

RAILROAD STRIKE STILL THREATENS

Peacemakers Knapp and Neill Report the Negotiations Progressing, but That Nothing Definite Has Yet Been Accomplished.

However, It Is Said the Trainmen Have Intimated Their Willingness to Make Some Concessions, the Nature of Which Is Not Disclosed to the Public, and It Is Probable That Both Sides Will Be Brought Together in Conference Today.

Chicago, March 31.—Martin A. Knapp, chairman of the interstate commerce commission, and Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, who came to Chicago to try to effect a solution of the controversy between the conductors and trainmen and the railroad managers, held a series of conferences today and tonight, with one side and then with the other.

Mr. Knapp tonight said that they were progressing, but that nothing definite had been accomplished. It was said in other quarters that the labor chiefs had intimated to the commissioners that they were willing to concede something in the interests of peace, but what concession they would make was not disclosed.

The railroad managers are said to have declared that they would grant nothing more than they already had offered the employees, and that the recent vote of the men in favor of a strike was not a fair criterion of the feeling entertained by the mass of employees toward the railroads.

No Change in Brewery Strike.

St. Louis, Mo., March 31.—The strike of the brewery employees remained unchanged today. The brewers announced that beginning tomorrow morning all men who apply for work will be engaged irrespective of whether they are union or non-union.

RECLAMATION SERVICE IS DOING GREAT WORK.

Ten Thousand People Now Living in What Was a Desert.

Washington, March 31.—A summary of the work of the reclamation service to January 1 shows that it has dug 1,267 miles of canals, or nearly the distance from Washington to Omaha.

Washington, March 31.—Secretary of the Navy Victor H. Metcalf and party arrived in Charleston on board the United States ship Dolphin this afternoon from San Juan, Porto Rico, and within an hour started for Washington. The secretary and party are well.

CRANK AT WHITE HOUSE.

Washington, March 31.—Charles A. Riley, who says he came from Rock Springs, Md., on a freight train, called at the White House Saturday to see the president. The president did not happen to be receiving at that time.

TEXAS GAMBLING LID NAILED ON.

Measure Passes Making Felony to Rent Building for Gambling.

MOB LYNCHES A NEGRO.

Colored Man Hanged at Durant, I. T., and Body Riddled With Bullets.

Operator of Moving Picture Machine Suffers Horrible Fate.

Lockport, N. Y., March 31.—Albert Phillips, operator of a moving picture machine in the Arcade theater, was burned to death last night.

CONVICTS PURCHASE OPIUM.

Drug Smuggling Scheme Discovered at the Ohio Penitentiary.

Columbus, O., March 31.—Edward Fisher, a foreman in the bolt works at the penitentiary, has been arrested while in the act of smuggling gum opium into the institution.

DROWNS CHILDREN AND HERSELF

SHOCKING DEED OF A NEW JERSEY WOMAN ASCRIBED TO MENTAL TROUBLE.

Dover, N. J., March 31.—Having fastened their garments to her own, Mrs. Otto Britting carried her two little children into Shungum lake, where all three were drowned.

The three had died in shallow water, and the mother's body was in a stooping position, as though she had bent over to place her head under water.

Double Tragedy at Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, March 31.—Joseph D. Havel last night shot his wife to death and then killed himself.

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PRESIDENT'S EASTER WORSHIP.

Washington, March 31.—President Roosevelt today attended Easter services at St. John's Episcopal church.

ALTON'S "RED FLYER" CRASHES INTO A BUGGY

TWO MEN AND THEIR WIVES KILLED AT A STREET CROSSING IN KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City, Mo., March 31.—Four persons in a buggy were killed this afternoon at the Fifteenth street crossing of the Chicago & Alton railroad by the "Red Flyer".

Many Hurt in B. & O. Collision.

Fairmont, W. Va., March 31.—A Baltimore & Ohio passenger train bound for Wheeling, W. Va., collided head-on with a freight train at Pritchard's Mills this afternoon.

Wife Pays Easter Visit.

Easter Sunday for Thaw in the Tombs was made cheerful by a visit from his wife, to whom had been granted a special permit to pass the afternoon with her husband.

THAW NOT SHAKEN BY HARD ORDEAL

Examined for Four Hours by Lunacy Commission and Jerome, His Showing Is Such as to Delight His Counsel.

State Gets a Severe Check When the Testimony of Dr. Hamilton Is Limited to Certain Particulars, but It Is Permitted to Bring Expert Witnesses Into the Hearing and for This Reason Adjournment Is Unexpectedly Taken Until Tomorrow.

New York, March 31.—The plans of the Thaw lunacy commission to complete its work and submit its report to Justice Fitzgerald Monday morning as to the defendant's present mental condition have been upset by an appeal from District Attorney Jerome to be allowed to produce more witnesses before the board reaches a decision.

After an all-day session the commission adjourned until next Tuesday morning, at which time it will hear experts offered by the prosecuting attorney. Chairman McClure served notice, however, that the witnesses will be compelled to confine themselves to facts and opinions which deal with the present condition of Thaw and will not be allowed to go into details of the past or future.

