," when he was in an unusually critical mood, "don't tell me that we Americans do not like titles. Why, hang it, we dote on titles. Just see how many of the rich girls go gunning for titles abroad and are willing to accept broken-down specimens of humanity for husbands simply because they call themselves dukes or marquises or count or what not. Only recently a young Irish earl came here. He was absolutely without distinction, but a paragraph got into one of the papers about him, and simply because he was an earl people began to pour invitations upon him for dinners and things. He couldn't understand it. Of course he couldn't, but I can. He had a title. It didn't make any difference whether he was a member of the British, Irish or any other aristocracy. He had a title that we haven't got, and hence the invitations. Now, I don't mean to say that we Americans are anxious to have any orders of nobility. A good many of us would like to be dukes and earls and viscounts and all that, but we would be ridiculed so much by those who couldn't get the titles that the glamour of them would be much dimmed. But we make up for the lack of noble names. You bet we do! Any other sort of a title we can get hold of is used with a vengeance. Consider military designations. For instance, look over the lists of people who are present at any public functions. The number of military men is astounding. Where do they come from? The war has been over nearly thirty years, and a vast number of the officers who came out of it are dead. But the number of generals, majors and captains seems stupendously large still. Of course, the militia of the states furnishes a good many. A man is at the head of a regiment; he conducts a drill once a week or so, takes part in a parade a few times a year, and perhaps spends a week in a state camp. He makes his living as a business or professional man; his military associations are merely an incident of his career. But to all the world he is 'the colonel,' and he remains the colonel forever.

"Now, I am not kicking about this, you understand. Nobody of sense would kick about it. I simply cite it to illustrate how a title, especially a military title, sticks. Then look at the military staffs of governors. These are usually made up of civilians. They don't know any more about drills and tactics and strategy than a South Sea Islander does about the constitution of the United States; and, moreover, they don't learn any more while they hold their offices, but they get to be known as the colonels and majors and captains; and the titles stick. Nobody, I presume, is going to kick very hard over this; but I, for one, do kick against magnifying or manufacturing titles. A man may come how or other be entitled to be called a lieutenant or a captain, but it frequently happens that in some inexplicable way he sooner or later becomes a colonel or a general. This is especially the case when he runs for a political office, and in these instances he rarely stops short of being a full fledged general, with the infernal record of life imported, forts stormed and battles won. Then, we actually manufacture these titles without the slightest excuse. General officers of all kinds, attorney-generals, paymaster-generals, solicitor-generals and so on—sometimes or other get big military rank, and very often the title persists in staying by them.

"But we have other titles. Some one has said that the only salvation of the republic was the fact that there were so many societies of various kinds in the country, and thus almost everybody could have an office of some kind and a title of some kind. It is a sort of safety valve, I suppose, for a man to be a grand master, or a high priest, or a most worshipful this or that, or a grand mogul of something or other. It does no harm, and perhaps some good.

"But the title that I kick against in earnest is the one for which some of the newspapers are largely responsible. How the practice ever started I don't know, unless it was to save space. It is the habit of making a title or prefix of a man's occupation. This is becoming extremely prevalent, especially among certain newspapers in this city. We have Lawyer Smith, Banker Jones, Broker Brown, etc. I have even seen Butcher Green in print. The worse case I recall was Driver of the Canalboat Mary Jane. Timothy Black, capital letters and all. A man is very rich; he is frequently dubbed Millionaire Jones. He is a singer; he is called Tenor de Throatstrings. He coils ropes on a steamboat and he gets into print as Deckhand McGinty. He is a law-defying crank and he is written up as Anarchist Smithkins. And so on. I don't believe they do such silly things as this anywhere else on earth. The only designations of any kind we should have in this country are official ones; except in Kentucky, and, of course, there everyone has an inalienable right to be a colonel."—N. Y. Tribune.

### Musical Item.

Recorder Smyth, who has had a great deal of experience on the bench with the criminal element, attended a social gathering in Harlem. The recorder is not very musical, and when two young ladies started a four-handed piece on the piano he turned to Gus De Smith and asked who the performer on the right was.

"That is Miss Birdie Metcoss."

"And—what is her accomplice?" asked the recorder, with a frozen smile.—Texas Siftings.

—Said the superintendent of the Texas penitentiary at Huntsville to a newly-arrived delegate: "You have the privilege of working at any trade you prefer." "I'd like to keep on driving cattle in Kansas." Another gentleman in the same institution wanted to be a sailor.—Tammany Times.

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### Mineral Range R. R.

Hancock & Calumet R. R. Change of time in effect SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1893.

Lv'd Red Jacket.....	7:45am	12:25pm	5:00pm
Ar Hancock.....	8:35am	1:15pm	5:50pm
Ar Houghton.....	8:45am	1:25pm	5:50pm
Lv Houghton.....	9:55am	1:40pm	7:15pm
Lv Hancock.....	9:15am	1:50pm	7:25pm
Ar Red Jacket.....	10:55am	2:50pm	8:15pm
Lv Lake Linden.....	7:45am	12:25pm	5:00pm
Ar Hancock.....	8:35am	1:15pm	5:40pm
Lv Hancock.....	9:15am	1:50pm	7:25pm
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CABLE CARS COLLIDE.

Two Heavily Loaded Trains Come Together in a Chicago Tunnel.

MANY PERSONS BADLY INJURED AND ONE KILLED.

The Wrecked Trains Catch Fire Which Adds Its Horror to the Scene of Ruin.

LOADED STREET CAR RAN AWAY.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—In a collision between cable cars in the Washington street tunnel this evening one man was fatally hurt, fifteen more people seriously injured and a score of others more or less bruised.

MORRIS SMITH, internally hurt, both legs broken, died in the hospital at 11 p. m.

The most seriously injured are: GEORGE NEWMAN, head and face badly cut.

WILLIAM JORICE, right leg broken and severely bruised.

JAMES McDONALD, face crushed and head cut.

JAMES MCGINTY, seriously bruised.

MRS. THOMAS HEMAN, head and face cut.

MRS. GEORGE REISS, head cut and temporarily deranged by the shock.

MRS. WILLIAM PARKER, both ankles broken.

JOHN DONOHUE, right leg broken.

WILLIAM MELROSEY, teeth knocked out and jaw broken.

T. H. MORAN, grip man, internally injured.

NELLIE SCOTT, badly bruised.

G. B. BARTON, face fearfully lacerated.

A. ATKINS, head badly cut.

N. PETERSON, left arm broken.

M. NELSON, knee cap torn off.

In addition to these there were a large number of people who sustained painful injuries.

knocked out teeth, sprained ankles and wrists being very numerous.

