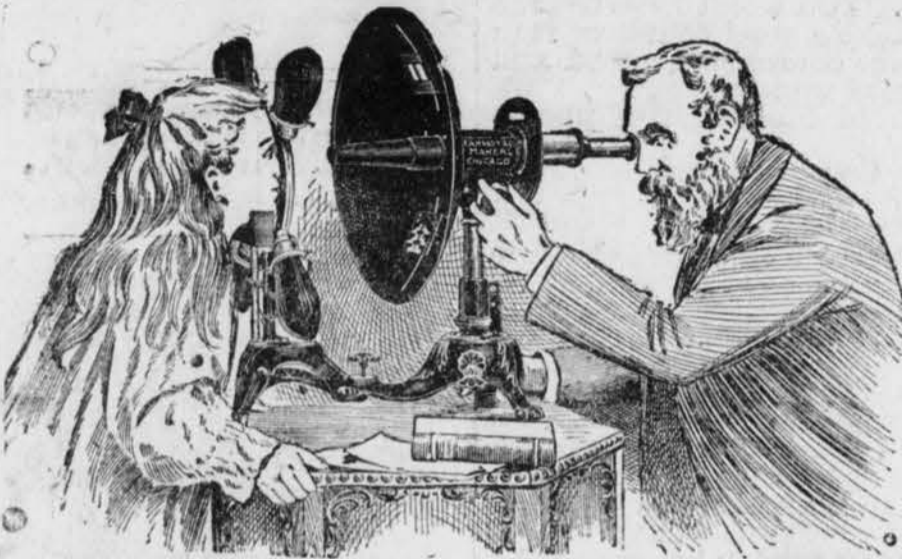


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Most Noteworthy Gathering of Profession Ever Assembled in United States—Handsome Gowned Women Fill Boxes.

New York, Feb. 26.—The American editors who dined with Prince Henry tonight sent a cable of greeting to Kaiser Wilhelm. It was submitted by Melville E. Stone, and after a cordial endorsement by the guests, was forwarded. It read as follows: "Editors of daily newspapers of the United States, 1,000 in number, in honor of your illustrious brother, send you cordial greetings and all good wishes for a long and prosperous reign. We hail the presence of Prince Henry in this country as an omen of even closer ties of amity, and heartily reciprocate all of the splendid and repeated overtures of friendship you have been graciously pleased to extend."

New York, Feb. 26.—Prince Henry dined tonight with 1,000 men who make American newspapers. He was the special guest of Herman Ridder, proprietor of the New York Staats-Zeitung, who gathered at his table the majority of the leading figures in American journalism. The dinner was given in the handsome ball room of the Waldorf-Astoria, but the immense apartment was not large enough and the dining gallery was also used.

Route to Hotel Dined With People. The prince and suite drove to the hotel escorted by cavalry and mounted police. The route was crowded with people who continually cheered the nation's guest.

The prince was received by Mr. Ridder, who escorted him to the banquet hall. There was a great cheer as the prince appeared and another when he took his place at the side of Mr. Ridder at a special table.

As the prince took his seat an electric light flashed into a Prussian eagle above him on the southern wall, and the power was also increased in everyone of the 2,500 incandescent lights that burned in the room. It gave a special brilliancy to the already attractive scene.

Mr. Ridder called upon Bishop Potter, who offered a brief prayer. As the evening proceeded hundreds of handsomely gowned women filled the boxes above the dining hall. The orchestra played popular national music, and when a tune caught the fancy of the crowd they sang it. At "Die Wacht Am Rhein" the crowd arose, and after singing it lustily, there were loud cheers. "America" got the same enthusiastic treatment. At 10:25 Mr. Ridder, rapping for attention, proposed the health of the president of the United States and Kaiser Wilhelm, and called upon Whitelaw Reid to respond.

Response of Mr. Reid. Mr. Reid said in part: "In the republic as in the monarchy, no one takes precedence of his chief executive. Here tonight then as at any time in anywhere, your first honor is to the president of the United States. You pay the tribute of every good citizen to the great officer, and you express the regard of every patriot to the soldier and statesman who worthily fills it.

"The post you thus honor is, for Americans, the highest in the world, others for others; but he is ours—the one chief ruler under the sun.

"And now, to the mighty chief of another land, whose friendly and gracious act has prompted this festival. King and emperor, and powerful as those high titles imply, he is honored among us, like the president.

Nations Marked for Peace. "If God and nature ever marked three nations for perpetual peace and friendship with each other, those three are Germany, Great Britain and the United States. Between the two nations is the peace of the world, and throughout history. As to the third—since we are learning that there are no longer secrets in diplomacy—I take the liberty to mention that, at a critical period, his imperial majesty, the German emperor, sent a message to one of our country's representatives abroad on an important matter of current business, beginning with the remarkable words, 'There has been unbroken friendship between the United States and Germany, since the days of Frederick the Great, and a sincerely trust it may endure forever.' In drawing his hand I pledge the cordial concurrence of this city, of my colleagues of the American press here represented, and I think I may venture to

add, of this whole country in this noble aspiration."

Speech of Mr. Ridder. Mr. Ridder followed Mr. Reid and said: "When a few weeks ago we received the news that your royal highness was coming to visit this country, we conceived the idea that you, sir, and the representatives of the daily press of the United States, should be brought together on an occasion like this. It seemed to us particularly fitting that we, makers of newspapers, should assume to do honor to a German prince, for he was one of your countrymen—the immortal Gutenberg—who discovered the art of printing."

"I want to draw attention at this time to the friendship that has existed between your land and our republic, even from the time of our birth as a nation. It will be recalled that Frederick the Great was a friend of Washington and that from his staff there came to us in the hour of distress one whose name will ever be held in grateful remembrance by the people of this country. He it was, Baron von Steuben, who filled the raw recruits and farmer lads of the American army, made soldiers of them, and made possible Washington's great victory. He was beside Washington in the closing days of that great struggle, at Yorktown, and shared with the great commander the glory of that hour. Retiring from the army he came to America, and here he lived and enjoyed the plaudits of those who owed him so much. Thus early he was the first president of a German-American society in New York.

"And from that day, sir, to the present time, Germany has ever been the steadfast friend of the United States. The blood bond still surer, Washington is but natural, therefore, that we should welcome your royal highness tonight with special affection. We greet you not alone as a German prince, but also as one bound to us by the ties of kinship. The Saxon spirit has played its part in American national life as it has done with you in giving renewed vigor to the great empire from which you come. And that strain in the American people let us hope, will bring our two great nations closer together in the bonds of friendship in the future. In this spirit, then, I ask you gentlemen to rise, and all standing, to drink to the health and long life of his royal highness, Prince Henry of Prussia."

Prince Henry Introduced. Prince Henry was then introduced. As he stood up the crowd burst into the song, "Hoch Soll Er Leben Malheur." After that they sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Before beginning his set speech the prince said: "This is the largest interview I ever had. I am fully aware of the fact that I am the center of the presence of representatives of the press of the United States, and in particular the guest of the New York Staats-Zeitung, both of which I wish to thank for the kind invitation and reception I have met with tonight.

"Before entering into details I should like all of you to understand that I consider this meeting, though it may be looked upon as official, as a private one, and that it is my wish that none of you will take advantage of what is said or spoken after leaving this table.

Press May Not Be Neglected. "Undoubtedly the press of our day is a factor, if not a power, which may not be neglected and which I should like to compare with ever so many submarine mines which blow up in many cases in most unexpected manners, but your own naval history teaches us not to mind mines should they ever be in our way. The language used on this memorable occasion was stronger than I would venture to reproduce here tonight. I need only mention the name of Farragut. Another comparison might be more to your taste, gentlemen, and is in fact more complimentary; it is one which his majesty, the emperor, used before I left. He said: "You will meet many members of the press and I wish you, therefore, to keep in mind that press men in the United States rank almost with my generals in command."

Prince Explains Mission. "It will interest you, I know, to learn something about the nature of my mission to this country. The facts are: "His majesty, the emperor, has minutely studied the recent and rapid development of the United States and his majesty is well aware of the fact that yours is a fast moving nation. His sending me to this country may therefore be looked upon as an act of friendship and courtesy, with the one desire of promoting friendlier relations between Germany and the United States. Should you be willing to grasp the proffered hand you will find such a one on the other side of the Atlantic ocean."

At the end of his speech the prince was heartily applauded.

Charles Emery Smith Introduced. Mr. Ridder introduced Charles Emery Smith, saying Mr. Smith had been a minister of state, a great orator, and is known as the silver-tongued orator of the press of America.

Mr. Smith spoke of what Germany is doing for humanity, and of what the world owes to Germany in all the realms of intellectual efforts.

The German literary revolution was contemporaneous with the American political revolution. The dawn of high German aspirations, for freedom from the dominion of foreign thought and influence came with the dawn of true American aspirations for freedom from the dominion of foreign sovereignty and repression, and the two peoples who had within themselves so much of the promise and the potency of progress marched side by side toward greater individuality and impress in the world.

Our debt is not alone or chiefly to individual achievements. It is to the character and conscience of the German people. We are indebted to them for the honesty of their work, whether in literature, in science, in art or in music.

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IVEY'S IRE IS UP

SITKA COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS REFUSES TO RESCIND ORDER.

REGARDING ILLEGAL SEAL FISHING

SENDS HOT TELEGRAM TO DEPARTMENT AT WASHINGTON.

Canadian Officers Are Sent Back to Own Territory—British Subjects Granted Privileges Denied People of United States.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Some time ago the secretary of the treasury received confidential information to the effect that J. W. Ivey, collector of customs at Sitka, had instructed his deputy at Unalaska not to permit Canadian vessels, presumably about to engage in pelagic sealing, to obtain supplies at that port. The collector was directed to send a statement of the facts to the department, and was informed that if such orders had been given they must be rescinded.

Understands His Instructions. Today the department received a telegram from Ivey, saying: "My instructions were not against vessels engaged in alleged legal seal fishing, but against Canadian vessels actually engaged in pelagic sealing, which is illegal and criminal when committed within the marine jurisdiction of the United States. If there is an ancient treaty between the United States and Great Britain by which British subjects can commit depredations destroying American property and depleting our revenue of ten or twenty millions of dollars annually while our own citizens are denied these privileges, the sooner such a treaty is abrogated the better."

Your solicitude regarding international complications with Great Britain need cause you no uneasiness as the poaching season has not yet opened. Your new collector will arrive in time to enforce your orders. My Americanism will not allow me to rescind an order which gives British subjects privileges within our marine jurisdiction denied our own people.

Interfered With Americans. "There is another matter that may attract your attention. I have recently issued orders to the deputy at Skagway, a copy of which has been sent you, which has put the Canadian officers located there out of business and sent them to their own territory.

You are aware of the fact that this officer became so offensive he interfered with American officers in the discharge of their official duties, opened the United States customs mail, dominated over the railway officials, discriminated in the order of shipment in favor of Canadian merchandise against that shipped from Seattle, established a Canadian guarantee at Skagway, collected moneys and performed other acts of British sovereignty in a port of the United States, such as hoisting with bravado a cross of St. George from the flagstaff of his custom house.

"I have sent the concern, bag and baggage, flag and other paraphernalia, flying out of this country. You may fear the shadow of international complications and rescind this order but a Reed, an Olney or a Blaine would not."

TO REDUCE FORCES.

Soldiers in Philippines Will Gradually Be Sent Home.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Secretary Root, in conformity with assurances recently made to various committees of congress, has arranged for the gradual reduction of the military force in the Philippines to about 32,000 men. Orders have been sent to General Chaffee in discharge of all regiments that were sent to the Philippines in 1899. About 13,000 troops are affected by these orders. The movement will be made very slowly, a regiment at a time, in the order in which they arrived in the Philippines, and in each case only when the regiment can be spared without embarrassment and without impairing the military control of the situation.

WILL NOT GIVE OUT REBATES.

Traffic Managers Refuse Request of Interstate Commerce Commission.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The interstate commerce commission and the management of western roads have locked horns and it is expected a legal contest will follow. The difficulty arises from the refusal by traffic managers of western roads to furnish the commission with data relative to rebates paid during 1901. It is generally believed the commission will try to enforce the request.

TAYLOR FOUND GUILTY.

Second Conviction in Grand Rapids Water Scandal Case.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 26.—Henry A. Taylor of New York was tonight found guilty of conspiracy to bribe. This is the second conviction as the result of the recent investigation of the city water scandal.

KING ON RACE COURSE.

London, Feb. 26.—For the first time since his accession King Edward today appeared on a race course, when he saw his horse, Ambush II, win the steeplechase at Kempton. Ambush's victory was followed by a scene of wild enthusiasm.

