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MARQUETTE, MICH.

HERE'S SHOE SAVINGS.
We inventory February 1st, and our stock of winter footwear must be reduced by that date. Till inventory we offer sweeping reductions on all winter footwear. Now is the time to buy.
Men's \$3.50 Beaver Bals, felt soles.....at \$1.87
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Men's \$1.25 Alaskas, small sizes.....at .90
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Ladies' \$2.00 High Button Arctics.....at 1.49
Misses' and Children's \$1.25 and \$1.00 Felt Slippers.....at .73
Ladies' 60c Rubbers, 2 1/2 to 4.....at .25

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Special Sale of Pianos!
FOR FEBRUARY.
We wish to reduce stock before inventory March 1st. Our line embraces CHICKERING, FISCHER, CROWN, KINGSBURY, SCHILLER, and other standard and well known makes. MONEY SAVED by buying a piano this month. SEE OUR STOCK and learn prices and terms.
ALSO SEE AND HEAR THOSE WONDERFUL PERFORMERS, MESSRS. PIANOLA and ANGELUS
WHO WILL GIVE DAILY PIANO RECITALS AT
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Old Velvet Rye,
(Pure and Mellow.)
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(A Choice Smoke.)
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PRESCRIPTIONS
A SPECIALTY.
We carry in stock everything for the sick room. A full and complete line of the PUREST and STRONGEST DRUGS. We want your prescription to fill. Bring us your old family receipts. We will give you the best possible price and only the best goods. This department is the most complete of any in the city.
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IN BULK OR IN CANS.
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The largest and most complete stock of groceries in the city can be found at
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FRESH
Tomatoes, Cucumbers, Radishes, Lettuce, Parsley, Celery, Horse Radish, Spinach and Strawberries
ON **...SATURDAY...**
AT **DEL'S GROCERY,**
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Best Quality of Well Screened **ANTHRACITE COAL**
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RATES ARE APPROXIMATELY **One-Half the Day Rates.**
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We handle only the best coals mined, have every facility for prompt delivery, and give you the benefit of first quality at right prices. Wholesale and retail.
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COSTLY FIRE IN NEW YORK
Explosion at Cigar Box Factory Results in \$1,500,000 Damage.

AN OPERA HOUSE IN RUINS
Walker Whiteside Troupe Suffers Loss at Kansas City—Conflagration in Two Northwestern Towns.

PANIC AMONG EMPLOYEES.
New York, Jan. 31.—The seven-story factory of the William Wicke company, manufacturer of cigar boxes, at 401-423 East Thirty-first street, was shaken this afternoon by an explosion in the "shaving tower" which wrecked the tower, demolishing the roof of the engine house.
The explosion is believed to have been caused by gas which accumulated in the "tower." The brick work fell on the engine house, crushing it, while the concussion of the explosion cracked the big smokestack—100 feet high—that towered over the engine room.
Eight hundred persons, of whom three hundred and fifty were women, were at work in the factory at the time of the explosion. A panic ensued, but only two persons were seriously injured. Joseph Speldler, a fireman, was badly cut and bruised about the body and head and may die. Emil Barschet, a steam fitter, was badly cut about the head, while a score more were slightly hurt by the flying splinters. The loss caused by the explosion amounted to several thousand dollars.

GREAT FIRE FOLLOWS.
Fire that did damage to the extent of a million and a half dollars started anew in the Wicke building tonight. Half an hour after the first alarm was sent in, the entire building, extending half the length of the block in Thirty-first street to East River, was a mass of flames and the firemen tried their attention to adjacent structures.
Directly opposite the burning factory is a five-story tenement occupied by twenty-two Italian and German families. The police succeeded in getting all out safely. The fire in the tenement spread rapidly, and the tenement building at the corner of Thirty-first and First avenue was soon in flames. The police helped the inmates of this building to places of safety. Fireman Peter Coyle had both ankles broken by falling from a ladder. The burned area, in its general extent, takes in about a city block.

CONFAGRATION AT BEATRICE.
Omaha, Jan. 31.—A telephone report from Beatrice, Neb., tonight says a conflagration is threatening to destroy the whole business center. The details are not obtainable.
Omaha, Friday, Feb. 1.—Later reports from Beatrice say the fire broke out at 11:30 in the basement of Hoagland's drug store. At 1 o'clock the department was still unable to get the fire under control. The drug stock, valued at \$10,000, is a total loss, as is the building, itself of considerable value. The Woods photograph gallery loss will be about \$4,000, while Wier & Sons, dry goods, adjoining, have suffered from smoke and water a loss of probably \$20,000.
Later—At 1:30 o'clock this (Friday) morning the fire is still raging and will probably spread to other buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown.

NORTH-DAKOTA TOWN SWEEP.
Fargo, N. D., Jan. 31.—The business portion of Fort Abercrombie, thirty miles south, was destroyed tonight by a fire which is reported to have been started by an overturned lamp in a machinery house.
Both the telegraph and telephone wires are down, but messages at midnight from adjoining towns state the fire was brought under control after eleven business houses had been destroyed. These include the bank, post office, the Milwaukee depot, an elevator, two implement warehouses, three general stores, a drug store and the telephone exchange. All the business places on the south side of Main street were burned. The loss is placed at \$100,000, with half insurance.

ACTORS FLEE FOR LIVES.
Kansas City, Jan. 31.—Fire late tonight destroyed the Coats Opera House at Tenth and Broadway. Walker Whiteside and company had just concluded the evening performance, and the audience had barely left the building when the fire was discovered. The company lost its wardrobes and scenery, being obliged to flee from the dressing rooms. The Coats Hotel, diagonally across the street, was in great danger and many of the guests left the house, but the firemen prevented the flames from reaching the hotel. The loss is estimated at \$150,000.
TOLEDO HAS \$85,000 FIRE.
Toledo, O., Jan. 31.—Fire today destroyed the Dahlberg Paint & Color works and damaged adjoining buildings. The loss is \$85,000.

DUTCH WELCOME THE DUKE.
QUEEN WILHELMINA'S FIANCE GETS A GREAT OVATION.

The Hague, Jan. 31.—Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, whom Queen Wilhelmina will marry, made his formal entry into the capital at 8 o'clock this evening wearing the uniform of a Dutch general and with Dutch decorations. He was received at the railway station by a guard of honor and with great ceremony. The premier welcomed him on behalf of the cabinet as "the betrothed of our beloved queen and a Dutch subject."
The duke drove in one of the state carriages to the palace, where Queen Wilhelmina awaited him in the vestibule. In thanking the various officials who welcomed him, the duke spoke in the Dutch language. The enormous crowds that gathered displayed the wildest enthusiasm and the troops were scarcely able to control the people who congregated around the palace, where another guard of honor was drawn around. The palace was beautifully decorated with flowers.

CLUE TO CUDAHY KIDNAPERS.
POLICE THINK THEY HAVE IT IN SENSATIONAL ARREST FOR BLACKMAILING AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati, Jan. 31.—Today the United States deputy marshal arrested Dr. Fred B. Herman, his wife and her son by a former marriage, Clyde Sheehan, for an alleged attempt to blackmail Howard Douglass, a leading attorney, prominent in Pythian circles, and his wife and Dr. Crank, the family physician.
Dr. Herman had been for twenty-five years the confidential secretary and office man for Douglass and is a fellow member in the same castle of Knights of Pythias. He was released on \$3,000 bail and his wife and son on \$200 each. The hearing was set for next Wednesday, to give the detectives and others time to prepare their case. It is understood that there will be very sensational developments and the authorities of this city, as well as Chicago and Omaha, think the arrest will throw some light on the Cudahy kidnaping at Omaha.

GERMANS GIVEN THE SLIP.
WALDERSEE REPORTS THE FAILURE OF EXPEDITIONS SENT IN CHASE OF CHINESE ROBBERS.

Berlin, Jan. 31.—A dispatch today from Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, at Peking, says:
"The German columns have returned without fighting, as the robber bands had excellent sources of information and were warned of the approach of the Germans."

MASSACRE REPORTED.
Peking, Jan. 30, via Shanghai, Jan. 31.—The Germans have sent an expedition, consisting of one battery of artillery and one regiment of infantry, to some point to the westward. They report an information and decline to allow correspondents to accompany the command. It is reported a massacre of many native Christians seventy miles west has recently occurred, and the place of the massacre is probably the destination of the troops.

DIFFER ON PUNISHMENT.
A general meeting of the foreign envoys was held this morning at which it was decided to hold a joint meeting of the envoys and Chinese plenipotentiaries next week. Nothing has been definitely arranged regarding the punishments and the opinions are much divided, some favoring a drastic measure, like beheading, for the majority of those considered especially responsible, particularly Prince Tuan, who, next to the empress dowager, is considered the principal culprit; but others, acting under instructions from their governments, advocate nominal punishments like banishments.

It is generally recognized that all the foreign envoys, with the possible exception of M. de Giers, the Russian minister, personally believe that leniency would be a great mistake, considering the interpretation the Chinese would put upon it.
Li Hung Chang is anxious that the joint meeting should be held at his house owing to his state of health.

ARSENAL IS DESTROYED.
Berlin, Friday, Feb. 1.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a dispatch from China saying that the Germans have blown up an arsenal.
In official circles here no credence is given to the report that a big German expedition has left Peking for the province of Shan Si.

"THE THREE I LEAGUE."
BASEBALL MEN FROM INDIANA, ILLINOIS AND IOWA LAUNCH THEIR ASSOCIATION—DETAILS.

Peoria, Ills., Jan. 31.—The organization of the Indiana-Illinois-Iowa baseball league was perfected today. The circuit will comprise Peoria, Decatur, Bloomington, Rockford and Rock Island, in Illinois; Davenport and Cedar Rapids, in Iowa, and Terre Haute, in Indiana. The new league will be known as "The Three I League." Mr. Horatio Sexton of Rock Island was chosen president and also secretary-treasurer. It was decided that the salary limit shall be fixed at \$750, exclusive of the manager's salary. The salary of the umpires was placed at \$125 per month. It is probable the season will open about May 7.