Thaw was under direct examination by the commissioners more than three hours Saturday, and then for forty-five minutes was under the fire of Jerome on cross-examination. This cross-examination was allowed by the commission only after vehement protest from the prosecuting officer that he had not been afforded sufficient latitude in the inquiry.

Hard Blow Dealt Jerome.

Enjoying his first opportunity of questioning the defendant, Mr. Jerome attempted to go into Thaw's past life, but objections to this line of examination by Thaw's counsel were sustained by the commission, which held the district attorney took extraordinary precautions to avoid the hearing kept secret.

Thaw's direct and cross-examinations were held behind closed doors and the commission took extraordinary precautions to avoid the hearing kept secret.

Jerome claimed that the defense, by introducing Hamilton as a witness in the Thaw trial, had waived the right of privilege. The commission held that as the privilege had not been waived before, Hamilton could not testify as to his personal examinations of Thaw.

Expert Evidence Admitted.

Jerome took but a desultory interest in the proceedings after this, until it seemed that the commission was about to close its inquiry. Then he jumped to introducing Hamilton as a witness in the Thaw trial, had waived the right of privilege.

After the hearing Thaw's attorneys expressed themselves as entirely satisfied with the final stages of their client's severe examination. Jerome's cross-examination, the attorneys declared, did not shake Thaw in the least.

LAND DISTRICTS GROUPED TOGETHER

DULUTH OFFICE TO HAVE SUPERVISION IN MICHIGAN, MINNESOTA AND WISCONSIN.

Washington, March 31.—Under an order just promulgated by the commissioner of the general land office, all land districts in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan will hereafter be under the personal supervision of S. J. Colter, with headquarters at Duluth.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Washington, March 31.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Fair and warmer, Monday; Tuesday, partly cloudy and warmer, showers in the afternoon or night; increasing east to south winds.

SOCIALISTS LIKE IT.

Say President's "Theft" of Their Thunder Aids Their Cause.

Milwaukee, March 31.—Victor L. Berger, founder of the Social Democratic party, tonight announced the plans of the national executive board for spreading socialism into twenty-six states where the interest is now lukewarm.

ABRAHAM RUEF, CORPORATION TOOL

FRISCO POLITICAL BOSS IN THE PAY OF A TELEPHONE COMPANY AT \$1,200 A MONTH.

San Francisco, March 31.—Two new sensational pieces of evidence in the bribery graft investigation have been before the grand jury.

Statement of the Mayor.

Mayor Schmitz today issued a statement denying the charge made by the prosecution that he is endeavoring to cause the resignation of a certain number of supervisors in order to fill their places with men who would frustrate any attempt on the part of the supervisory board to revoke these public service franchises which they are accused of having awarded as the result of bribery.

BATTLE ROYAL BOOKED IN OHIO

CHALLENGE OF SENATOR FORAKER IS ACCEPTED IN BEHALF OF SECRETARY TAFT.

Cincinnati, March 31.—In reply to the statement made public by Senator J. B. Foraker, a few days ago, Charles P. Taft, proprietor and editor of the Cincinnati Times-Star, gives out the following in behalf of his brother, Secretary of War Taft.

Senator Foraker's statement indicates that he is running for the presidency and for the senatorship. The friends of Secretary Taft are urging him for the presidency. As the senator has included the two offices in this primary contest, Secretary Taft's friends accept the proposition and will make it a distinct contest; Taft for the presidency or senatorship, or Foraker for the presidency or senatorship.

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Bucharest, March 31.—It is semi-officially stated that in many districts the peasants are repairing the damages done to property and are restoring stolen goods to the owners.

Disturbances are reported from Putna, in Moldavia, and many cases of plundering, incendiarism and armed conflicts in Wallachia.

At Galicea, in the center of the disturbed area, all of the ring-leaders have been captured. The communes of Huerzani and Pegeni, however, are in full revolt, and troops have been dispatched there.

According to the official report, there was no fresh rioting today anywhere in the districts in which there were outbreaks of murder, pillage and incendiarism by the peasants last week.

Field guns loaded with grape shot, according to official reports, are winning against the revolutionary peasantry, whose arms are mostly hay forks and scythe blades.

Mowed Down With Grape Shot.

Berlin, March 31.—Special dispatches from Roumania give these details of the revolt in that country.

Pitched Battle at Galatz.

Details of the attack made by the peasants on Galatz show that a pitched battle was fought. The insurgents, who were several thousand strong, commenced the assault at midnight, carried the outer outworks by storm and captured a suburb, which they set on fire, after pillaging it.

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Rapolla, Italy, March 31.—Originally it was intended by Prince von Buelow, the German imperial chancellor, and Signor Tittoni, Italian minister for foreign affairs, that not the slightest political importance should attach to their meeting; but after a two hours' conference at the Imperial Palace Hotel this morning it was decided before separating to issue an official statement, as follows:

"This morning there took place a long and amicable discussion between Von Buelow and Signor Tittoni. Although the conference was not brought about by political reasons, naturally the subjects of conversation were political questions now occupying the international field.

Although the strictest secrecy is maintained concerning the meeting of the diplomats, it seems that the chief discussion was concerning the efficiency and strength of the triple alliance, and that it was especially argued that the reciprocal relations between Austria and Italy should be strengthened, as the greatest danger threatening the two powers was the conflict between themselves, which the triple alliance wished to avoid.