BATTLED WITH STORM.

Steamship Neckar Is Brought Into Port in Disabled Condition.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 26.—The steamship Neckar was towed into port this evening by the Karlsruhe and Matinhead. The Neckar and Karlsruhe had a combined passenger list of 2,500 people. The Matinhead and Karlsruhe fell in with the disabled vessel the day the accident happened and stood by her. The propellers of the Neckar were disabled and the rudder shaft broken during a gale, and assistance came in the nick of time. They had a thrilling experience and battled with the elements for nine days, the storm blowing furiously day after day. Fifteen dead and six wounded on the field. A convoy of empty wagons was attacked and captured by the Boers southwest of Klerksdorp on the twenty-fourth. The escort consisted of a force of imperial company, three companies of the Northumberland Fusiliers and two guns. The fighting was severe but there are no details.

BOERS RUSH OUTPOST LINE.

Convoy of Empty Wagons Is Attacked and Captured.

London, Feb. 26.—Lord Kitchener reports that 600 Boers rushed an outpost near Botha'sburg during the night of the twenty-third and some of them got through. The Boers lost fifteen dead and six wounded on the field. A convoy of empty wagons was attacked and captured by the Boers southwest of Klerksdorp on the twenty-fourth. The escort consisted of a force of imperial company, three companies of the Northumberland Fusiliers and two guns. The fighting was severe but there are no details.

GENERAL LUCKBAN CAPTURED.

Military Authorities Finally Secure Famous Filipino Leader.

Washington, Feb. 26.—General Chaffee today notified the war department that Lieutenant Stribler captured General Luckban on the twenty-second instant. The prisoner is confined at Laganan. Another capture was recorded in the same dispatch, that of William Durston, said to be a deserter from Company C, Eighth infantry. Officials of the war department regard the capture of Luckban as the most important military event since the capture of Aguinaldo.

CRAZY SNAKE SENTENCED.

Indian Chief and Nine Followers Must Go to the Penitentiary.

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 26.—Crazy Snake and nine of his followers were today sentenced to the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, for two years and each was fined \$5,000, on a charge of conspiring against the government. Crazy Snake over a year ago started an uprising that made it necessary to call out the troops from Sill, and he and his followers were arrested last week for again plotting the Indians to violence.

TWO KILLED IN WRECK.

Fast Freights Come Together on Pittsburgh & Western.

Youngstown, O., Feb. 26.—In a collision between fast freights on the Pittsburgh & Western, near Girard, today, Engineer Raymond A. Anties of Elwood City, Pa., and brakeman Edward Coffey of Akron, O., were killed. Frank Harding of Newcastle Junction, Pa., and Conductor William H. Noss, were fatally hurt.

FLOOD THREATENS DAMAGE.

Residents in Vicinity of Lancaster, Pa., in Terror.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 26.—Residents along the river at Columbia are in terror tonight. The worst flood of recent years is being experienced. Electric light plant fires were put out and the town is in darkness. Railroads are submerged and the water threatens the inundation of factories.

FORGED MOTHER'S NAME.

Former Justice of the Peace in Baraboo, Wis., Is Arrested.

Baraboo, Wis., Feb. 26.—D. W. K. Noyes was arrested today charged with forging his mother's name to a note for \$500 and getting it cashed at the First National bank. He was formerly a justice of the peace and is a brother of Arthur H. Noyes, who today lost his position as judge in Alaska.

FELL INTO ACID VAT.

Foreman of Indiana Chemical Company Has a Horrible Experience.

Hammond, Ind., Feb. 26.—Frank Spencer, a foreman of the Grasselli Chemical company, fell into a vat of nitric acid today. When dragged from the vat his clothes fell from him with pieces of flesh. It is thought there is not a piece where the acid had not eaten into the flesh. He is still alive.

BITTEN BY HUMAN BEING.

Wisconsin Man Committed to Asylum Suffering With Hydrophobia.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 26.—A report from Galesville says that Ernest Gosa, a nightwatchman, has been committed to an asylum suffering with hydrophobia. It is alleged he was bitten in the hand some days ago by a man he was attempting to arrest.

FROZEN TO DEATH.

Anacosta, Mont., Feb. 26.—John T. Baker, formerly a well known attorney of Anacosta, was frozen to death in Nevada. His relatives here have received word of his body being found.

JUDGE NOYES DISMISSED.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The president, acting upon the recommendation of the attorney general, has dismissed Arthur H. Noyes, judge of the Second district of Alaska.

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MARQUETTE, MICH., FEB. 27. Entered as mail matter at the second class in the postoffice at Marquette, Mich.

An exchange aptly remarks that it would seem to be in order for the senate to add the Marquis of Queensbury rules to those now in force for the government of proceedings in that dignified body of legislators.

After all, honors are about even between the two parties in the senate. The Republican senators from Maryland, Wellington and McComas, balance the Democratic pair from South Carolina, Tillman and McLaughlin, very nicely.

Secretary Long will retire soon, and while a shallow and vociferous press has attempted to deprecate him, thinking men will remember that he was at the head of the United States navy when it carried on the most brilliant sea campaign in our history.

The state editor of the Detroit Free Press has this note among his compilations in Tuesday's number of that observant paper:

Bargain days in the police court are the latest thing at the Soo. The usual price for a case of drunk and disorderly there is \$5, and which one man who was hauled before the judge last week pleaded that he was only half drunk the judge knocked \$2.50 off the usual price.

The "half drunk" subject must have been a resident voter or he wouldn't have been dealt with so leniently. Spring election is approaching and police justices who want to hold their jobs are looking forward, and tempering their justice with mercy when the victim happens to be a chap whose name is on the poll list.

At Owosso there is a machinists' union which understands its rights and has the nerve to stand up for them. Among the men employed in the shops of the Ann Arbor railway company there is a young man named Roblin who is a remarkably skillful and industrious workman.

He has not yet served his full three years of apprenticeship, but the master mechanic in charge of the shops has placed him on full pay because of his efficiency. The other union men object to this, it being in violation of their rules to have any workman receive full pay until he has completed his apprenticeship.

They don't claim that Roblin is not as capable of earning full pay as the best of the old hands, but their regulations provide that he must not get full pay until he has worked at his trade at least three years. The case illustrates one of the inherent defects of the union theory, which is that after a man has worked a certain number of years at a trade he becomes entitled to the highest rate of pay, regardless of how he rates as to the qualities of competency and faithfulness, and that no matter how good a man he may be he cannot receive more—nor less, no matter how faint and unambitious.

Editor Smiley of Galesburg, a village in lower Michigan, isn't smiling with his accustomed complacency at present. In the last number of his moulder of public opinion he assumed to tell the school board there what it should do to be saved from popular condemnation, and incidentally attacked the superintendent of the Galesburg schools. This aroused great indignation in certain quarters and notice was given from the pulpit of the Methodist church there Sunday night that a public meeting would be held to take such action as might be deemed advisable in regard to Editor Smiley, his paper, and the school situation. The meeting was held Monday night and resolutions were adopted, with but one dissentient vote, declaring confidence in the school board, and superintendent, and also condemning Smiley's paper and calling for a legal investigation into the sanity of the editor. A committee was appointed to carry out the latter clause of the resolutions. If Editor Smiley wasn't mad before he probably is now so the committee ought to have little difficulty in getting him placed under restraint. His case should serve as a warning to other newspaper men who have an uncontrollable penchant for running things to suit their own notions in their respective communities.

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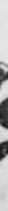
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Assessing officer has the right to take such holdings into account when fixing the value of a bank's stock for the purposes of taxation. The effect of the decision will be to slightly increase the taxation of banks holding government bonds as an asset, though the bonds are themselves non-taxable.

WOULD WORK INJUSTICE. The proposition to tax the iron mines of Minnesota on their tonnage for the benefit of the state treasury does not meet with much favor in St. Louis county, where the mines are located. The Duluth News-Tribune tears it to tatters editorially in this article:

The idea of laying a tonnage tax on iron ore in Minnesota for the benefit of the state treasury has been agitated before. The scheme has a special attraction for some demagogues and political chieftains whose sphere of activity is chiefly among the farmers of Minnesota. They say to the agriculturists: "Make the taxes on your lands lighter by levying them on the iron ore of St. Louis county." When this iniquitous measure was contemplated heretofore, the consideration that checked it was the lack of legislative power. Some sort of tontine tinkering is necessary before the "brightest" purpose can be accomplished, and one Sivertight has introduced a proposition to have an amendment submitted to the people next fall.

What is demanded is that the people of St. Louis county shall support the expense of government in any locality in which these mines are situated, but shall have no revenue from them to assist in bearing that expense, or very little. The injustice of the proposition is so obvious that it is hardly necessary to dilate upon it. It cannot be defended, and those who urge it appear simply to be the voice of the people in error. Of course, our representatives will vigilantly and vigorously oppose this scheme, and there is little doubt that they will be able to defeat it. Our people, however, should let it be known that they are a solid phalanx of opposition to this thing, and are ready to hold up the hands of the St. Louis county delegation in the legislature.

Some of the Minnesota papers which are urging adoption in that state of the system of mine taxation once in vogue in Michigan, but which was abandoned some years ago, labor under the misapprehension that mines are still taxed on their output in this state, and argue that Michigan's example in the matter is a safe one to follow. So it is, but it is against the proposal now under consideration in Minnesota, as we are now taxing mining properties on their assessed valuation, as is done in Minnesota, after having tried and abandoned the clumsy and inequitable system of the granger element in that state now seeks to have adopted there.

PASSING OF THE CABLE CAR. A few years ago the cable system of street car propulsion was considered decidedly the best, but since the invention of the trolley system the cable is being rapidly replaced, and many experts now claim that compressed air will eventually be the street car power of the future. In all lines of industry we see improvements being made, but in medicine there is one remedy that is impossible to improve upon, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It will not fail to cure dyspepsia, indigestion, sour stomach, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, or malaria, fever and ague. Take it at the first symptom of any of these diseases and it will give prompt relief. Be sure to get the genuine.

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COPPER COUNTRY NEWS (Additional)

FUNERAL OF R. P. UNDERWOOD.

The funeral of the late R. P. Underwood of Calumet, who was found dead in his room Monday evening, was held from the home of John Bryden, Calumet avenue, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. David Stalker of the Presbyterian church officiated. The verdict of the coroner's jury was to the effect that Underwood committed suicide.

GERTRUDE RYAN DEAD.

Gertrude Ryan, aged thirteen, youngest daughter of the late Ed Ryan of Hancock, died at Mercy hospital, Chicago, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon of tuberculosis. She started for California with her elder sister a month ago but was taken sick at Chicago. The remains will arrive at Hancock today.

TO CURE GRIP IN TWO DAYS Laxative Bromo-Quinine removes the cause. E. W. Grove's signature on every box.

COPPERDROM BREVIETIES.

The soliciting committee for Houghton's new opera house is now at work. Frank Stack, of South Lake Linden, has installed a combination pool and billiard table in his saloon. John Duncan, assistant superintendent of the Calumet & Hecla mine, has left for southern California for a month's rest.

Another of the new engines, No. 193, for the South Shore road for service in the copper country arrived Tuesday afternoon. Rufus Vials of Houghton died after a long illness of Bright's disease late Tuesday afternoon. He was twenty-two years of age. The Laurium lodge of Knights of Pythias will give a promenade concert at the Laurium town hall on the evening of April 4.

Florist A. M. York, of Hancock, has returned from Indianapolis where he attended the convention of the American Carnation society. A party of Hancock business men drove to the county poor farm Tuesday evening and called on Mr. and Mrs. John Schachak, the keepers.

The metal ornamental work is now being put in place on the exterior of the First National bank at Hancock, which was remodeled not long ago. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baer, of Hancock, have returned from their pleasure trip. Miss Lulu Baer accompanied them on the return home as far as Chicago.

The funeral of the late Miss Mitchell, of Hancock, was held from the Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. A. R. Johns officiating. Architect C. Archibald Pearce, of Hancock, is drawing plans for a ten-room dwelling which will be erected in East Houghton next spring for A. H. Trebetheen.

The interior work on the St. Ignatius church, under construction at Houghton, has recommenced and will be rushed from now on until June when it is proposed to dedicate the edifice. Ralph Bingham, a leading man of the entertainment, gave the closing entertainment of the lecture course at the Lake Linden M. E. church last evening under the auspices of the Epworth league.