GRIEVED OVER MOTHER'S DEATH.
Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 31.—W. R. Lemiche, secretary-treasurer of the Electric Light company, committed suicide by shooting last night. His dead body was found today. Despondency over the death of his mother is supposed to have been the cause. Lemiche came here from Stillwater, Minn.

EXECUTED BY DEWET.
Two More Peace Envoys Who Visit Fighting Boers Are Put to Death.

MINES BADLY DAMAGED.
Burghers Raid the Rand and Destroy Property Worth \$1,500,000—Battle East of Pretoria.

FRESH INVASION FEARS.
London, Friday, Feb. 1.—"General Dewet's force consists of fifteen hundred men and two guns," says the Cape Town correspondent of "The Daily Mail." "It is unofficially confirmed that he has entered Cape Colony, but definite news is impatiently awaited."

BLOEMFONTEIN MENACED.
London, Jan. 31.—Lord Kitchener, telegraphing from Pretoria, says:
"Dewet's force crossed the Bloemfontein-Ladybrand line, near Israel's pool, during Wednesday night. Hamilton's men, at the water works, were unable to get in touch with them."
"General French, with cavalry and mounted infantry, is sweeping the country east of the Pretoria-Johannesburg railroad, between Delagoa Bay and the Natal railroad, as far as Ermelo. He has engaged about two thousand of the enemy at Wilge valley. The enemy retired with four killed and nine wounded. Our casualties were one killed and seven wounded."
"General Knox reports that he engaged Dewet's force south of Weloem on the 29th. There was continuous fighting for some hours. Five Boers were buried. They removed many of their casualties in carts. Our casualties were one officer and one man killed and thirteen men wounded."

RAND RAIDERS REPULSED.
Johannesburg, Jan. 30, via Cape Town, Jan. 31.—Four or five hundred Boers recently evaded the British patrols, reached Benoni and attempted to destroy the mines. Some fighting resulted and the Boers were beaten off, carrying away most of their wounded and leaving two wounded behind them. The British captured three prisoners. One Briton was wounded. Commandant Marais was wounded during the attack and was subsequently captured.

Cape Town, Jan. 31.—The Boer attack on the Boksburg mines resulted in \$200,000 damage.
The commissioner at Kronstadt reports that Andries Wessels, of the peace envoys, was shot at Klipfontein on Monday by the order of General Dewet; also that Morgendaal, another Boer peace envoy, who accompanied Andries Wessels, was shot near Lindley, on the 10th.

KILLS TWENTY FILIPINOS.
SMALL CAVALRY FORCE HAS A SHARP FIGHT IN LUZON.

Manila, Jan. 31.—Captain Cameron and fifty Philippine cavalrymen had a fight Tuesday with insurgents at Budoopray and routed them, killing twenty men and capturing a quantity of arms. Geromino was present, but escaped.
Minor captures and surrenders continue in Luzon. Many Filipinos are taking the oath of allegiance to the United States.
The act organizing municipal governments in the Philippines was passed by the United States commission today after the adoption of amendments including a provision disqualifying from voting and holding office any person who, after April 1, is in arms against or aiding those opposing the United States authorities.
The provincial bill provides for a governor, secretary of the treasury, supervisor and fiscal, and the officers may be Americans or Filipinos. The governor is to be elected by the joint ballot of the councilors of the organized pueblos (townships) and his election must be confirmed by the Filipina commission. The other provincial officers will be appointed by the commission under the civil service rules.
The governor may suspend any of the municipal officers for misconduct, reporting the facts to the commission. The treasurer is required to supervise his assistants in all pueblos and to collect all taxes. The supervisor will have charge of the roads and public buildings. The fiscal will be the legal adviser of the provincial government and public prosecutor.
The law is to be first applied to the provinces of Union and Pampangas.

TO REPLACE VOLUNTEERS.
SOME 8,000 TROOPS UNDER ORDERS TO SAIL TO MANILA.

Washington, Jan. 31.—In anticipation of the passage of the army reorganization bill, the war department recently issued preparatory orders for transporting 8,200 regular troops to the Philippines to replace an equal number of volunteers under orders to San Francisco for discharge. The soldiers to be sent to the Philippines first will include eight troops of the Fifth cavalry,

eight companies of the Tenth infantry, eight companies of the Eleventh infantry and the provisional battalion of troops at the Presidio, San Francisco. There are now about two thousand recruits at San Francisco awaiting transportation to Manila and the number will be rapidly as they as the recruiting officers in various parts of the country obtain the necessary material.

CAPT. McCALLA VINDICATED.
COURT-MARTIAL SUSTAINS COMMANDER OF THE NEWARK.

Washington, Jan. 31.—The case against Captain McCalla of the Newark, has been dropped. A cablegram received at the navy department today from Admiral Ramsey announces that the court of inquiry has concluded its work and recommends that there be no further proceedings, a recommendation which the admiral has approved, thus ending the case.
A disagreement between Captain McCalla and Commander Colwell, his executive officer, resulted in the latter's charging the captain with maintaining lax discipline aboard his ship and with erratic conduct generally. The court has vindicated Captain McCalla and Admiral Ramsey has transferred Commander Colwell from the Newark to the Cavite naval station, so there is little prospect of further friction between the two men.

DALY'S HORSES ALL SOLD.
186 HEAD BRING OVER FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

New York, Jan. 31.—The auction sale of the horses owned by the late Marcus Daly was resumed at the Madison Square Garden today, the following being the highest prices paid:
Pastorella—Sold to W. I. Powers, as agent, for \$10,000.
Frankfort—Sold to Lord Clonmel of Ireland, for \$10,000.
Imp Isis—Sold to Sidney Paget; price, \$8,500.
Imp Isaac—Sold to J. B. Haggin; price, \$8,000.
Imp Mrs. Delaney—Sold to J. B. Haggin; price, \$8,250.
Imp Rose of Hampton—Sold to J. B. Haggin; price, \$8,000.
Emporium—Sold to M. Murphy; price, \$8,000.
Choate—Sold to Lord Clonmel of Ireland; price, \$9,000.
In all, 133 head were sold today for \$247,125, an average of \$1,858 apiece. The proceeds of the entire sale are \$406,525 for 186 head, an average of \$2,182 per horse.

JANUARY FAILURES.
THEY NUMBER 1,142, WITH LIABILITIES OF \$11,220,811.

New York, Jan. 31.—Reports to R. G. Dun & Co. show the failures in January to have been 1,242 in number and \$11,220,811 in amount of liabilities. Of this aggregate, 254 were in manufacturing, for \$4,700,584, and 884 in trading, for \$5,511,804, while in brokerage, transportation, real estate, etc., there were 40 failures for \$1,508,023. Besides these strictly commercial disasters, eight financial houses closed their doors, owing \$1,070,857.

Y. P. S. C. F. IN CONVENTION.
IS CELEBRATING ITS VIGESIMAL AT PORTLAND, MAINE.

Portland, Me., Jan. 31.—The great vigesimal celebration of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor opened here tonight and will continue for several days. A meeting of the trustees was held this morning. The secretary's report shows there are in the United States 43,739 societies; in Canada, 3,397; in foreign lands, 12,839, with 123 floating societies. The total membership is 3,649,000.

LEAVES FORTUNE TO CHURCH.
BULK OF MRS. MARQUIS' \$500,000 ESTATE GOES TO VARIOUS PRESBYTERIAN BOARDS.

Ashland, Wis., Jan. 31.—When the will of Mrs. Vaughn Marquis was opened today it was found that out of an estate valued at half a million she leaves the bulk to the Presbyterian board of foreign missions of Illinois, the board of home missions of Wisconsin, the Presbyterian board of aid of freedmen and the Presbyterian board of aid to colleges.

MAYOR DECINES TO SIGN.
ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR BOND ISSUE STRIKES A SNAG.

St. Louis, Jan. 31.—Mayor Ziegenhein today refused to sign the bill passed yesterday by the municipal assembly authorizing the issuance of \$5,000,000 of bonds for the world's fair in 1903, saying it was the loosest measure of its kind he had ever seen.

NO MORE COLORED OLEO.
STATE LEGISLATURE PASSES A BILL THAT PROHIBITS IT.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 31.—A bill prohibiting the color of oleomargarine was passed this afternoon by the senate and agreed to by the house in committee of the whole.

STEVE BRIDGES LAST JULY.
NOTED BROOKLYN MAN A VICTIM OF CONSUMPTION.

San Antonio, Tex., Jan. 31.—Steve Brodie, the bridge jumper of New York, died here tonight from consumption.

OTHER OBITUARY.
Milwaukee, Jan. 31.—Ferdinand Muhne, ex-state treasurer, died here today, aged eighty.
Muscatine, Ia., Jan. 31.—Peter Jackson, a retired banker and prominent banker, died today, aged ninety-four.

CANCER

Sufferers from this horrible malady nearly always inherit it—not necessarily from the parents, but may be from some remote ancestor...



Cancer begins often in a small way, as the following letter from Mrs. Shirer shows...

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

First: National: Bank

Capital \$150,000 Surplus Fund 50,000 PETER WHITE, President...

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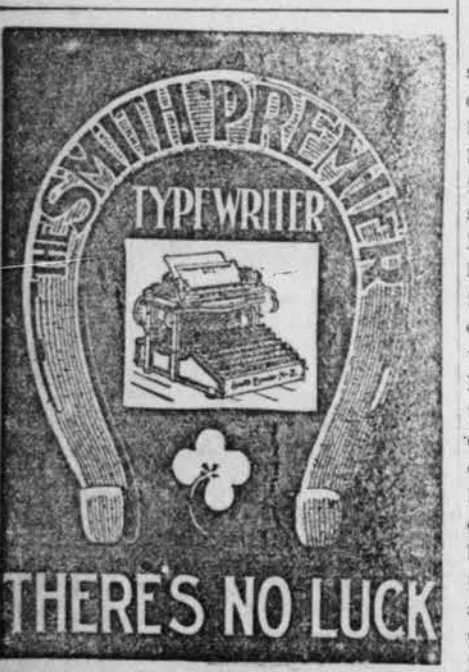
Capital Paid In \$100,000 Reserves 10,000 Receives Deposits in sums from \$1 upward...

