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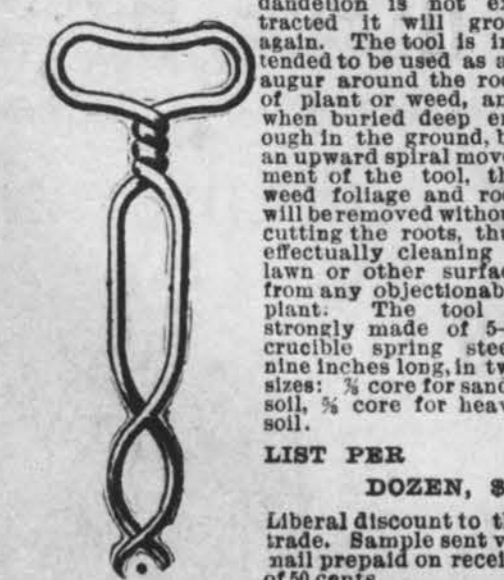
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WHY HE IS A BACHELOR.

Reasons Offered in His Defense by an Eligible Man. "Not at all, not at all," insisted a Washington bachelor, who would be a most eligible and substantial matrimonial prize...

Moral: Bonnets, not tempers, are for exhibition in millinery stores.—Washington Star.

MEN TO BE AVOIDED.

Some of Those Whose Room is Preferred to Their Company. Men we don't want to meet: The man who, having by an accident been thrown once in your company...

Plaque Seats and Drapery.

The straight back of an upright piano has inspired the brain of many a housewife to the invention of new kinds of drapery.

Not Boredom. He—You're so harsh in your estimates of others, my dear! That was a cruel thing you said of the Joneses.

Ishpeming and Vicinity.

LABOR DAY PROGRAM.

Ishpeming's Union Miners Have Prepared an Interesting One.

A Parade and Several Addresses in the Forenoon and Wrestling Contests Later.

The Ishpeming branch of the Mine Workers' union has completed a program for Labor Day—next Monday. It is expected that the men employed at the mines will lay off that day...

Immediately following the parade the men will assemble at the wrestling ring between Myers' store and The Iron Ore office where they will listen to addresses by C. S. Baird of West Superior, Oscar J. Larson of Calumet and E. J. Carey of Negaunee.

At the meeting of the Ishpeming fire department held Saturday evening a vote of thanks was extended to L. W. Atkins & Co. for their donation of white ties to the members before starting for the tournament at the Soo...

HOME TEAM DEFEATED.

Houghton's Ball Players Proved Too Much for Them.

The Ishpeming baseball team got home from Houghton Sunday. The boys lost the game they played with the Houghton nine Sunday afternoon by a score of 18 to 9.

Changed the Time.

The time for the wrestling match for \$100 a side and the gate receipts between John Rowett of Ironwood and Tony Harris of Lake Linden, to take place next Saturday afternoon in Ishpeming, has been changed from 4 to 2 o'clock.

Returned to Chicago.

Major General John Walker, of the Sir Knights of the Sons of St. George, with his wife and daughter, passed through Ishpeming Sunday afternoon on their way from Lansing to their home in Chicago.

Grip & Co. Got the Contract.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Ishpeming Co-operative society held Saturday evening to consider the bids received for the building of the addition to their store, E. E. Grip & Co.'s bid was accepted.

ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

T. J. Healy spent yesterday in the city with his folks.

H. O. McMann of Menominee was in the Hemetite City yesterday.

Miss Bush of Norway is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. D. G. O'Connell.

George Wallace and Percy G. Teeple of Marquette did business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. P. H. Connell of Escanaba is here, the guest of her sister-in-law, Miss Mamie Connell.

Miss Maggie Sliney will spend this week with friends at St. Paul. She left for there Sunday night.

Warren M. Wright left yesterday noon for Lansing, after spending a few days here with his folks.

Charles Moores, who recently won a yacht in a raffle at Escanaba, has sold the boat to Marquette parties.

The reserved seat tickets for the opening performance of the Myer's Colored Comedy company tomorrow evening are now on sale at Sinclair's drug store.

Mrs. C. J. Byrns left Sunday night for Minneapolis, where she will spend the week. Her husband, who has been down the line the past few days, will join her there.

Miss Rose Yungbluth of Marquette, who has been in the city visiting her brother, A. J. Yungbluth, and family for the past week or more, returned home yesterday.

Sent it to His Mother in Germany. Mr. Jacob Ebbensen, who is in the employ of the Chicago Lumber Co., at Des Moines, Iowa, says: "I have just sent some medicine back to my mother in the old country, that I know from personal use to be the best medicine in the world for rheumatism, having used it in my family for several years. It is called Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It always does the work." 50 cent bottles for sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

GUNBOAT MICHIGAN.