Former Superintendent Albert Krause of the Champion mill is now superintendent of the Rock Lake mine in Canada near the Soo, Ontario. The ore from this mine is being shipped to the Dollar Bay smelters for treatment. Forty men and twenty-four teams were employed by Ernest Ballmann, of Calumet, in the Keweenaw county woods firing out logs in the Lake Linden M. E. church last evening under the auspices of the Epworth league.

The Calumet brewing company, which has had a down town office in Red Jacket, will move its office headquarters back to the brewery about the first of the month, as it has been ascertained that the present arrangements is not convenient for customers.

The first sea gulls for the year were seen at Portage Lake yesterday. The warm weather probably drawing the birds there. It is the earliest the gulls have been seen for a number of years, and generally they are the forerunners of the opening of navigation.

Tomorrow night will be athletic night at the Hancock Y. M. C. A. A fine program of events, such as rope climbing, rope vaulting, fence vaulting, a hoop race, a camel race, a comic race, and sparring and wrestling matches, will be carried out. The exhibition will be free to all.

It is expected that the new switch boards now being installed in the Calumet "central" will be ready for use next week. As soon as the "power" board is connected up all will be in readiness for the change to the new boards. Calumet subscribers will be assured of much better service after next week.

Although the amount of coal shipped into the copper country last season was greater than ever before, the shipments during the coming summer promise to eclipse all others. Dealers ran out of soft coal this winter and it is proposed that this shall not happen again. Orders will be given early so that boats may be secured to deliver the coal here.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, proved it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken in doses from 10 drops to a tea spoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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**Copper Country Department**

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**HANCOCK POLITICIANS WAKE UP.**  
Coming Election Promises to Be the Most Exciting in Years.

Politics in Hancock have taken a sudden awakening and the caucus to be held in the village hall at 8 o'clock next Monday evening now promises to be one of the liveliest events in a political way that has taken place in copperdom in late years. There are already three candidates in the field for the office of president. Thomas Coughlin, the popular liveryman, will head a ticket, which will have a platform pledged for a municipal electric lighting plant. From the president down to the assessor all of the men on that ticket will be in favor of the village owning its own lighting plant. So it has come to pass that Houghton's alleged opposition to Hancock's proposed opera house will be made a political issue. As explained in yesterday's issue it is believed in Hancock that the Houghton stockholders of the Peninsula Electric Light & Power Co., of Houghton, which now furnishes Hancock light, are back of the Houghton electric project and for that reason Hancock proposes to get its revenge by putting up a lighting plant of its own.

Mayor Scott will also be a candidate for re-election, so at least two tickets will be put in the field. Ed. M. Lieblich is also being pushed by friends to run for the office. The contest between Messrs. Coughlin and Scott for the presidency will no doubt be interesting as both are very popular men. It is now up to the voters to decide whether or not they are with Mr. Coughlin and his platform, which indirectly is an acknowledgment of Mr. Kerredge's public treasury, having served two years, is not entitled by law to a third. Two candidates, Hugh Bently and J. N. Lam Mitchell, will run for that office. Village Clerk Finn will have no opposition and will be re-elected. The coming election will be the most exciting held in Hancock for a number of years.

**Hancock Defeats Osceola.**  
The Hancock indoor baseball team won the game from the Osceola twirlers at St. Patrick's Hall, Hancock, Tuesday evening in the ninth inning. The contest was very exciting throughout. The visitors were in the lead up to the eighth inning when the score was tied by Hancock. The match was witnessed by a large crowd.

**Marquette vs. Houghton.**  
The "Beavers" indoor baseball team of Marquette and the Houghton Light Infantry team will play at the Houghton army again tonight.

**Insurance Men Bow.**  
The regular Houghton bowling team and a team of insurance men of Houghton bowled at the Schuster alleys at Houghton last evening.

**Bowling Alleys Closed.**  
Thurmes Bros' new bowling alleys at South Lake Linden were completed yesterday and were ready for the game last evening.

**HANCOCK HEARD FROM.**  
Citizen Says No Feeling of Spite Is Harbored Against Houghton.

To the Editor: Your issue of this date contains an article concerning the opera house projects in this city and its sister town across the lake, reflecting rather unjustly upon the citizens of Hancock. Especially is the reflection sorely felt when it charges our citizens with harboring a feeling of spite towards Houghton people. We deny the imputation.

The facts of the matter are that an opera house and hotel project was proposed in Hancock several years ago by C. A. Wright, but the matter has since been dropped. It is not until Mr. Kerredge had purchased his site and spent several thousand dollars that the Houghton project assumed definite proportions, and then knowing that such action would result in financial loss. But as some of these same citizens remarked: "If Hancock builds an opera house, we will have one in Houghton, too, if we lose money on it." Now, if there is any spite, here is where it lies. I am positive in stating that if the conditions were reversed in time and year by year the volume of public opinion favorable to it has been gradually increasing, until last fall it culminated in Mr. Kerredge securing a site and he recently let contracts for a modern playhouse.

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**DRANK CARBOLIC ACID.**  
Abraham Uren Takes Poison and Will Not Recover.

Abraham Uren, an old resident of Houghton, drank nearly two ounces of carbolic acid about noon yesterday with suicidal intent and will die. He is about sixty years of age and lives with his son, James, on Montezuma street.

He was discovered suffering terrible agony shortly after taking the acid and medical aid was at once secured. Dependence is thought to be the cause.

**HEARING NOT TO BE POSTPONED.**  
County Bridge Matter Will Come Up at Houghton Next Monday.

County Clerk Richardson has received word from Captain Gaillard, head of the government engineers' office at Duluth, to the effect that the hearing in the condemnation proceedings against the county bridge over Portage Lake between Houghton and Hancock, set for next Monday at the government engineer's office at Houghton, will not be postponed to March 11, as requested by the county board. Captain Gaillard stated, however, that the time in which information could be filed would be extended to March 11 so that all the facts in the case could be obtained. The extension will give the county supervisors plenty of time to take whatever action they may see fit.

**INFORMAL MASONIC PARTY.**  
One Will Be Given by Four Copperdom Lodges in April.

The four Masonic lodges of the county, the Houghton, Hancock, Lake Linden and Calumet, are planning a Masonic party to be held at the Calumet armory shortly after Lent, either April 4 or 11. Committees to make all necessary arrangements have already been appointed and are at work. The Calumet lodge will be engaged to furnish the music. The party is to be an informal affair, attended only by Masons and their ladies. Special trains to run from Lake Linden, and Houghton and Hancock to Calumet will be provided. The Masons may decide to make the party an annual event and if so it will be held at different places in the county every year.

**TO DO AWAY WITH PULLMANS.**  
St. Paul Road Will Soon Commence Running Its Own Sleepers.

On Tuesday, March 11, the St. Paul road will commence running its own sleepers to and from the copper country, doing away with the Pullman sleeping car service which has been used on St. Paul trains in and out of copperdom for some time. S. H. Vaughn, the St. Paul commercial agent at Houghton, said yesterday that this is the only division over which the St. Paul is now using the Pullman sleepers. The contract with the Pullman company as far as the copper country service is concerned expires on March 11. Vaughn says he has not had word to the effect that new trains would be put on for the service to and from copperdom, although it is possible the cars now in use may be changed to conform with the new sleepers.

**WILL PLAY LACROSSE.**  
Portage Lake Hockey Players to Go in for Game Next Summer.

Although the game of lacrosse has not been played very extensively in the copper country, the sport promises to become very popular next summer. Last summer Calumet had a lacrosse team, but as far as known it did not play at game all season. It was the only team in copperdom and on that account local games could not be played. An attempt was made to arrange a few contests with outside aggregations, but the negotiations fell through.

Portage Lake will have a lacrosse team next summer that promises to be a crack organization. Among its players will be "Ted" Howell, "Mime" Meinke, Dr. Gibson, Jones, Dr. Wilson, and Dr. Hay, now all members of the Portage Lake hockey team. The boys have already played the game in Canada, where it is a popular sport. Lacrosse is one of the hardest games played, requiring great physical endurance as well as considerable skill. Calumet will likely organize again this year and some interesting contests may be expected between the Calumet and Portage Lake teams.

**ALLEGED BURGLARS DISMISSED.**  
The cases against Emil Wolfe and William Anderson of Calumet, charged with robbing O'Neill's saloon at Red Jacket last week, were dismissed in Judge Curtis' court Tuesday because of the lack of evidence. Nothing but circumstantial evidence was introduced and it was not sufficient to convict the men. There is now no clue as to who robbed the saloon.

**THE COPPER QUEEN.**  
The Copper Queen, a companion court, under the order of Foresters, has been organized in Laurium with a large membership. The charter will be held open for thirty days to allow all ladies who wish to become charter members to do so. The members are allowed to visit the Copper King lodge, the men's organization, permitting of much sociability.

**WORKING OVERTIME.**  
Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless, little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Biliousness, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at Stafford's drug store.

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Constipation and health never go together. DeWitt's Little Early Risers promote easy action of the bowels without griping or distress. Are safe, sure, gentle, thorough. Purely vegetable. The Stafford Drug Co. H. N. Meloche Co., Ishpeming.

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Dr. Hoob's Special Pills cure all kidney ills. Safe, free. Add Special Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

**WILL RESUME OPERATIONS.**  
Work at the Bird Mine to Be Taken Up Again in the Spring.

The Bird Mining company will resume operations at the Bird mine at Crystal Falls early in the spring. County Board Agent Miller, of Houghton, being assured of that fact while in Chicago recently. The land upon which the mine is located is owned by Houghton county and held under lease by the Bird mining people. Operations at the Bird ceased several months ago and the company shortly after requested the supervisors of this county to cancel payment of the minimum royalty which the company, by the terms of its lease, was to pay the county. The county board would not consider the proposition and the money has since been paid. The reason given by the company for stopping work at the property was that men were scarce and none could be found who would work at the mine. In the spring the company intends to build one or two boarding houses and other structures at the property so that the men will have comfortable quarters and be willing to remain at the mine.

**ARE DEVELOPING RAPIDLY.**  
Interesting Matters Concerning Baltic, Champion and Trimountain.

The Baltic, Champion and Trimountain mines each employ over 300 men. The Champion and Trimountain are operating the same number of shafts, twenty-seven, while the new openings at both properties are being extended at the rate of about 1,000 feet monthly.

As to production, the Champion is treating 1,500 tons of rock weekly, which yields about thirty-seven pounds of copper per ton.

The Trimountain is stamping 2,400 tons of rock weekly from which the mineral yield is about fifty pounds to the ton.

Prior to today the Baltic had been stamping 425 tons of rock daily, and the results were thirty-three pounds of mineral from every ton stamped. These records are remarkable in each instance. In the matter of production, however, it must be stated that the figures above do not give full justice to Champion and Baltic, and are not indicative of a comparison with Trimountain, and it can be said in all truthfulness, is not forcing production, but the greater part of its rock output is from the stopes, while the rock now being stamped by the Champion and Baltic comes almost wholly from the drifts. From this fact it is clearly seen why, just now at least, the Trimountain shows a smaller yield of mineral per ton stamped. The rock being stamped by the Champion comes from the first, second and third level drifts at "C" shaft and the third, fourth and fifth level drifts at "D" shaft.

There is some discarded rock at "D" shaft, but none whatever at "C" shaft. Last month, there was no rock discarded at "D" shaft. The work in the stopes at Champion is preparatory to future production, and until the stopes are supplying a product, probably a few months hence, no fair idea can be had as to what the mineral yield of the mine will be.

The Champion stamp rock is running 1 1/2 per cent mineral at the mill, and this fact alone is of great importance as indicating what the mine will do when stamping is under way.

Since Jan. 1 the rock product of the Baltic came from the shafts at "B" and the second level in commission the stopes will henceforth be operated.

At neither of the three mines is the rock discarded greater than ten per cent. Each of this group of mines has its particular admirers. There are those who still believe that the Baltic owns the valuable end of the hole that bears its name, while the Champion people lay claim to name and title at the south end. Trimountain people own the middle stretch of the vein and this fact is oft advanced to support the theory that Trimountain is as good as the best.

While interested readers more is that the mines are being developed rapidly and before the close of the year will become quite a factor in the production of copper so that the stock will be well able to take care of itself.

**Copper Gossip.**  
The mineral product of the Baltic with the second head in commission should exceed 350 tons monthly. The work of installing the third head is now under way and it will be ready about May 1. The fourth head will also be installed this year. Until the new Champion mill is in commission it is said that the third head of the Baltic will stamp Champion rock and possibly the fourth.

**WILL NOT SUPPORT FAMILY.**  
Thomas Whalen of Hancock was arrested Tuesday for alleged non-support. His family sought the aid of Poor Commissioner Bently and then the authorities got after Whalen. He was up for a hearing in Judge Finn's court yesterday. Whalen is said to be earning good wages but has not supported his family for some time.