Both the West Madison street and Milwaukee avenue cable lines run through the tunnel and at the time the accident occurred all the west bound cars were jammed to suffocation with people returning home.

The Madison street cable train, consisting of the grip and two trailers, were sent way down the incline in the tunnel when the Milwaukee avenue train also entered the tunnel.

Almost immediately after starting down Gripman Moran of the Milwaukee avenue car lost his hold on the cable and the cars leaped forward down the incline at fearful speed.

Moran rang the alarm bell and he and the conductors set all the brakes on the train but were utterly unable to hold it and just as the bottom was reached the runaway cars struck the Madison street track with awful force.

smashing its rear end into splinters and demolishing the Milwaukee avenue cable car.

Both trains gathered up in a heap from which such of the passengers as were capable of moving crawled out, battered and bleeding.

To add to the horror of the accident one of the wrecked cars caught fire and began to blaze furiously.

All the people injured on the cars were removed before the fire became dangerous, however. The cause of the accident was the breaking of the grip on the Milwaukee avenue car.

With this out of order there was nothing except the brakes to hold the train and they were powerless against the heavily loaded cars.

John Donohue, one of the injured men, died in the county hospital at midnight.

BEFORE THE GRAND JURY.

The King Murder Case is Being Thoroughly Investigated.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 11.—The grand jury put in the day hearing evidence in the King murder case.

Mayor Rustis, who has the evidence at his fingers' ends, related the story at length to the jurors.

Late in the afternoon Sheriff Ege appeared with Adry Hayward, who repeated to the jury the confession as to his brother's schemes which he had given to the officials.

Claus Blixt is a good deal calmer today though he seems to have a morbid desire to repeat the story of the murder whenever he can get an officer to listen to him.

A close watch is kept that there may be no attempt at suicide.

New evidence against Harry Hayward was found today showing that the plan to murder Kittle King was carefully planned.

It also confirms in a measure the confession of Blixt that Harry intended to burc Ozark flats.

Benjamin H. Gilbert, an insurance man, this evening related the incidents of a conversation he had had with Harry Hayward, Wednesday, Nov. 28.

Gilbert said: "Harry stated he had been making a friend a loan. The security offered was not sufficient and he said his friend offered to assign a policy in the New York Life Insurance company to him as collateral.

He then asked me about the methods of assigning policies and I explained them in detail. He then asked a few questions about payment, claims, etc., and said:

"How is it if the person insured was in a building and the building burned and they were burned so badly they could not be recognized. Would the insurance company pay the claim?"

"I explained that the company would require absolute proof of identification of the remains."

"Suppose the person was murdered would the company pay?" was the next question in a matter of fact way. I told him that would not release the company if the fact that the insured was dead was proven."

CAUGHT IN A CAVERN.

Counterfeiters Have a General Rendezvous in a Cave.

GUTHRIE, O. T., Dec. 11.—A squad of deputy United States marshals have just unearthed a powerful and dangerous gang of counterfeiters who have been operating in conjunction with confederates in various western states.

The leaders of the gang under arrest are: Guy Harper, L. Crawford, Joseph Tillery, Jesse Lickett and Sam Lickett. After shadowing the men three months the outlaws were nabbed and unwillingly led the captors to an underground cavern a few miles east of Perkins, where by the counterfeiters as a mint and general rendezvous.

The marshals armed themselves and descended into the cavern. They burst

IN THE DOOR AND COVERED TWENTY-FIVE MEN WITH WINCHESTERS.

The counterfeiters were so taken by surprise that they failed to show fight and scattered through the hidden exits. Every man escaped. The officers gathered in three bucketsful of counterfeit dollars perfectly made and two tubsful of dimes, quarters and nickels besides a costly assortment of moulds and other paraphernalia.

IT WAS A REBELLION.

Claimed That Armenian Atrocities Resulted from an Uprising.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Turkish legation has received an official communication saying a certain Armenian named Hampartoum began an insurrection in Bitlis last July, claiming to be backed by the powers of Europe for the overthrow of Turkey.

He associated five others with him and succeeded in winning the adherence of the residents in four districts. They attacked a tribe of Delikan, murdered some of them in horrible fashion, then separated and attacked other tribes, committing horrible atrocities.

They burned alive the nephew of Eumer Agbi; assaulted and murdered Mussulman women; tortured many Mussulmans, forcing them to kiss the cross, putting their eyes out and cutting their ears off.

The troops sent dispersed the insurgents and captured Hampartoum alive after he had killed two soldiers and wounded six. The captured insurgents will be punished according to law.

HE STILL REMAINS BENTON.

Supreme Court Refuses to Take Up Famous Pension Case.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 11.—For the second time the United States supreme court dismissed the appeal of Daniel Benton, alias William Newby. Benton was convicted by the United States district court here of falsely impersonating Wm. Newby, a federal soldier killed in the battle of Shiloh.

He reappeared as Newby a few years ago at Newby's old home in southern Illinois and presented a claim for a pension for wounds he alleged he received in the military service of the federal government.

Benton was sentenced to three years in Chester prison. The case was dismissed owing to his failure to file appeal bonds. This will probably end the famous case.

VAN LEUVEN ON TRIAL.

Dishonest Iowa Pension Commissioner Brought to Task.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Dec. 11.—The Van Leuven pension cases were called in the United States court this afternoon. The first to be tried is that in which the defendant is charged with conspiracy to bribe the Cresco board of examiners.

The whole afternoon was occupied in securing a jury. The defendant was represented by W. W. Irwin of St. Paul and John Day Smith of Minneapolis and the government by District Attorney O'Connell.

Both Van Leuven and Dr. Kessel, also under indictment for participation in the alleged frauds, were in court.

Held to the Grand Jury.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The coroners jury today rendered a verdict in the inquest on the body of A. D. Barnes finding Barnes murdered by Ed Jordan and recommending that he with four other prisoners now under arrest be held to the grand jury.

Forecast of the Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—9 p. m.—The weather bureau reports the following as the forecast for the next twenty-four hours. For upper Michigan: Local rains; north winds.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Grain and Produce

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The leading grain futures ranged as follows:

Table with columns: Opened, High, Low, Closed. Rows: Wheat, July; Corn, May.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, quiet, unchanged. Wheat, firm; No. 2 spring, 90¢; No. 3, 85¢.

Receipts—Flour, 10,000 bbls.; wheat, 54,000 bu.; corn, 304,000 bu.; oats, 235,000 bu.