Will Be Used for Drilling the Naval Militia of Illinois.

The United States gunboat Michigan arrived the other morning and dropped anchor inside the breakwater of Madison street shortly after daylight.

The Michigan made a leisure trip up from Detroit, where she has been used in drilling the naval militia of Michigan for the past two weeks, and comes to Chicago to perform the same friendly offices for the volunteer naval militia of Illinois.

The Michigan is one of the oldest boats in the United States navy, and is in command of Lieut. Commander E. H. C. Leutz. She is the only warship of any description that the United States maintains upon the great lakes, and has been for some time past engaged in the peaceful occupation of making a survey of Lake Erie.

Commander Leutz says the militia-men will be given exactly the same drill that sailors receive on board Uncle Sam's warships.

WORK BY A FOREST MONARCH.

But It Was Before White Men Settled in Michigan. R. B. Pruden, of Wilson township, Kalkaska county, Mich., has just brought to town an interesting relic in the shape of a magnificent pair of antlers once worn by an elk.

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Lover's Language of the Fern.

The fern is indicative of fascination. In Saxony the present by a lover to his sweetheart of a handful of fern is equivalent to a proposal.

WONDERFUL are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and yet they are simple and natural.

Our fine Monarch bicycle will positively be given away tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock. KAHN & SKUD. (8-31-24)

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

FARE SILVER PARTY STATE CONVENTION, BAY CITY, MICH., AUG. 25 AND 26. For the above the D. S. & A. Ry. will sell tickets for Bay City and return at rate of single fare for the round trip, tickets on sale Aug. 23 and 24, and good for return until Aug. 28, inclusive.

For further particulars apply to D. S. & A. Ry. ticket agents at all offices in the state. (8-31-24)

The holders of tickets for the drawing to take place tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock to witness it. The drawing will positively take place. There will be no postponement. KAHN & SKUD. (8-31-24)

DECLINE IN INCOMES.

Returns from Investments Cut Down Nearly One-Half.

The returns upon safe investments have fallen so low as to become a serious matter to persons relying for their income upon invested capital. In the next ten or fifteen years most of the railroad bonds issued years ago at 6 and 7 per cent. interest fall due, and as they are abundantly secured, they will be extended at a greatly reduced rate of interest.

The condition is world wide. British consols have lately sold up to 114 per cent. They bear 2 1/2 per cent. interest, which is to be reduced to 2 1/4 per cent. in 1903, while the bonds are absolutely payable 20 years thereafter.

From these conditions it seems that a further fall in interest rates is inevitable. Railroads that now borrow money at 3 1/2 per cent. will be able to borrow at 3 before long.

TORNADOES AND CYCLONES.

Willis L. Moore, Chief of the Weather Bureau, Describes Them.

Willis L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, makes a marked distinction between tornadoes and cyclones. He describes the tornado as a sudden outburst of wind in an otherwise quiet, sultry atmosphere. It is ushered in by a loud, indescribable roar, similar to a continuous roll of thunder.

An Awful Threat.

A small boy's aunt interfered with some cherished idea he had. "I don't like you Aunt Minnie," he said; "an' if you don't let me have my save up my potted-meat an' buy a sapr."

Of Timothy Seed, Which is Said to be Coming into Greater Favor.

There were reported 4,000,000 bushels valued at \$277,100.

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TIME TABLE.

IN EFFECT APRIL 27, 1896.

Trains Leave Marquette

Table with 2 columns: Destination and Time. Includes entries for Montreal and the east, Houghton, Detroit, Chicago, Duluth, and Marquette.

For tickets, time tables and other information apply to J. H. O'NEARA, Ticket Agent, Marquette, Mich.

24 hours make one day. You can't make any more out of them—by the clock. But wise women, progressive women, can make each day worth twice as much to them. Just by using Pearline. It isn't on wash-day only that Pearline saves your time, and shortens and lightens your labor, and lets you do other and better things. It's every day, and in all the scrubbing and scouring and cleaning that makes hard work about a house. Pearline is woman's labor-saver. It takes away that ruinous, tedious, tiresome rubbing.

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D. S. S. & A. R.'Y

THE Marquette ROUTE. EXCURSION FARES

National Encampment G. A. R. St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 1-4, '96

Table with columns: FROM, TO, ROUTE, RATE. Lists fares for various destinations like Red Jacket, Lake Linden, Hancock, etc.

ROUTE No 1.—D. S. S. & A. R'y to Bibon; C. St. P. M. & O. R'y to St. Paul; returning same route. Day Express leaves Bibon 11:08 a. m., arrives St. Paul 5:50 p. m.