**HOLD-UP MEN ARRESTED.**  
John Bietska and Fred Kampala of Hancock were arrested yesterday as hold-up men.

Matt Wronko, of the Wolverine mine, came to Hancock on business Tuesday night and fell in with the men who robbed him of \$55 and a gold watch. The hearing of the two men is set for March 1.

**STILL AFTER SALOON MEN.**  
Sheriff Wills wanted yesterday that no additional warrants for the arrest of either Calumet or Hancock saloonkeepers have been issued but that he has heard there would be several in a few days. As yet no action has been taken against the Hancock saloonkeepers by the reformers who visited them last Sunday.

**TO PUBLISH COOK BOOK.**  
The ladies of the Hancock M. E. church will publish a cook book, and work in preparation for the same has already commenced. A committee of three ladies has been appointed to collect recipes for the book and to arrange for the publication. The proceeds of the venture will be devoted to the church.

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WILL BE PUNISHED

TILLMAN AND M'LAURIN TO SUFFER FOR DISGRACEFUL ACT.

SENATORS DISCUSS THEIR CASE

MATTER IS FINALLY REFERRED TO A SUB-COMMITTEE.

Speeches of Senators Are Carefully Compared and Several Modes of Punishment Are Suggested.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The senate committee on privileges and elections held two sessions today to consider the Tillman-McLaurin episode, but reached no conclusion beyond deciding to refer the entire matter to a sub-committee and to meet again Friday to consider the recommendation.

The meeting was devoted to a general exchange of views. No proposition was made by either the Republican or Democratic members, but all were agreed that the South Carolinians should be punished.

Disagree on Details. The disagreement was on the details and mode of punishment. The speeches of both senators were carefully compared. Several modes of punishment were suggested, including suspension and censure by the senate, and censure by the added requirement of further apologies from the offenders.

There was a discussion relative to the punishment of the two men. Most of the Republican members hold that the more severe form of rebuke than McLaurin, while the Democrats do not generally concede there should be any discrimination. Senator Bailey contended that Tillman's speech made no specific charge of bribery. The Democrats held out stiffly against all suggestions looking to the suspension of privileges of senators as an attack on the rights of the state. The proceedings, as far as they went, indicate that censure as a form of punishment will most likely be recommended. Some of the Republicans, however, are holding out for a more pronounced rebuke to Tillman than could be given in any verbal reprimand.

House Takes Up Tariff Bill.

The house today sent the Philippine tariff bill to conference, non-concurring in all the senate amendments. The Democrats sought to amend the amendments by reducing the rate of duty and declaring the United States should relinquish all claims to the archipelago, but all the propositions were defeated. Mr. Tawney (Minn.) made a personal explanation regarding Governor Toole of Montana, saying that in formerly placing the governor as the opponent of Governor Van Sant in the railroad merger case he had been under a misapprehension.

Permanent Census Bill. The conferees have agreed upon a bill creating a permanent census bureau. The director's salary is fixed at \$6,000. The civil service law is made applicable to the new bureau. Four chief statisticians and four chiefs of divisions are provided for.

CO-EDS IN CLASS CONFLICT. Juniors and Seniors Indulge in Fight and Many Are Bruised.

Hamilton, O., Feb. 26.—During a performance of "Within the Walls" at Oxford College for Women, conducted by the senior class, the junior president, who had been invited to occupy a seat of honor, prettily decorated in the green and white of 1902, managed between acts to tear off the senior colors and to substitute the purple and gold of her own class. When the curtain rose and the changed colors were revealed to the audience there was no limit to the seniors' wrath.

At a meeting held after the performance it was decided to vindicate the class dignity by raising the class pennant on the college tower the key to which the seniors had secured for the purposes of their play. At midnight the class secretly assembled and raised its flag, but a watchful junior had detected the move. The descending seniors were met on the dark stairs by a sudden onset of pretty juniors. Both attack and defense were spirited, but the juniors gradually swept the seniors back up the winding stairs and on the tower platform overpowered them and pulled down their flag, substituting the colors of 1903.

DEADLOCK STILL CONTINUES. Peoria, Ill., Feb. 26.—The deadlock between the coal operators and miners continues, with small hope of breaking for several days.

Doctors Consult your doctor. If he says, "Take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for your cough," then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing. Physicians have been our friends for 60 years.

TOLD FOUR STORIES.

Valet Jones Had a Variety of Explanations as to Killing of Rice.

New York, Feb. 26.—In the Patrick murder trial today the continued cross examination of Valet Jones took up both sessions and was not finished when court adjourned in the afternoon. The feature of the day was the bringing out of evidence that Jones had told four stories concerning the death of Rice. Three of these were that Lawyer Patrick had killed Rice; the other was told to Assistant District Attorney Osborne and was the same Jones told the jury the other day. This was that the witness killed Rice by giving him chloroform to inhale.

The defense brought out today, however, that Jones had told this last story after Osborne had told Jones he had proof that Patrick was not in the house when Rice died. Later Jones, in answer to questions, said Rice had been kind to him and he had entered into a conspiracy against his benefactor because of money Patrick had promised him.

DECLARES HIS INNOCENCE.

A. E. Batson Say He Had Nothing to Do With Earle Murders.

Princeton, Mo., Feb. 26.—A. E. Batson, wanted for alleged complicity in the murder at Welch, La., of six members of the Earle family, former Governor, has been arrested here. During the day Batson consented to talk. He told a rambling story, during which he declared repeatedly he was innocent of any connection with the murders. He admitted having worked for the Earle family up to within a few days ago, when, he says, he was discharged, but he insisted he left the place on the best of terms. Batson asserts the sons quarreled continually with the elder Earle, and that on the day he left the premises one of the boys was in a drunken stupor.

DID NOT SPEAK OF PRINCE.

Report That Pope Referred to Visit of Henry to America Denied.

Rome, Feb. 26.—Senator Terella, the Costa Rican minister here, when seen today concerning the published report referred to the visit of Prince Henry to America as the greatest event of the new century, said there was no truth in that statement; that the pope had not mentioned Prince Henry, and the conversation between the pontiff and the prince during the audience was confined entirely to the pope's jubilee and Costa Rican affairs.

MAKES GRACEFUL WITHDRAWAL.

Lieut. Gov. Tillman Will Not Present Sword to Major Jenkins.

Augusta, Ga., Feb. 26.—Lieutenant Governor Tillman of South Carolina, in deference to the request of the subscribers to the fund for a sword to be presented to Major Jenkins, of the First Cavalry, has published a report referring to the visit of Prince Henry to America as the greatest event of the new century, said there was no truth in that statement; that the pope had not mentioned Prince Henry, and the conversation between the pontiff and the prince during the audience was confined entirely to the pope's jubilee and Costa Rican affairs.

VOTE IS POSTPONED.

N. E. A. Will Not Take Up Matter of New Constitution.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The department superintendents of the National Educational association have postponed until next year the vote on the proposed new constitution. Dr. W. H. Payne, of the University of Michigan, spoke of "The Ideal Normal School;" Dr. W. T. Harris, United States commissioner of education, "The Danger of Using Biological and Psychological Reasoning on Educational Subjects." Next year's meeting will be held in New Orleans.

HAD MONEY LEFT.

Illinois Commissioners to Pan-American Did Not Spend \$8,123.

Springfield, Feb. 26.—The Illinois commissioners to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo today made a report to Governor Yates. Of the \$75,000 appropriated for the expenses of the commission a balance of \$8,123 remains unexpended and will be turned into the state treasury.

MARSHAL OF ARIZONA.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The president has decided to appoint Myron McCord, a former member of the house from Wisconsin, marshal of Arizona in place of Benjamin Daniels, whose commission was recently revoked.

TO REPRESENT ILLINOIS.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The Illinois Democratic delegation in the house today selected Representative George F. Foster of Chicago as the Illinois member of the Democratic national congressional committee.

CELTIC VISITED BY ROYALTY.

Athens, Feb. 26.—The king and queen of Greece visited the steamship Celtic during the day and shook hands with a number of passengers, at the same time expressing their pleasure at seeing so many Americans in Greece.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Partly cloudy Thursday, with rain in west portion; Friday rain and colder; variable winds, becoming northwesterly.

TO DEVELOP NEW INDUSTRY.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 26.—A government license to operate a distillery was today issued to the Cereal Sugar company and they will now develop a new industry for making alcohol from hydroal.

Mother, Yes one package makes two quarts of baby medicine. See directions. There is nothing just as good for babies and children as Rocky Mountain Tea, 35 cts. Stafford Drug Co.

SWORN TO SECRECY

CAPTIVE MISSIONARIES MADE PROMISES TO BRIGANDS.

BANDITS FEAR BEING IDENTIFIED

RELEASE WAS NOT MADE AT PLACE ARRANGED.

Captors Claimed It Was Too Difficult to Carry Out Plans—Miss Stone and Mme. Tsalka to Start for Constantinople.

Salonica, Romelia, Feb. 26.—Miss Stone, who has arrived here, says the brigands swore both their captives to absolute secrecy regarding any information calculated to establish the identity of the brigands, the location of the places where they were concealed, or other facts likely to compromise their captors.

Uncertain Regarding Wanderings. As a matter of fact the prisoners themselves are very uncertain regarding many of the details of their wanderings. They did not know when they were released in what section of the country they were.

Arrangements had been made to release Miss Stone and her companion near Seres, Macedonia, where Dragoman Gargulio and Mr. House were waiting, but the brigands, owing to timidity or otherwise, declared it was too difficult to carry out the plans and brought their captives, after a hard march, within one and a half hours of Strumitza.

Left Under Shelter of Trees.

The women were left under the shelter of trees at 3:30 in the morning of Feb. 23. The bandits pointed out the direction of the village and ordered the captives to report themselves to the village elder, who, on learning of their identity, would provide for them. The brigands then turned back and disappeared among the hills.

Salonica, Feb. 26.—Miss Stone and Madame Tsalka will start without delay for Constantinople.

FEAR CUBAN RECIPROACITY.

Liverpool Merchants Say Proposed Reduction Will Hurt Them.

Liverpool, Feb. 26.—The merchants here who trade with Cuba are agitating against the suggested treaty of reciprocity between the United States and Cuba because they believe such a treaty is likely to be prejudicial to British trade, which has hitherto enjoyed a favored nation treaty with Cuba.

Yesterday afternoon the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce received a deputation of merchants who urge the necessity of prompt action in order to protect British commercial interests. At this meeting it was resolved to request Lord Lansdowne, the foreign secretary, to receive a deputation of the Liverpool merchants next week.

OLD NEWSPAPER MAN DEAD.

Deadwood, S. D., Feb. 26.—Albert W. Herrick, who published the first newspaper printed in the Black Hills and southern South Dakota, died today of pneumonia, aged sixty-two.

BILLIARD EXPERTS PLAY.

St. Louis, Feb. 26.—"Billy" Cutton of Rock Island, Ill., tonight beat Frank Day, of this city, fifty to thirty-five, in a three-session billiard match. They will finish tomorrow night.

FERNS IS DEFEATED.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 26.—Tonight Tom Tracey, an Australian, was given the decision over Rube Ferns of Kansas, at the end of the twentieth round.

VON HOLLEBEN HONORED.

Berlin, Feb. 26.—Emperor William has conferred the order of the Red Eagle upon Dr. Von Holleben, the German ambassador to the United States.

WON ON A FOUL.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 26.—Jack Williams of Philadelphia won on a foul in the fifth round from Joe Leonard of Buffalo tonight.

HAD TO CONQUER OR DIE.

"I was just about gone," writes Mrs. Rosa Richardson, of Laurel Springs, N. C. "I had Consumption, so bad that the best doctors said I could not live more than a month, but I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by seven bottles and am now stout and well." It's an unrivaled life-saver in Consumption, Pneumonia, La Grippe and Bronchitis; infallible for bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Stafford's drug store.

The Chicago Department Store, 309 Front street, has closed its doors and will not resume business before Saturday morning, March 1st, the entire stock to be disposed of regardless of cost or value, by J. C. Rosenberg of Chicago. See small bills for prices, etc. (2-24-1f)

Madame!—In reply to your note will say give your children Rocky Mountain Tea each week. Keeps them well all the time. 35 cts. Stafford Drug Co.

Diphtheria relieved in twenty minutes. Almost miraculously. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

Buy and Try a Box Tonight.

While you think of it, go buy and try a box of Cascarets Candy Cathartic, ideal laxative, tonight. You'll never regret it. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, 10c.