Pearls Found in Vermont.

Everyone is talking about the "Green Mountain Pearls." Did you know that they cure liver troubles...

There's No Luck

About the POPULARITY of the SMITH PREMIER TYPEWRITER. It is all MERITED.



THE STATE FOR MILLIONAIRES.

It is reported that Andrew Carnegie is going to become a citizen of New Jersey on account of the liberality of its laws relating to corporations.

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MARQUETTE, MICH., FEB. 1.

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Our government will not be represented at the funeral of Queen Victoria by a special mission...

We are in for a crusade against the saloons on the Mrs. Nation plan...

Neely, the postoffice embezzler who is charged with playing ducks and drakes with funds under his control...

It is estimated that the appropriations made by congress will aggregate a billion and a half of big American dollars...

When the war ships now authorized are built the United States will have \$310,000,000 invested in its navy...

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Upper Peninsula News.

John Jacob, of Menominee, died Wednesday morning at Menominee from the effects of injuries sustained while working in the camps of Sol Fraser north of that city.

Moses Hannon was killed in Edward Brock's camp near Ingalls late Monday afternoon. He was struck by a falling tree. His neck was broken, his leg was fractured and he was otherwise injured. The young man was assisting fellow workmen in felling a tree when the danger signal was given. Hannon was slow in getting away, and he was struck squarely. He was completely paralyzed and lived only two hours, never fully regaining consciousness.

Representatives of McIntosh Brothers of Milwaukee, who have the contract for the Quinnessee extension of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul are at Iron Mountain engaged in the work of establishing a camp on the route of the extension and providing it with necessary supplies preparatory to commencing operations on the construction of the road. There will be followed by the graders, tie and rail men and others necessary to complete the work. The bridge men are now doing their preliminary work, and by the first of March the entire line from Iron Mountain to Quinnessee terminus will be opened.

The emergency hospital at Iron Mountain is coming in for a good deal of attention just now by reason of the Mother Superior's action in charging a novitiate with insanity. The novitiate was taken to the jail, where examination disclosed the fact that she was mentally sound. Bishop Ellis has telegraphed for Father Noshik to return and pour oil on the troubled waters and effect a settlement of the disagreement. The novitiate's name is Miss Hogan. She refuses to talk relative to the trouble until she has seen the clergyman. There is much interest at Iron Mountain over the developments in the strange case.

The marriage at Menominee Wednesday evening of William H. Caley, a prominent young lawyer of Denver, and Miss Emaline Henes, daughter of John Henes, of the Leisen & Henes Brewing company, was an occasion of unusual interest, in that the parents of the bride assisted and at the same time celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Faust of the Church of the Epiphany, in the presence of the immediate relatives. The bride was attended by Miss Lillian Wagner of Sheboygan, Wis., and the groom by Alfred Henes, brother of the bride. Following the ceremony a reception was held.

The development of Menominee county in agricultural pursuits has been remarkable, and today it boasts 756 farms, comprising 55,989 acres, of which 22,954 is land improved and under cultivation, and 37,995 is unimproved land. The average number of acres in each farm is 76. In Stephenson township there are 301 farms, comprising 18,225 acres. The county is being rapidly settled, and the farmers are as a class prosperous and thrifty. Menominee real estate men have advised from Prof. C. D. Smith of the State Agricultural College that southern Michigan farmers contemplate moving to Menominee county in the spring. Within two years, an authority says, there will be over 1,000 farms in the county. The annual report of the secretary of state gives figures regarding the crops for the past year which are surprising. There were 1,199 acres of land sowed to wheat, from which nearly 22,000 bushels were harvested; 1,123 acres in potatoes, crop 22,660 bushels; in rye, 631 acres, crop 11,909 bushels; hay, 19,919 acres, yield 11,000 tons. Menominee county farmers own good stock. In May, 1900, there were 1,814 horses kept on the farms, 3,151 cows; 1,401 hogs and 764 sheep. The county has the best road system in the upper peninsula and leads in agricultural pursuits.

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LOG SHIPMENT COMES. FIRST OF A SERIES TO LAST ALL WINTER REACHES HOUGHTON OVER THE COPPER RANGE.

The first shipment of logs by Angus Campbell over the Copper Range railroad to Houghton was made Wednesday night. The shipments will from now on continue regularly.

Mr. Campbell is conducting his logging operations along the line of the Copper Range road between Houghton, Lakewood and Elm River. He is also filling several contracts for board timber which is also being taken to the Houghton yards for shipment to the Soo as soon as navigation opens in the spring.

ACCIDENT AT THE QUINCY.

FOUR MINERS INJURED BY FALLING SOME EIGHTY FEET. Louis Antonia, Frank Cordonia, Octavia Gullic and one other Italian miner were the victims of an accident in No. 4 shaft of the Quincy mine about 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

The four miners had finished their work at the bottom of the shaft and were riding to the surface in the skip. The skip struck a gate which some of the trimmers had carelessly left open and the men were violently hurled out and rolled and tumbled down the shaft.

Two of the men were quite badly cut on the head; a third was injured internally and the other bruised up considerably. The mine physicians, who were quickly summoned, dressed the wounds and pronounced them nothing dangerous.

ANNUAL BALL TONIGHT.

WOODMEN AND THEIR FRIENDS WILL DANCE AT HANCOCK.

The Portage Lake camp of the Modern Woodmen of America gives its annual ball at St. Patrick's Hall, Hancock, tonight. The party promises to be one of the most successful in a social way, at least, of any yet held at either Hancock or Houghton.

Arrangements—W. A. Washburn, William Reitenbach, Jacob Weismiller, John D. Crawford, E. H. Johnson, Otto Borsen, Edward T. Gibbon, C. A. Finner, Martin Conway, Joseph Schulte and William Bryant.

NOT TO RUN ON LAKE SUPERIOR.

BIG STEAMERS NORTH WEST AND NORTH LAND TO PLY ON THE CHICAGO-BUFFALO ROUTE THE COMING SEASON.

The project that bobs up occasionally in the copper country that has as its end efforts to induce the Northern Steamship company to include the Portage Lake ports among those made by the big passenger steamers North West and North Land must sleep for another spell.

ELEVEN TO N'ING.

LAURIUM EASY FOR THE PORTAGE LAKE HOCKEY TEAM.

Portage Lake, 11; Laurium, 0, tells the story of the fifth hockey game of the season, played at the Palace ice rink, Hancock, last night.

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GOOD RACE PROMISED.

Indications are promising for a good crowd at the Twin City ice rink tomorrow night, when Asmond Bryce of Houghton will race Charles Fredstrom, a speedy skater of Calumet, for a distance of one mile.

TO PLAY AT CALUMET.

The Junior basketball team of the Y. M. C. A. will go to Calumet tomorrow to play with a similar organization at that place. The match will be the first of a series of basketball and hand ball games that has been arranged by the Hancock Y. M. C. A.

SKIING CLUB ORGANIZED.

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The Houghton Skiing club, composed of several young men of the village, and which was recently organized, is rapidly increasing in membership.

HEAVY SALES OF COPPER.

New York, Jan. 31.—[By Associated Press.]—Copper in London today declined 7 shillings, 6 pence. This factor increased the weakness in the local market materially.

VITRIFIED BRICK VS. ASPHALT.

PAVING QUESTION HANCOCK'S TOPIC OF DISCUSSION.

Paving seems to be the all absorbing subject at Hancock at present. Thomas Coughlin's communication, giving his views on the question, published yesterday, has created much comment.

COPPER MISCELLANY.

Another furnace is to be installed at the Tamarack-Oscoda smelter.

The Winona is said to have cash enough to last for ten months.

The Rio Hondo Copper company, organized to develop mines in Taos county, New Mexico, is the latest.

It is stated at Boston that Rhode Island has nearly \$10,000 in its treasury and that it will probably not levy an assessment this year.

Tuesday's market at Boston was about the quietest and most uninteresting in six months.

Competition in brass has made havoc of profits recently, and the net price lately dropped to about one-third of the base price, which is 22 cents for sheet brass.

England last year imported 15,491 long tons of copper and exported 56,997. Of the stock kept in the country—97,944 tons—32,194 were used by consumers, leaving but 5,840 tons on hand Jan 1 as shown by the British Board of Trade returns.

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The Mining Journal, M. W. Youngs, representative, has established an office in one of H. J. Stevens' suite of rooms on the second floor of the Dece (postoffice) block, Houghton.

The hearing of Samuel Abraham, the South Lake Linden merchant arrested for complicity in the now famous Miller case, is on call for 9 o'clock tomorrow morning in Justice Finn's court, Hancock.

William Allen, who purchased the Copper Range Hotel on Sheldon street, Houghton, a short time ago and remodelled the building for business purposes, will open the place for business today.

Christian Nittberg and Miss Gjlrtene Anderson, both of Laurium, and John Messner and Mrs. Emma Furnace, of the Atlantic mine, received marriage licenses at the office of the county clerk yesterday.

Mrs. George Schneider of West Hancock, who was stricken with apoplexy Wednesday morning, was reported by Dr. Gasser yesterday as on the way to recovery. This is the second stroke suffered by Mrs. Schneider within a short time.

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A special train for the accommodation of those from Houghton and Hancock who wish to attend the annual ball to be given at Calumet tonight by the Calumet & Hecla band will be run over the Mineral Range railroad this evening. The train will leave Houghton at 8:30 o'clock, returning "after the ball is over." A large number of Portage Lake people will attend the function.

The annual skating party of the Hancock High school will be given at the Twin City ice rink, Hancock, tonight. The students have been arranging for the event and selling tickets for a week or more and promise an enjoyable time for all who attend.

Charles Emhart and John Heckman, two of the assailants of Andrew Kuyanusu at Hancock on the morning of Jan. 21, will be arraigned for a preliminary hearing in Justice Finn's court, Hancock, Saturday. It is expected that the prosecuting attorney will then be present and that the complainant, Andrew Kuyanusu, will be in shape to attend the trial. Kuyanusu is slowly recovering from the effects of the murderous assault upon him by his three assailants.

The favorite cathartic is Hood's Pills, 25c.