It is asserted that the German chancellor is not opposed to the principle of the general limitation of armaments, but that he will reserve his actual adhesion to it until a practical way for its application is found.

FIRE DAMAGES PALACE BUILT CENTURIES AGO

U. S. AMBASSADOR L. C. GRISCOM FIGHTS FLAMES IN HIS HISTORIC RESIDENCE IN ROME.

Rome, March 31.—While Lloyd C. Griscom, American ambassador, and Mrs. Griscom were returning from Easter services at the American church today, they saw smoke rising from the roof of their home, the Palazzo del Drago.

When the firemen arrived, the beams, which were put in place centuries ago, were burning briskly. The roof over the attic collapsed, causing the center portion of the ceiling of the magnificent ball room to fall.

SOVEREIGNS TO MEET.

King Edward to Visit With Alfonso at Cartagena, in Spain.

London, March 31.—King Edward will leave Biarritz April 5 for Toulon, whence he will proceed the following day, on board the royal yacht, for Cartagena to meet King Alfonso of Spain.

MISSING CHILD FOUND IN WOODS

CAPTORS OF THE LITTLE SON OF DR. MARVIN, OF DOVER, FRIGHTENED, RELEASE HIM.

Dover, Del., March 31.—The little son of Dr. H. N. Marvin, who was kidnapped several weeks ago, has been discovered wandering in the woods near his father's home, where he evidently had been abandoned by his captors.

OLD DEEDS ARE FOUND.

Bristol, Tenn., March 31.—According to a deed which has been unearthed in the old court house at Wytheville, Va., by persons engaged in going over the old records of Wythe county, Va., 3,000,000 acres of land in southwest Virginia once sold for about a half cent an acre.

CHICAGO FIGHT IS COMPLICATED

Referendum on the Traction Question an Important Feature of the Municipal Election in the Western Metropolis Tomorrow.

Chicago will hold its municipal election on Tuesday. The issue between Fred A. Busse, postmaster and Republican candidate for mayor, and Mayor Edward F. Dunne, Democratic candidate for re-election, is complicated by the referendum on the traction question.

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MARQUETTE, MICH., APRIL 1.

Entered as mail matter of the second class  
in the postoffice at Marquette, Mich.

Vote early, but not often.

"The Taxpayer" is still pausing for a  
reply.

Also don't forget the amendments to  
the state constitution.

The voting machines, it seems, are go-  
ing to get only a half-trial.

We always supposed Chicago had  
enough mud of her own, without im-  
porting any from New York.

Take a moment, even in the bustle of  
election day, to glance over the city re-  
port. It will be worth while.

The senate gives plenty of evidence of  
what it would do to Governor Warner,  
if it could only get a hammerlock hold.

Evidently Judge Knapp-Calumet &  
Hecla matter with great thoroughness.

Mr. Hearst had to go to Chicago, but  
nobody had to go to New York to tell  
New Yorkers about Mr. Hearst.

Tom Lawson is a bull again. Last  
time Tom was a bull, and it was but a  
few weeks ago, he cost his following  
some uncounted millions of dollars.

Whether or not the governor gets all  
he wants, it has been made clear beyond  
any debate that the Michigan railroads  
will know the legislature has been in  
session.

Captain-commander of the mud brig-  
ade, W. R. Hearst, is outdoing even his  
former masterly efforts in the current  
Chicago campaign. If you don't believe  
it buy a copy of his paper.

The railroads may have won a partial  
victory from Governor Warner, in hav-  
ing a substitute bill reported by the  
senate committee, but it is evident that  
the smaller roads of the upper peninsula  
didn't participate in it.

Don't overlook voting on the voting  
machine proposition today. It is im-  
portant for the guidance of the council  
and city officials that expression be given  
to the majority sentiment. People fa-  
voring the machines should not fail to  
vote "yes" on the question of their  
adoption.

It may be remarked that the people  
in this end of the county would have  
more sympathy for the political tribula-  
tions of Mr. Peters, of Ishpeming, had  
Mr. Peters confined his campaigning to  
his own territory when the First district  
of the county was busy electing a rep-  
resentative last fall.

The municipal lighting plant is one  
of the issues in the Escanaba election.  
In the Sandy City there is said to be  
some difference of opinion in regard to  
the municipal plant, though on the sub-  
ject of lard houses, slot machines, all  
night saloons, et cetera, sentiment seems  
to be tolerably unanimous.

According to the Ishpeming Iron Ore,  
William Peters, prospective candidate on  
slips for municipal judge, wanted \$600,  
deposited in the Miners' National, to be  
drawn at the rate of \$60 a month, as a  
consideration for not running for the  
office. How simple politics will be when  
we get 'em on an absolutely cash basis.

With private donations coming in  
\$100,000 chunks, to further the work of  
rounding up the San Francisco grafters,  
the resourcefulness of those gentlemen  
in keeping out of the tolls of the law  
promises to be severely taxed. There is  
no doubt that San Francisco public opin-  
ion is thoroughly aroused, and a thor-  
oughly aroused public opinion, backed  
by plenty of money for the field work,  
is an effective instrument for any re-  
form program.

