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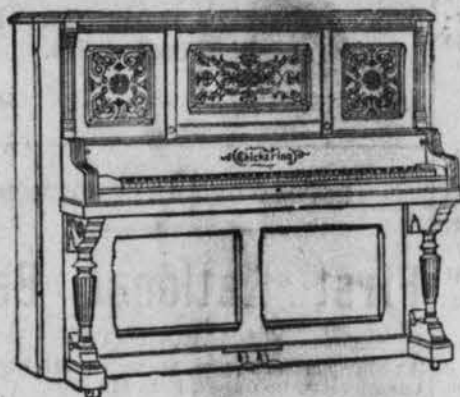
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## WORD TO DO BATTLE CAME FROM AMERICA.

Gen. Otis Hears That Envoy Agoncillo is Responsible for the Hostilities at Manila.

CABLED REBELS TO ATTACK BEFORE ARRIVAL OF REINFORCEMENTS.

AMERICAN TROOPS MOVE STILL NEARER THE FILIPINO CAPITAL.

Successfully Occupy the Village of Malabon After a Fierce Encounter in Which They Suffer but Slight Loss—Aguinaldo, too, is Losing His Grip.

## LATE NEWS FROM SEAT OF WAR.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The following cablegram from General Otis was received at the war department today:

"Manila, Feb. 12.—It is reported the insurgent representative at Washington telegraphed Aguinaldo to drive out the Americans before the arrival of reinforcements. A dispatch was received at Hong Kong and mailed to Malolos which advised that an attack be made about the 7th inst. The eagerness of the insurgent troops to begin the engagement precipitated the battle.

"Very quiet today on the lines from Calococan on the north to Panay on the south. Yesterday a small reconnoitering party twelve miles south of the city was fired on and two men slightly wounded. Two insurgents were captured. The affair of the 10th of MacArthur's division (the capture of Calococan) was very successful. The enemy's loss was considerable; have collected seventy dead bodies; more not yet discovered.

"The insurgents are reported to be gathering in force twelve miles north on the railway, but evidently are perplexed."

## SUNDAY QUIET UNBROKEN.

Manila, Feb. 12.—4:50 p. m.—Contrary to general expectations, all is quiet along the entire line, nothing having happened up to this hour to disturb the peace of Sunday. In Manila the inhabitants generally have recovered from the alarm occasioned by the fear of a native uprising and are resuming their ordinary business.

Last week there was not a single day without fighting, but the Americans steadily have advanced, carrying everything before them and gradually increasing their semi-circle until now it has spread, fan-shaped, from four to ten miles around Manila, the water works being the most distant point. It is now known that the Filipino loss was fully 2,500 killed, with the wounded vastly in excess of that number, and thousands are held as prisoners.

## MUCH MUNITIONS CAPTURED.

All this has been achieved at the cost of sixty-five Americans killed and 276 wounded. There are twenty-five Americans missing and unaccounted for. No fewer than ten of the native villages have surrendered or have been captured. Several have been destroyed because their houses harbored men, frequently disguised in female attire, who shot from the windows and roof tops at the American troops. Many rifles and a ton of ammunition have been seized. As might be expected, there has been looting in the outskirts, but it has not been general and has been done in direct violation of orders.

The only incident that has broken the quiet of the day followed the arrival of the German cruiser Kaiserine Augusta. She saluted Admiral Dewey this afternoon and a report spread rapidly that the American warships were bombarding the rebel lines beyond Malabon.

## DISTINGUISHED PRISONERS.

Among the distinguished prisoners captured in Manila since the outbreak of hostilities are: Captain A. G. Escamillo, Aguinaldo's private secretary; Captain E. P. Veraguth, Colonel Martin de Los Reyes, and Senor Tomas del Rosario, member of the so-called Filipino congress in session at Malolos. Other Filipino officers also are in custody.

## FILIPINO STRONGHOLD FALLS.

MALABON VILLAGE IS STORMED AND CAPTURED IN BRILLIANT STYLE BY OTIS' TROOPS—AMERICAN LOSS AGAIN IS PHENOMENALLY LIGHT.

Manila, Feb. 12.—Following the capture of the village of Calococan, to which a large portion of Aguinaldo's forces retreated after their disastrous defeat of last Sunday, the village of Malabon, three miles further on, was stormed and taken in the same noble style Saturday by the American troops. The casualties to the natives again were very heavy, while the attacking forces escaped with remarkable slight loss, but two United States soldiers being fatally shot and a dozen others wounded, while the insurgent dead number at least seventy-five, besides many wounded and some taken prisoners.

## DEWEY OPENED THE BALL.

The engagement opened in the morning, the monitor Monadnock and the cruiser Charleston beginning by dropping shells into the rebel camp between Calococan and Malabon, the Filipinos, by the way, during the week having greatly strengthened their entrenchments and mounting many cannon of more or less modern pattern. The warships continued their fire for several hours, and then, at a given signal—the booming of three guns—the Third artillery advanced to the attack, driving out of their ambush the sharpshooters of the enemy, who, in the jungle on the American left, had been particularly annoying. The regular troops were supported by the Kansas regiment and the Thirtieth Minnesota, and all fought with

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## DRIFTING HELPLESS AT SEA.

HAMBURG LINER BULGARIA A DERELICT NEAR THE AZORES—GRAVE FEARS FOR THE MANY PASSENGERS AND CREW.

Boston, Feb. 12.—No tidings from the disabled steamer Pavonia have been received today.

## TWENTY-FIVE RESCUED.

Ponta del Gada, Azores Islands, Feb. 12.—The British tank steamer Weehawken, Captain Casey, from Philadelphia, Jan. 27, for Hull, arrived today with twenty-five passengers from the Hamburg liner Bulgaria, Captain Smidt, New York, Jan. 28, for Hamburg. The Weehawken reports the Bulgaria drifting helpless eight hundred miles from the Azores. Nothing is known of the fate of the other passengers.

London, Feb. 12.—It is understood here that the steamer Bulgaria, which is reported drifting helpless eight hundred miles from the Azores, carried ninety passengers. The crew numbered seventy-five. According to a dispatch from Ponta del Gada to The Daily Mail, the twenty-five members of the Bulgaria's company on board the Weehawken are women and children. The rest of the passengers and the crew could not be taken off, owing to the heavy weather.