WALL STREET STOCKS.

Market Is Practically a Repetition of the Last Few Days.

New York, Feb. 26.—The proceedings in today's stock market were practically a repetition of those of the last few days. That is to say, the important railroad and industrial stocks of the largest capitalization, which usually take the lead in the market improvements, were allowed to slumber, while various obscure and rarely active stocks, were taken up one after another and pushed upward in more or less sensational movements. This order of things was varied in the last hour by a sharp raid on the part of professional bears.

The money market in New York has not shown the slightest reflection of any coming stringency, yet the sub-treasury operations have already taken up nearly \$1,000,000 since the last bank statement, and with New York exchange at Chicago down to 15 cents discount, the interior movement of currency is probably away from New York. An early response in the local money market is highly probable.

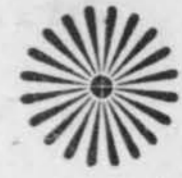
The opening in today's market were almost universally without explanation. In the case of the minor railroads they were based on the general assumption that the absorption of the larger systems is a manifest destiny. In the more prominent stocks there was strength in Pennsylvania, the Erie, Washburn preferred and Illinois Central. Amalgamated Copper was active and irregular.

Among the other stocks notably affected were Wisconsin Central stocks, Chicago & Eastern Illinois, Chicago Great Western preferred, Ann Arbor preferred, Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic preferred, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie stocks, Des Moines and Fort Dodge.

Closing prices of stocks are reported by Paine, Webber & Co. as follows: Union Pac. 43 1/2, Wabash Pfd. 43 1/2, Y. Central 102 1/2, N. Y. Central 102 1/2, Southern Ry. 40, No. Pacific 100 1/4, Alton 34 1/2, Manhattan 13 1/2, Rock Island 28 1/2, Southern Pac. 6 1/2, St. Paul 10 1/2, Reading 5 1/2, Erie 10 1/2, Rubber 5 1/2, B. & O. 10 1/2, O. & W. 32 1/2, G. W. 24 1/2, Illinois Central 139 1/2, Pennsylvania 150 1/2, N. Y. Central 102 1/2, No. Pacific 100 1/4, Alton 34 1/2, Manhattan 13 1/2, Rock Island 28 1/2, Southern Pac. 6 1/2, St. Paul 10 1/2, Reading 5 1/2, Erie 10 1/2, Rubber 5 1/2, B. & O. 10 1/2, O. & W. 32 1/2, G. W. 24 1/2, Illinois Central 139 1/2, Pennsylvania 150 1/2, N. Y. Central 102 1/2, No. Pacific 100 1/4, Alton 34 1/2, Manhattan 13 1/2, Rock Island 28 1/2, Southern Pac. 6 1/2, St. Paul 10 1/2, Reading 5 1/2, Erie 10 1/2, Rubber 5 1/2, B. & O. 10 1/2, O. & W. 32 1/2, G. W. 24 1/2, Illinois Central 139 1/2, Pennsylvania 150 1/2, N. Y. 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# THE CHICAGO DEPARTMENT STORE

309 FRONT STREET.



**THE REASON:** Owing to ill health and indisposition of Mr. M. L. Casper, I have taken possession of the store for the purpose of converting the entire Stock of Merchandise into ready cash, without regard to cost or value. There will be no reserve stock, every article in this well known house must go. I will put the knife deep into the vitals of all prices. This will be a sale of unprecedented, ridiculously low prices. There will be no regard shown cost or value. Our immense loss your gain.

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Saturday Morning, March 1st, at 9 O'clock Sharp.

## THESE PRICES IN EVIDENCE OF MY PURPOSE TO CLOSE OUT THIS STORE:

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| All our 25c and 30c boys' knee pants, all sizes, this sale, per pair.....                                   | 9c     | Men's heavy shirts and drawers, all sizes, big value, our 35c shirts and drawers, at this sale, each.....                             | 19c    | Men's laundered fancy dress shirts, in assorted patterns, all sizes, our \$1 shirts, at this sale each.....                                         | 59c    |
| All our 5c and 10c red, blue and white handkerchiefs, this sale, each.....                                  | 2c     | Men's undershirts, extra weight and value, our 75c garment, at this sale, each.....                                                   | 35c    | Men's percale fancy shirts, with neckbands, all sizes, assorted patterns, our 75c shirts, at this sale, each.....                                   | 35c    |
| All our men's heavy suspenders, our 15c value, this sale, per pair.....                                     | 6c     | Men's fine quality stiff hats, in all the latest shapes and tones, \$2, \$2.25 and \$2.50 hats, at this sale, each.....               | 78c    | Men's good quality black sateen shirts, all sizes, at this sale, each.....                                                                          | 39c    |
| Men's medium weight cotton socks, all sizes, our 10c value, this sale, per pair.....                        | 2c     | Men's fine quality soft fur hats, in fedoras, pashas, fine shape golf, etc., our \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.50 hats, at this sale, each..... | 78c    | Men's black and blue castor beaver overcoats, well made and trimmed, our \$8.50 coat, at this sale.....                                             | \$4.88 |
| All our men's 35c and 40c negligee working shirts, assorted colors, all sizes, this sale, each.....         | 19c    | Boys' heavy quality school pants, all sizes, our \$1 pants, at this sale.....                                                         | 59c    | Men's extra quality fine beaver overcoats, in blue and black, our \$10 overcoat, at this sale.....                                                  | \$6.88 |
| All our men's heavy black stripe working shirts, all sizes, our 50c shirt, this sale.....                   | 29c    | Men's Monarch kersey pants, well made and trimmed, all sizes, our \$1.50 pants, this sale.....                                        | 89c    | Men's light colored spring overcoats, satin lined, well made, our \$7.50 coat, this sale.....                                                       | \$3.88 |
| All our men's medium weight black striped working shirts, our 35c shirt, at this sale, each.....            | 19c    | Boys' kersey knee pant suits, all sizes, well made and trimmed, our \$2.50 suit, at this sale for.....                                | \$1.55 | Men's all wool tweed mixture overcoats, well made and trimmed, our \$9 coat, this sale.....                                                         | \$5.78 |
| All our men's grey mixed merino hose, our 25c value, at this sale, per pair.....                            | 7c     | Misses' and boys' natural wool shirts and drawers, well made, at this sale, each.....                                                 | 19c    | Men's light colored covert cloth spring overcoat, well made, our \$8.50 overcoat, at this sale.....                                                 | \$4.88 |
| All our men's heavy wool flannel overshirts, all colors and sizes, our \$1 value, at this sale, each.....   | 59c    | Children's knee pant suits, 2-pieces, well made and trimmed, our \$1.75 suits, at this sale.....                                      | 98c    | Men's heavy blue denim overalls, all sizes, our 50c garment, this sale price.....                                                                   | 35c    |
| All our boys' heavy wool sweaters, in blue and black, our \$1 sweaters, at this sale, each.....             | 39c    | Men's black cotton worsted pants, in all sizes, our \$1.25 pants, at this sale.....                                                   | 79c    | Boys' black Frieze Ulsters, extra lengths, deep storm collars, our \$7 ulsters, at this sale.....                                                   | \$3.68 |
| All our men's heavy ribbed Australian shirts and drawers, all sizes, our \$1 garment, this sale.....        | 59c    | Men's fine neckwear, in tecks, puffs, band bows, string bows, etc., our 50c tie, at this sale, each.....                              | 9c     | Men's all wool suits, fancy cheviots, satin lined, lapped seams, well made and trimmed, all our \$16 and \$16.50 suits, at this sale, per suit..... | \$8.78 |
| Men's vests, in cassimeres and worsteds, all sizes and patterns, \$1 to \$2 values, at this sale, each..... | 42c    | Ladies' and Gents' four-in-hands, in new tones and effects, our 50c and 75c ties, at this sale, each.....                             | 19c    | Men's all wool blue slater flannel suits, all sizes, at this sale, per suit.....                                                                    | \$7.00 |
| All our men's blue cheviot suits, our \$6.50 suit, at this sale.....                                        | \$3.88 | Ladies' ribbed vests and drawers, in Ecru and natural, all sizes, good value, at this sale, each.....                                 | 19c    | Men's all wool suits, in worsteds, vicunas, cassimeres, serges, etc., well made and trimmed, our \$12.00, \$12.50 and \$13.00 suits, for.....       | \$6.88 |
| All our men's black clay worsted suits, in round cut sacks, our \$10 suits, at this sale.....               | \$5.88 | Men's fleeced lined shirts and drawers, all sizes, good value, our 50c garment, at this sale, each.....                               | 33c    | Men's all wool black clay worsted suits, custom made A 1 garment throughout, all sizes, our \$15 suits, at this sale, per suit.....                 | \$8.78 |
| Men's suits in cassimeres, kerseys and cheviots, all colors and sizes, our \$8 suits, at this sale.....     | \$4.78 | Men's fleeced lined mottled shirts and drawers, good value, all other 50c articles, at this sale, each.....                           | 29c    | Men's all wool fancy worsted suits, round cut sack, well made and trimmed, all sizes, our \$14 suit, at this sale.....                              | \$7.88 |
| Men's fine quality New York Mills full length night shirts, our 75c value, at this sale, each.....          | 39c    | Men's unlaundered fancy bosom dress shirts, all sizes, and patterns, our 35c shirt, at this sale, each.....                           | 19c    |                                                                                                                                                     |        |

The above prices are merely a few to convince the skeptical that I mean business. My time is limited, and I must raise a certain amount of money in the next 10 days. It is to your interest to attend this MAMMOTH CUT AND SLASH SALE. It means immense saving to your purse on reliable up-to-date merchandise.

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## Ishpeming and its Environs.

### SKIING KNOCKED OUT.

Ishpeming People's Favorite Sport Has Been Temporarily Killed.

Skis have been accorded positions in basements, woodsheds and other out-of-the-way places during the past few days. The soft weather has put the snow in such shape that the ski does not run well. There has been no pleasure in the sport since Saturday last; in fact, very little of it has been indulged in and if sufficient snow does not fall next month to make the Brass Wire hill acceptable for good jumping there will be no more contests this winter.

In an article in this department on Monday last Carl Tellefsen, president of the Ishpeming Ski club, was credited with being largely responsible for the success of the ski contests, as well as other matters relative to the sport. Mr. Tellefsen wishes The Mining Journal to state that he is not entitled to more of the credit than is any of the other officers of the club. He says there are a number holding membership in the organization who have done a great deal toward making the meetings a success and he wishes the credit to be equally divided among all who are entitled to it. He says the board of directors is largely responsible for the good work done to date. Captain Frederick Hoyt has been one of the hardest workers in the club and Mr. Tellefsen says the success of the jumping contests is as much due to him as anyone.

It was stated in an article published Tuesday that Bye got off the slide in bad balance. This is not so. Bye holds himself in perfect control all the while, and the claim that he literally makes a second jump while in the air is true. The jumpers who will follow Bye's style of jumping will surely do good work. In the opinion of men who have followed skiing since childhood, Bye has the proper style of jumping, as well as rapid riding. He handles himself on the skis much as does an expert on skates. He seems to have perfect control of them at all times and he is quite graceful in all his movements. Bye claims he could have jumped from eighty-five to ninety feet on the slide last Saturday if he had not been suffering with an injured arm and shoulder.

### MOVING THE DWELLINGS.

A Couple Have Been Removed from Dangerous Ground at Lake Angeline.

There are now but two dwellings in what some years ago constituted the principal part of the Lake Angeline location. These are located immediately east of the new shaft at the old Lake Angeline mine and it is a question of but a short time when they will have to be removed to some other point, where there is less danger of the ground under them giving way. Charles Johnson, the house mover, has had a force of men at work for a week or more moving two of the dwellings from the old location. They are to be placed opposite the Excelsior furnace, on the south side of the South Shore tracks. It is likely that the other two will also be taken over there, as there is room for them in that vicinity. The ground to be occupied by the houses in their new location one time formed a part of the lake, but it was long since silted in, the slag and other waste material from the furnace having been dumped there.

During the past year or two, since the three corporations have operated their Lake mines with large forces, large masses of ground have gone down at different points in the lake bottom and on some of the shores. Tuesday night last a drop occurred on the south shore near Patrick Sullivan's house. A part of his barn was undermined, and it was necessary to remove the building to a new location. The ground under the lake Superior iron company's workings. The time will come when it will be necessary to remove all the dwellings from the old East End location. While most of these houses stand on solid ground on the side of the hill the ore deposits are running in that direction and when the companies go after the ore and get ready to let down the surface in that vicinity the dwellings will be removed. The houses on top of the hill will not be disturbed, at least for many years, as they stand on a solid ledge.