Alderman Gustafson's communication  
again shows that Mr. Ward is for Wal-  
ter T. first, last and all the time, and  
that where he has a selfish purpose to

serve no consideration of loyalty to a  
former friend and supporter carries any  
weight with him. Walter T. must have  
a clear track; indeed, he wants the whole  
right-of-way. Alderman Gustafson had  
been a consistent supporter of his past  
two years or more, but he is to be  
bowled over, if Walter T. can pull the  
thing off, just as if he had been a con-  
sistent opponent. Men who ride over  
their friends and supporters don't usu-  
ally last long in politics, and many people  
believe that Walter T. is scheduled for  
a big bump this day.

Says the Ishpeming Iron Ore:  
The argument that the proposed  
amendment to the mining bill affected  
the iron country, and that discovery in-  
duced members from the iron-producing  
districts to move for its reconsideration,  
has a rather selfish sound. If it was a  
good thing for the mines of the copper  
section of Michigan, why not also for  
the iron mining sections? Iron Ore  
hasn't any patience with that presenta-  
tion, and we know it to be dishonest.  
If the members made a mistake, then  
acknowledge it, but don't try to make it  
appear we have a grudge against the  
copper concerns, for all this happened  
before the recent slump in copper shares.  
Let us say the members were hypnotized.

Compared with those of the past two  
years our municipal campaign, now  
closed, has been a good-natured, cleanly  
affair. The candidates, Mr. Robertson  
and Mr. Warner, have conducted them-  
selves in a decorous manner, and have  
done nothing, as far as The Mining  
Journal knows, to cause the better class  
of their supporters any regret. It has  
been generally commented that the cam-  
paign has been conducted in fairly good  
spirit, and it is believed that the results  
will leave no sore spots to prevent the  
new mayor, whichever of the candidates  
he may be, from working in harmony  
with the council to further the best in-  
terests of the city and to allay whatever  
factional feeling is left over from the  
election. As for the campaign, it's all  
over but the voting and the shouting.

**THE CITY REPORT.**  
The Mining Journal this morning  
prints the city report for the fiscal year  
ending March 13. It is a comprehensive  
resume of the operations of all city  
boards and officials. In it every dollar  
raised by taxation the past year and  
carried over from previous years is ac-  
counted for. It is a report that every  
taxpayer should look over carefully, as  
it shows him just where the city, and  
consequently all the taxpayers in the  
city, stands.

It will be observed in a survey of the  
report that the boards make a good  
showing. That of the light and power  
commission, which has already been re-  
ferred to in The Mining Journal in some  
detail, is particularly gratifying. This  
commission paid \$5,500 of an old in-  
debtedness back to the general fund of  
the city during the year, and besides this  
brought its cash balance up to \$30,000  
in round numbers, or a gain of some-  
thing over 100 per cent during the year.  
The report on the operations of the  
plant is comprehensive, and there is no  
excuse for any interested person having  
any misunderstanding about its pres-  
ent financial condition, or about what  
the money has been spent for during the  
past year. The board of fire and water  
commissioners' report is as compre-  
hensive in its way as that on the city's  
lighting and power plant, and shows  
satisfactory conditions in that depart-  
ment, though in it there is not the same  
opportunity for increasing earnings and  
thereby piling up a cash balance as is  
the case with the light and power plant.  
Other departments and the city officials  
make full showings in regard to their  
year's activities.

Marquette's full annual report is un-  
ique in the upper peninsula. There is no  
other city north of the Straits that is at  
so much trouble and expense to let the  
taxpayers and voters know how the  
money is spent from year to year. The  
Mining Journal believes that the report is  
an excellent feature, worth all and  
more than it costs. It recommends not  
only that this year's report be carefully  
studied, but that it be filed away with  
previous and future reports for pur-  
poses of comparison. It is only by  
comparing the variations in the tax rate  
from year to year, and the comparative  
showing of different men in different de-  
partments.

Taxpayers will find that the fiscal  
year lately closed has been  
marked neither by great extravagance  
or great economies. The report shows  
it to have been an average year, as far  
as the general city government is con-  
cerned. The report will lay low some  
stories of bad management of city funds  
that have been heard. Whatever differ-  
ences of opinion may exist in regard to  
the merits or demerits of the adminis-  
tration that in now making its last gasp,  
the actual figures show an average, and  
creditable, business management of the  
city's affairs for the past year.

Another interesting exhibit in con-  
nection with municipal affairs is the report  
of the Indiana Auditing company, just  
received. It would do some of the  
chronic pessimists good to read this  
document. It records a high measure of  
praise for the general management of  
city affairs, and the methods of account-  
ing in vogue, though suggesting some ad-  
visable changes. The auditors found all  
accounts correct. They hold the city of-  
ficials proper to have discharged their  
trusts well and faithfully. Their find-  
ings indicate that not one dollar has  
been irregularly filched from the city  
treasury. Such leakages as Marquette  
has suffered have been from the indiffer-  
ent management of incapable men sent  
to the council and there placed in po-  
sitions beyond their depth. There has been  
rather too much of this, but the remedy  
lies in the voters' own hands.

**A LAUGH OR TWO.**  
Misunderstood.  
He grieved because she heard his love  
And did not seem to hear.  
She grieved because he took her "No,"  
And did not persevere.