## BRITISH ISLES SWEEP.

A heavy gale swept the British islands yesterday and continued today, causing floods at many points. Rivers are overflowed and railways submerged, and there have been numerous casualties along the coast. A coal lighter fouled off Cromer, Norfolk county, and five of her crew were drowned. It is feared the loss of the British steamer Arno, which foundered in a gale off Nab lightship, will prove a serious disaster. The captain and three members of the crew, who reached South Sea in exhausted condition with their boat practically smashed up, report that thirteen men are missing of the ship's company.

## FRIGHTFUL SNOWSLIDE.

TWENTY-FOUR LIVES CRUSHED OUT IN COLORADO—DETAILS.

Georgetown, Colo., Feb. 12.—In a snow slide at Silver Plume today twenty-four lives are believed to have been lost. The dead are Italian miners with their families. Eleven bodies have been recovered, only two of which are yet identified, as follows: The wife of Domitico Estefani and her baby.

Today's slide was the most disastrous ever known in Clear Creek county. The slide came with terrific force, carrying with it huge boulders and immense trees. A short distance from the starting point the avalanche parted, one section coming down Cherokee gulch, taking with it two cabins occupied by Italians and the shaft house of the Cary City mine. The other slide came down William gulch. Settlements of miners, mostly Italians, are situated in both gulches.

The following persons are missing and are believed to be dead: Three Boudel brothers, Garolono Guenzi and Baptisto Brette. The following were recovered alive, but will probably die: Antonio Cerliana and Antonio Nigretti.

## BIG SASH AND DOOR POOL.

MANUFACTURERS OF THE COUNTRY FINALLY GET TOGETHER.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—The Record's Oshkosh (Wis.) correspondent tonight telegraphs that "a pool to embrace practically all the sash, door and blind factories of the United States will be launched in New York Tuesday. Its capital will be many millions of dollars. Oshkosh will be represented at the meeting, and the Oshkosh manufacturers are all in favor of the consolidation. The plan for forming this pool originated more than a year ago."

## STREET CAR COMBINE.

It is learned that a consolidation of all the outlying street car companies connected with the Yerkes system in Chicago has been quietly formed and that the articles of the incorporation of the Chicago Consolidated Traction company, with a capital stock of \$15,000,000, have been filed at Springfield. It is said the consolidation is simply in the interests of economy and better public service.

## ANDREE'S BROTHER DISCREDITS.

HAS LITTLE FAITH IN THE REPORTED SIBERIAN FIND.

Malmö, Sweden, Feb. 12.—The brother of Professor Andree, the missing balloonist who attempted to cross the Arctic regions, says that he does not believe the report received from Siberia that the remains of Andree and his companions and the car of his balloon have been found between Kemo and Pit, in the province of Yeniseisk. He says that locally it is cultivated, and that it appears incredible that the corpses and the car of the balloon could have been there a year and a half without having been seen before this.

## MISSOURI SHIVERS.

PHENOMENAL COLD WEATHER BRINGS DEATH TO FOUR.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—Dispatches received here state that the cold of last night in central Missouri was a record breaker. At Jefferson City, 30 degrees below zero was recorded. There an old negro froze to death in her cabin. Other casualties are: William Dixon, near Clarksburg, Mo., and Mazy Carter, colored, and a child at Springfield, Mo. The damage to fruit trees and loss to livestock are heavy.

## ONE LESS PRETENDER.

Rome, Feb. 12.—Prince Napoleon Charles Gregoir Jacques Philippe Bonaparte, third son of Prince Lucien Bonaparte, Prince of Canino and chief of the older branch of the Bonaparte family, is dead.

## LUNATICS PERISH AMID FIERCE FLAMES.

Early Morning Fire Horror at the State Insane Asylum at Yankton, S. D.

COST THE LIVES OF SEVENTEEN OF THE FEMALE PATIENTS.

THEIR BODIES IN THE RUINS OF A BURNED COTTAGE.

Gas Explosion Causes a \$650,000 Blaze in Chicago, the Big McClure Book House Going Up in Smoke, Frozen Water Mains Aiding in the Conflagration.

## FATAL WORK OF THE RED FIEND.

Yankton, S. D., Feb. 12.—One of the most horrifying fires in the history of this state occurred at 2 o'clock this morning at the state insane asylum, when one of the cottages took fire, completely gutting the building and causing the loss of the lives of seventeen of the inmates confined there.

## NAMES OF THE VICTIMS.

The names of those missing and the counties from which they came were: AUGUSTA BUREZE, Lake. LULIA ERICKSON, Meade. ELLA LOKKEN, Codington. MARGARET LYNCH, Union. JOSIANA OLSON, Hamlin. MARTENA TENNYSON, Pennington. ELIZABETH STOPLE, Davison. MRS. KAMPANI, Brown. MAGGIE FLYNN, Hamlin. ADELINA HURLEY, Potter. CHRISTIANA JOHNSON, Codington. JENNIE KRONIG, Pennington. LOUISA KEENE, Codington. CAROLINE LINDBERG, Brown. KATIE PLAVITZ, Bon Homme. GAINI SMANSON, Kingsbury.

## WATER POWER USELESS.

The cottage, which was three stories high, was erected of stone and granite walls, with a wooden interior, and was intended for laundry purposes, but owing to the crowded condition of the main building forty female patients were placed temporarily in the building. The exact cause of the fire is not known, except that it originated in the dry room of the laundry.

The fighting of the fire was greatly hindered by loss of power. The burned cottage stood some three hundred feet in the rear of the main building, the water tank used for fire protection standing a hundred feet in the rear of the cottage. The steam pipes used for pumping run from the boiler room of the main building through the cottage, for its heating, and then to the artesian well or tank. The intense heat in the burning building caused the pipes to burst soon after the fire was discovered, thus leaving the employees without power and depending entirely upon the direct pressure from the tank, which in no way was sufficient to quench the fierce flames. Two streams of water were thrown on the building, but they did little good.

## RESCUED FROST-BITTEN.

With the thermometer 23 degrees below zero, it was a heart-rending sight to witness those escaping coming down the narrow flight of stairs in their night clothing and bare feet into the bitter cold, and had it not been for the nearness of shelter the freezing and probable loss of life from suffering would have been terrible. Fifty-two persons were in the burning building—forty patients and twelve female attendants. All the attendants and twenty-three of the patients escaped.