Shipments—Flour, 7,000 bbls.; wheat, 4,000 bu.; corn, 304,000 bu.; oats, 90,000 bu.

Cattle, Hogs and Sheep.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Prices at the stock yards ranged as follows:

CATTLE—Receipts, 8,000; calves, 300. Market was dull and generally weak.

Compared with last Friday's prices there was a decline of 15¢. There was a rally at prices ranging from \$1.25 for inferior cows to \$6.35 for Christmas steers.

Sales were principally at \$2.00 to \$2.35 for butchers' stuff and \$3.50 to \$4.15 for steers.

HOGS—Receipts, 25,000. Choice heavy weights were salable around the opening at \$4.55 to \$4.60, while later \$4.55 was the outside quotation.

For assorted light weights \$4.35 was practically the top and \$4.50 took the best medium weights.

From those figures the sales varied down to \$4.15 to \$4.30 for common heavy and to \$3.50 to \$4.00 for common light.

SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000. The market was weak and 10¢ lower. Supplies are coming forward altogether too freely.

Sheep are quoted at \$1.25 to \$1.35 for poor to choice and lambs at \$2.00 to \$4.00.

METAL PRICES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Pig iron dull; Scotch, \$19.00 to \$20.00; American, \$20.50 to \$21.00.

Copper, steady; brokers' price, 95¢; exchange for spot, 97.5¢ asked.

COPPER STOCKS.

BOSTON, Dec. 11.—The closing prices of copper mining stocks were as follows:

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Rows: Atlantic, Boston & Montana, Butte & Boston, Calumet & Hecla, Centennial, Franklin, Kearsarge, Oacoola, Quincy, Tamarack.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder.

World's Fair Highest Medal and Diplomas.

VICIOUS ATTACK MADE.

False Charges Made by Certain Papers Against the Associated Press.

EFFORTS TO BOLSTER A RIVAL AGENCY A FAILURE.

While These Libels Were Being Circulated the Associated Press Was Steadily Gaining Ground.

IN A FLOURISHING CONDITION.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—It cannot be escaped public attention that during the past year there has been a persistent endeavor on the part of a few New York papers to discredit the Associated Press. Day after day it has been asserted that the Associated Press was falling in pieces; that it was bankrupt; that each month's business showed a deficit; that its news service was unreliable and frequently behind time; that there was widespread dissatisfaction among its members.

To those who knew the facts these statements only furnished fresh evidence of the desperate plight into which the unfortunate United Press papers found themselves. It was well known that many of those who were thus clamorous in their praise of the United Press and most solicitous for the welfare of the Associated Press papers were at the same moment applicants for admission to the Associated Press and in some cases were offering large bonuses for such admission.

The motives which inspired this campaign of libel and falsehood are easily discoverable. The prime movers in the conspiracy—two New York editors—were formerly conspicuous as Associated Press officials.

They used the organization for their personal advantage, imposing a heavy tax upon all the other papers of the nation so that they could get their own news service for a nominal weekly rate, and finally when this was no longer possible because of a revolt, they set about disrupting the organization of which they were trusted officers.

How they were given large blocks of United Press stock and how they then secretly conspired to push the fortunes of this rival concern while they were yet members of the executive committee of the Associated Press is a disgraceful story with which most intelligent journalists are too familiar.

It would be impossible to answer in detail all of the falsehoods which these very fertile people can invent. It is perhaps enough to say that the Associated Press holds today a position incomparably in advance of that ever held before by any news-gathering organization; that it includes in its membership all the papers of consequence in the nation except a small coterie on the Atlantic seaboard; that during the past year it has taken into its membership an average of three United Press papers a week and has lost none; that it is upon a most satisfactory business basis, its receipts exceeding its expenditures every week; that there is no discontent but on the other hand its members are proud of its news service, which is immeasurably superior to any that the United Press have ever offered; that its directors and officers are working in perfect harmony and all are loyal to the trust imposed on them.

The latest assertion, that the general manager is at odds with the board of directors and therefore purposes resigning, is quite as false as any that preceded it. As to a "settlement on a business basis" repeated overtures for adjustment have come from the United Press during the past six months, but the officers of the Associated Press have wisely rejected them because they did not wish to assume obligations that would surely have proven insupportable.

NEW CHANCELLOR APPEARS.

Prince Hopenlohe Makes First Visit to German Reichstag.

BERLIN, Dec. 11.—Prince Hopenlohe made a declaration of his policy as chancellor of Germany in the reichstag today. His appearance in the chamber elicited no demonstration.

Prince Hopenlohe said his entry into office did not imply a change in the system of government. He would not, however, in every case follow in the footsteps of his predecessor but he would reckon with the actual facts and loyally fulfill his duties.

WILL TRY TO HAVE THEM PASSED.

Vest and Berry Talking About Supplemental Tariff Bills.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—There is a well defined movement on the Democratic side of the senate to get up supplemental tariff bills notwithstanding the decision of the caucus last week to give preference to other measures and virtually shelve the tariff bills. Senators Vest and Berry are engineering the movement. Opponents of the bill express the opinion that it will be impossible to get them up.

Panic Seems Probable.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Dec. 11.—It is stated that two or three of the largest concerns in this city will make assignments tomorrow. The feeling of insecurity increases hourly.

Is Senator Tillman Now.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 11.—B. R. Tillman was elected United States senator by both houses of the legislature in separate session today.

Gompers Will Be Re-elected.

DENVER, Dec. 11.—The reelection of Samuel Gompers as president of the American Federation of Labor is conceded as almost certain.

WINTER TOURIST RATES ON THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE.

The North-Western Line is now selling excursion tickets, at greatly reduced rates, to the health and pleasure resorts of California, Florida, Texas, Mexico, New Mexico, Louisiana, Mississippi, Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee and Alabama. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago and North-Western Railway.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report



IS MAN A BRUTE? OF GENERAL INTEREST.

One English Woman Who Thinks That Many of Them Are.

Among the wrongs of our sex which have been so freely ventilated lately, both on the platform and in the press, writes a well known Englishwoman, there is one which I have never seen alluded to, and yet it is an evil which has caused more misery to middle-class women than perhaps all the others combined—I mean the dreadful and cruel monotony of a middle-class married woman's existence.

There are thousands—aye, tens of thousands—of women who from one week's end to another never have any amusement, excitement or change except their Saturday marketing and Sunday church. Day after day there is the same dull routine of duty, which commences with the preparation of breakfast in the morning and concludes with the arrangement of supper, with interludes of attention to servants, children and house cleaning.