He thought she loved another chap,  
She took his love so cool;  
She thought he did not love her much  
Or else he was a fool.

He tried to brave the battle through  
And so forget the spurn;  
She hid her disappointment but  
She never ceased to yearn.

He wed a girl he might have loved  
Had he remembered not;  
She wed a man she tried to love,  
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**Afraid to Risk It.**  
When the Hon. Beverly Tucker, min-  
ister to the court of St. James, was pre-  
sented to Queen Victoria, she indicated  
that he be seated, by that slight motion  
of her plump hand, which all England  
obeyed. Tucker was portly and heavy,  
and the only available chair was fragile  
and small. He appeared not to notice  
the invitation. A moment later it was  
repeated, for even at that first inter-  
view began the queen's liking for Min-  
ister Tucker, which ripened into such an  
intimate friendship as no other Ameri-  
can ever enjoyed with her majesty. Still  
the weakness of things terrestrial was  
more potent than the finger of Victoria,  
and Tucker again ignored the command,  
Then the Queen put it in words, when  
Tucker, with a profound bow, replied:  
"Your Majesty, I never sit in the pres-  
ence of royalty."

"I accept the compliment at your  
hands," replied the Queen; "and now you  
must accept comfort at mine."  
"Comfort?" exclaimed Mr. Tucker.  
"Why, I would break my back and your  
majesty's chair if I attempted to sit  
in it!"—Willard French in Lippincott's.

**The Light-Headed Sex.**  
"Begorra, me love, it is stated thoi  
Said Pat to his Nora one day,  
"Has a brain that is built on a heavier  
plan  
Than woman's—now, phat do ye say?"  
"Oim not sayin' navthin'," said Nora,  
"except,  
If we weren't light-headed, bodad,  
We never would marry the men thot we  
do."

So I guess ye spalpanes should be  
glad!  
—William Wallace Whitelock in Lip-  
pincott's.

**Adaptable.**  
Small Robbie was laboring over a  
drawing which was obviously of great  
importance.  
His mother, who was sewing in the  
room, got up to see what he was doing.  
"What is it you are drawing, dear?"  
she said, as she stood behind him.  
Robbie was embarrassed. Struggling  
to cover his nervousness, he answered  
with an air of great nonchalance:  
"Oh, it's papa I'm drawing, but I  
don't care anything about it. Guess I'll  
put a tail to it, and have it for a dog."  
—Lippincott's.

**A. O. C. in Difficulties.**  
"Now, sir, I hope we shall have no  
difficulty in getting you to speak up,"  
said the barrister, in a very loud, com-  
manding voice.  
"I hope not, sir," shouted the witness,  
at the top of his lungs.  
"How dare you speak to me in that  
way?" cried the lawyer.  
"Because I can't speak no louder, sir,"  
said the hostler.  
"Have you been drinking?"  
"Yes, sir."  
"I should infer so from your conduct.  
What have you been drinking?"  
"Coffee," hoarsely vociferated the  
knight of the stable.  
"Something stronger than coffee, sir,  
you've been drinking! Don't look at me  
like that, sir!" furiously. "Look at the  
jury, sir! Did you have something in  
your coffee, sir?"  
"Yes, sir."  
"What was it?"  
"Sugar."  
"This man is no fool, my lord—he is  
worse!" stormed the counsel.  
"Now, sir—turning to the witness—  
"look at me. What besides sugar did  
you take in your coffee this morning?"  
The hostler collected his forces, drew a  
deep breath, and, in a voice that could  
have been heard half a mile away, bel-  
lowed out:  
"A spune! A spune, an' nothing else!"  
—Tit-Bits.

**What Is Art?**  
Oliver Herford, the witty artist and  
versemaker, was one day piloting a  
friend from "up the state" through the  
Metropolitan museum. The friend  
seemed especially interested in the statu-  
ary. "I've often wondered," said he,

"whether sculpture was the most diffi-  
cult of the arts."  
"Oh, I don't know," remarked Herford,  
with affected nonchalance; "all the  
sculptor has to do is to take a block of  
marble and a chisel; then knock off all  
the marble he doesn't want."—Ridge-  
ways.

**Business Is Business.**  
"Doctor," said a shrewd-looking man,  
"how many feet of gas does it take to  
kill a man?"  
"That's a queer question," replied the  
doctor; "why do you wish to know?"  
"One of the guests at my hotel used  
enough of it to kill himself, and I want  
to send in a proper bill to his executors."  
—Answers.

**He Had None.**  
Friend (to newly made widow)—I sup-  
pose you are going to erect a lasting  
monument to your husband's memory?  
Widow—To his memory, no. Poor Isid-  
or had none. It was only yesterday  
that in turning out one of his old coats I  
found the pockets full of letters I had  
given him to post.—Bon Vivant.

**The Proof.**  
Lawson—Is he rich?  
Dawson—Fabulously. Why, he stayed  
three days once at a Florida hotel.—  
Somerville Journal.

**PERSONAL POINTS**  
The mother of the king of Portugal is  
said to have been bankrupt through her  
passion for dress. The king has virtu-  
ally banished her to Italy.