An inquest is now in progress at the asylum. It is not thought blame will be attached to any one for carelessness. Portions of the charred remains of some of the victims can be seen in the debris at the bottom of the basement, and they appear to be nearly in a pile near the northeast wall. The work of removing the remains and debris will begin in the morning. The total loss on the building and machinery is estimated to be \$18,000, with no insurance.

## FIERCE BLAZE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Fire today destroyed the five-story brick building on the northwest corner of Madison street and Wabash avenue occupied by the book and stationery firm of A. C. McClurg & Co., entailing a loss of \$650,000, of which \$500,000 are on stock. Mandel Bros., dry goods, adjoining at the rear, were damaged to the extent of \$10,000. The fire was caused by the explosion of gas from a leaking pipe on the third floor. Zero weather hindered the firemen and many of them were severely frost-bitten, while frozen water mains checked the supply of water. The McClurg stock was insured for \$350,000.

## DISASTROUS FIRES IN SPAIN.

Oviedo, Spain, Feb. 12.—The forest fires which have been raging in the mountains northwest of this city, destroying the villages of Villas, Murias, Lanacos and Casavide, finally have been extinguished. Although many herds of cattle have perished, there has been no loss of human life. It is estimated the conflagration has caused the total loss of property valued at 1,000,000 pesetas.

## ALBANY BADLY SCORCHED.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Fire today destroyed business property on South Pearl street valued at \$250,000. Mann & Anker, makers of women's garments; the Grand Union Tea company; Hallenbeck & Co., milliners; and Mann & Waldmann, wholesale dealers in women's suits, are the principal sufferers.

## BRASS WORKS DESTROYED.

New York, Feb. 12.—The factory building of the Manhattan Brass company burned today, causing a loss of \$250,000.

## TODAY'S WEATHER.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The following is the weather forecast for tomorrow for Upper Michigan: Fair, not quite so cold; light to fresh wind, mostly easterly.



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Copper Country Department

NO REACTION YET AWHILE. MERCURY SOUGHT THE BULB. SATURDAY A RECORD-BREAKER IN THE COLD WAVE LINE IN THE COPPER COUNTRY.

Saturday morning was the coldest the copper country has thus far experienced in its encounter with the cold wave. It was 35 degrees below at the Douglas House and a plump 40 under the mark at half a dozen places in East Houghton.

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the residence of the bride's parents followed on Saturday evening.

Thomas Sullivan of Marquette and Miss Marie of Lake Linden were married on Thursday last at the French church at Lake Linden, by Rev. Fr. Bourdase.

T. H. Archambeault and Miss Alida Laucot are to be married at St. Joseph's church, Lake Linden, by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Bourdase.

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A Cure for Constipation.

I have been troubled with constipation for years. It was ruining my health, my complexion and my complexions, and I am glad to say that Celery King has restored all three, and this after trying many other medicines that were supposed to be good, but which were of no value whatever.

The purpose of this observation is to investigate the small periodic changes in the latitude of all places first reported about ten years ago, and to determine the secular motion of the pole.

In a recent lecture by Dr. Arthur Neve, in which he describes his travels in Kashmir and little Tibet, some valuable information was given as to difficulty of breathing experienced by mountaineers at high altitudes.

Dr. Neve states that he found that if more than 8,000 or 10,000 feet is traversed in a day the traveler is almost sure to suffer from mountain sickness, but if the ascent is made with greater deliberation no inconvenience is experienced.

Dr. Neve therefore made it a rule to encamp on their way toward a mountain top in order that they might get acclimated, and they found that, although the muscular pressure was getting comparatively low, their breathing maintained its usual rate.

Dr. Neve got accustomed to the rarefied air that at a height considerably over 20,000 feet he was able to take eighty paces to the minute without feeling any untoward results from the exertion.

Owing to the rotation of the earth, rivers flowing in a northerly and southerly direction manifest a tendency to crowd to the right with the effect that the right bank of such a river is apt to wear away slightly faster than the left.

Practical railroad men, however, do not find any greater difference in the wear of one rail over the other from this cause, while on a single-track the traffic being in both directions, it is not detected in any case.

Ambassador Choate is receiving as fine "advance notices" in the press here as were ever received by any star actor on the eve of his appearance in this country.

They evidently expect great things from your new representative at the court of St. James. The papers for the past two weeks have been dotted with biographical notices and more or less authentic anecdotes about him.

While the chestnut roasters have been busy on the wintry streets, the chestnut vendors have been quite active in the warm editorial offices. There is a particularly pleasant perfume, a sympathetic flavor, to the Choate chestnut. I find these two or three anecdotes persistently cropping up in the local and provincial prints.

Choate was once asked to define an after-dinner speaker. "Depew," he answered. "He is perfect in the art of saying nothing." They retail his speech in the suit of Hunt, the architect, against Mrs. Parson Stevens.

Choate speaks of her humble origin and told of her rise until received by royalty. "And how, gentlemen," he asked the jury, "how did she reach that imposing eminence? Upon a mountain of unpaid bills!"

Among some of Choate's aphorisms and sayings already current here are these: "If you want to get money for a mission out of a rich man, don't approach him through his wife. Send somebody else's wife to him."

When asked who he would like to be if he could not be himself he promptly and gallantly responded, "I should like to be Mrs. Choate's second husband." Tailors never paid a woman a neater compliment.—Washington Star.

HUMOR OF THE INSANE. "I was sitting in my office the other day," said the superintendent of the insane asylum at Parlor City, "when one of the patients, a harmless fellow, who is allowed to have the freedom of the building and grounds, came in, pale with indignation, and said that he had a complaint to make."

"What is it, your highness?" I said, for it was the prince of Wales I was talking to.

"Are the rules of the palace to be observed or not?" he demanded. "I want to know whether our rules can be broken with impunity."

"Certainly not, your highness," I said; "what is it?"

"I was coming down the corridor this morning," he said, "and in a rack on the wall I saw a dozen red palms, marked 'For fire only.' Now, is that right or not?"

"It is," I said. "The sign is correct." "Well, then," he said, "John (referring to a keeper) must be punished. As I stood there he came along and filled the palms with water."

"He shall be executed at once," I said, and the prince bowed with great seriousness and walked out of the room.