The basin of the old lake presents an unsightly appearance. There are a number of big holes there caused by caves extending to the workings below. At times a lump of ground moves every few weeks so that the appearance of the basin keeps changing almost continually.

### MINE TO BE REOPENED.

Appleton Property at Loretto to Be Operated by the Eleanor Iron Co.

W. H. O'Brien of Chicago spent a couple of days in Ishpeming this week on business connected with the resumption of operations at the Appleton mine at Loretto, Mich., which property is about to be re-opened by the Eleanor Iron company.

John H. Willis, an old resident of Ishpeming, who has been in the employ of the Pittsburg & Lake Angeline iron company for a number of years past, has been engaged as mining captain, and Martin O. Johnson, eldest son of Sven Johnson, as mining engineer. The latter is a graduate of the Michigan College of Mines, and since his return from school has been engaged as assistant bookkeeper at the mercantile establishment managed by his father. Mr. Willis is a first-class miner and Mr. O'Brien can consider himself fortunate in securing his services.

Mr. Johnson has already left for Loretto, it being the intention to get the work at the mine started without delay. He was accompanied by Mr. O'Brien, who will remain there a short time before returning to Chicago. Captain Willis remains here for a few days, engaging desirable men to take places at the property. He is advertising for a competent blacksmith, also a machinist, and men desiring either job can find Mr. Willis at his home, 709 Morris street.

The Appleton mine has not been worked since 1894. The buildings at the property were wiped out by fire and it was largely due to that fact that operations were suspended. The disaster came at a time when the operators considered it would not pay to erect new structures and install machinery in place of that damaged. The shaft at the mine is down 230 feet.

It will take some time to erect buildings, install machinery and do other preparatory work necessary before the resumption of mining work is possible. William Theton of this city will put in the foundations for the machinery. He has been granted a lease of the property from the Lake Angeline, and will leave in a day or two. He expects to be away at least two or three months.

### GRIFFITH AS A COMEDIAN.

Mr. John Griffith, who comes to the local theatre next Monday evening, has found in "A King's Rival" a vehicle in which he can easily convince his admirers that he is as much a master of high comedy as that of tragic roles.

It has always been his ambition to appear in a stellar part where the light and shade reaches from high comedy to the deepest pathos. In "A King's Rival" he has attained his heart's desire as his audience is moved from laughter to tears as the play progresses. "A King's Rival" is rich in scenic environments, the true Castilian atmosphere prevailing throughout the action of the play. A clever company is engaged in Mr. Griffith's support, including the popular leading actress, Miss Kathryn Purnell.

Regular house prices will hold for this engagement, notwithstanding the increased expense attending the production.

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### ROADS IN BAD SHAPE.

Sleighting is almost on the point of breaking up in and about this city. The streets are in very bad shape for runners and it is likely that several wagons will be in use today. The Carpenter-Cook company was the only firm to bring out a wagon yesterday.

There is considerable snow in place on the thoroughfares outside the business part of the city. This is particularly true of the roads to the Winthrop and the cemetery. A big plow was run over the Winthrop road a few days ago and since then it has been impossible to pull a heavy load over it. In places the ridge left by the plow is more than twelve to eighteen inches higher than other parts of the road.

Should a break-up occur at this time it would result in much injury to the lumber interests. None of the operators figured on such an extended spell of soft weather at this season of the year. Two weeks ago it was reported that there was more snow in the woods than at any time in years, while the roads were in splendid shape, permitting of heavier loads to be hauled than at any time this season. The lumbermen are still at work, but if a change comes in the weather the plow will be laid off, temporarily at least.

### A POPULAR PRODUCT.

The Hutchinson Produce company, which is represented in this county by M. E. Lynch of this city, is introducing a pasteurized creamery butter that is bound to prove in favor. All who have thus far tried the butter pronounce it superior to any other butter on the market. The pasteurized butter should sell readily during the warm weather, as it will keep longer than the regular creamery product. Mr. Lynch is working up a splendid trade on this particular article, as well as other produce he handles.

The Hutchinson company recently consolidated with the Lake Superior Produce and Cold Storage company of Houghton. For a time the copper country concern merely handled goods furnished it by the Hutchinson people, but now it is under one management. The Houghton house does an enormous business and it has long since been regarded by the copper country people as one of their strongest and best institutions.

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Everything absolutely pure and wholesome.

Our new line of spring dry goods will please the ladies. Goods are arriving daily. Finnish Co-operative association.

### HOTEL PROPERTY FOR SALE!

The Garfield House, Ishpeming, is offered for sale. The property is a very desirable one and is in first class condition. For particulars apply to HANS GUNDBERSON, Ishpeming. (2-1-lmo)

### TAKES A BETTER POSITION.

George Baker, chief electrical engineer at the Lake Angeline mine, has resigned and will leave the latter part of this week for Ashland, where he will take a more lucrative position. He goes with the Ashland Iron & Steel company, taking the position of assistant mechanical engineer. The Ashland concern operates a furnace at Ashland and the West Gully mine at Bessemer. Mr. Baker will have work to attend to at both places, though his headquarters will be at Ashland.

Nat Rowe, who has assisted Mr. Baker for some time past, has been promoted to Mr. Baker's old position.

### GIRLS TAKE RAPID RIDE.

Axel Johnson of the Winthrop is the owner of a spirited "volt." Last Sunday two young ladies from the location attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John Kemp, riding in a cutter drawn by the nag. Out on Third street, on the way back from the funeral, the horse took fright and started on a wild run. The young lady who held the "ribbons" is an expert driver, otherwise there is no telling what might have happened, as the "volt's" pace could not be checked until the location was reached. The girls had all they could do at times to retain their places, but they arrived home safely.

### ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

Nels Mahjannu was an Ishpeming visitor yesterday.

L. J. McCubin of Crystal Falls transacted business here yesterday.

C. R. Loneragan of Duluth was here yesterday on a business mission.

A. Ward of Munising was a business visitor in the Hematite city yesterday.

Mrs. T. W. Durham of Marquette spent yesterday with Ishpeming friends.

Mrs. J. E. O'Donoghue and son of Nequamie visited friends in Ishpeming yesterday.

P. W. Phelps and D. A. Johnston, insurance men of Marquette, did business in the city yesterday.

B. J. Youren, Jr., came up from Swanzy yesterday and will return today. He is employed in the meat market there.

Mrs. J. H. Andrus and daughter, who have been in New York and Washington for the past month or more, got home yesterday.

A number of the business men and their clerks put in their spare moments yesterday cleaning the walks in front of the stores.

General Manager T. F. Cole of the Oliver Iron company arrived in the city last evening. He will spend today here in the interest of the corporation.

Mrs. Richard Trembath was treated to a social surprise by a number of her lady friends at her home on North Second street Tuesday evening.

J. C. W. Chipman and D. J. Sliney arrived home yesterday morning from Duluth, where they attended a meeting of the chief clerks of the United States Steel corporation.

Street Commissioner Anton Hansen had several extra men at work yesterday clearing the gutters leading to the catch basins in order that the surface water might reach them.

The reserved seat tickets for "A King's Rival" by John Griffith and his company at the opera house next Monday evening will go on sale tomorrow morning at Tillson's drug store. Regular prices will prevail.

Julius Ekoloma, Jr., died Tuesday morning at the home of his parents on Hill street. Scarlet fever was the cause of death. The boy was eleven years of age. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon.

The funeral of the late Joseph Whinnien will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Division Street Methodist church. Mr. Whinnien was not a member of any of the local fraternal organizations.

A. F. Howard of Munising shook hands with Hematite City friends yesterday. Mr. Howard has not yet fully recovered from the effects of his experience during the deer season, when he was lost in the woods for the better part of a week.

John Nolan, who returned from West Africa a few weeks ago, is back from the copper country. He expects to leave here at any time, as he has been notified by the Sullivan Machinery company to be in readiness to leave on short notice for another journey across the water.

For the production of "Monte Cristo" at Marquette this evening, word was telephoned here last evening that there are still some good seats left for Ishpeming people. Reduced rates of fare will be in effect and the late train leaving Marquette will be held until the performance is over.

John Eman, who has charge of F. Braastad & Co.'s grocery department, has been offered the management of the Scandinavian Co-operative society's store, succeeding H. E. Nelson, Mr.

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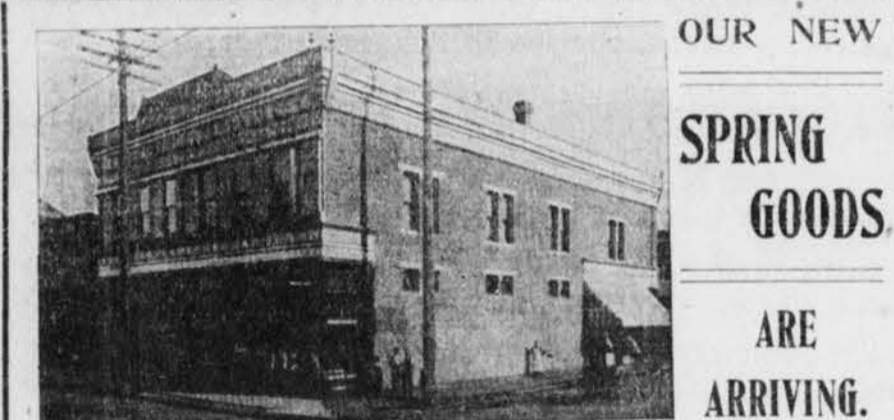
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AMONG THE LUCKY ONES.

Dave Lloyd, for Many Years a Resident of Negaunee, Here for a Few Days.

Dave Lloyd, one of Negaunee's pioneer settlers, who is now a resident of Mion, N. D., arrived in the city yesterday morning. It is nearly ten years since he left here. He conducted a retail meat market in this city for a number of years and he is known to all the older residents.

Mr. Lloyd was one of the men who obtained big money for a piece of land in this city during the mining boom last winter. He owned a half acre on the shore of Teal lake. The land is located at a point where it was desired by both the Cleveland-Cliffs and Oliver Iron companies. Mr. Lloyd received several bids for the land before he finally sold it to the Oliver company. His bid was \$3,000, but he would not sell for that price. First one bid came, then another, each time the price going up from \$300 to \$500. Dave did not appear anxious to sell, inasmuch as the land was desired by both corporations. He was slow in putting a price on the piece, finally he let it go for \$3,500. At this figure Mr. Lloyd got bigger money for his land in proportion to the size of the parcel than did any of the others who sold during the boom.

Just before the sale of the lands here began Mr. Lloyd was in the city on a tract for \$300. He did not consider it of much value and had become quite tired of paying taxes on it. About three years ago A. C. Seass wrote Mr. Lloyd offering him \$100 for the tract but the letter never reached him. The noted man wanted to use part of the ground for a boat house. He considered it worth about what he offered for it, though he had no idea that it would ever be wanted by the mining corporations.

Mr. Lloyd is now heavily interested in a coal mine at Mion. He has done exceedingly well since he left Negaunee and he has never had occasion to regret retiring from the meat business here. He does not own any real estate here at present.

Mr. Lloyd does not make known the object of his mission here at this time, but it is assumed that he has something in view other than a mere visit to old friends. He expects to remain at least three or four days, possibly longer.

PUTTING UP STREET SIGNS.

Negaunee is taking on metropolitan airs. Street signs are being placed at the corners of the principal thoroughfares of the city. The work is being done by Street Commissioner Steve Thomas. At a meeting of the city council held some time ago a resolution was passed instructing the street commissioner to order the signs necessary and have them placed at the proper places on each corner. This is an improvement which the home people as well as strangers coming to the city will appreciate.

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NEGAUNEITE PROMOTED.

Emerson McNeil Takes Superintendency of Jordan Mine on Mesaba Range.

The following mention of Emerson D. McNeil's promotion to the superintendency of the Jordan mine on the Mesaba range, taken from last Saturday's People's Mail of Crystal Falls, will be read with interest by the young man's many friends in this city.

"E. M. McNeil, assistant superintendent of the Corrigan-McKinney mines of the Crystal Falls district, has been promoted to the superintendency of the Jordan mine on the Mesaba range, near Hibbing, and left yesterday to take charge of the duties of his new position. Mr. McNeil has been with the Corrigan-McKinney company a number of years, coming from Negaunee. He was promoted to take the position of assistant superintendent, which post he has filled efficiently and satisfactorily, his present promotion being only a just recognition of his services.

"During his residence here Mr. McNeil has taken an active interest in the city's welfare, and was a member of the board of education for one year. Two years ago he was elected supervisor from the First ward and was re-elected last spring. His many friends in Crystal Falls, while regretting the removal of himself and his estimable family from this city, congratulate him on his promotion and wish him well in his new field."