Tickets will be on sale Aug. 31st and Sept. 1st only, and will be good for return passage until Sept. 15th inclusive. An extension until Sept. 30th can be obtained by deposit of tickets with Joint Agent at St. Paul on or before Sept. 15.

In and About Negaunee.

Several Negaunee People Take Advantage of the G. A. R. Excursion Rates. A few Negaunee people took advantage of the low rate of fare to Minneapolis and return, which is offered this week on account of the encampment there. Among those who left Sunday night for that city were Professor and Mrs. F. D. Davis. The latter will remain there about a month, but Mr. Davis will return in time for the opening of the schools a week from today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Houston of Thorlong, Pa., and E. Sproule and wife of Roanoke, Va., who have spent the past few weeks with Negaunee friends, left for home Sunday night. They had a very happy time here and went home thoroughly pleased with their visit.

At the northeast corner of Morgan and Madison streets, where Youngdahl & Lilja have been running a jewelry business for eight years, a bell about 30 inches in diameter is fastened to the sidewalk and just beneath it is a sign which reads: BURGLAR ALARM. When This Bell Rings There Are Robbers.

Mr. Spauldine, who is in charge of the front or back door is opened at night the current is on and the bell will sound an alarm. The doors of the safe are protected by a heavy piece of wood, which, if removed, will start the bell ringing.

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The World's Fair Tests showed no baking powder so pure or so great in leavening power as the Royal.

STOPPED GROWING YEARS AGO.

Several Settlements in New York Do Not Respond to the Spirit of Progress. With each succeeding census, state or federal, the supremacy of New York as the empire state, in population, wealth and diversity of its industries, becomes more clearly recognized and assured, but notwithstanding the enormous growth which from 1860 to 1890 increased the population from 3,800,000 to 6,000,000 it is a fact that in many of the counties of the state of New York there is a steady falling off in the number of inhabitants, and 13 of the 60 counties of the state have fewer inhabitants now than they had 25 years ago.

There have been no changes in the territorial lines of New York counties since April, 1854, except through the addition, by annexation, of Westchester county townships to New York. Otherwise the county boundaries are substantially the same as they were 70 years ago, for between 1824 and 1854 there were changes in the boundaries of only three counties. One of the largest of the counties of New York, an important railroad and shipping center, is Oswego, and it might naturally be supposed by persons familiar with state affairs that Oswego county, of which the city of Oswego is the chief town, would gain considerably in population through the increased trade since 1870, but actually the population of Oswego, which was then 79,900, was by the last census, that of 1892, only 70,000. The population has fallen off 7,900 in 20 years, or nearly 10 per cent.

Delaware county, which has been brought into nearer communication with New York and Albany during the last 20 years, has declined in population since 1870. Chemung is another going-backward county. It had 40,000 population in 1870 and only 37,000 population by the census of 1892. Perhaps more surprising than the decline of either is that of Greene county, the chief city of which is Catskill. Greene county is one of the Hudson river counties, and the improvement of its roads and the increase of railroad facilities should naturally, one might think, have added to its population in 20 years, but they haven't. The population of Greene county in 1870 was 51,832; in 1892 it was 51,141. Wayne county, in the west of the state, on the line between Syracuse and Rochester, has declined from 49,000 in 1870 to 48,000 in 1892. Tioga county has declined in the same period from 39,900 to 29,600, Seneca from 27,800 to 26,300, Schuyler from 19,000 to 16,800, Putnam from 15,400 to 14,200, Livingston from 38,300 to 37,000, Madison from 34,000 to 31,800, notwithstanding the continuous influx of New Yorkers and the improved facilities offered by the Erie railroad.

Various reasons have been assigned for the falling off of certain New York counties in population during the past 25 years, and by some persons the decline is ascribed to the unproductive character of the soil in many farming sections of the state. This explanation, however, is by no means the correct one, for those counties which have fallen off are among the most fertile in the state, whereas other counties less favorable to agriculture—Essex county, for instance, on the Vermont, St. Lawrence county, on the Canada, and Rockland county, on the New Jersey border, have increased largely.—N. Y. Sun.

VOLTS DO NOT HARM PEOPLE. It is the Amperage That Does the Damage. Newspaper reporters, copy readers and head writers are in need of a primary education in electricity. Every now and again the newspapers record the death of somebody from the effect of a given number of "volts" or tell of another's wonderful survival after receiving the shock of many thousand "volts." Strange enough in the newspaper accounts nobody is ever killed, nor has a remarkable escape from "amperes" of electricity been chronicled, nor is the damage often done by a "current," nor has anybody ever seen "watts" figure in the matter. The number of "volts" in a current of electricity is its speed or pressure. The number of "amperes" is its volume. "Volts" without "amperes" would be speed without substance.