Amanda S. McKee, nominee on both  
tickets for treasurer of Missouri, Cal.,  
has already served one term, and  
having no opposition, will succeed her-  
self. She is the wife of a photographer.

William Archer is coming over from  
England to take part in the delibera-  
tions of the simplified spelling board in  
New York this week. David Star Jor-  
dan and Andrew Carnegie will be promi-  
nent.

James E. Martine, the "farmer orator"  
of New Jersey, enjoys the distinction  
of having been the treasurer of his party  
—the Democratic—for almost every  
office in his county and senate district  
for the last thirty years without ever  
having won.

George W. Woodruff, who has been ap-  
pointed as assistant attorney general of  
the United States, was a distinguished  
athlete at Yale and was captain of the  
crew in his senior year. Before entering  
the forest service several years ago he  
was a distinguished lawyer.

Dr. Alfred C. Haddon, the English  
ethnologist, who has traversed the wilds  
of Africa, New Guinea and Melanesia, is  
in this country to make an inspection of  
the American museums. He has been  
here before and has a high opinion of  
American interest in scientific investi-  
gations.

Nathaniel W. Voorhes, father of ex-  
Governor Foster M. Voorhes of New  
Jersey, was a delegate to the national  
convention of 1860 which nominated Lin-  
coln for the presidency. Mr. Voorhes,  
who is now nearly eighty years old, be-  
lieves that he and United States Senator  
Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois are the  
only surviving members of that historic  
gathering.

A sailor from his fifteenth year, who  
after several voyages left the sea at  
San Francisco, tramped through the  
United States, being a barkeeper, a  
Tammany "runner" and many other  
things before he was twenty-six, is one  
of the newest figures in English literary  
life. This is John Massfield, known as a  
writer of fine sea poems, editor of an  
anthology called "A Sailor's Garland"  
and a writer of prose sketches.

Cardinal Merry del Val, papal secre-  
tary of state, is an accomplished man.  
He speaks all languages. His English is  
perfect; he is a finished scholar, an ex-  
tremely fine diplomatist, a rare judge  
of men. He was born in London of dis-  
tinguished Spanish-Irish parentage in  
1865. Before he was thirty-nine years  
of age he was a cardinal; a year later  
he was made cardinal secretary of state.

W. W. Finley, the new president of  
the Southern railway, following the ex-  
ample of his predecessor, Samuel Spen-  
cer, who was killed in a wreck some  
time ago, is going among the people  
served by his network of lines and talk-  
ing with them face to face. Mr. Spencer  
inaugurated this policy two or three  
years ago and found that it was ben-  
eficial in creating a better understanding  
and a more friendly feeling between the  
Southern and its patrons.

In the past year it has come to be a  
common thing for citizens in various  
parts of the country to write to Presi-  
dent Roosevelt direct when they have  
complaint to make regarding the con-  
duct of federal affairs in their districts.  
Sometimes as many as half a score  
such letters are received at the White  
house in a single day. Some of these

epistles evidently are written by persons  
of education, but all indicate belief that  
the president attends to everything him-  
self.

Columbia university, New York, is to  
have a mathematical museum, the nu-  
cleus of which will be the collection of  
mathematical models purchased for the  
university by ex-President Seth Low at  
the World's Columbian exposition here in  
1893 and presented by him to the depart-  
ment of mathematics. Among other  
things will be a collection of models con-  
structed by Dr. Martin Schilling of  
Halle, Germany, and also one belonging  
to Professor Wiener of Darmstadt and  
a set of mathematical instruments from  
the institute of Dr. G. Coradi of Zurich.

Justice Maule is regarded as the lead-  
ing judicial wit in England. He had  
doubts as to the credibility of a witness  
on one occasion and the man declared  
that he had been "wedded to truth" from  
infancy. "That may be," said the jus-  
tice, "but the question is how long have  
you been divorced?" A little girl was a  
witness before him and he proceeded to  
ascertain whether she knew the na-  
ture of an oath. The child in answer to  
questions said she would go to heaven  
if she told the truth, but would go to  
the other place if she told lies. "Are  
you sure of that, my dear?" Justice  
Maule asked. "Yes, sir, quite sure."  
"Let her be sworn," said the court, "she  
knows more than I do."

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er's ..... 76c  
Cocoa, 1/2 lb. Walter Baker's or  
Runkels ..... 21c  
Soda Crackers, 20 lb. box, fresh  
Baker's ..... \$1.25  
Queen Ann Soap, 10 bars. 35c  
Gold Dust, large package. 18c  
Corn Starch, 1 lb package. 65c  
4 pounds Rice ..... 25c  
Pure Leaf Lard per lb 12c  
Cooking Figs, per lb. .... 68c  
Vanilla Beans, 5 lb. .... 20c  
Baked Pork and Beans, tomato  
sauce, 3 lb can. .... 10c  
Mince Meat, 3 packages finest  
quality. .... 56c  
Bell Coffee, per lb. .... 18c  
Salmon, extra quality, 1 lb flat  
cans ..... 22c  
Tapioca, 3 packages. .... 25c  
Salmon, Red Alaska, 2 lb can. 53c  
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asonable prices  
25 lb sack Sugar \$1.40  
Quaker Oats, 2 lb. package. .... 10c  
Rolled Oats, 6 lb sack. .... 22c  
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Rolled Oats, with dish, 5 lb.  
package ..... 22c  
Pickles, sour, per dozen ..... 10c  
Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit,  
2 packages for ..... 23c  
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Enquire of Frank Hammond, on the premises  
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**VICTORIA COPPER.**

Victoria Copper stock, listed on the  
Boston Stock Exchange, is on the eve of  
an advance in price, which will carry it  
from its present level of \$10 per share to  
very much higher prices.