Bellevue farm butter and pasteurized cream always on hand at Haupt's. Both telephones. (1-15-14)

GRIFFITH IN "A KING'S RIVAL."

Preparatory to a long run in San Francisco, Mr. John Griffith is making a limited tour of the east and central west in his new production, "A King's Rival," a version of which is now creating a furore in New York city. This is unquestionably the crowning success of Mr. Griffith's artistic career, the play, productions and cast, having won the unreserved encomiums of press, clergy and public, throughout the territory in which he has appeared. "A King's Rival" soars to the highest pinnacle of dramatic art, blending deftly the varied emotions to which the fiery race in Spain is subject. The play abounds in comedy and gives Mr. Griffith full sway in that easy, nonchalant style of acting of which he is an acknowledged past master.

The gifted and beautiful actress, Miss Kathryn Purnell, will be seen as Mr. Griffith's leading support. "A King's Rival" will be seen at McDonald's opera house next Saturday evening.

Carpenter & Skiles bread and cakes fresh every day from Milwaukee at Geo. Haupt's. Both telephones. (1-15-14)

COLONIAL SUPPER TONIGHT.

If you enjoy a real feast you should take in the colonial supper to be given this evening by the ladies of the Presbyterian church congregation at the church. Preparations have been made for the entertainment of a large number, as a great many tickets have been disposed of during the past few weeks. A large delegation will be over from Ishpeming, as quite a few tickets were sold there. The ladies will be appropriately dressed for the occasion and the supper will be a pleasing event in every respect. The service will start at 5:30 o'clock and will continue until all have been waited on.

A FIREMAN'S CLOSE CALL.

"I stuck to my engine, although every joint ached and every nerve was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, of Burlington, Iowa. "I was weak and pale, without any appetite and all run down. As I was about to give up, I got a bottle of Electric Bitters and, after taking it, I felt as well as I ever did in my life." Weak, sickly, run-down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. Satisfaction guaranteed by Stafford's. Price 50 cents.

LOCAL LACONICS.

A. G. Jones of Iron Mountain was a Negaunee visitor yesterday.

George W. Taylor of Marinette did business in Negaunee yesterday.

A meeting of the Negaunee school board will be held tomorrow evening at the usual hour.

Dr. Goodnow of Elgin, Ill., has taken a position as assistant to Dr. J. H. Hudson in this city.

Harry Jackson came up from down the line and spent the early part of the week with his people here.

Mrs. Al. Willman and her son, who have been suffering from the grip for some time past, are convalescent.

John Q. Adams & Son advertise for an office boy in this issue. They want a lad about sixteen years of age who can write a fair hand.

James Steele, for some time in business here, spent yesterday in the city. He is traveling in the interest of a Milwaukee dry goods house.

Fick Choquette is improving the residence property he recently purchased from Jeanne Lamont. He intends to do such work about the dwelling as will make it most desirable.

John A. Redfern of Hibbing, formerly of this city, is now at Mt. Clemens receiving treatment for rheumatism. He has been ailing for some months past. Mrs. Redfern is with him.

A number of local people enjoyed a straw ride to Palmer and return last evening. The roads were not in the best of condition, though the weather was so pleasant that the outing was very much enjoyed.

Carpenters have been employed the past two weeks or so completing the interior work at Ben Neely's new block on West Iron street. The place is so arranged as to make a very pretty store. The interior finishings are all that could

be desired, and the room is large and convenient. Mr. Neely has not yet announced who will occupy the building.

Mrs. M. F. Lynch and Miss Etta Daniels of Ishpeming are demonstrating Carpenter-Cook Co.'s three C's coffee at Nicholas Laughlin's grocery store this week. The ladies of the city are invited to call and sample the coffee.

Mrs. Antoine Barabe received a severe fall on Tuesday evening while returning from Albert Boyce's place, sustaining injuries that will keep her in the house at least a few weeks. She is now under the care of a physician.

A good-sized delegation of Negaunee people will attend the "Monte Cristo" performance at Marquette this evening. For their benefit the late train leaving Marquette for Negaunee will be held until the close of the performance. Reduced rates of railroad fare will apply.

Dr. E. E. Lamb and wife of Republic visited Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes here Tuesday night. While in the city the doctor attended a meeting of the local council of the Royal Arcanum. He has been a member of the society for a number of years but this was the first opportunity he has had in a long time to attend a meeting of a branch of the order. Dr. Lamb returned home yesterday morning. Mrs. Lamb spent the day here and at Marquette.

New radishes, lettuce, beet greens, parsley, water cress received from the grower every day. Also a full line of fruits and vegetables at George Haupt's grocery. Both 'phones. (12-7-14)

Lower Michigan.

Mrs. Christina Gilmer, an old lady at Port Huron who had been living alone, was discovered dead in her room Monday morning, having been asphyxiated by escaping coal gas. She was seventy-four years of age.

The Lake Shore Basket factory at Coloma was destroyed by fire Monday night. The loss will reach \$30,000. A large quantity of material and machinery was destroyed. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

There was a bit of realism at a masquerade ball at Orion last week which was as exciting as it was unexpected. One dancer, costumed as a cowboy from the wild west, slipped and fell in such a way that his revolver was discharged. The ball grazed his hand, causing a slight wound, but, luckily, doing no further damage.

The clothing of Jennie Southgate, the seventeen-year-old invalid daughter of Robert Southgate, of Harrisville, caught fire from a stove Monday and the girl was so frightfully burned that she lived but six hours. The girl's mother was also seriously burned about the hands and arms, in her efforts to extinguish the flames.

Governor Bliss is advised by the auditor of the war department that an installment of \$7,888.15 of Michigan's claim against the general government on account of the Spanish-American war was included in the deficiency bill which passed congress that the sum will be received by the state in a few days.

The farmers of Lapeer county to the number of over 100, gathered at Lapeer Saturday to attend "Orange day." The occasion was the arrival of the regular purchases made by the order, and teams from all over the county were in, to cart the stuff away. The greater part of the purchases were of staple articles, groceries predominating. The merchants of the city watched the long procession wending its way out into the country, with keen satisfaction.

Representative A. L. Rich of Newaygo is charged with assaulting a child but twelve years old last Friday, as she was returning from school. Rich made a full confession to his mother, then drew a check for \$1,000 to effect a settlement and decamped. The accused was one of the most promising young men in that section. He was elected on the Republican legislative ticket two years ago over a brother farmer on the Democratic ticket. He is twenty-five years old, unmarried, and was recently left an inheritance of \$6,000 and a good farm by an aunt. He has other property and is worth some \$15,000. Rich was also secretary and treasurer of the Newaygo Grange Insurance company. His business affairs are all in good condition.

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J. N. Taylor, United States Mineral Surveyor, has just come down from Florence and reports great activity in the camp and that there is more development going on at the present time than there has ever been before in central Idaho.

In an interview with The Star reporter, Mr. Taylor said: "The Banner is working sixty men in getting their mine ready to start as soon as the hundred ton mill they are putting in is completed. This property has developed into a great mine, I believe the largest free milling gold mine in the Northwest. They have twenty-seven feet of \$14.00 ore in one drift, and twenty-three feet of \$66.00 ore in another drift. This property was bought by a New York syndicate composed of Henry Clews, Arbuckle Bros., and others a short time ago for two hundred thousand dollars, and the value of the property today is hard to estimate as they have a million dollars worth of ore blocked out.

"The Ozark mine lying north of the Banner is also drifting on a twenty-four foot ledge on the 100 foot level, and there is no question but that it will develop into a great mine, as it has the richest ore in the camp and has a greater showing as far as developed than the Banner. They expect to get the mill now on the property started by the first of March and add stamps enough as soon as the roads will permit in the spring to make their capacity 100 tons per day, and with these two big mines with others that are getting ready to start, the people of Florence are looking for a great boom in the spring. The town of Florence is full of mining men looking for bonds on property where the owners are not able to do the necessary development work to put the property on a paying basis but as usual the prospectors' idea since the development of the Banner and Ozark is such that they are hard to deal with in the way of price, but the people who are looking for the property have made liberal offers since the Banner and Ozark started, and I am satisfied will pick up most of the best properties between now and spring."

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Provide for Completion of Present Breakwater, the Construction of a New One and the Extension of the Presque Isle Structure.

News that will be pleasing to Marquette people has reached The Mining Journal from Washington.

Congressman Sheldon has secured the assurance of the leaders in the house that a substantial appropriation for harbor work here will be made at the present session of congress.

The improvements will be important. They will mean the expenditure of many thousands of dollars and will add considerably to Marquette's standing as one of the chief ports on the great lakes.

In brief, they provide for the following:

1. The completion of the present breakwater in the lower harbor, including the extension of the concrete work to the end of the structure.

2. The construction of a second breakwater, running along in line with the present structure and providing for a passageway for vessels between the two.

3. The taking of soundings and the making of surveys of the harbor preliminary to making it a harbor of refuge, which latter it is proposed to be accomplished by the erection later of a third breakwater extending from the shore on the south side of the bay.

4. The extension of the breakwater at the upper harbor 400 or 500 feet, and the filling in of the space between the structure and the Presque Isle shore as suggested by Peter White.

Congressman Sheldon has spent considerable time in pushing the projects at Washington, laboring not only with the members of the committee on rivers and harbors, but with the house leaders as well. He has had several hearings before the committee, and has now obtained the assurance that the necessary appropriations will be incorporated in the river and harbor bill now being drafted and soon to be presented to congress.

The news reaching The Mining Journal also stated that a plan for the establishment of a harbor of refuge at Partridge island, instead of at the city pier, had been advocated before the committee. This scheme, however, did not strike the upper business congressmen favorably or as expressive of the desires of the people and of the marine interests, and he opposed its consideration with the result that the committee accepted his views and arguments and decided in favor of the projects outlined above.

With the consent of the committee that the necessary appropriations will be carried by the river and harbor bill, it practically means that the contemplated improvements will be undertaken, for it is well understood that with projects of the kind it is over half the battle won when that sanction is obtained.

Congressman Sheldon does not pretend to be a "speech-maker" but that he is doing effective work for this district, his success in the particular instance here related is but another indication.

## CAUGHT SIXTY-SIX FISH.

County Treasurer Skoglund was in his office at the court house yesterday after several days spent with a party of 4-hunting gentlemen at Lake Independence, in the Big Bay district about thirty miles up the lake shore. The party, which comprised six gentlemen, first went to the lake at Sandusky Head, but the fishing through the ice was found to be poor there and Lake Independence, twelve miles further on, was tried. Here the fishermen were very successful, catching sixty-six pickerel which ranged from a pound to ten pounds in weight. The gentlemen made their headquarters at the new town being established by the Big Bay Lumber company and were much impressed with the evidences of prosperity they noted there. They returned with the belief that the town has a bright future before it.

## HAD NO MONEY IN BANK.

A young man well known about town was arrested yesterday on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. Although he had no money in the bank, it appears that he wrote a check for ten dollars and on a friend's endorsement it was cashed by a restaurant keeper who took out 25 cents for meals and handed back \$9.75 in change. The case may be settled without prosecution, as the culprit already has been badly frightened at the consequences of his act.

## ICE BOAT WRECKED.

Frank Smeat's iceboat has come to grief. With the owner at the tiller, the craft was skimming over the ice in the harbor Tuesday afternoon when it ran foul of a hillock of ice about the time a little squall swooped down on the outfit, and the result was disastrous. The mast and sail were torn out, having been raised with the boat in general—and Frank saw stars. The boat went in drydock yesterday and it is unlikely to again go into commission this winter.

The Chicago Department Store, 309 Front street, has closed its doors and will not resume business before Saturday morning, March 1st, the entire stock to be disposed of regardless of cost or value, by J. C. Rosenberg of Chicago. See small bills for prices, etc. (2-24-1f)

## JUDGE STONE GIVES WARNING.

Fines Peter Rasmussen \$75 and Delivers a Severe Arraignment.

Peter Rasmussen, the Washington street saloon keeper who on Monday at the opening of the February term of the circuit court pleaded guilty to the charge of violating the liquor law, was yesterday fined \$75 by Judge Stone. The assessment was paid and the defendant was released.

Technically, Rasmussen was arrested for keeping his place of business open when the statute says it shall be closed, but in pronouncing sentence the court accompanied his remarks with a severe arraignment of the practice, said to have been followed by some liquor dealers, of allowing lewd women entry into the saloons.