The average middle-class husband goes out every morning to business of some kind or other. He meets friends and acquaintances, enjoys the ever-varying kaleidoscope of the busy streets and the smaller or greater excitement and pleasure to be derived from his profession or business. He returns after the labors of the day, enjoys his evening meal, and then indulges in his loose coat, slippers, armchair, newspaper and pipe.

If his wife should suggest a walk or a visit to any place of amusement the man will plead that he is tired. No doubt he is, but so is the woman, and what a difference there is in their tiredness! She is tired of the four walls of her little house, of the silence and want of variety, in fact, she is yearning for what her husband is tired of.

"I have been working all day," the man will observe.

So has the wife.

"I have earned the change which I call rest."

So has the woman earned the change which she wants, but she must not have it, because it does not please her lord and master.

I believe that in the majority of cases this egotism on the man's part is brought about through education, ignorance and want of thought. The intensely selfish manner in which most boys are educated causes them to think that the earth and the fruits thereof are all theirs, with the exception of the few they allow the women to gather. The ignorance of the woman's nature, of her wants and requirements, which, if they do not learn it as boys, many men never seem able to grasp or understand, and, finally, want of thought, which generally means too much thought—of himself.

If that is the cause, the remedy is easily brought about. It merely requires a little sacrifice on the part of the man, which most husbands will offer when they know how much depends upon it, but should the fear be produced by want of heart I fear there is nothing for it but for the woman to bear her burden, as so many are at this moment nobly doing. It cannot be denied that there are many men, or animals rather, who degrade humanity by their assumption of the name of man, who, while denying themselves nothing in the shape of amusements and luxuries, always argue that "a woman's place is at home." You might just as well say that a man's place is at the office, and that therefore he should never be seen elsewhere.

During the last few years woman's position, both social and legal, has much improved, but justice will never be done to our sex until men are made to understand that their wives work as hard as they do, and that women require, have earned and deserve occasional relaxation quite as much as they do themselves.—Chicago Times.

ABOUT FRUIT STAINS.

Some That Will Come Out and Other That Won't.

As the fruit season waxes it becomes burdensome to keep napery spotless. Who has not beheld with dismay one's favorite damask hopelessly discolored with peach, cherry and berry stains? Some suggestions may be of assistance remedying the mishap. In the first place, do not wash the linen before applying other remedies. To do so sets the stain almost indelibly, and it then has to pass through all stages until time and the laundry leave but a pale, yellow reminder, which consummation does not follow easily until the fabric is threadbare. For berry stains, have some one hold the cloth so that it sags a little, and pour absolutely boiling water through the spot; rub well. If this fails, light a bit of sulphur and hold under the wet spot—a lighted match will answer; the sulphurous gas usually does the work, the stain gradually disappearing. But there are some that will not "out"—peach stains, for example. Then you must have recourse to salts of lemon, which is good, but apt to leave a hole in lieu of the stain. By extreme carefulness in its use, however, it will not do such dire damage. Take a sunny day for the task; first moisten the spot and then rub on a very little of the salts of lemon; lay the linen in the sun for two or three minutes, and then wash thoroughly with soap and warm water. Success nearly always follows. Other stains, like iron rust, are more easily removed. After washing the article squeeze lemon juice on the spots and then cover thickly with salt. Lay in the sun all day, wash and if the rust is not removed repeat the application. This is equally good for ink stains.—Philadelphia Times.

THE OFFICE BOY'S VIEW.

Visitor (in newspaper office)—Who is that man who just went out?

Boy—He writes on the tariff.

"What else?"

"Nothing. I guess he don't know enough to write on anything else."

Social Evolution.

Miss De Fashion (a few years hence)—You are wanted at the telephone.

Mrs. De Fashion—Oh, dear! I presume it's Mrs. De Style, to return my telephone call. I hope she won't talk long.—N. Y. Weekly.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE.

Most Perfect Made.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

What is putting goods out on the sidewalk, with low prices marked on them, but

Advertising?

You don't hide your wares, on the contrary, you display them as much as possible, so that purchasers can see them. In short, you

The more you advertise, the better for your business. Don't advertise in only one way, but every way you can afford. The best kind of

Advertising

Can be done in the

Mining

Journal.

Don't begrudge the cost. You can't get results without an outlay. After displaying your stock to the very best advantage in your store blow your horn in the paper also. Others will not blow it for you. It's business, and business is what you are after.

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# Bankrupt Goods,

Of Course Not! Why Would You When You Can Buy

# NEW GOODS

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Are you Thin? Will Make you Fat!

## Johnston's Sarsaparilla.

Have you Pimples? Will Cure you!

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### GATHERING IN "SUSPECTS."

Another Arrest Made by Ishpeming's Marshal Yesterday.

AND MORE LIKELY TO FOLLOW AT AN EARLY DAY.

The First Set of Juvenile Offenders Captured Are Beginning to Name Their Pals

#### MADE ANOTHER ARREST.

James Kinney was arrested by Marshal Carlson yesterday morning. During the past day or two the five lads in the city jail have been quite communicative in conversation with the officers. They are growing tired of their cramped quarters and the iron bunk and in their anxiety to get out they occasionally reveal something that had not been previously disclosed. On Monday the officers learned that young Kinney was, or had been, in possession of articles that had been stolen by the leaders of the band. It was decided to take him in custody and hold him until the hearing of the boys who entered the plea of not guilty takes place.

It appears that soon after the Lindholm robbery Kinney became possessed of a combination gun and ammunition belt which had been stolen from Lindholm's place. He did not keep the belt long, disposing of it to a shoemaker on East Pearl street for \$5. Jimmy was also in possession of a rifle and it is suspected that this also came from Lindholm's stock.

When taken in hand by the marshal yesterday Kinney would not state where he obtained the belt, nor would he give the officer any information whatever concerning it. It is said that August Nelson, the lad who is accused of having committed the robbery, gave or sold Jimmy these articles before he left town. Kinney informed the marshal that he would prove his innocence when he was put on trial, but would have nothing to say until then.

The lad felt terribly broken up when he was taken from his work in the absence of his employer and locked up in the jail. Surety for his appearance when wanted was furnished and he was released from custody.

The officers expect to pull in one or two other boys who are suspected of having been implicated in some of the thefts today. The list of arrests may reach ten or a dozen before the hearing takes place. Ole Everson and young Jeronquist, the two leaders of the gang, had a great many chums and all whom the officers suspect of having been in any way concerned in the robberies or of having any knowledge of them will be called in and put on the stand when the preliminary hearing takes place.