"This incident illustrates a trick which few people know anything about," continued the superintendent. "That is, that there is more unconscious humor about a lot of lunatics than there is genuine humor among sane people. Some of the things that my patients say and do are funnier than any of the things I read or hear from the outside world. I tell you, life isn't so prosaic as you'd think in an insane asylum."—New York Sun.

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Maccabees of Superior Tent, No. 28, Will Hold One Tuesday.
Valentine's day is to be fittingly celebrated by all the Maccabees of the city under the leadership of Superior tent, No. 28.

STORIES OF THE STREET

Marquette People Are Talking About It On Every Corner.
It is sometimes an easy matter to fool the public, but you can't keep it up very long, they are sure to find you out; and every time a man is fooled, another skeptic is made.

CITY BREVITIES

Yesterday's temperature: 7 a. m., 14 degrees below zero; noon, 1 degree below; 7 p. m., 4 degrees below; maximum, 2 degrees below; minimum, 14 degrees below.
Ticket No. 218 won the prize at Thoney's Saturday night.

OUR CLEARING SALE

Dress Goods, Muslins, Ready-Made Sheets, Pillow Cases, Gingham, Prints, Embroideries, Hosiery and Underwear . . .

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THIS WEATHER MUST MAKE YOU THINK of BLANKETS and COMFORTERS.

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We still have 150 pairs of Blankets at 35c a pair.

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of the Progress superior steel razors may look as well as the genuine article, but the test comes when you want a good, clean shave.

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NOTICE. One Dayton Computing Scale (new), price at factory \$45, will sell for \$30; also one \$65 Cary safe for \$50; one S. F. Buser self-measuring oil tank (new), for \$20; one 16-foot display case; one pickie display case; one three-story show case; one four-story show case; two 8-foot show cases; two 4-foot show cases.

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Members of the A. O. U. W. were pleased to learn that there was no assignment this month.
P. C. Peterson of Negaunee was in town Saturday. He came up from his camps at Grand Marais.

terday on account of trains. They are on their way to West Superior to work in the ship yards there.
Captain Thomas Hooper, the new superintendent of the Victoria mine, stopped off in the city Saturday night and Sunday but left yesterday evening for Chicago and Milwaukee.

Large advertisement for Dress Linings. Features the text 'DRESS LININGS.' and 'WE WISH TO CALL ATTENTION TO OUR LINING DEPARTMENT.' Includes an illustration of two women and the name 'Van Alstyne's OPERA BLOCK DRY GOODS HOUSE MARQUETTE, MICH.'

# SPRING GOODS ARE BEGINNING TO ARRIVE.

The newest and best cottons and prints have just been received for the spring trade. The selection is a fine one and an early inspection of the stock in advisable. Among the calicos is a specially noticeable line of comforter calicos. The most complete line ever exhibited here. The spring season is just opening up. From now on a constant stream of new goods will be received at our stores until the present stock is replaced with the new goods. Watch our announcements and get the first choice of the new goods.

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### PROPOSALS FOR POST OFFICE SITE.

Sealed proposals for lease of premises for postoffice purposes, for a term of five (5) years, will be received at the postoffice, at Ishpeming, for ten (10) days. Sale proposals must provide for full equipment, including fixtures, heating and lighting. Blank forms of proposal may be obtained upon application to the postmaster. FRANK P. MAWEE, Postoffice Inspector. February 13, 1899.

### DRESSMAKING.

I have moved my dressmaking parlors from Ridge street to 204 Cleveland ave., where I will be glad to have those in need of my services call.

**Mrs. J. A. Sodergren,**  
204 Cleveland Ave., Ishpeming, Mich. (2-4-1m)

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Humphreys' Homeopathic Specific No. 28, in use over 40 years, the only successful remedy.  
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Digests what you eat.  
Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion.  
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### UPPER PENINSULA.

There was considerable surprise among the friends and relatives of the Koyukuk river members of the Soo-Yukon party at receiving letters from them last Saturday, none being expected before spring. The letters were sent out by a returning gold seeker who left the party October 28th, reaching Seattle January 30th, being a few days over three months in making the trip. When he arrived at Seattle, he was badly crippled up and nearly blind. A long account of his experiences was sent out by the associated press. In this party is Alex. McDonald, M. S. Hotten, Geo. Comb, H. E. Westlake, Isaac Zess, Chas. Vogel and Frank Reynolds. They are located about 225 miles from the Arctic ocean and further up the Koyukuk river than any steamboat had traveled before they made the journey. They have named the place on which they have located Soo City, in honor of "the best town on earth." A number of claims have been staked out which the party intended to work this winter. If they pan out well the party will remain here; if not they will probably return home in the spring. All are well, have plenty of clothing and grub and are as happy as their circumstances will permit.

If we believe every fairy story that comes out in the Soo papers, our credulity would be stretched to a painful tension. A little while ago a Soo party in the Klondike discovered at the very least 150,000 square miles of solid gold; yet there seems to be no great expansion noticeable of the city of busted booms, and Captain Hursley is going to return to the humble sphere of a navigator of St. Mary's river and Mud lake. Then more Sooties found an Al Dorado in the Michipicoten district, that was to replenish the empty coffers of the boomers and renew the former glories of the boastful city on St. Mary's river. As connection with these fields of fortune is had by the way of the Soo, the direct interest the latter has in puffing the game is obvious. The latest is a wonderful copper discovery, in which of course, "Sooties are interested." They have a mine that yields up its riches without the irksome process of digging; the metal simply lies around in convenient chunks, in a hole prepared by nature in advance, and all the promoters have to do to accumulate wealth is to pick it up. This mine is a hundred fold richer than the great Calumet & Hecla. Yet with all these immense advantages, with its people getting fabulously prosperous, not merely away from home but immediately at their own doors, all the gold one could get at the Soo would be a "gold brick," and the Times has to "dun" like thunder to collect its delinquent subscriptions.—St Ignace Enterprise.

THE SURE LA GRIPPE CURED.—There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For sale at the Stafford Drug company, only 50 cents per bottle.

**Skin Diseases.**  
For the speedy and permanent cure of tetter, salt rheum and eczema, Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment is without an equal. It relieves the itching and smarting almost instantly and its continued use effects a permanent cure. It also cures itch, barber's itch, scald head, sore nipples, itching piles, chapped hands, chronic sore eyes and granulated lids. For sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

Dr. Cady's Condition Powders for horses are the best for blood purifier and vermifuge. Price 25 cents. For sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

## Ishpeming and Vicinity

ENDEAVORERS HELD SWAY. A NEW CATALOGUE.