A WHOLE FAMILY. Rev. L. A. Dunlap, of Mount Vernon, Mo., says: "My children were afflicted with a cough resulting from colds, my wife with a cough that had prevented her from sleeping, more or less, for five years, and your White Wine of Star Syrup has cured them all."

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His Arrival at London Will Complete List of Visiting Royalties.

NEWSPAPERS TO SUSPEND

Is Almost Unprecedented and Well Illustrates the Mourning for Victor to Be Observed Saturday.

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MORE ROYALTIES ON HAND.

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GOES TO THE PRESIDENT.

Senate Takes Last Step in Passage of Army Reorganization Bill.

FILIBUSTER IS PLANNED.

Subsidi Opponents to Talk Until Absolutely Necessary to Take up the Appropriation Measures.

MANY MORE TROOPS NOW.

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host of other amendments were ruled out. After completing fourteen of the twenty-four pages of the bill the house, at 8:30, adjourned.

WALL STREET STOCKS.

New York, Jan. 31.—The stock market today continued largely given over to manipulation by speculative cliques and operations by professionals. There was a constant shifting of activity from one group of stocks to another, and successive advances developed here and there all day.

The central figure in the day's market was Southern Pacific. The pool which has been absorbing this stock for some time past apparently has succeeded in clearing the field of a large part of the orders to sell which hung over the stock and has accomplished a tardy advance in price. The dealings in this stock were on an enormous scale, and the extreme advance was 2 1/2 points. The fact that this advance carried the stock across Atchison house trading was the cause of the friends of that stock, and they pushed it vigorously upward an extreme of 2 1/2 through very heavy offerings.

The announcement of the plan for the absorption of Mobile & Ohio by the Southern Railway company caused a jump in the former stock of 8 1/2 points on comparatively light transactions, as the company's capital issue is a small one. The Mobile & Ohio development set the speculators upon a search for the securities of minor railroad companies which would be any way available as feeders or connections for the great railroad systems of the country in the operation of a policy for the extension of interests. The roads having Morgan affiliations were prominent in this connection. Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville rose 1/4 and the Iowa Central, Des Moines & Fort Dodge, St. Joe & Grand Island first preferred and the Wisconsin Centrals. None of these gains were fully maintained, and the market continued irregular all day.

Closing prices were as follows, Paine, Webber & Co., Marquette, reporting the figures:

Table with columns: Opening, Highest, Lowest, Closing. Rows for Wheat, Corn, Oats, Flour, etc.

The movement of flour and grain was: Flour, barrels, 28,000 21,000; Wheat, bushels, 40,000 58,000; Corn, bushels, 200,000 158,000; Oats, bushels, 262,000 164,000.

TOMMY RYAN DEFEATS JUDGE.

Minneapolis, Jan. 31.—Tommy Ryan knocked out Jim Judge tonight in the fourth round at the Minneapolis Athletic club. This was the first contest held here for six years.

MICHIGAN MINERS BARRED.

Columbus, Jan. 31.—The joint conference of coal operators of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and western Pennsylvania called to fix the price of mining for the scale year beginning April 1, 1901, convened here this afternoon and adjourned until tomorrow.

The operators and miners of Iowa and Michigan will not be admitted to the joint conference. That was settled to-night by the committee on credentials after a protracted discussion. The committee being unable to agree, the request was referred to the chairman, who decided that Iowa and Michigan should be barred.

VENEZUELAN PEBBLS LICE.

Willemsstad, Island of Curacao, Jan. 31.—Advices received here from Venezuela confirm the reports of severe fighting probably on Tuesday last, at Agua Fria, in which the revolutionists were completely defeated and abandoned their arms and ammunition. Two sons of General Acosta were captured and it is asserted that the principal leaders of the revolution were subsequently made prisoners. In Venezuelan government circles it is considered that the revolution is ended.

Later—Guerrilla warfare continues in the northern district of Venezuela, but the reports of the victory of the government troops near Carupano, in the state of Bermudez, are amply confirmed. The victory seems to have been decisive and the fighting heavy.

The papers also report that 250 government troops and a large number of insurgents were killed in a battle near Les Cuevas. It is rumored the government troops committed great atrocities.

Lower Michigan News.

William Hall escaped from the custody of the police at Saginaw Tuesday morning immediately after being sentenced to the Detroit House of Correction for three months. While waiting for the patrol wagon in front of the city hall he made a break for liberty and got away.

Albert Nadley, who is awaiting trial in two Muskegon courts on three charges of being drunk and disorderly, has received a draft for approximately \$5,000 his share of an eastern estate. Nadley served a long term in state's prison for shooting an arm of Patrolman Hobby Brown.

The new pardon board met at the governor's office at Lansing Tuesday afternoon and organized for work by electing F. W. Shumway, of Williamsburg, president; C. G. Turner, of Muskegon, vice president, and H. M. Zim-

mer, executive clerk, secretary. The next meeting of the board will be at Jackson February 12.

A red hot revival movement is in progress among the prisoners in the Berrien county jail at St. Joseph. There are in all twenty-four prisoners and nearly all have repented and given testimony of a changed heart. Many outsiders have been drawn to the services being held in the jail, and it is believed the spirit of enthusiasm will spread to the lower districts among the dives, where much trouble has arisen during the past few weeks.

Wm. Foster of Girard, Branch county, dropped dead in the road two and one-half miles north of Coldwater. The case is a singular one. Ed. Bates, a tenant on Foster's farm, hauled a load of hogs to the city, owned jointly by Bates and Foster. Foster learned of the removal of the hogs, started for Coldwater and met Bates, who was returning home. The men had some words, when Foster remarked, "I am going to die," and fell back dead. Foster was about 45 years of age, and subject to heart trouble.

Joshua Hill, of Pontiac, owner of a big herd of elk at Forest Lake farm, recently had an interesting experience. He bargained to sell one of the finest bucks to a man in the east. The animal was crated and shipped, but was barely started for its destination when the railway authorities returned the crate with the explanation that it was against the law to sell, ship or kill any elk in Michigan. Later Mr. Hill proposed to banquet on one of the elk, but was also deterred from this because it is unlawful to kill the animals.

Hon. Charles H. Hackley, Muskegon's multi-millionaire philanthropist, whose apparently inexhaustible purse for public good has been opened so many times, has seen fit to make still another benefaction. This time it is for a \$15,000 gymnasium, to be erected in connection with the Hackley manual training school, which he presented to the city and to which an addition will be added as the result of another donation made by him some time ago. Mr. Hackley has commissioned Architects Patton & Fisher, of Chicago, to prepare plans for the gymnasium, and the official announcement of the gift will be made at the next meeting of the board of school trustees.

An elaborate scheme of thievery has just been unearthed at Battle Creek. Some weeks ago a well-dressed and bright-looking young man, who gave his name as Edward Morris, arrived there and got a place as salesman with R. L. Newman, who sells goods on the installment plan. He proved a success as a salesman, apparently, as he disposed of goods at a great rate. His commissions on the goods he placed amounted to quite a sum and as he brought in the first payments his employer had no suspicion of anything being wrong. A few days ago, before the second payment became due, the young man settled with his employer and left the city. When Newman went after the second payment he couldn't locate the persons to whom the goods had been sold. He put the officers at work on the case and they located Morris, who was taken back to Battle Creek and received a sentence of ninety days in the Detroit House of correction. On being sentenced the young man confessed that the goods he pretended to have sold had been turned over to W. B. Coates and James M. Green, proprietors of a small suburban hotel in that city, and by them shipped out of town. Tuesday morning Coates and Green were arrested on a charge of larceny by bailie and receiving stolen property. Their arrest caused much surprise, as the men bear a good name, and their friends say that the charge is quite work on part of Morris. The young man settled his case, but will have to stand trial on the charge against them.

TODAY'S WEATHER. Washington, Jan. 31.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Fair, Fri., except occasional snow flurries along the Superior; northwesterly winds shifting to brisk on the lakes. Saturday, fair, except snow flurries along Lake Superior.

Into each life some ruins must fall, Wise people don't sit down and bawl, Only fools succumb or take to flight, Smart people take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. The Stafford Drug Co.

Lake had dollars, all counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve are worthless. The original quick cures for piles, sores and all skin diseases. Stafford Drug Co., Marquette; H. N. MeLoche, Ishpeming.

Help Wanted! Quick. No matter what has bitten you, get a bottle of Hinkley's Bone Liniment quick, and rub it in. It is serious, take a strong dose internally. It acts as a powerful antidote to snake bites. No other remedy in the world gives such quick relief for all kinds of stings and pains.

D., S. S. & A. R'y Time - Table. In Effect Dec. 23, 1900. For Montreal and the east and Lower Michigan daily ex. Sunday..... 5:00 a.m. For Houghton and the copper country daily and for Muskegon, Hancock and Ontonagon daily except Sunday..... 7:00 a.m. For Negaunee and Ishpeming daily, and for Escanaba, Marquette, Menominee, Green Bay, Milwaukee and Chicago via C. & N. W. R'y daily except Sunday..... 8:10 a.m. For Iron Mountain, Marquette, Menominee, Green Bay and Milwaukee via Republic and C. & N. W. R'y, through train service and for Houghton, Hancock, Calumet, Lake Linden, Sironaw, Hurley, Ironwood, Ashland, Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis and all points west ex. Sunday. Baggages for the copper country will not be carried on this train..... 8:20 a.m. For Detroit and the east, daily ex. Sunday..... 1:30 p.m. For Houghton and the Copper Country, daily ex. Sunday..... 3:05 p.m. For Chicago via Negaunee and the C. & N. W. R'y and Republic and Chicago via C. & N. W. R'y daily..... 6:00 p.m. For Houghton, Hancock, Calumet, Hurley, Ironwood, Ashland, Duluth and the west, daily ex. Saturday..... 10:50 p.m. TRAINS ARRIVING MARQUETTE WHICH DO NOT RUN EAST. From Chicago and Milwaukee via C. & N. W. R'y and Negaunee daily..... 8:05 a.m. From Chicago and Milwaukee via C. & N. W. R'y and Republic daily..... 10:40 a.m. From Duluth, Superior, Ashland, Ironwood, Milwaukee, Green Bay and intermediate points via C. & N. W. R'y and Republic through train service and from Chicago, Milwaukee, etc., via C. & N. W. R'y via Negaunee ex. Sunday..... 5:30 p.m. From Houghton, the Copper Country and intermediate points..... 7:35 p.m.