Willie Majiannu, who skipped the town Friday night last, has not yet been heard from.

#### A Public Installation.

At the regular meeting of Hematite camp No. 1128, Modern Woodman of America, Monday evening, officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Venerable consul, August F. Kilstrom; worthy adviser, W. J. Matters; banker, John B. Tibor; clerk, Nels J. Robbins; essory, A. J. Youngbluth; manager for three years, T. M. Durham; physician, Dr. J. H. Andrews; assistant physician, Dr. N. D. Kean; secretary, G. M. Loth; watchman, Phillip Ponin. The camp will hold a public installation of the newly elected officers on Monday evening, Jan. 14. A musical and literary program will be arranged for the event. Each member will be provided with two invitations so that they may invite their friends and their ladies. A committee to arrange all matters pertaining to the installation is made up as follows: T. W. Durham, G. M. Loth, W. J. Matters, J. J. Robbins, Thomas Martin, A. J. Youngbluth, Dave Halpin, Joseph Leberich, A. F. Kilstrom, James Allen, Ed. J. Butler, Herman Jaedecke, J. B. Tibor and O. A. Sinclair. Several sub-committees selected from among the members of the general committee have also been named.

#### Frank Cahill Arrives Home.

Frank Cahill, who is suffering from consumption, arrived home from Denver, Col., accompanied by his brother George, yesterday morning. Frank started to make the journey alone but was compelled to stop off at Belle Plain, Iowa, where his brother William resides. George met him at that place and after taking a few days rest they started for Ishpeming. At Chicago Monday night Frank was very low and it was thought for a time that he would die before the train for the north was due to leave. A physician was called in under whose treatment he rallied. George stated yesterday that Frank is a very sick man and that there is no hope of his recovery. He has been a sufferer from consumption for the past three years.

#### Going Back to Finland.

E. Jaderholm, who conducted a drug store in Ishpeming for some time prior to about a year ago, when he moved to Hancock, has sold out his interests there to his partner and will return to his native place in Finland. He was here yesterday bidding his old friends and acquaintances good-bye. He expects to sail from New York early in January. Mr. Jaderholm recently returned from a visit to Finland. While there he decided to dispose of his business in this country and go back to Finland to remain permanently.

#### A Close Call.

John Chillman, a miner employed at the Lake Superior hard ore mine, was caught by a fall of ore and slightly injured at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. He was working in the same place where Larry Hickey, the pit boss, was killed a week ago last Saturday morning. His injuries consist of bruises about the head and body.

#### Minus a Finger.

As Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bettison's son, aged about thirteen years, was opening a barrel of apples with a hatchet Monday evening the baby, aged about eighteen months, who was stand-

ing near by, reached up to get an apple and stuck its left hand directly under the hatchet as the lad brought it down on the barrel. The third finger was cut off completely. The little one was taken to the Ishpeming hospital where one of the surgeons dressed the hand.

#### ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

Dr. A. E. Gourdeau will spend the next two weeks in Chicago on business.

Will Jeronquist came up from Menominee Monday. He will remain a few days.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Johnson of Empire street Monday.

Mrs. Reisky came up from Marquette yesterday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. Leonard Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Osberg of the New York location mourn the loss of their son, aged three years, who died Monday.

Miss Edna Watson of Marquette has been in Ishpeming the past few days visiting Mrs. Geo. W. Hayden and other friends.

Miss Alecia Bice, who has been visiting her brother Richard and wife, left for Bessemer Sunday evening on a visit to friends.

The teachers in the public schools are arranging programs of exercises for the closing day of the present term, which will be one week from next Friday.

The Lake Superior Iron company has resumed work at the west shaft of Section 21 mine, which was closed down some time ago. The shaft is down about 400 feet.

John Quayle, Sr., and wife left yesterday for Rochester, N. Y., in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of Mrs. Quayle's sister. They will be absent some time.

Ex-Marshall Peterson has removed his family and household effects from the marshal's residence in the city jail to the brick residence on North Third street which was built by Mike Carey.

The holder of the key that opened the prize box at the Kirkwood Pharmacy this month will be given \$20, instead of \$10, as formerly. A key will be given with each half-dollar purchase.

#### TO KEEP IN HEALTH.

A Physician's Advice on Breathing Through the Nose.

"There are many little things that one might do, if one chose, that would be conducive to health and long life," said a physician, in a recent conversation. "We are beginning to learn that the air is full of disease germs, and that we are continually inhaling them. For this reason it is advised that people keep their mouths closed as much as possible when going through districts where any contagion prevails or where there is decomposed animal or vegetable matter. Once in a while a person should take the trouble to clear the head out thoroughly after breathing air laden with nauseating smells, especially if they come from offensive matter of any sort. Garbage and decaying vegetation are prolific sources of disease. It would be a good plan if children were taught from their earliest childhood to use their handkerchiefs, giving the nose a vigorous blowing after encountering any vile odors. Of course, no harm might come from them, but all the same, it is possible that some of those bad smells, which are caused by decomposing matter, may enter the system and lay the foundation for a long train of ills. An ounce of prevention is worth a great many pounds of cure, and in nothing is this more true than in the one item of keeping all evil influences out of the system."—N. Y. Ledger.

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There are many half-forgotten graveyards tucked away in the midst of New York's busiest quarters. Some of them are little more than fragments of cemeteries, and have long been in disuse, while others retain their original size and interments are still made in them occasionally. The very existence of some of them is unknown to many New Yorkers, while those who have a shadowy knowledge of the subject would find it hard to locate them.

Turn westward from Sixth avenue into Twenty-first street and on the south side of the street you will see a fifty-foot stretch of high brick wall. A dry goods store fronts it on one side and a tailor's store flanks it on the other. In the middle of the wall is a weather-stained door, secured by a lock full of rust flakes, and the gate in the iron railing in front is fastened with another and equally aged lock. If you walk up the tailor's steps and look over the high brick wall you will see that it is a graveyard. It fills the whole quadrangle, and is thickly peopled with quiet tenantry lying under slabs and tombstones, the inscriptions on which are in Hebrew.

This is what is left of the old Jewish burying ground which was established years ago to hold the overflow from the still older Gomez "Home of Peace" in New Bowery at Chatham square. That graveyard can be located by another stretch of brick wall and iron railing very similar to, but shorter, than the boundary on Twenty-first street. The remnant of the cemetery is only a narrow strip of land with a few score graves. Most of the stones marking the graves remain, and it is presumed that the inscriptions were in Hebrew, but they have been rubbed out by time's effacing finger.