THEIR BIG ANNUAL RALLY TOOK PLACE AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH FRIDAY NIGHT LAST.

The seventh annual reunion of the Christian Endeavor societies of the county was held at the Presbyterian church here Friday night. These rallies of the society are always looked forward to with great interest and invariably bring out a flourishing condition in the county, and the branches of each city are very strong organizations. It happens that the various divisions of the order are all organized in the Presbyterian church. Endeavor societies have never been formed in the other congregations.

There is no regular union of the organizations and the big meeting is passed around among the three cities. Last year it was held at Marquette and next year it will go to Negaunee. The program followed Friday night was as follows: Scripture lesson, Psalm 16; Prayer, Rev. E. S. Genung. Paper, "The Quiet Hour," Miss Clark, Negaunee. Hymn, Audience. Paper, "The Christian Endeavor Society," Rev. F. G. Westphalia, Marquette. Hymn, Audience. Paper, "The Mountain Whites," Rev. M. M. Allen, Ishpeming. Duet, Misses Teckla Farm and Maud Nelson. Address, "Young Blood in Christian Endeavor Work," F. C. Comstock, Escanaba. Solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," Miss Teckla Farm. Commemoration Service, Led by F. C. Comstock.

Owing to a slight delay in the arrival of the special train bearing the Marquette visitors, the meeting was a little late in starting. About seventy people were up from the Queen City, the majority of whom were Endeavorers. As soon as the strangers were seated the program was opened with the song service. The papers read by Miss Clark of Negaunee, and Miss Westphalia of Marquette, for her brother, who was unable to attend the meeting, were both well written and were heartily received by the assembly.

A most interesting part of the program was Rev. M. M. Allen's address on "The Mountain Whites." Mr. Allen is himself a Kentuckian and has spent considerable time working among the queer class of people he so interestingly described Friday evening. This portion of the program proved very entertaining. Following Mr. Allen's discourse, Miss Farm and Miss Maud Nelson favored the gathering with a vocal duet that was rendered in a faultless manner and won warm plaudits from the auditors. F. C. Comstock, who is the president of the Presbyterian union of the Upper Peninsula, then spoke at length on "Young Blood in the Christian Endeavor Work." He urged the importance of the young people sustaining and pushing the work. His address was forcible and well delivered. Miss Farm favored the assembly with an excellent rendition of "One Sweetly Solemn Thought." After a consecration service and a benediction the formal part of the evening's program has concluded and the remainder of the time was passed in social intercourse and recreation.

Light refreshments were served in the parlors of the church, where the company was entertained until the hour arrived for the departure of the special that was to carry the Marquette visitors home. The train left about 11:05. There were about thirty Endeavorers present from Negaunee, and they made the trip down with the Marquette visitors. Every person present at the church was delighted with the entertainment and the meeting was voted a great success. The eighth annual meeting of the organizations will be held next year at Negaunee.

INSUFFICIENT ATTENDANCE.  
Manager Helmert has met with nothing but discouragement in the effort he has made to provide the skaters of this city with their favorite amusement. The attendance at the Bancroft rink has been very light right along, but for the last few weeks it has been distressingly so. The ice has been very good, in fact better has not been provided since the rink was built, and every effort has been made to make the rink a favorite resort, but the number of people who have followed the sport this year has been astonishingly small. Mr. Helmert has provided good attractions from time to time but the people have continued indifferent. Wednesday night Andrew Holley, the boy wonder, was billed to race against Sib Larson, but the event was postponed on account of a light attendance until the following evening. Thursday night there were three people present to witness the race, which was not pulled off. Manager Helmert paid the expenses and let the boy skate an exhibition. While he is considerably discouraged with the result of his last venture he has decided to give the wheel one more whirl, and a county skating race is announced for Wednesday evening. The event will be open to all the skaters in this county and a handsome gold medal has been provided to reward the winner. It is to be hoped that a fair crowd will attend.

Frank Sherwood was down town today, the first time since he had his tussle with cholera morbus. He says he drove thirty miles after he was taken, and never came so near dying in his life. After this when he goes out in the country he will take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him.—Missouri Valley (Iowa) Times. For sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

MADAME WELLS, the great Egyptian fortune teller, Europe's wonderful life reader, can convince the most skeptical by the art of palmistry; private conversations. Knowledge is power, see it is bare to tolerate. This wonderful lady can be interviewed at 403 North Third street, Ishpeming, Mich. (2-1-cod-2w)

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ton company. While here he completed arrangements with Manager Butler for the production of Miss Tropp's wonderful success, "A Doll's House," at the local theatre next Friday night. The piece is wonderfully strong and the work of the leading lady is of a very high order. Manager Butler was very fortunate in securing the company, and the piece will undoubtedly draw a fine house, as there has been no attraction at the theatre for several months.

The ladies of the Episcopal Sunday school gave one of the most successful entertainments in the history of the church here last Saturday night at Anderson's hall. Oysters in all styles were served to the hungry visitors and in the course of the evening the wants of a couple of hundred people were satisfied. A large number were present and the evening was passed in informal amusements, among which dancing occupied an important place. The supper was a financial and social success and the ladies were much pleased with the result of their efforts. They have arranged to serve a light lunch after Miss Sullivan's concert tonight. Lemonade and cake will be served for fifteen cents and a light luncheon will cost twenty-five.

### ENEMIES OF THE RATTLESNAKE.

The Hog and the Blacksnake Both Kill It With Impunity.

The two greatest enemies of the rattlesnake are the blacksnake and the hog. The rattlesnake is slow and sluggish in movement, while the blacksnake is intensely rapid. The latter will circle around his foe and with a sudden dart grasp the venomous reptile by the neck so that it has no chance to use its poisonous fangs, and quickly squeeze it to death. A hog, especially if fat, suffers no danger from the rattlesnake. He will march boldly up to the coiled reptile, allow himself to be struck in his jaws once, twice or three times, as the case may be, and will then calmly proceed to swallow the reptile without concern. The reason for the hog's immunity is due to the fact that the blood vessels are so minute and infrequent on his cheeks, where fat is predominant, that they fail to take up the poison and carry it through the porcine system. Hogs have been used in droves to clear some of the islands of the southern seas of poisonous reptiles, and have proved effective for the purpose.