**VICTORIA A MARVEL OF  
ECONOMICAL OPERATION.**  
Located in the Lake Superior region of  
Michigan, the Victoria Copper Mine,  
opened in 1770, is the pioneer. Much  
money has been expended upon the prop-  
erty in recent years, which has brought  
it to a state of efficiency, placing it in  
the front ranks of Lake Copper.  
The Victoria possesses a distinct ad-  
vantage over all other Michigan mines in  
its recently completed hydraulic pneu-  
matic

**POWER PLANT.**  
The most powerful single-unit air com-  
pressor in existence, there being but four  
such plants in the world. This power plant  
is practically automatic and furnishes five fold  
as much power as the mill requires; hence  
it is possible for the Victoria to produce  
its copper at a marvelously low cost. The  
plant has been in operation but a few  
months. Nearly 200,000 tons of stamp rock  
have been developed and considerable has  
been accumulated on the surface from open-  
ing work. For the past three years the man-  
agement, considering that enough ground  
had been opened, has devoted its time  
and money to the construction of a mill  
and water power plant. The property  
is now in a position to make money for  
its stockholders. An interesting descrip-  
tion of the water power plant will be  
found in "Victoria's Copper Hand Book,"  
1906 edition.

**AN INDEPENDENT ASSET.**  
In the operation of its water power  
plant no machinery is required and no  
fuel is used. In this respect the Victoria  
is unique, as all other Michigan mines  
are of necessity large consumers of fuel.  
This hydraulic plant furnishes an en-  
ergy of 5,000 horse power, which it is  
using at present but one-fifth. If the  
mine were shut down, its power could be  
farmed out and produce a minimum net  
income of \$150,000 per annum, equiva-  
lent to 20 per cent on the present selling  
price of the stamp rock, which is an in-  
dependent asset, obviously worth the in-  
dependent capitalization of the Victoria  
Copper Mining company on a 6 per cent basis.

**FACTS EASY TO VERIFY.**  
The Victoria Copper Mining company  
has 1,400 stockholders. Half of these are  
Michigan people, many of whom are  
employees of the Lake Copper mines.  
There are 700 stockholders in Boston and  
throughout New England; others in Chi-  
cago, Milwaukee, Duluth, Detroit and  
Cleveland.  
Practically every prominent banking  
house and Stock Exchange firm in Bos-  
ton is a Victoria stockholder.  
The Victoria is now employing 250  
men. Its profits have recently averaged  
\$10,000 per month. By the addition of  
an extra cylinder on the stamp mill,  
which will be accomplished within two  
weeks, the stamp mill can net from  
\$175,000 to \$225,000 per annum from its  
mining operations.  
Negotiations now pending for furnish-  
ing power to a nearby corporation will  
add \$100,000 per year to the net earn-  
ings.  
The capitalization is 100,000 shares,  
par value \$25.  
The Victoria has absolutely the cheap-  
est water power of any mine in the  
world.

Its property consists of 2,300 acres in  
Ontonagon county, Michigan, practically  
all on the mineral belt, which is  
The main shaft is 2,000 feet deep, with  
nineteen levels and 27,000 feet of under-  
ground workings.  
Other property comprises a mill, ma-  
chine shop, warehouse, boarding house,  
school house, general store and fifty-  
eight dwellings.  
The company is out of debt.  
**1,400 STOCKHOLDERS WILL  
MAKE PROFITS.**  
One of the directors of the company,  
on being approached with an offer of \$10  
per share, which was \$2 per share above  
existing quotations, telegraphed the fol-  
lowing reply: "Will not sell my stock  
at twice your offer. Have been adding  
to my holdings, believing stock to be  
worth par."

The 1,400 stockholders know that suf-  
ficient stock is blocked out to test the  
present capacity for four years to come;  
also that by reason of its hydraulic  
power plant it has five times as much  
power as it can use, delivered practically  
free, rendering it possible to make a re-  
asonable safe margin of profit on a 13c  
copper market.  
An upward movement in a particular  
stock, entitled by actual intrinsic merit  
to advance from 100 per cent to 200 per  
cent, is facilitated by making the facts  
known to the investing public.

**PUBLICITY CREATES BUYING  
POWER.**  
A public co-operative buying move-  
ment, accompanied by the disclosure of  
intrinsic values, is a legitimate movement  
based upon facts, not theories, and there-  
fore sane. It is minus the gambler's  
"risk of loss" and plus a confident con-  
viction in higher prices, as 2x2 make 4,  
and not 0.  
Assets, earnings and management are  
the three features which constitute val-  
ues. Ascertain what these are and reason  
for yourself whether Victoria stock,  
quoted under \$10 per share, is selling for  
all it is worth, or one-third or one-half  
of a reasonable valuation.  
You can obtain the desired informa-  
tion from any reputable Boston stock  
broker or banking house, or through any  
legitimate stock broker having New York  
or Boston Stock Exchange connections.  
Under the circumstances, it would be  
superfluous for the writer to predict just  
how high Victoria Copper stock will sell  
on this movement. My investigation has  
been most thorough, and I am warranted  
in stating that the stock is a safe invest-  
ment, which will pay large dividends and  
steadily advance to very much higher  
prices.