From Chatham square it is an easy haul to St. Patrick's graveyard in Mott street. This, too, is tightly shut in by a high brick wall.

A few blocks to the north a group of three distinctly urban graveyards can be found. There will not be much trouble about finding one of them, the New York City Marble cemetery. It occupies about a third of the frontage and half of the depth of the block in Second street, between Fifth and Second avenues. The rest of the block is covered with tenements, whose hundreds of back windows look out on the trim alleys and grass plots of the cemetery. The whole plot of the cemetery is honeycombed with vaults, and though some of them have been emptied hundreds of them still contain the ashes of members of old New York families.

While this cemetery can not properly be styled hidden, there is no doubt as to the appropriateness of the adjective when applied to the annex of the Marble cemetery which lies in the heart of the block in Second avenue, between Second and Third streets. In the middle of the block on the west side of Second avenue is a gate, hinged to two houses. Look through the gate and you will see a narrow alley leading apparently to a court. Follow it and you will come to what is perhaps the most desolate spot in New York. The grass grows rank, the few trees are untrimmed, and there is an air of being lost and abandoned about the whole place. Still more hidden is the last of the burying-ground that once lay back of the Olivet Memorial church in Second avenue, very nearly opposite the Marble cemetery. It is nothing now but a dull, dreary court used as a playground by the boys of the adjoining school.

There are two other down-town burial grounds on the east side, that of St. Mark's, in the Bowery, and the corner of Second avenue and Stuyvesant street, which is still used, and is one of the quietest of New York's quiet spots, and the remains of what must have been a very unpoetical place of interment between Eleventh and Twelfth streets and First avenue and Avenue A.

On the west side there are four of these cemeteries. The largest is St. John's cemetery, in Hudson street, which is shortly to be transformed into a park. It occupies the block bounded by Hudson, Leroy, Clarkson and Washington streets. Notwithstanding the incongruity of its surrounding it is a picturesque spot. Its shade trees are particularly fine.

The smallest of these west side graveyards, and very small it is, is a tiny triangular plot in Eleventh street, just a few steps east from Sixth avenue. The base of the triangle is a short length of brick wall on the street, in which is a door about the size of a ship's port hole, and the two sides of the triangle are the walls of an apartment house and a factory. In the graveyard, which could be covered by a Paisley shawl, is a dwarf pyramid of marble, but what was written on the monument is not decipherable. It is a Jewish graveyard.

There is another old burying ground on Hudson street, that of St. Luke's church, Christopher street. It bears a resemblance to the Marble Cemetery, being a cemetery of vaults.

The fourth of the west side burying grounds is found in Ninth avenue. In it the Chesea villagers were formerly laid away.—N. Y. Sun.

An Old Chinese Water-Clock.

In another tower, reached by a flight of rickety stairs, is the water-clock that has measured time for the Cantonese for nearly six thousand years. Four copper pots, crusted and dingy with age, stand raised on steps, each one above and slightly behind the other. In the base of the three upper pots are lips over which from a pinhole outlet the water filling the top vessels trickles drop by drop, and passing through each of the first three, drips finally into the fourth, or lowest. Through a slit in the cover of this vessel is seen a graduated brass scale attached to a float below, which rises with the increasing volume of water. Every twenty-fourth hour the water accumulating in the lowest pot is transferred to the uppermost, and the scale sinks down with the float, only to rise again with the hours as the vessel slowly fills up.—Century.

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Despite the storm which prevailed the greater part of yesterday Superintendent Pearce and his men worked until late in the afternoon endeavoring to remove the snow and ice from the track.

Superintendent Pearce stated yesterday that he didn't know whether he would continue the attempt to remove the ice or not, as it was a much more difficult task than he expected, but if the weather is favorable today he may give it another trial.

Office in the Depot.

G. Ford, superintendent of the Western Express company, which will handle the express business over the South Shore line beginning Jan. 1, who is in Negaunee Monday, did not make final arrangements for the management of the local office while here.

Called as Witnesses.

About sixteen or seventeen Negauneeites, among whom were the mayor, city recorder, several of the aldermen, city attorney, the ex-city assessor, Mine Inspector Roush and others, were called to Marquette yesterday as witnesses in the case of the Blue Mining company against the city of Negaunee.

For Christmas.

The members of the Sunday School society of the Presbyterian church are making preparations for an entertainment to be given at the church on Christmas eve.

LOCAL LAONIOS

There will be a barrel race for boys at the rink tonight. Ladies will be admitted free.

Joseph Thompson of Helena was in the city yesterday. He came up to buy a team of horses.

The employees of the Jackson and Negaunee mines will be paid for last month's labor today.

Some new pieces of machinery for the Cambria mine came up from Marquette yesterday.

The Chicago & Northwestern passenger train from the south was an hour late yesterday morning.

Kuhlman is offering some bargains in overcoats and arctics these days. He is also offering inducements in shoes for the holidays.

A large turnout of members of Cui Bono lodge No. 112, A. O. U. W., is desired at the regular meeting tonight, as there will be an election of officers for the ensuing year.

The Chicago & Northwestern line is doing an unusually large freight business these days, owing to the fact that many of the merchants are receiving new stocks for the holidays.

The freight depot was almost completely filled with goods yesterday.

The Hibernian social club has engaged the Twin City orchestra to furnish music for its first annual ball, to be given at McDonald's Opera House Friday evening, Jan. 4.

The committee in charge of the arrangements will spare no pains to make the dance a success in every way.

If the street cars are running that night quite a number of people from Ishpeming may be looked for.

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In an address before the Royal Institution in London, Prof. Judd said that all the romance associated with famous jewels and their history is of insignificant interest compared with the fascinating actualities which science has discovered in regard to the wonderful gem family—the aristocrats of the mineral kingdom.

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EARLY WHALING INDUSTRY.

Some of Those Who First Went Out from New England.

The earliest records indicate that one William Hamilton was the first person who killed whales on the New England coast. He was born in Scotland in 1643, and coming to this country in the early part of his life, took up his residence at Cape Cod, where he was persecuted by the inhabitants for killing whales, as one who dealt with the evil spirit.

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The Chinese soldier receives his pay once a month only, and Chinese months, it may be remembered, are much longer than those we are accustomed to reckon by. On the eve of the pay day the captain of a company, together with his sergeant-major, goes and receives the amount of money requisite to pay his company from his next superior officer.