By remembering two simple facts any one can distinguish a poisonous serpent from a harmless one. The venomous reptile invariably possesses a triangular shaped head and a blunt nose, while his tail is correspondingly blunt and stubby. Any snake that tapers smoothly from the middle of its body to the tip of its nose and to the tip of its tail was well, growing slender in a gradual and regular manner is absolutely devoid of venom.—New York Press.

### HOW BRADY LOST HIS \$100.

Died the Day Before the Annual Vanderbilt Check Was Due.  
By the death of John Brady, who choked to death on a mutton chop, the Bowery has lost one of its typical characters. He was known to shop and hotel keepers from Chatham square to Cooper Union. Brady bore the reputation of an honest man who loved horses and revelled in races, who thought the Vanderbilts "up to the limit," and who was a faithful follower of Tammany hall. For several months he had lived at a hotel at No. 37 Bowery. In the last day of 1898 he went into a restaurant and with friends ordered drinks and mutton chops. While eating one he became purple in the face and fell to the floor, where in a few minutes he died.

Since Brady came to this country from Ireland, fifty years ago, he had continually hung around race track stables. His favorite story was how he saved the life of a Vanderbilt, and he had just finished telling it when he died. "Several years ago," he had said, "a team came running down Fifth avenue. A spanking team it was, boys, with a footman and coachman full of buttons sitting on the box. A lady all dressed in furs and silks was sitting in the carriage. The coachman had his horses' heads and they were tearing down the avenue like wild. I saw them, and there's no man knows more about stopping wild horses than I do; so I steps out in front of them, grabs the brides as they got to me and in a half block had them stopped as still as a mouse. The lady thanks me and the coachman drives away. Next day I gets word to come to the Vanderbilts' house on the avenue, and there I gets \$100, and tomorrow I gets it again." He pointed at the man opposite and began to resume the story, when he choked.—New York Times.

Gust Baruch is in the city representing J. Hamill & Co. of Appleton. He has been found at Burke's barn at Ishpeming where he has a load of draught horses on exhibition. All persons interested are invited to call and inspect the horses. (2-1-1f)

Consumption Cure—Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth, cures a cold in one day if taken in time. 25 and 50c's

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### A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN

On State Board of Health of Wisconsin Speaks of Four Hundred Baltimore Rye.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, State Board of Health, OFFICE OF GEO. W. HARRISON, M. D.

Aug. 5, 1898. Crown Distilling Co. Cincinnati, O.

Gentlemen:—The sample of Four Hundred Baltimore Rye Whiskey you sent me is one of the finest articles that I ever tested, and for medicinal purposes I think is as good as any in the market. I consider it perfectly pure and one of the finest of stimulants. Yours truly, GEO. W. HARRISON, Examining Surgeon, U.S.A. 5 Infty, U.S.A.

Its purity is extraordinary; guaranteed ten years old; sold at all first-class cafes and at drug stores. (1-26-1f)

Energy all gone? Headache? Stomach out of order? Simply a case of torpid liver. Burdock Blood Bitters will make a new man or woman of you.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Warner's White Wine of Tar Syrup, the best cough remedy on earth. 25 and 50 cents.

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In and About Negaunee. THE BARASA'S ONE BODY. WILL BE CLOSED NEXT TUESDAY.

After nine years of waiting those interested in the property are made happy by having it struck. When J. F. Mack was asked how affairs at the Barasa were progressing Saturday morning he stated that the work was going ahead finely.

A CHINESE EXECUTION. It Does Not Take as Long as Many Other Ceremonies.

To say to a Chinaman who is about to journey to another district, "I will see you off by the West Gate," is nothing less than a gross insult.

Something New! Flat-Opening Blank Books.

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D., S. S. & A. R'y. THE Marquette ROUTE. Time - Table. In Effect Dec. 11, 1898.

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"J. E. K." CIGARS. WONDERFUL SHEEP DOGS. Stories of a Breed Brought from New Zealand.

The most celebrated breed of shepherd dogs ever known in the west," says Jud Bristol, the old-time sheep man of Ft. Collins, Col., in the Denver Evening Post.

When questioned later as to the appearance of the ore Mr. Mack stated that it is of very fine quality and that there is undoubtedly an immense body of it.

Some of the railroad men here are feeling elated over the prospect of the change. When the mines were operated steadily at their full capacity seven engines were constantly employed.

TRAINS LEAVE MARQUETTE. For Montreal and the east and Lower Michigan daily ex. Sunday. 4:55 a.m.

Palace Livery Stable, FAY & BRICKER, Props. FIRST-CLASS LIVERY SERVICE. At all hours.

Undoubting faith in the property has been held by Mr. Mack and a few others interested in it with him, and they have pushed its development in spite of many drawbacks and discouragements.

LOCAL LACONICS. Allen Tyrrell of Escanaba was in the city Friday. E. R. Morrison was here Friday, looking after the Standard Oil interests.

Hancock & Calumet R. R. Change of time in effect SUNDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1898.

BECOME A MAN. This will interest those who have discovered "medicinal compounds" and "free prescriptions" fakes and electric belts.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid.

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**WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH.**

**Nellie Howard Loses Her Life in a Sunday Morning Fire on Bluff Street.**

**HER BODY WAS FOUND CHARRED BEYOND RECOGNIZANCE.**

**Origin of the Blaze Is Not Known to a Certainity—Mrs. "Jack" Adams Suffers Heavily by the Fire—No Insurance**

**HYDRANTS ON BLUFF STREET USELESS.**

Nellie Howard, an unmarried middle-aged woman boarding with Mrs. "Jack" Adams at No. 124 West Bluff street, was burned to a crisp in a fire which occurred there about 12:30 Sunday morning.

The building, which is owned by the Misses Beanston, had the roof entirely burnt off from it and the second story badly gutted by the fire. A large part of Mrs. Adams' household effects were lost in the blaze. There was no insurance on either building or furniture.

The last that was seen of the Howard woman alive was about 8 o'clock in the evening when she came in and got some kindling and firewood and went upstairs.

Al Cameron, a boarder at the house who occupied the room across the hall from the one where the Howard woman slept, was the first to discover the blaze.