Hancock & Calumet R. R. Change of Time in Effect Dec. 23, 1900. Leave Hancock, Arrive Hancock. No. 21..... 7:25 a.m. 7:51 a.m. 8:10 a.m. No. 22..... 11:00 a.m. 11:22 a.m. 11:40 a.m. No. 23..... 1:25 p.m. 2:47 p.m. 3:10 p.m. No. 24..... 5:35 p.m. 6:01 p.m. 6:20 p.m. Daily. Leave Hancock, Arrive Hancock. No. 25..... 8:35 a.m. 8:53 a.m. 9:15 a.m. No. 26..... 12:10 p.m. 12:28 p.m. 12:50 p.m. No. 27..... 2:35 p.m. 2:53 p.m. 3:15 p.m. No. 28..... 7:25 p.m. 7:43 p.m. 8:05 p.m. Daily.

Copper Range Railroad Co. In Effect Jan. 6, 1901. GOING NORTH. No. 1 No. 2 No. 3 No. 4 No. 5 No. 6 No. 7 No. 8 No. 9 No. 10 No. 11 No. 12 No. 13 No. 14 No. 15 No. 16 No. 17 No. 18 No. 19 No. 20 No. 21 No. 22 No. 23 No. 24 No. 25 No. 26 No. 27 No. 28 No. 29 No. 30 No. 31 No. 32 No. 33 No. 34 No. 35 No. 36 No. 37 No. 38 No. 39 No. 40 No. 41 No. 42 No. 43 No. 44 No. 45 No. 46 No. 47 No. 48 No. 49 No. 50 No. 51 No. 52 No. 53 No. 54 No. 55 No. 56 No. 57 No. 58 No. 59 No. 60 No. 61 No. 62 No. 63 No. 64 No. 65 No. 66 No. 67 No. 68 No. 69 No. 70 No. 71 No. 72 No. 73 No. 74 No. 75 No. 76 No. 77 No. 78 No. 79 No. 80 No. 81 No. 82 No. 83 No. 84 No. 85 No. 86 No. 87 No. 88 No. 89 No. 90 No. 91 No. 92 No. 93 No. 94 No. 95 No. 96 No. 97 No. 98 No. 99 No. 100. GOING SOUTH. No. 101 No. 102 No. 103 No. 104 No. 105 No. 106 No. 107 No. 108 No. 109 No. 110 No. 111 No. 112 No. 113 No. 114 No. 115 No. 116 No. 117 No. 118 No. 119 No. 120 No. 121 No. 122 No. 123 No. 124 No. 125 No. 126 No. 127 No. 128 No. 129 No. 130 No. 131 No. 132 No. 133 No. 134 No. 135 No. 136 No. 137 No. 138 No. 139 No. 140 No. 141 No. 142 No. 143 No. 144 No. 145 No. 146 No. 147 No. 148 No. 149 No. 150 No. 151 No. 152 No. 153 No. 154 No. 155 No. 156 No. 157 No. 158 No. 159 No. 160 No. 161 No. 162 No. 163 No. 164 No. 165 No. 166 No. 167 No. 168 No. 169 No. 170 No. 171 No. 172 No. 173 No. 174 No. 175 No. 176 No. 177 No. 178 No. 179 No. 180 No. 181 No. 182 No. 183 No. 184 No. 185 No. 186 No. 187 No. 188 No. 189 No. 190 No. 191 No. 192 No. 193 No. 194 No. 195 No. 196 No. 197 No. 198 No. 199 No. 200.

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"Floor brokers say that it becomes more evident every day that the so-called Standard Oil brokers have orders not to allow the copper to advance and that repressive measures are constantly in evidence.

"It is the same old story in Boston. The market is dull but strong and when the excitement in New York stocks is over we look for a big market here."

"Last night's tip to get on the long side of wheat found many followers, but this morning nothing new had developed.

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The train leaving Marquette at 7:00 a. m. Negaunee 7:45 a. m. and Ishpeming 7:55 a. m. will make close connection at Keweenaw Bay (daily except Sunday) with the day express from Calumet arriving Mass City 11:57 a. m., Rockland 12:15 p. m. and Ontonagon 12:45 p. m. Returning, the train will leave Ontonagon 1:35 p. m., Rockland 2:05 p. m. and Mass City 2:25 p. m., arriving Keweenaw Bay 4:00 p. m., there connecting with the train from Calumet due at Ishpeming 6:50 p. m., Negaunee 7:00 p. m. and Marquette 7:35 p. m. (12-30-1f)

CITY BREVITIES. Weather forecast: Partly cloudy, with snow; continued cold; brisk northwesterly winds. Yesterday's temperature: 7 a. m., 2 degrees; noon, 16 degrees; 7 p. m., 12 degrees; maximum, 17 degrees; minimum, 2 degrees.

Ernest J. Dube of Houghton was down yesterday. W. H. Oakley of Trout Creek was in Marquette yesterday. Lou Pendill and L. M. Spencer went to Onota on a hunting trip Wednesday.

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Miss Laura Fellow of Ishpeming, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christian, returned home last evening. The Young Woman's Guild of St. Paul's cathedral will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Richard Blake, Ridge street.

One of the series of Masonic dances will be held this evening. The Marquette Ideal orchestra will furnish the music. Mike Foard has located his insurance office in the Nester block where he may now be found by those having business with him.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Robarge of Chocoyau was held from the French Catholic church yesterday. Mrs. Robarge died Monday. The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Asire, 1020 North Front street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will meet this afternoon with Mrs. A. J. Lobdell, East Arch street, at 3 o'clock. Attention is called to George W. Shaw's ad in another column. He requests all his creditors to make arrangements for settlements of their accounts in some way at once.

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GROVER CLEVELAND'S FOURTH. How He and Two Boy Companions Celebrated Long Years Ago. One bright July day early in the forties residents of Marquette who chanced to be on the street at the time were surprised and not a little amused at the sight of three small and very tired-looking boys pushing and pulling a wagon filled with old iron along the dusty road, says the Syracuse Herald.

The founderman weighed up the iron and found that there was not a sufficient quantity to pay for the wagon they wanted. This staggered the boys for a moment, but their spokesman, who seemed to be a lad of resource, soon found a way out of the difficulty. His proposition was that the founderman should go ahead and make the cannon, and after the arduous work of the Fourth was disposed of he and his fellow-patriots would drag up another load of iron to square up accounts.

The proprietor of the foundry looked the boys over keenly, and decided he could trust them. So the cannon was made and sent, and, true to their word, the boys delivered the founderman a second load of old iron as payment for the balance they owed him.

On Friday morning, Jan. 4, one of those three boys—Eli T. Bangs—died. Two days before, the proprietor of the foundry—Alvah Woodworth—celebrated his 82d birthday. Myron Bangs, a brother of Eli, was one of the other boys, and has been dead for several years. The third boy, the fat, short-legged urchin, who acted as spokesman, was Grover Cleveland, afterward president of the United States.

The boys' homes were then in Fayetteville, and the old iron which they gave to Mr. Woodworth was carted by them all the way from that village to Marquette, a distance of about three miles.

BE SURE that your blood is rich and pure. The best blood purifier, enricher and vitalizer is Hood's Sarsaparilla. Be sure to GET HOOD'S. Fresh oysters received every other day at Cameron's Creamery.

Gutchess College. New Classes will be formed the first, second and third weeks in January. We have 99 seats left for new students. Gutchess College is the business school of practical success-bringing results—we have held 125 good positions with distinction in the past year. Graduates of our own institution are guaranteed a position within a reasonable time after graduation, or one-half tuition refunded. Can you afford to go without the practical advantages of this school?

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NOTICE. I have dry and green 16-in. hard and soft block and split wood, selling at market price; also round cedar fence and clothes real posts. I am also agent for the H. K. Potosky fire insurance. I also carry in stock hand made and plaster, plastering hair, fire clay, Portland and natural cement, brick, lake shore sand, sewer pipe and gipsine in all colors; and also general contracting and contract work. GEO. E. FRENCH, Marquette, Mich.

NOTICE. Having obtained completed work on my numerous contract jobs, I am again prepared to give prompt service to those wishing plumbing work done or anything in the Plumbing, Gas or Steam Fitting line.

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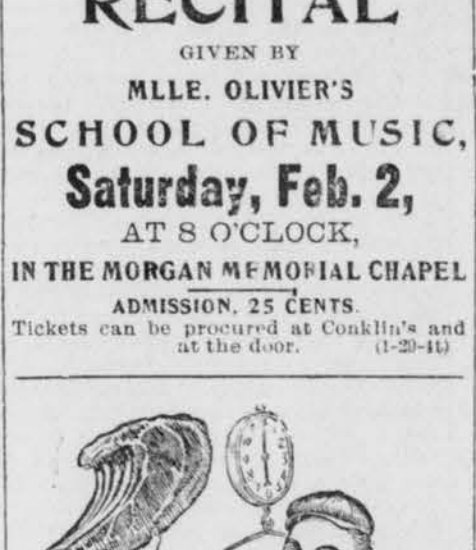


A GIRL'S BEST FRIEND IS HER MOTHER. Kenosha, Wis., Nov. 15, 1900. WARNER'S SAFE CURE CO., Rochester, N. Y. Gentlemen—I know Warner's Safe Cure saved my life. Last spring I had a severe attack of jaundice with other complications, which laid me up for several weeks.

BACKACHE AND HEADACHE CURED. Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 9, 1900. WARNER'S SAFE CURE CO., Rochester, N. Y. Gentlemen—Last spring I contracted a severe cold which I neglected, so my sorrow, it set in my kidneys, producing inflammation, with severe backache and continuing headache.

RESTORED TO COMPLETE HEALTH. Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 25, 1900. WARNER'S SAFE CURE CO., Rochester, N. Y. Gentlemen—Warner's safe Cure is the only medicine that could ever cure me. I was afflicted with female trouble brought on by being thrown from a carriage in a runaway in the fall of '98.