This is not paid to him in jingling coins, but in pure silver, which, however, has been broken into somewhat irregular pieces. The whole of the night preceding pay day is occupied in weighing out for each man the required quantity of silver, and this occupation, as may be imagined, is a very tedious one and only successfully accomplished by infinite care, for here a piece the size of a pin's head has to be chipped off, and there a piece of large dimensions has to be added to make up the other means the loss of perhaps a day's pay or more to some poor defender of the Celestial empire.

When the process of meting out is accomplished the silver is carefully wrapped in paper, upon which is written the name of the intended recipient. On the following afternoon the company is mustered and the sergeant-major divides the money, commencing with the first man in the company and going on to the last. When this division is concluded the question is asked in stentorian tones: "Has any one a claim?" and the customary "No" having promptly been given, the men are then dismissed.

Each one now repairs to the nearest tradesman's shop, where he exchanges his silver. For one tael he receives sixteen hundred small coins called "cash," perforated in the center so as to allow of being threaded on a string, and having received the proper amount, turns homeward with a cheerful mien, but nearly sinking beneath this burden.

A FUNNY LITTLE STORY.

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A funny little story, with a moral, comes from Ischl, by way of a London exchange. Not long ago a lady who had just arrived from Roumania, took a stroll to Sofiens Dopperl Blicke, a celebrated point of view. There she met a young married lady, accompanied by her little girl. The smart, rather overdressed stranger was much struck with the child's frock, which was exquisitely embroidered with forget-me-nots, and advancing, she calmly asked the youthful mother where the garment was bought.

"I embroidered it all her frocks myself; it gives me such pleasure," was the smiling answer. At this a shade of scorn came on the questioner's face, and she said, with ill-concealed contempt: "That is only possible with a very small household. People like myself, who have so many visitors, and move in the best society have no time for such middle-class pleasures." The other lady laughed, but returned no answer, and the fair Roumanian continued boasting until at last her hearer said mildly: "I also have to play hostess occasionally. My father, the emperor, favors us from time to time with a visit, and the empress often comes to see her grandchildren, as well as many other members of the imperial family; but all the same I have invariably leisure in the morning hours to do embroidery for my little girl." And before the stranger had recovered from her embarrassment the Archduchess Valerie and her small daughter were gone.

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ARRIVE FROM THE EAST.

Table with 2 columns: No. 1 From Mackinac City Daily, No. 7 From Sault Ste. Marie Daily. Times: 2:45 PM, 10:30 PM.

No. 1 connects at Mackinac City with Michigan Central express from Detroit and all points east; also daily except Monday with Grand Rapids & Indiana train from Lower Michigan and the South. Connection made at Soo Junction with morning train from Sault Ste. Marie leaving 6:15 a. m. daily.

DEPART FOR THE EAST.

Table with 2 columns: No. 8 For Sault Ste. Marie Daily, No. 2 For Mackinac City Daily. Times: 4:45 AM, 1:30 PM.

No. 8 connects at Sault Ste. Marie with the Canadian Pacific for the east. No. 2 connects at Mackinac City daily with the Michigan Central for Lower Michigan, arriving at Detroit 9:30 a. m. also with G. R. & I. daily except Saturday for Grand Rapids and intermediate stations. Connection made at Trout Lake daily with Soo Line express for Manistique, Gladstone, etc. and at Soo Junction daily except Sunday with mixed train arriving Sault Ste. Marie 9:15 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM THE WEST.

Table with 4 columns: No. 8, No. 10, No. 2, No. 4. Times: 4:30 AM, 10:55 AM, 1:15 PM, 6:05 PM.

No. 8 connects at Duluth and West Superior with morning trains from St. Paul, Minneapolis and the west. No. 10 connects at Republic with C. M. & St. P. train from Chicago and Milwaukee and at Negaunee with C. & N. W. train from Chicago and Milwaukee.

No. 2 connects at Nestora daily except Sunday with mixed train from Ewen and intermediate stations. No. 4 connects at Nestora with No. 6 train from Ewen and intermediate stations.

DEPART FOR THE WEST.

Table with 4 columns: No. 8, No. 11, No. 1, No. 13. Times: 8:55 AM, 12:05 PM, 3:05 PM, 10:45 PM.

No. 8 connects at Nestora with No. 5 train for Ewen and intermediate stations. No. 11 connects at Negaunee with C. & N. W. and at Champlain with C. M. & St. P. for Milwaukee and Chicago.

No. 1 arrives at West Superior 9:50 a. m. Duluth 10:15 a. m. and makes close connections with morning train of the C. St. P. M. & O. Ry. for St. Paul, Minneapolis and all points west.

Trains 1 and 2 have Drawing Room Buffet Dining Cars between Houghton and Mackinac City and Wagner Buffet Sleeping Cars between Mackinac City and Sault Ste. Marie. Trains 7 and 8 have Wagner Buffet Sleeping Cars between Sault Ste. Marie and Duluth.

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**THROUGH FOREIGN LANDE.**

Herbert M. Clarke Gave an Entertaining Account of His Peregrinations.

**AMUSING SIDE OF FOREIGN TRAVEL PRESENTED.**

Pupils of the Marquette Public Schools Will Show the Public How They Can Sing.

**ON THE JUBILEE JAUNT.**

State Secretary Herbert M. Clarke of the Y. M. C. A. entertained a good-sized audience at the Presbyterian church last evening with his alleged lecture entitled "A Jubilee Jaunt Through Europe." The speaker disclaimed giving anything so important as a lecture. It was merely brief pictures or mention of points of interest to every traveler. The minister was described whose congregation sent him to Europe and whose every sentence in conversation and every sermon thereafter began, "When I was abroad." The occasion of the speaker's trip was to attend the fiftieth anniversary of the Y. M. C. A. of the world.

The sea serpent, he said, was not a thing of lengthy horror floating through the foam. Seasickness was in verity the real terror of the ocean. He described the various phases of this terror of the briny deep and recalled a cartoon published last summer by a Chicago paper. The scene is on a steamer; the moon is just rising and a man is gazing over the rail. A friend approaches and lays his hand upon the victim's shoulder, saying: "Are you watching the rising of the moon?"

"No, thank heaven; I didn't swallow that."

There were thirty Y. M. C. As. on board the Paris, including an honest lawyer from Chicago, a Baptist preacher from Kansas and a man from Ohio who was dubbed "the Angel in the overcoat" because he distributed chunks of sunshine to the sick.