He smelled smoke but was too fast asleep to be more than dimly conscious of it for a few moments, but he soon came to his senses. Before getting out of bed he struck a match and looked at his watch. It showed 12:30.

Suspecting where the fire was he ran to the room across the hall and pushed the door open. The smoke poured out in such volumes that for a moment he was unable to enter, but after the smoke had partially cleared away he found by getting down low where it was less dense that he could endure to enter the room.

He made his way in and went to the bed on the farther side. The woman was lying, he says, across the bed with her feet on the floor. Her skirt or night gown, whichever it was he does not know, was afire and there was fire between the bed and the stove. Without stopping to make any investigation as to the cause of the blaze he reached over and seized the woman by the wrist.

"Come on," he cried, "I'll help you." She made no response and he lifted her partially up, but as he did so he inhaled his lungs full of smoke and became weakened so he was not able to carry her out, but let her fall back on the bed again.

He rushed down stairs then, awoke Mrs. Adams and told her the house was afire, then ran in next door to the residence of Phil Hopkins, one of the firemen, and got him to come over.

When Hopkins came over both men made an effort to enter the room together, but the smoke overpowered them and they were unable to accomplish their purpose. Cameron thinks that not more than two minutes elapsed between the two attempts.

Finding that they could do nothing alone the alarm was turned in and in a few moments the hose company was on the scene to begin what proved to be a four hours' fight against the fire.

Lines of hose were laid from two Bluff street hydrants but both of them were found to be frozen, then before water could be secured the lines had to be extended to Washington street. During the time lost here the fire gained considerably headway. It is quite probable that if water could have been secured from the first hydrants with which connection was made the fire could have been confined almost entirely to the room where it started.

The firemen fought the blaze as well as they could, but they worked under tremendous disadvantages, not only from lack of water but because of the intense cold. The mercury stood at 16 degrees below zero and the firemen were nearly frozen handling the wet hose. Proprietor Dan Sullivan of the New Clifton made himself solid with the boys by serving hot coffee all through the several hours they were fighting the blaze. The coffee furnished a needed stimulant and mitigated their sufferings greatly.

Knowing that the Howard woman was undoubtedly dead no efforts were made to get her body out till the fire was well under control. Then it was removed and taken to the undertaking establishment of Tonella & Johnson.

The body was so badly burnt that it was charred. One foot was gone, and of hair and clothing not a vestige remained. It was utterly impossible to recognize the features.

How the fire started is a mystery. Some believe that she was under the influence on either liquor or an opiate, and that while in that condition accidentally upset the stove, which was a tall, light affair of sheet iron.

Fire Chief Maney says that when he removed the body the stove was lying partially on it. But Cameron insists that when he went into the room the stove was standing in its accustomed place, upright, and that the woman was lying on the bed at some little distance from it.

The stove was certainly tipped over in some way, either at the start of the fire or during its progress, for after the blaze was extinguished it was found lying on its side. Just to the south of where the stove stood a hole was burnt through the floor, the only place in the room where this happened.

A coroner's jury was empaneled yesterday morning, viewed the remains and visited the scene of the tragedy. It will meet at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the office of Coroner Crary, examine witnesses and endeavor to find the solution of the mystery.

The dead woman had resided here for a number of years. She had been employed as a domestic in both the Hotel Marquette and the New Clifton, but latterly had been working nights in the depot lunch room. Her home was in Waukesha, Wis., and she is known to have a sister in Milwaukee, but she had no relatives in Marquette. Coroner Crary is endeavoring to locate the sister in Milwaukee and find the disposal to be made of the remains.

GOOD DAY'S WAGES.

Members of the Hose Company Made \$3 Each on Fires.

Sunday was a good day for the members of Morse Hose company, and those who attended both fires turned \$3 apiece on the day's work. They got in four hours' work on the big fire early yesterday morning, then in the evening there was a false alarm of fire which caused the company to take a needless run clear down on Genessee street, but which netted the boys sixty cents each.

It is likely the second alarm was turned in maliciously as there was no occasion at all for the company to turn out. Leading into Frank Carney's house on the upper end of Genessee street there was a frozen water main. This had been dug down to and a fire had been built in the pit to thaw out the pipe. The alarm was turned in from box 16, which is several blocks away. The family was not worrying about the blaze at all, and when the hose company got there two boys were found watching the fire to see that it did not harm.

**BACK FROM THE SOO.**

Sheriff Carlson Brings Robert Parker to Answer to Criminal Charge.

Sheriff Carlson came back from Sault Ste. Marie last night, bringing with him Robert Parker, who is wanted here on the charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses.

A warrant for his arrest was sworn out Friday by Koopp, the shoemaker on Third street, the allegation being that the goods were secured on the credit of J. J. Nobben, who formerly resided here but who has lately been working in Duluth.

A circumstance bearing on the arrest is said to be the fact that Parker eloped with Nobben's wife, after the latter had sent his faithless spouse \$85. Nobben is said to have gone to the Soo and found the pair living together. He was naturally very wroth at the discovery and was going to have the pair arrested for adultery, till he found there was some circumstance connected with the affair which would prevent him from making his case. He then announced his intention to cause Parker's arrest on the charge of obtaining goods on false pretenses. After events seem to show that he made the threat good.

**AFTER LICENSES.**

Applicants for Papers Are Numerous at Vessel Inspectors' Office.

Vessel Inspectors York and Gooding have now on hand applications from nine aspirants for license as first and second pilots, which is more than the usual number for the season of the year. From now on till the opening of navigation is the busy time in the office, so far as examining applicants and issuing licenses is concerned.

The first license an applicant receives, if he passes his examination, is one as second class pilot. The following year he is entitled to apply for a license as a first class pilot. Under the present laws first class pilots are examined in writing once every five years to test the continuance of their efficiency.

**NOT WORRYING.**

Duluth Wholesalers Think They Have a Cinch on U. P. Trade.

The prospective campaign of the Detroit wholesalers in the upper peninsula is not causing their rivals at the head of the lake to lose any sleep. The Duluth Evening Herald in an editorial on the prospective trip of the Detroiters says:

"It is hardly likely that Detroit will be able to divert any trade from Duluth because our wholesale men can put goods into the copper country cheaper than they can be obtained in Detroit. But they will do well to be on their guard against the Detroit business men's scheme."