JUST RECEIVED from Fond du Lac, Wis., 3 FIRST CUTTERS CLASS CUTTERS ONE WITH TOP. For Sale Cheap. LAKE SUPERIOR Carriage Works. RECITAL GIVEN BY Mlle. OLIVIER'S SCHOOL OF MUSIC, Saturday, Feb. 2, AT 8 O'CLOCK, IN THE MORGAN MEMORIAL CHAPEL. ADMISSION, 25 CENTS. Tickets can be procured at Conklin's and at the door.



is that a good roast of beef is, especially when it is prime and fat. Our roasts are cut from the primest cattle raised and the meat is juicy, sweet and delicious. We have everything in prime roasts, steaks, chops and cutlets for the fastidious palate.

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Why I Am Well

Mrs. Jacob Weaver, of Bushnell Ill., wife of ex-city marshal Weaver, has entirely recovered from the illness which kept her bedfast much of the time for five or six years past.

Mrs. Weaver is fifty-six years old, and has lived in Bushnell nearly thirty years. The story of her recovery is interesting. She says:

"I suffered for five or six years with the trouble that comes to women at the change of life. I was much weakened, was unable much of the time to do my own work and suffered beyond my power to describe. I was disappointed and melancholy. I took many different medicines, but nothing seemed to do me any good.

"I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and some of my friends recommended them to me. I made up my mind to try them. I bought the first box in March, 1897, and was benefited from the start.

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"I have recommended them to many women who are suffering as I suffered. They are the only thing that helped me to the trial that comes to so many women at my age." Mrs. J. C. Weaver.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of October, A. D. 1897.

O. C. Hicks, Notary Public.

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DR. MELOCHE'S PLATFORM.

DOCUMENT FOR WHICH ISHPERING HAS BEEN WAITING SO LONG AT LAST MADE PUBLIC.

The Mining Journal is today enabled to place before its readers the platform upon which H. N. Meloche stands as a candidate for the mayoralty. He will defend the principles herein stated as long as he is a resident of the city and stands ready to put his best thought and effort into the endeavor to secure their application in the conduct of the municipal government. Mr. Meloche has several things of interest to say in the following communication foreign to the platform itself, and those who are making charges against him will do well to look to their defenses and see if they have a leg left to stand on. From the tenor of the letter it would seem that the doctor is as much in earnest as ever in this matter and if his enemies expect an easy victory they may be disappointed. Meloche made the statement yesterday that if he failed of the nomination on the Labor ticket he would enter the race as an independent fact of candidates. Should things so shape, his candidacy might make serious inroads on the vote polled for the Labor candidate. Mr. Meloche's message to the public is in unique form, and is here given:

To the Public.—The article and accompanying comment published in Wednesday's issue of The Mining Journal endeavors to impress on the people that I am a "little off"; that my candidacy for the mayoralty is not serious, and that I am an instrument of the mining companies to destroy the Labor party. Now I wish to inform the voter that none of the above assertions are correct and that I am as serious in my candidacy as they—the Big Four—are in their efforts to make a false impression on the public. In regard to my being a "little off" I really do not care so far off as not to be able to get "on" again and perhaps crowd off our permanent candidate for the mayoralty and a few of his most ardent supporters. I will accuse Mr. Andrews and three others of rash precipitancy when they endeavor to involve the mining companies in politics so early in the game, but on second thought I remember that such narrow-mindedness and antagonistic principles seem to be their paramount issue and they base their efforts on that one thing to be reinstated.

If they will read the last Saturday issue of Iron Ore they will learn that every American citizen has a right to aspire for the mayoralty. Billy cannot see it in that light; he is blind to everything save that the "Big Four" are always in the field for an office and that no one else should seek the nomination on the Labor ticket. I am all right with the "Big Four." During the last two campaigns, when I was an exponent of "Billy," I was a good, sound business man; now that I seek an office I am a fanatic. A short time ago a masked communication was published in the columns of The Mining Journal inferring that I was in "need of a rest." Replying in a public letter to the latter I referred to the "Big Five," but since its publication I have learned that one of its members is not aspiring for any office and is positively out of politics. Henceforth as written above, the accusation will be mentioned as the "Big Four."

For the past few years there have been more or less difficulties experienced between the two political factions of our city. In the council room unnecessary opposition has been very prominent to the detriment of the city. I am in favor of bettering our city as much as possible. Perhaps "Billy" reprobates against improvement, as I hear that he is very reluctant to put a few needed patches on some of his ruckeries. Of course, it is necessary to expend a little to improve our city, but if the proper methods are adopted, the expense should be reduced to such an extent that the taxpayer would feel no drain on his pocket-book. I understand that the fifty feet square lot at the southwest corner of the Nelson House belongs to the city. We have men in town who could transform that vacant space into a beautiful floral display, which could be looked after by the city with very little additional expense.

A municipal opera house, to be erected and maintained by the city, under an enterprising management, should be a necessity to the people of Ishpeming. It is so much needed in a new play house and our neighboring city has enjoyed a large patronage from us. First-class attractions pass Ishpeming

by, simply because we have not sufficient room to stage their plays, and many a dollar leaves our city that should be kept at home. In connection with the opera house, I am in favor of the city providing a "Firemen's Hall." This would tend to serve the city in three capacities: First, as a place of amusement; second, as an ornament to the city; third, as a monument for the boys who hazard their lives to save property. This was demonstrated a short time ago when a fire threatened to terminate in a serious conflagration, was confined to the building where it originated. The work done that night by the firemen, under their capable chief, caused no little comment and many of the spectators wended very profuse in their praise of the boys. Surely the department like Ishpeming possesses is worthy of some recognition for their deeds of valor and bravery.

In order to have the city meet the expense incurred by the building of such a hall, I would suggest enforcing the poll tax law and to license the canine population of our city. This, with the income obtained from the theatre, should offset any additional tax and free it from all debt in a few years. The amount acquired from its opening night would defray a large portion of the expense. I would approve of a committee being appointed to draw plans and specifications and to submit the same to the railway companies, for the erection of a Union depot that will not interfere with city traffic, as there is ample room for the same without blocking any public thoroughfare.

I am in favor of reviving the "scale system" and do away with the many complaints of short measure. Before concluding, I will reply to the editorial so generously contributed by the Ontonagon Herald. It recalls to mind the editor of the same. I wonder if he still remembers the days when the court house was burnt and the books destroyed to do away with evidence, that would lead to the conviction of the party. In regard to the county funds, the burning of the rival editor's home and stable; the erection of a twenty-foot fence to darken the windows of his press room and the attempt to destroy his property by an equal amount of powder, punk, matches and Ontonagon dynamite, I do not remember. Perhaps he needs another guide to locate his home, instead for him. It is a good thing his voice is not as strong as his imagination, for if he yelled he would kill every one of his race in the Porcupine regions. It is better to be a "fifty-cent pharmacist in Ishpeming than a ten-cent druggist in Ontonagon."

In regard to the prominent physician who questions my title, I will state that there are at least three other M. Ds. in our city who violate the state medical law; also that several members of the board of medical examiners cannot meet the requirements of the state law and are not eligible for their present position.

The above statement in regards to the opera house, firemen's hall, poll tax, dog license, city weigh scales, depot and the improvements of the city in general make my platform; also I will inform the public that I have the 1902 tournament in mind and if it comes to our city I will do everything in my power to make it the greatest demonstration ever held in the history of our peninsula. Later on I will readily discuss through the medium of the press or in a personal interview. All that I ask is that the people consider my platform from an unprejudiced standpoint. I repudiate the statement that I promised Mr. Andrews the mayoralty and can produce two affidavits to that effect.

It is for the voters of Ishpeming, not the "Big Four," to decide who is to be the next city executive. Trusting that if there is any objectionable plank in my platform the Voter will inform me of it. I am,

Yours, for less agitation and more improvements,
H. N. MELOCHE.

AS IT SHOULD BE

ISHPERING'S RECORD NOT TO BE BEATEN—DEATH RATE VERY LOW.

The birth rate for the past year in Ishpeming has been the highest shown by any place of equal size in the country. This is a large statement to make but it can be substantiated. One of the hospital staff of physicians who was in correspondence a short time ago with the health officer of Milwaukee thought that the rate in this city was the highest, being thirty-eight. Ishpeming is over thirty-nine. Ishpeming may be out of the race for supremacy in iron mining since Negaunee took such a leap the other day but she can still beat that town by quite a little on the proportion of births.

In 1897 Dr. Barrett succeeded in having an ordinance passed by the council compelling a record of births to be made and since then this requirement has been lived up to quite faithfully. There were 484 births registered during the past year, and it is safe to say that there were an even 500 children born, which, taking the old population, would give the rate mentioned. Ishpeming can also boast of the smallest death rate of any city of over 5,000 inhabitants, the rate being 7.1. It would seem from these two facts that we are living in a very healthy city and it is no wonder that the population is increasing.

OPENS TODAY.

The library will be opened to the public this afternoon at 1 o'clock. Though there are still a number of cases of contagious disease the health officer does not think that it is necessary to keep it closed any longer. Borrowers of books must not take them into houses where such diseases are known

to exist, and if it comes to the notice of the librarian that this rule is broken the borrower will be compelled to destroy the book and replace it with a new copy.

TO REPAIR ALARM SERVICE.

Some days ago Chief Lacy of the fire department called a meeting of the fire committee of the council to discuss the signal service. For some time past this service has been of little or no use because of poor connections and other causes. The wires were originally strung over those of the telephone companies but since the Bell company put up its big poles the signal service has been much impaired. The erection of new poles and wires necessarily disarranged the city's wires and now they do not give good service.

Chief Lacy intends to bring the matter before the council at the next meeting and to pave the way he had a long talk with the committee first. He does not want this business side tracked in the meeting as it is too important to be delayed. It is thought that arrangements could easily be reached between the city and the Bell company whereby the signal wires might be strung on the telephone poles above all the other wires and so out of the way for all time. The committee was impressed with the necessity of this work and no trouble is expected from the full council.