Westminster Abbey and the Tower of London—with a world wide distance between them—were eloquently described. Americans had a particular interest in the Abbey, where stood Lowell's bust and one of Longfellow erected by English admirers of the American poet. The London sights of which all have read were described—the British Museum, the Kensington Museum, the picture galleries, Windsor Castle, Wesley's house, the Old Bailey, St. Paul's and Hampton Court with its maze, where all sentimental fools from time immemorial have lost themselves.

In France the party had an amusing experience in trying to buy soap until in despair they cried out: "We want soap." Then they found that all the shops have clerks who speak English—after a fashion.

A society for the prevention of cruelty to animals is badly needed in Paris, according to Mr. Clarke but he was enthusiastic over the perfection of French roadways. Farmers take but one horse to draw two tons.

Those of the party with more rheumatism than romance took the prosaic route for mountain climbing. Berne, Lucerne and Cologne with its Gothic architecture—religion expressed in stone, were rapidly described and the speaker concluded with a vivid picture of his impressions and sensations on seeing the Stars and Stripes at sea.

**Young Folks Will Sing.**  
The public will have an opportunity on the evening of Dec. 21 of judging the work in music done in the public schools under the direction of Miss Davis. A chorus concert will be given that evening at the opera house by the pupils of the various schools and judging from the partial rehearsals attended by a MINING JOURNAL man the program will be very pleasing. When Miss Davis was appointed musical director of the schools most of the boys had a very foolish notion that singing was a ridiculous thing. They have gotten bravely over that idea and now greater interest is taken in music by the boys than by the girls.

The program is not yet fully determined but will include a number of very pretty choruses, with two which will use nearly 400 voices. The "Gloria" from Mozart's Twelfth Mass will be sung by the High School pupils and a number of smaller boys will render a whistling chorus that is certain to capture the house. It is probable that a test of the work accomplished will also be given by making a small chorus of the more advanced scholars sing a strange selection absolutely at first sight.

The proceeds of the concert will go towards paying for a piano for the use of the music classes and toward procuring certain charts and other needed appliances.

**Will Have Electric Light.**  
The Upper Peninsula Brewing company's entire plant will soon be lighted by electricity. About seventy incandescent lamps will be used for the brewery, office, storehouse, barn, bottling works and Mr. Meeske's house. The dynamo is made by the Shawan Thresher Electric company of Dayton, O., and will be driven by water power derived from the brook which flows through the property. This power is now used to drive the brewery pumps and is sufficient to run the dynamo as well. Thus another independent electric plant will be added to those already running in this city. Ernest L. F. Wetmore has the contract for the brewery job and work was begun upon it yesterday.

**After Butterine Dealers.**  
Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Sundstrom was in the city yesterday on business connected with his office. He says he does not know as yet whether he will have to handle the new income tax or not. He hopes not for the present work of the office keeps him very busy and on the go all the time.

Collector Sundstrom intimated that quite a number of merchants in various parts of the peninsula had been playing tricks of late in their dealings

with the deceptive butterine and would find that jokes of this kind were very expensive when they came to settle with their Uncle Samuel. There is no question that the good butterine is a wholesome article of food but dealers who deceive their customers and sell it as first class butter deserve to be punished roundly for obtaining by false pretenses more than the article sold is worth.

**Rifles' House Night.**  
The Marquette Rifles determined last evening to hold a monthly informal reception for members and invited guests at their Armory. The first of these social functions will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 20. The presence of the business men of the city will be requested and a program, consisting of a mixture of athletics, music and speeches, will be given. The commissary department will provide a suitable lunch. Last winter the Rifles gave a reception of this character which was very successful and this season it is intended to make them a regular monthly feature.

The attendance at drill last night was one of the largest ever recorded and shows that the company did well in changing its weekly drill night from Monday to Tuesday evening.

**Held a Night Session.**  
The circuit court held an evening session yesterday to conclude arguments in Kennedy against Broad and others, the controversy between the creditors of the failed firm of Nels Majannu & Co. The case is now on its second trial and, as heretofore stated, a contest over the validity of a mortgage given in favor of certain creditors by Majannu & Co. The jury will be charged this morning and the case will probably go to the supreme court.

Judgment was taken by default by James W. Smith against Anton Manthel in the sum of \$687.34.

The appeal of George Graczyk against Fred Seebekie was discontinued by stipulation.

**CHRISTMAS IS NEAR.**  
Remember and see what Bigelow has before buying Christmas presents. His idea of selling cheap is just the thing these times. (11-12-14)

**FURS ON EXHIBITION.**  
The ladies of this city are cordially invited to call at my house and inspect a very nice line of furs. I can furnish quotations on any article of fur, not on hand. Repairing a specialty. MRS. M. J. GILLIS. (12-8-14) 616 North Front street.

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**A FINE GIFT.**  
While looking about for a suitable Christmas present don't forget that the Singer sewing machine is a present most any lady would prize very highly. The Singer took the first prize at the World's Fair and stands at the head of sewing machines today. It is sold on easy terms. Five dollars down and three dollars a month. Surely this is within the reach of most any man. Marquette agency, 302 Washington street. S. E. McKinney, Manager. (12-4-14)

**USE IT IN TIME.**  
Catarrh starts in the nasal passages, affecting eyes, ears and throat and is, in fact, the great enemy of the mucous membrane. Neglected colds in the head almost invariably precede catarrh, causing an excessive flow of mucus, and if the mucus discharge becomes interrupted the disagreeable results of catarrh will follow such as bad breath, severe pain across forehead and about the eyes, a roaring and buzzing sound in the ears and oftentimes a very offensive discharge. Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for these troubles.

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The above arrangements will not only apply to D. S. S. & A. Ry. stations but also on tickets via Mackinaw City to all principal points in Lower Michigan. Further particulars can be secured from D. S. S. & A. ticket agents. (12-8-14)

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All our Dress goods, Flannels, Blankets, Cloaks and Overcoats must be closed out from now until Christmas.

1,500 yds of 32 inches wide navy blue serge only 25c per yard, real value 50c per yard.  
1,600 " " All wool red twilled flannel only 15c per yard.  
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A good black cooney muff at 50c.  
A fine seal muff at \$1.75.  
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A genuine beaver muff at \$2.75.

**CLOTHING.**  
\$5.00 worth of new fashionable clothing to be closed out for less than cost.  
A genuine beaver \$18.00 overcoat for \$8.50.  
A genuine Kersey \$12.00 overcoat for \$6.75.  
Boys overcoats from \$1.25 upwards.  
Boys suits from 75c upwards.  
All wool boys' knee pants only 25c per pair.

**UNDERWEAR.**  
50 doz of mens all wool heavy weight underwear only 50c each.  
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**FOOTWEAR.**  
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