**CROWDED WITH GUESTS.**

Commercial Hotels Are Enjoying a Rush of Business Just Now.

Marquette is a good hotel town most of the time, but just now all the houses are enjoying an unusually good run of patronage. This is particularly true of the two leading commercial houses.

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**PREACHED ON LINCOLN.**

Timely Topic was Touched Upon by the Speakers in Two Pulpits Yesterday.

**MARTYR PRESIDENT'S LIFE THEIR DISCOURSES' THEME.**

Place of Great Men as Guide Posts to the Raising Generations—Lincoln One of the Elect of God—His Strength.

**SERMONS BY REV. SNOW AND ELLIOTT.**

Two of the pastors of the city took timely topics for their sermons yesterday and spoke on subjects suggested by the Lincoln holiday. In the morning Rev. R. R. Snow at the Baptist church delivered an address on "Some Lessons from the Life of Abraham Lincoln." In the evening the attendants at the Methodist church were treated to an address by the Rev. E. A. Elliott on the subject, "Lincoln."

Mr. Snow began his address by remarking that no study was more productive of good results than the study of the lives of great men. Following this idea he recited instance after instance where boys who were deficient in certain virtues and qualities had gained them by reading of and following the methods of great characters of history who were possessed of these virtues and qualities.

"Great men," he said, "are the guide posts which point the growing youth to higher and better things. They are the magnets which draw the masses up to a higher plane of civilization. The life of each nation is but the lives of its great men. The history of the world is but the history of the great men of the world. When a nation sinks to such a depth that she has no great and good men to stimulate her young men, her history is already written, except the last chapter—her downfall."

The speaker briefly sketched the life of Lincoln from his obscure birth in a Kentucky cabin, through his youth, his struggles with poverty, his manhood, till he was finally placed in the White House as the first president of the young party which was born to free the slave. He told of the trip which Lincoln made while scarcely more than a youth to New Orleans, where he saw slaves sold on the block, and where was ingrafted in him the purpose to some day deal the institution of slavery a death blow.

This was followed by an allusion to the famous Lincoln-Douglas debates in which at Peoria, Ill., Douglas acknowledged his opponent's strength when he said: "Lincoln, you understand this question of prohibiting slavery in the territories better than all the opposition in the senate of the United States. I cannot make anything by debating it with you. You, Lincoln, have given me more trouble than all the opposition combined."

Speaking of Lincoln's purpose in life Mr. Snow said: "I do not mean to say that he knew in the beginning of his life what his great task was to be, but we do know that he had resolved if he ever did make his life a success it would be by helping the oppressed. Lincoln was a humanitarian at heart. He loved the beings whom he saw crushed by slavery, he resolved to help them, and the emancipation was the result of that resolution."

Of the character of his subject the speaker said: "No feature of Mr. Lincoln's character shines forth as his kindness of heart. He was a close reasoner. He had a remarkable insight into the characters of men. He was a wonderful speaker, but above all he was a 'great heart.' His love embraced not only those who loved him, but also his enemies. Wherever he saw trouble he took it upon his own shoulders. He literally went about doing good. He put himself in the place of others."

The speaker devoted some time to telling of the religious life of Lincoln. He was of a religious nature, Mr. Snow

said, but this was not marked until he came to the White House. In connection with this he told of Lincoln's interview with General Sickles when the latter was lying severely wounded in the battle of Gettysburg. Lincoln stated in reply to Sickles' question that he was not alarmed for the outcome of the engagement. He at first refused to tell the reason for his confidence, but on being pressed said: "Before the battle I retired to my room at the White House and got down on my knees and prayed to Almighty God to give us victory. I said to him that this was his war, and that if he would stand by the nation now I would stand by him the rest of my life. He gave us the victory and I propose to keep my pledge. I arose from my knees with a feeling of deep and sincere confidence and had no doubt of the result from that hour."

Concluding Mr. Snow said: "If you cannot believe in Christ as a Savior believe in one of God's prophets. If you cannot believe in one of the prophets believe in such characters as Lincoln and you will receive a righteous man's reward."

Rev. A. E. Elliott took his text from John 1:3-16: "He laid down his life for us; we ought also to lay down our lives for our brethren."

While the foregoing was originally spoken in reference to the life of Jesus Christ, Mr. Elliott said that the words of the apostle would also apply to that of Abraham Lincoln whose work for the cause of liberty cost him his life.

He noted that the year of Lincoln's birth has been made famous by the lives of other men born during that year. Prominent among these were Oliver Wendell Holmes, Edgar Allan Poe, Alfred Tennyson, Charles Darwin and William E. Gladstone. Although born in a year so productive of such world-famed celebrities Lincoln was a man among men.

The speaker then reviewed some phases of Lincoln's early life, such as his inheritance of poverty and his conscientious efforts to obtain the elements of a practical education. One of the man's prominent characteristics, his abhorrence of cruelty in any form, was also touched upon. His life up till the time of his admission to the bar was sketched briefly, the speaker hastening over the familiar facts, like his trip to New Orleans with a flat boat, the part he played as a captain of volunteers during the Black Hawk war, and his work as a surveyor and postmaster at his village.

In 1836 Lincoln made his debut in his new profession, the law, and rose rapidly on account of his popularity and his native ability, cultivated without aid from any one. Mr. Elliott here called attention to the fact that the real essence of all Lincoln's education undoubtedly laid in a habit of hard, close and laborious analysis of all thoughts that presented themselves to his mind, a habit which had been developed abnormally perhaps by his self-education.

The great fight between principle and expediency, as the Lincoln-Douglas debates might be called, he said, served as an example of the "perverse honest" character of Lincoln.

The dark and stormy times before the rebellion foreshadowed Lincoln's election to the presidency. This was the time when he was most criticized by the world, when it was watching breathlessly and wondering what the backwoods phenomenon would do. No president with the exception of Washington ever wrote state papers that were so easily understood by the people in general. The strength of his style lay in its condensation and simplicity.

The assassination of Lincoln was passed over with the statement that the facts were too familiar to need repeating.

In his eulogy Mr. Elliott said he believed that Lincoln was one of the elect of God, a man selected for a certain duty. The kindness of the man towards everybody and anything had no equal but that of Jesus Christ. Lincoln was a strong man, he said, but a man whose character could not be as well represented by a stone wall as by a wiry, flexible cable, which must hold everything to it.

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