The ladies of the county can now get their fall-made garments at J. H. Mortley's. An expert is in charge of the new department. (1-4-1f)

ISHPERING IN BRIEF.

R. J. Goodman was up from Sands yesterday.

E. P. Deigler, the barber, is laid up with the grip.

J. McJ. Johnson of Marquette was a visitor in the city yesterday.

M. C. Scully is confined to his home by a severe attack of the grip.

Joe Mitchell of Champion was in the city yesterday on a business mission.

Mrs. J. M. Hayden entertained a few of the ladies at her home yesterday afternoon.

J. A. Blackney, the plumber, has the contract to install the new boiler in the Ridge street school.

Paul F. Presentine, who has been at his home in Milwaukee for the past few days, returned yesterday.

Richard Hardy, who has been in town for the past few days, the guest of Mrs. W. F. Swift, left for Chicago Wednesday evening.

The Lake Superior Guards are already hard at work preparing for their Easter Monday ball which will be given in Anderson's hall.

Dr. Hulst and T. F. Cole arrived in the city yesterday morning in the special car "Frontenac." They left last evening for Marquette.

The Gaynors will give their regular lesson and hop in Anderson's hall this evening. Members of the City Band orchestra will furnish the music.

The funeral of P. J. Ameen, who was killed in Braastad's wood yard Tuesday evening, was held from the Swedish Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

Captain Collick of the Cleveland Lake mine lost his horse Wednesday. He was driving from the mine out to "Pine street" when the animal suddenly dropped dead.

Michael Lusslyong left the hospital for his home Wednesday morning. He is very much improved and if all turns out as expected he will entirely recover from his serious accident.

The inquest on the death of Ameen who was killed in Braastad's wood yard Tuesday evening was held yesterday afternoon. The jury brought in a verdict of accidental death.

The Woman's Relief corps will hold a ball and entertainment next Monday evening in Anderson's hall. The proceeds will go towards giving the J. A. R. a camp fire in the near future.

Ed Clark, at the corner of Cleveland avenue and First street, is closing out his winter goods at reduced prices to make room for his spring stock. Mr. Clark's stock consists of dry goods, furnishings, etc.

The house on Second street which is quarantined on account of the case of small pox which it contains has inmates seven men who would like very much to get out. These men are miners and they find the confinement very irksome.

Do not forget that Garvin Spence and Flora MacDonald will be at the opera house next Tuesday night. They are without doubt the best Scottish comedy and vocal team on the stage today. Seats will be on sale at Tillson's tomorrow morning at 25, 35 and 50 cents.

News reached here yesterday of the death of A. M. Stromwall in Chicago. Mr. Stromwall used to carry on an extensive bakery business in this city and he is well remembered by the older residents. His bakery was situated near the old cemetery and his store was on Main street.

Ishpeming has a "Midway" which is situated on the north side of West Division street and covers the block from Pine street east to the alley. On the corner a Frenchman runs a saloon, next door there is a genuine Irish saloon. Two saloons in the block are evidently sufficient, but for an Italian confectioner to carry on a candy store here and this week an Arabian considered that the business warranted another. Competition is very fierce, but no one has been hurt yet.

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DOWNED HIM AT LAST.

KID' KENNEDY DEFEATS TOM PRENDERGAST IN AN EIGHT-ROUND BATTLE AT SAGINAW.

The following, which appeared in the Detroit Evening News of the 24th ult., explains itself: "Saginaw, Mich., Jan. 23.—Kid Kennedy, of Detroit, and Tom Prendergast, of this city, fought an eight-round battle here last night at 133 pounds. The result was a complete surprise for the Saginaw boy, who expected an easy victory. Prendergast did most of the leading, but Kennedy repeatedly used his left jab, which proved a trump card in the contest for points."

Negaunee sports will remember the contest between these two lightweights which was booked for the Adelphi rink last August, but did not come off. It was on the evening of August 23 that "Parson" Pope of Ishpeming scheduled a fight between these two, and all went well until it was discovered that the "Kid" was ailing. The rink was crowded with every sport of which this city and Ishpeming can boast and all were anxious to see the fight. But the sports had turned out to be a "fake," but Pope had Kennedy driven over from Ishpeming with a doctor in attendance and so quitted the suspicion of crooked dealing.

Meanwhile Prendergast was doing considerable talking. After much wrangling a tramp who offered to fight for him, but "Parson" was skeptical and hated to risk his good money on such a slim proposition. The original purse was \$150 and this Pope flatly refused to put up, he offering to return the gate money to all who wished it. But the sports had turned out to be one. So, after many vexatious delays, Pope agreed to risk \$100 on the tramp, who said his name was Lyons. Then a fresh dispute arose as to who should be referee. Prendergast had his own everything his own way, thus far and Pope was determined that as it was his money that was going to the bad he ought to have a little something to say in the matter and the crowd agreed with him. Finally it was decided to draw lots. Pope's man turned up a winner. But not until the game had been played many unkind things about him would Prendergast consent to fight and then it was half-past eleven o'clock of course Lyons was knocked out but it was not until the third round and the sports were satisfied.

The "Parson" has always been a little sore about the affair. It didn't work out right and he has been anxious to have Kennedy show his prowess before a gathering of Negaunee sports when he is in good form, and the "Kid" is just as anxious. A short time ago Pope received a letter from him giving a list of the battlers which he has fought since August, and urging Pope to arrange another match for him with Moore or Con O'Leary. This match Kennedy wants pulled off either here or at some point in the near vicinity, so that he can again meet his upper peninsula friends. He writes from the pink of condition and is confident of besting either of these men. It is possible that the "Parson" will act favorably on this suggestion and if so a good battle will likely be the result. Kennedy fought the man who gave him the name of "Parson" in Ishpeming last summer and knocked him out. The sports in that town were very much pleased with his style at that time and will doubtless welcome his return should Pope arrange a meeting.

The Adelphi roller rink will be open every week day evening from 7 to 10 o'clock until further notice. Good skates always on hand. Ladies free, skates included, every evening. (1-29-3v)

MASQUERADE THIS EVENING.

The long talked of masquerade which is to be held under the auspices of the private dancing club will take place this evening. Those who will attend in costume have been busy preparing for the function for some time past, and it is expected that the result will be an unusually brilliant turnout of maskers. The grand march will start a little before nine and the unmasking begins at ten. Trombley's orchestra has been engaged to furnish the musical part of the program. A light lunch will be served during the evening. A number are planning to come down from Ishpeming and it is certain to be the pleasantest party of the winter.

PREVENTED A TRAGEDY.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but finally gave up until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at The Stafford Drug Co.

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LOCAL L. CONICS.

T. D. Wells is busy with his inventory. Frank Sharon spent Wednesday in Marquette.

F. D. Davis is confined to his home by the grip.

Hon. N. M. Kaufman was up from Marquette Wednesday.

Michael Shea is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Ward, at Powers.

C. B. Burt went up to Ironwood yesterday morning on business.

Charles Druke is in town in the interest of F. Madener of Chicago.

S. H. Vaughan and J. P. Phillips of Houghton were in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. John Perkins of Norway is visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Wm. Walters has bought a residence property on Barn street from Capt. Samuel Mitchell.

Miss Mary Mullaughney and Miss Allison are confined to their rooms at the Brecht with the grip.

The carpenters have completed their part of the work on the house being built for Mr. and Mrs. Al. Maitland.

Miss Nettie Warner of Marquette spent Wednesday night in town, leaving yesterday morning for Escanaba.

The two-year-old child of Henry Reif died yesterday morning. There is still no change in Mrs. Reif's condition.

William Williams, a machinist at the Queen, has resigned his position and will leave for Roseland, B. C., shortly.

Charles Johnson has bought from Wm. Walters a house at the corner of Bluff and Center streets into which he will move shortly.

A busy tailor shop is the best indication that first-class work is being turned out. H. J. Petersen has one of the busiest shops in the upper peninsula.

Manager Duchane of the Star ice rink announces that ladies will be admitted free this evening. The rink is enjoying a fine patronage and is coming to be a favorite place of diversion with the young people of the city.

Mr. Williams, agent for the Bryan-Marsh Electric company of New York, conducted tests on the city lamps and wires this week. It was found that the sixteen standard lamps in use are considerably short of that power, some of them being of only ten. A number of lamps were ordered from Mr. Williams which will arrive the middle of the month.

A letter from J. D. Clark, who is now at Minneapolis, states that he is already hard at work and likes his new position. Mr. Clark also writes that the stock of the three sub-mining companies in which he is interested will be withdrawn from the market on April first. All stock which is not sold before that date will be distributed among the shareholders. A dividend payable May first of this year is guaranteed. This will be good news to many Negaunee residents, as considerable of the stock is held in this city.

Mike Tasson, poundmaster of Ishpeming, had an experience the other day which has caused him much loss of sleep since. He and two friends were coming up from Marquette on the afternoon train, and just before getting into Eagle Mills the brakeman called "out at station Negaunee." The train slowed up at the mills and Mike and his friends jumped off, thinking that they had arrived in Negaunee. They said that the walk from the Mills is a very long one when taken against one's will and they also say that something will happen to that brakeman if they ever see him again.

LA GRIPPE QUICKLY CURED.

"In the winter of 1898 and 1899 I was taken down with a severe attack of what is called La Grippe," says F. L. Howard, a prominent druggist in Winfield, Ill. "The only medicine I used was two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It broke up the cold and stopped the coughing like magic, and I have never since been troubled with Grippe." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy can be depended upon to break up a severe cold and ward off any threatened attack of pneumonia. It is pleasant to take, too, which makes it the most desirable and one of the most popular preparations in use for these ailments. For sale by the Stafford Drug Co.

NO WORK ON THE CHURCH.

All work on the Swedish Baptist church has been at a standstill the past few weeks. The members of the congregation have concluded to not contract a debt in building their church, so work is done only when there is money to pay for it. Members are at present raising additional funds and everything will soon be in readiness for a resumption of work.

THE MODERN WAY.

Comments itself to the well-informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches, and fevers without unpleasant after effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Made by California Fig Syrup Co.

REPUBLIC JOTTINGS.

John Kingstrand spent Sunday with his people at Michigan.