A light molecule moving with a speed or "voltage" of 185,000 miles per second strikes the eye without injury, but if the molecule had a weight or "amperage" of one two-thousandth part of a grain it would have the same effect as an ounce ball moving 1,000 feet per second. Any number of "amperes" without voltage would be a dead engine in a roundhouse.

An article in a New York paper a few days ago was headed: "Not Killed by 2,000 Volts." It told of a boy who had become locally famous because "2,000 volts of electricity had passed through Joe's body without killing him." Without the amperage of the current being known, the statement means nothing. Another story of escape from electricity was headed: "Shocked by 2,080 Volts."

The electrical current used in the Edison fluoroscope has a minute fraction of an "ampere," but an almost incalculable voltage of, perhaps, above 150,000. To receive these 150,000 "volts" in the body would feel like the prick of a needle.

At the state penitentiary the victims of the law are given about 1,800 "volts" of electricity, but it is the electrical energy, as expressed in "watts," that kills. The "amperes," multiplied by the "volts," give the energy of the current, or "watts."

He who would caress a "live wire" need care nothing for the "volts" or "amperes" it may have concealed about its person, but let him carefully calculate its "watts" before he grabs hold.—N. Y. Mail and Express.

Mining Journal Directory of * NEGAUNEE * BUSINESS MEN.

- M. C. QUINN, Dry Goods, Cloaks and Millinery. The Leader.
T. M. WELLS, Fancy Groceries, Dry Goods and Shoes. Negaunee.
M. J. ARLAND, Dry Goods, Shoes and Millinery. Kirkwood Block.
ORAL LACOMBE, Papering and Paper Hanging a specialty. Prices low. Nesbitt Building.
MITCHELL BROS., Staple and Fancy Groceries. Iron Street.
JOYCE & MOWICK, Dry Goods, Clothing, etc. 304 Iron St.
WOLLNER & ELLIOTT, Furniture, Undertaking. Kirkwood Block.
BOULSON & PETERSON, Merchant Tailors. 320 Iron St.
Kirkwood & O'Donahue, Kirkwood Block. Drugs, Stationery and School Books.

* STEAMER * City of Marquette.

SAILING ARRANGEMENTS FOR 1896. At Marquette, sails from Spear's dock, where freight should be consigned.

- MONDAYS—Leave Marquette at 8 a. m. for Munising. Leave Munising at 2 p. m. for Marquette.
TUESDAYS—Leave Marquette at 8 a. m. for Huron Bay and way, passing Saults Head 10 a. m., Big Bay 11 a. m., Salmon Trout 11:30 a. m., Club House, Pine River 12 m., Huron River 3 p. m., arrive Huron Bay (De Haas' dock) 3 p. m.
WEDNESDAYS—Leave Huron Bay (De Haas' dock) 7 a. m. for Marquette, passing Huron River 7:45 a. m., Club House, Pine River 9 a. m., Big Bay 10 a. m., Saults Head 11 a. m.
THURSDAYS—Leave Marquette 8 a. m. for Munising. Leave Munising 2 p. m. for Marquette.
FRIDAYS—Leave Marquette at 11 a. m. for Club House, Pine River. Leave Club House, Pine River at 4 p. m. for Marquette.
SATURDAYS—Leave Marquette at 8 a. m. for Munising. Leave Munising at 2 p. m. for Pictured Rocks and return to Munising. Leave Munising at 6 p. m. for Marquette.
FARES—Between Marquette and Munising \$1. Between Marquette and Saults Head \$1. Big Bay \$1.50, Club House, Pine River and Huron Bay \$2 each way.

Arrangements may be made in advance at the office of J. M. Longyear, by PARTIES NUMBERING NOT LESS THAN TWENTY PERSONS, for excursions to Huron Bay and return, on the regular run, leaving Marquette at 8 a. m. Tuesdays and returning Wednesdays. FARE ONE DOLLAR EACH FOR THE ROUND TRIP.

SATURDAY EXCURSIONS TO THE PICTURED ROCKS.

Excursion tickets ONE DOLLAR FOR THE ROUND TRIP from Marquette to the Pictured Rocks and return to Marquette; and FIFTY CENTS FOR THE TRIP FROM MUNISING to the Pictured Rocks and return to Munising, EVERY SATURDAY. Tickets purchased for any excursion cancelled on account of unpleasant weather will be promptly redeemed. The steamer is open to special charter for excursions from Marquette on Sundays and for evening excursions from Marquette on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

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