The judge gave plain warning that this was a condition of affairs that would not be permitted to exist, and that if his notification did not suffice he would summon a grand jury and keep it in session for six months at the expense of the county if that time be required for the indictment of the parties alleged to be guilty. In his remarks to the defendant the judge did not mince his words, but made it clear that the practice to which he in particular referred would not be allowed to flourish and that it is the intention to strictly enforce the liquor law in general, as in the case of Merritt White vs. Francis W. Sumbrook on trial. The litigation is a replevin case involving a team of horses and a question of money said to be due.

## "MONTE CRISTO" TONIGHT.

James O'Neill to Be Seen at Opera House in His Great Play.

James O'Neill, the eminent romantic actor, and the great supporting organization furnished by Liebler & Co., will be seen at the opera house this evening in a stupendous scenic production of "Monte Cristo." Mr. O'Neill's name has been associated for a number of years with the leading role in this splendid romantic play and the announcement of his coming was hailed with delight.

When it is added that "Monte Cristo" is put forth with a degree of scenic magnificence never before equalled in this country, it can be seen that the production is especially interesting. The play ran all last season in New York, Boston and Chicago. This year it has played return dates in all these cities, and it comes here directly from McVicker's theatre in Chicago.

The piece is said to be the most elaborately staged play ever seen in this country. There are a number of scenes of great beauty. The first act shows the harbor of Marseilles. A full rigged ship is seen in the port in full view of the audience, tacks about, and comes to anchor. Another ship is shown in the second act. The scene represents a terrific storm at sea. Forked lightning darts from the lowering clouds, and the sea is seen in all its fury. Dantes lay-captain escaped from the Chateau d'If by taking the place of a dead fellow convict and being thrown in the sea in a sack, is seen swimming for a lonely ocean rock. As he gains this haven, a thunderbolt flies from the heavens into the sea at his feet, and by its glare a pirate ship cut to pieces approaching to rescue Dantes from his perilous position. The conservatory and ballroom of the Hotel de Morelet is said to be one of the most elaborate scenes ever placed on the stage.

Mr. O'Neill's company is exceptionally large and is a notable one. The advance sale of seats indicates a big house.

## HAS WON EVERY RACE.

John Nilsson, the celebrated skater of Minneapolis, and wife spent yesterday in the city, taking advantage of an open day after Tuesday evening's engagement before leaving for the copper country, where Mr. Nilsson has several engagements. They have been traveling almost continually since the skating season opened, going as far eastward as Montreal, Pittsburg and cities on the Atlantic seaboard. During that time Mr. Nilsson has competed with many skaters of note and has not once been defeated, while financially also the tour, which is an annual one with him, has been very successful. The Minneapolis man is clearly entitled to the world's championship, having won the honor in open competition at the Montreal tournament and since then having defeated all skaters who have skated against him. The next world's championships will be held next winter at Montreal, and Nilsson intends to be there to defend his title. Mrs. Nilsson acts as manager for her noted husband, making all the engagements and arranging the itinerary of the various tours taken by the couple. She is well connected, is a perfect lady and has made warm friends during her short stay here.

A clear brain and healthy body are essential for success. Business men, teachers, students, housewives and other workers say Hood's Sarsaparilla gives them appetite and strength, and makes their work seem easy. It overcomes that tired feeling.

Too late to cure a cold after consumption has fastened its deadly grip on the lungs. Take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup while yet there is time.

## A PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

"I was troubled for about seven years with my stomach and in bed half my time," says E. Demick, Somerville, Ind. "I spent about \$1,000 and could get nothing to help me until I tried Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I have taken a few bottles and am entirely well." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does the stomach's work by digesting the food. You don't have to diet. Eat all you want. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures all stomach troubles. The Stafford Drug Co., H. N. Meloche Co., Ishpeming.

## NOTICE.

U. B. of Carpenters and Joiners of America, local union 958, of Marquette, Mich., demand that on or after the first day of April, 1902, the minimum wage shall be thirty-one and one-half cents (31 1/2 cents) per hour, and that nine hours shall constitute a day's work.

## Dated Feb. 7, 1902.

Signed and sealed, John G. Dumond, Pres. Jas. E. Scanlan, Rec. Sec. (2-10-4-1)

## BALL GAME WAS CLOSE.

Beavers Defeated at Houghton Last Night by the Score of 11 to 9.

A telephone message last evening brought the news that the Beavers had lost the first of the two games to be played with the Light Infantry team at Houghton, but by the close score of 11 to 9. The runs, by innings, were made as follows:

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Marquette . . . 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 2 4 9

## CITY BREVITIES.

Today's weather: Threatening. Brisk southeast winds.

Yesterday's temperature: 7 a. m., 38 degrees; noon, 45 degrees; 7 p. m., 40 degrees. Maximum, 45 degrees; minimum, 36 degrees.

See the February issue of "Chips." It's a hot one.

D. F. Foley of Ironwood was in Marquette yesterday.

A regular session of the Elks is scheduled for this evening.

Clark Kirkpatrick of Escanaba was a Marquette visitor yesterday.

A. T. Van Alstyn arrived yesterday morning on his return from Chicago.

S. S. Ormsbee left last evening for Milwaukee, called there by the illness of a sister.

Hon. John Q. Adams and C. L. Sporey were in the city yesterday from Neegaunee.

General Manager Fitch and General Passenger Agent Hubbard of the South Shore are in Montreal on business.

Mrs. Wm. Malone, formerly Miss Anne Smith, is here from Chicago on a visit at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Spencer Jacobs.

Although the advance tickets for "Monte Cristo" have been in great demand, there are still some choice seats in the parquet remaining untaken.

Peter VanOpens and Peter Galus, who have been at their homes here for the past month, have left for Milwaukee to resume their studies at St. Francis seminary.

Mrs. C. H. Kelsey left on her return to Houghton yesterday afternoon. She was accompanied by Mrs. Frank Van der Meer of Calumet, who had also been here since Friday.

The soft weather continued yesterday, with indications at evening that the warm spell was good for some days yet. Delivery wagons have to a great extent taken the place of sleighs.

George Mitchell leaves today for the copper country to skate against John Nilsson this evening in the new rink at Hancock. The copper country people are promised a good exhibition.

Miss Ethel Williams, who has spent the winter in the city and during that time has won for herself many warm friends, left this morning on her return to the Soo. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Van Houck.

The hull movement in Duluth, South Shore and Atlantic stock continued in Wall street yesterday. Coupled with it were rumors of consolidation, though with what road the proposed merger was to apply was not disclosed.

Today and tomorrow are the last days on which the general taxes can be paid to the city treasurer. After that the rolls will be turned over to the county treasurer and it will cost the taxpayer considerably more to square his accounts.

EL Mathews and two companions were spilled from a cutter at the corner of Front and Bluff streets yesterday afternoon as a result of the horse becoming frightened. The boys were shaken up, but no particular injury or damage was done.

Thomas F. Cole, general manager of the steel trust mines in the Lake Superior district, spent several hours in the city yesterday. Mr. Cole on his present trip is traveling in a private car belonging to the Duluth & Iron Range road, of which company he is president.

J. H. Wilson of Chicago came up yesterday from Munising, where he is building the new addition to the hospital for a hip visit by his daughter, Mrs. Anna Perrin, who has been here from Duluth for some days. Mr. Wilson, who with Contractor Smith built the federal building here, is well known and has many friends in Marquette.

Miss Virginia Keating, who takes a prominent part in the cast of "Monte Cristo," is a Menominee girl. Miss Josephine McMillan. She was advised to go on the stage by Rev. Father Dorney, a noted Catholic clergyman of Chicago and an uncle of the young lady, and although that was but a year ago she has already made a decided hit and is counted as one of the best members of Mr. O'Neill's supporting company.

Hager Bros. are showing a particularly fine line of brass bedsteads at remarkably low prices. A salesman who travels for a furniture house yesterday remarked that he could not see how the local concern could afford to sell the goods at the prices asked, and he but echoed the expression of others who had noticed the display in the window. It is evident that those desiring of possessing brass bedsteads will not have to look far for bargains.

Miss Martha Wilson, of Grabover's millinery department, has left for Cleveland to meet Miss Mattie Warren. The latter has been engaged as head trimmer by Mr. Grabover and he considers himself fortunate in securing her services. Last season Miss Warren was with the leading millinery establishments of Grand Rapids, and she is highly recommended. The two young ladies will spend several weeks in looking up the new styles in headgear and will arrive here about April 1.

## PARDON BOARD IN SESSION.

Meets at the Prison to Consider Petitions from Convicts.

The advisory board in the matter of pardons arrived yesterday afternoon from Lansing and held a short preliminary session at the warden's offices at the branch state prison. The board will resume its sessions this morning and it is expected, will finish up the business this afternoon. The petitions are presented by Judge R. E. Puleo of Three Rivers, Dr. F. W. Shumway of Williamson, Judge Wm. R. Kenrick of Saginaw, Senator C. W. Gidding and Secretary W. E. Reardon.

The board came here to investigate the cases of some fifteen or twenty convicts for whom applications for pardon have been filed. The prisoners will be heard and other testimony considered and later the board will submit a report on its deliberations to the governor, with such recommendations as it sees fit, either for pardons, paroles, or re-fusals of the same.

## Pardon Wanted for Peter Bons.

According to The Diamond Drill, the Crystal Falls people have been greatly surprised to learn that an effort is being made to secure a pardon for Peter Bons, the brutal rapist and murderer of Pearl Morrison, who was sent to Marquette prison for life from Iron county four years ago. The application has been made to the pardon board by persons interested in Bons, but who they are has not been ascertained. It is supposed that the interested parties are the parents and other relatives of the prisoner, who reside at Norway and are hard-working, respectable people.

The first intimation that anything of the kind was contemplated was conveyed in a letter written to Representative S. T. Handy, who was the present attorney at the time Bons was convicted. The letter was from the secretary of the pardon board and stated that an application had been made to the board for a pardon for Peter Bons.

The man was sentenced to solitary confinement for life and when taken to Marquette he was placed in a cell solitary. No work was at hand for the prisoners at that time and Bons had nothing on his hands but idleness. His mental calibre was never very great and under the strain of the solitary confinement he soon degenerated into a raving maniac. He was not one of the dangerous type but rather of the class termed "simple minded." He muddled away in his cell from daylight until dark. He did not seem to realize what was going on, about him and was totally unfit for keeping in the institution. He was taken from Marquette to the asylum for the criminal insane at Lonsing and later was pronounced sufficiently recovered to be returned to Marquette.

When he arrived at Marquette he was given a little work, stripping tobacco, to break the monotony of his incarceration, and although he performed his task of Calumet, he was not thoroughly satisfied. He was not to be kept to see that he did his work correctly. Matters drifted from bad to worse until his mental condition was again fully as bad as when he was first declared insane and he was again removed to Lonsing, where he is at the present time.

## TRADERS HAVE SOLD OUT.

Belief at Boston Said to Be That the Coppers Will Advance.

In its daily copper letter, Paine, Webber & Co. yesterday said: "Most of the active traders have sold their holdings of the coppers that have scored a good advance and are waiting for a reaction. The belief is now practically unanimous that the coppers are destined to see higher prices and the chances are that the reaction will not be allowed to run very far. The public interest in the coppers is much larger than it has been and we look for further rallies and higher prices."

Hayden, Stone & Co. advised the Laidley Commission company as follows: "The Triplication combination continues. The price was today lifted to the new record of 125, with subsequently a reaction to 108. As this stock is held, it is practically a corner and therefore while we do not believe in it, we think one is foolish to go short of it. There is much more distribution in Copper Consolidated, and while we do not look for any such advance we think it is likely to be the most active stock among the local coppers and think the insiders will assist its advance whenever opportunity affords. Do not forget, however, that there are over 285,000 shares. This little flurry in Copperman does not make us feel very bullish on it, but it may go some higher. Trinity will some day have a big advance, but not till Lawson has gotten in at lower prices the stock that has just been released from the pool."

## Rally in Wheat and Corn.

W. H. Laidley & Co. said of the Chicago grain markets: "Wheat opened lower on disappointing cables and heavier receipts. After the early weakness, however, during which time most of the local crowd got short, the market turned firmer in sympathy with corn and oats and rallied 1/4 cent, closing near the top. There is talk of a good export demand and also of damage to wheat in Nebraska. The strength of corn and a great deal to do with rallying wheat, and we hardly think it will sell much higher at the present time. Should prefer selling on the bulges."

"Corn opened a shade higher, on the cables and the cash demand. After early weakness, it turned strong under good buying and closed near the top. The primary receipts were very light, compared with last year, and the shipments were fair. There is a large short interest in corn and it may go higher."

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