Mrs. Thomas Pascoe has been quite ill during the past few days.

Pat White has been ill and confined to his home during the week.

Most of the business people of the town are just now finishing up their inventories.

Joseph Harris and Dave Alexander of Chicago spent Sunday with the Levine family here.

Mrs. D. T. Morgan accompanied the local teachers to the institute at Escanaba last week.

Miss Cordelia Laurex entertained a number of her young friends with a

REPUBLIC.

COMES AS A DISAPPOINTMENT.

SUSPENSION OF OPERATIONS AT THE RIVERSIDE MINE CAUSED MUCH SURPRISE AND DISSATISFACTION HERE.

After working something over a year at the Riverside mine, four miles from Republic, the Oliver Iron company has concluded to surrender the lease and abandon the property. The order to cease work came as a great surprise to Republic people, as it was supposed by nearly all here that the property was looking well and that the company was satisfied with it. It appears, however, that the ore in the mine is not of as high grade as the company expected to find, nor is there as much of it there as had been anticipated. The vein is much narrower than the company had been led to expect, and the decision was finally reached that it would not pay to prosecute the work any longer. The shafts were sunk some distance, though the work had not been extensive. Enough has been done, the company's officials claim, to satisfy them that the mine was a disappointment in both the quantity and quality of its ore.

The Oliver people expended quite a large sum of money equipping the mine with machinery, sinking the shafts and drifting, erecting new buildings, pumping, etc. A large boarding house was put up and now that the work has been abandoned the buildings will be of little use to the company. The engine house was practically rebuilt and extensively improved. There were also several other buildings of less importance erected.

The pumps have already been withdrawn and the workings are now filling with water. The removal of the machinery is under way and it will all be taken out without delay. It was at first supposed by many here that there was some dispute about the lease and that the suspension was ordered as a means of bringing the fee owners to terms, but it would seem from the fact that a force of men has been already set at work tearing out the machinery that there was no foundation for that assumption. Master Mechanic James Clancy has been up a couple of times this week directing the removal of the plant. No time will be lost in pulling out the engines and boilers as the management is desirous of getting through with the work as soon as possible.

It is the general impression here that the Oliver people did not give the property a fair trial; that there is plenty of ore of good quality there and that it could be located with proper effort. Some say that the work has not been pushed in the proper direction, but it would seem that the men on the ground exploring the property would be in a better position to determine that question than outsiders.

There is a small stockpile of ore at the mine, but it is not likely that it will be taken away. It will not pay to put a track in to get it, and it is a question if it will pay the company to haul it about four miles to the railroad by team for shipment.

IN OPERATION NOW.

REPUBLIC IRON COMPANY'S FINE NEW AIR COMPRESSOR WENT INTO COMMISSION TUESDAY.

After giving the new air compressor at the Republic mine a trial run, which resulted satisfactorily, it was set at work regularly Tuesday, taking the place of the old one which has been in steady operation for many years past. The old plant will remain where it stands for use, in case of emergency.

The running of the compressor fell to Ben Mitchell, the oldest engineer in the employ of the company, and William J. Hocking. The former has been with the company here for the past twenty-seven years, and has run every engine about the mine from the best to the worst. He was the first man to run the waterworks engine some twenty years ago. He remembers the mine and its plants of machinery when the property was in its infancy. The first hoisting plant at the mine was a night crane, all the equipment with those in use there now. A few men could have shouldered the engine and carried it up town.

John Kneebone is the second oldest engineer with the company. He has been a regular employee for the past twenty years, all the while working about the machinery. For eighteen years past he has been at the water works station.

STORY OF A SLAVE.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a god-send to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by The Stafford Drug Co.

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At New Orleans, La., February 14th-19th, 1901.

For the above occasion, the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railway will sell excursion tickets to New Orleans, La., and return, via Chicago, at greatly reduced rates. Tickets will be on sale Feb. 11th to 17th, inclusive, and will be good for return passage until March 7th, 1901, inclusive. For full particulars, apply to station and ticket agents or to Geo. W. Hibbard, G. P. A., Marquette, Mich. (1-18-2-17)

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The Bachelor Girls' club entertained with a sleigh ride party, followed by a dainty lunch, Wednesday evening. J. H. Brown, the tea man from Ishpeming, spent the early part of the week in town making his regular monthly delivery. Harry Davidson has been in Negaunee during the week assisting in his brother's store during the latter's absence in Chicago.

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They Come in and Skim the Cream of the Business and Do Not Spend a Cent Except With the Hotel Men; and It's an Old Abuse.

THROUGH LEGISLATURE OR COUNCIL

The Marquette Merchants' association is going to get after the peddler. Not the humble pack peddler who hawks his trinkets and gimcracks from door to door but the well dressed, well shod and well fed peddler who comes to town, fired with an ambition to see all the citizens likewise well dressed and shod in the latest fashion, and puts up at the best hotels, incidentally neglecting to pay any license or taxes—the Gimbel Bros. or Chapman type of peddler.

Then the association will endeavor to demonstrate its existence to peddlers on a large scale who bring in carloads of horses, carloads of fruit or carloads of anything else which is destined to be sold in retail quantities directly to the consumer.

It proposes to see if there is not some way in which the people who do business in the manner outlined above cannot be made to bear some portion of the state or municipal taxes. Today, while they do thousands of dollars of business yearly in Marquette alone, they pay nothing into the state or city treasury while the only people who benefit by their visits, from a business standpoint, are the hotelmen with whom they leave a few dollars and many of the merchants positively suffer.

The merchants have no particular objection to these peddlers, or agents if you wish, coming to the city if they pay a reasonable tax or license for the privilege but they do object strenuously to their visitations under the present arrangement by which they skim the cream of the business and leave the local merchant to pay all the taxes required to run the city and stand the proper proportion of the expense of conducting the state and county governments.

The business men want a change and they have decided to see what they can do to get it. The complaint, which seems to have come to a head here, has been general from time to time throughout the upper peninsula but no effective action has ever been taken. If everyone with the same grievance would pull together much might be accomplished. The Marquette merchants may be valuably assisted in their efforts to obtain a remedy for the very evident abuses.

LEGISLATURE OR THE COUNCIL.

The association is now formulating its plans. A meeting was held Wednesday night at which the matter was discussed. The merchants are not

thoroughly informed as to just where they stand or what are their powers of self protection. They have yet to ascertain what kind of a grip they can get on the representatives of the houses of which they chiefly complain.

They are going into the matter thoroughly, however, and they have retained F. O. Clark, as counsel, to look into the matter with a view of ascertaining what remedies would be legal, if there is any relief to be obtained they propose to get it.

It is the present plan to apply to the state legislature as a first resort to see if there is any general legislation which may be passed that will protect all cities of Marquette's class by compelling the outside houses who send agents to retail their goods within their corporate limits to pay some portion of the state taxes. If the legislature can't, or won't, do anything there will still be the municipal council to which to apply and it would undoubtedly be found ready and willing to help the business men.

It would likely be practicable to reach the offenders by means of changes in the city charter. Certain kinds of peddling are now under restrictions. Licenses are required from people who make house to house canvasses for any classes of merchandise. The humblest pack peddler, who manages to scrape up a few dollars a day by the hardest kind of hard work, is liberally assessed and the proceeds from his license is applied toward paying the expenses of the municipal government. Only the representatives of the big houses who live at the afore-said good hotels and smoke good cigars are immune and they sell more goods in twenty-four hours than would a legion of pack peddlers in a month. What is the distinction that accounts for this difference? This is what the association seeks to discover.

A REASONABLE POSITION.

There is nothing unreasonable in the position assumed by the merchants. They would be well pleased if the representatives of the outside houses never visited Marquette. They would then be enabled to do a larger business and keep more extensive stocks. However, they realize that the agents and peddlers must be accepted as a fixture and all they propose is that the outsiders shall make some adequate return for the privilege of entering the city and doing a large business in a very limited time. They only ask that they be put on approximately the same footing with themselves by being compelled to pay some adequate license fees to the state or city. This is a very simple business proposition and its sense and justice can be questioned by no fair minded person. Of course the outsiders will squirm and protest if they are brought to time, but then they look at the thing from a prejudiced point of view.

There is usually a wide spread disposition to abuse the local merchant. He is too often regarded as some one to be worked and used even by people who are doing business with him. For instance the fruit man, who brings in full carloads of stuff and whom it is proposed to assess along with the others, arrives in the city and sells bills of goods to the retailers. When he has finished the rounds he will oftentimes proceed to load down the same retailers'

with supplies of fruits from other prisons of the state. Mr. Turner took exception to this statement, expressing the belief that the prisoners at Marquette were very much like those in the other prisons, but if they were not, they are made what they are by the harsh treatment they receive. Mr. Turner displayed considerable warmth in his remarks.

OSBORN WILL LECTURE.

Will Describe His Mexican Trip at the Presbyterian Church Feb. 8.

Hon. Chase S. Osborn, state commissioner of railroads, who is well known in Marquette as a most pleasing speaker, will lecture on his travels in Mexico and other lands at the Presbyterian church the evening of Friday, Feb. 8. The lecture will be finely illustrated by many choice stereoscopic views, photographed during Mr. Osborn's trip. This will be the first of a series of entertainments which has been planned for the church, but which cannot be fully announced at this time. The proceeds are to be devoted to the church repair fund, as still further improvement in the church interior is contemplated.

"TWA HOURS AT HOME."

Famous Scottish Entertainers to Be Here Wednesday Evening.

Galvin Spence and Flora MacDonald, acknowledged by all critics to be the greatest Scottish entertainers who have ever visited this country, will appear at the opera house next Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Woman's Guild of St. Paul's cathedral. The Scottish character has a reputation for dry wit and humor which is admirably carried out by Galvin Spence in his songs and anecdotes and for genuine pathos nothing can excel his rendition of the "Death of Dr. McClure" from the "Bonnie Briar Bush." Miss MacDonald's dramatic ability has been a matter of general recognition. It is coupled with a remarkably sweet and clear voice and much skill as a pianist. Her voice blends harmoniously with that of Mr. Spence in all the duets. The pair make up a notable team of artists, one of the best that has ever visited Marquette.

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