**Claude Ashbrook.**  
Cincinnati, March 18, 1907.  
**W. F. E. ROELOFSON,**  
Victoria Mining Stock bought and sold  
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# Copper Country

TODAY IS ELECTION DAY.

More or Less Exciting Battle of the Ballots is the Schedule.

Today is election day. And there is little that can be said about it. The officers to be voted for are the various township officials, justice of the supreme court, regents of the university and members of the state board of education. There are no proposed amendments to the state constitution. In the case of the latter the vote will be affirmative here; the Republican state candidates will receive the usual majority, but about some of the township candidates there is nothing so sure.

There are a great many contests in the county, that of Oliver Marion and Casper Brand in Houghton being about the liveliest. They seek the office of clerk of Portage township. Marion last week made certain charges against Judge Brand. Since then one of the best informed professional men in Houghton advises The Mining Journal that the allegations are untrue, and that the proof awaits any one who will care to call at the township offices. This is the only fight in the county which seems to be acrimonious at all, though Eugene Lynch's contest to wrest the supervisorship of Franklin township from W. S. Cleaves is a pretty interesting matter. However, Hanson MacDowell, superintendent of Mr. Cleaves' furnaces, says his boss is going to be elected, as he can get all the votes he needs in the foundries themselves. Such statements as this are permitted in the copper country on election day only when it falls on April 1.

PASSING OF LENT.

Easter Sunday Yesterday Was Devoid of Fashion's Features.

The memory of the oldest inhabitant could not recall yesterday when the copper country had a more unlighted Easter Sunday. It did not answer the purpose at all. After the snow of last Friday, followed by the cold of Saturday, the Easter Sunday streets presented a dreary, dangerous to life and limb. The weather was very cold. The expected millinery parade did not develop in any of the towns. There were special services in the churches and the attendance was large, but the church going was done in sombre attire and not in the gay adornment of the springtime. The Quincey band is going to give a promenade Wednesday night in Germania Hall as an experiment. If the initial dance is successful, the band will make it a feature.

The first post-Lenten social event was the last night of the Young Men's Catholic club of Calumet in the Sacred Heart parish hall. It was the annual gathering. P. H. O'Brien was the toastmaster, and addresses were made by Father Simon, Christopher Lowery, Edward McCormack and Martin Dooly, Patrick Lutz sang. The A. O. H. of Calumet will give a promenade tonight in the Calumet Armory. The annual ball of Portage camp, Modern Woodmen, in Hancock, will be given tonight in Germania Hall. The Michigan College of Mines students will conduct a dance in the gymnasium next Friday night.

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# Mining News

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

High Prices Are Assured for Copper for a Long Time to Come.

The break in the quotations for copper in London last week naturally did much to upset sentiment among holders of copper stocks. That does not seem equivalent to a little over two cents, a pound, although a rally has occurred since. The quotations for G. M. P. copper in London are largely speculative, and they must be treated on the basis. Traders in London buy and sell copper warrants as they would buy and sell stocks. The market is manipulated, and its movements are regulated as often by the technical position of the long or the short interest as by the condition of the metal market.

Money has been very tight abroad and conditions have been such that holders of securities of all kinds have been forced to sell. It is not at all unlikely that the break in copper was due fundamentally to such cause, but there is every reason to believe that the movement was induced by bearish traders. It is noted that the decline had been the result of trade conditions. It is fair to assume that prices here would have reflected it. The New York Metal exchange, also largely a speculative body, reports a decline of a quarter cent, but it is noted that in the bid, means nothing. The bid price might be reduced to ten cents, but producers would not sell their copper any lower.

However, some decline in the price of copper is a probability. It will be well pointed out by the producers, as all recognize that the maintenance of the present level must result in restricting the use of copper to the absolute necessities. The present prices have been forced by the shortage of supply. There is no expectation of any early increase in the output, so that relief can come only from reduced consumption. A decline of moderate extent, which is all that is probable, should have no bad effect on the market.

The copper stocks, from Amalgamated through the list, have not discounted the present price of copper. Few of them have discounted as high as 20-cent copper, and the list as a whole is selling copper on the basis of not over 18-cent copper, and is paying dividends on a basis no higher than that.

The metal market in London in copper has served to bring a severe drop in the copper shares. The drop has carried them far below their value, even though copper should go as low as eighteen cents, which is not at all probable for a long time to come. There is no cause for alarm. Holders of good copper stock have seen prices fall, but they have seen no value lost. It has been a time when the public has lost its head. Many traders, carrying stocks on tight margins, have been forced to sell. This selling has uncovered stop orders, and accentuated the decline. Holders who were under no necessity to sell threw over their stocks in baseless fright. Somebody has bought the stocks that were sold.

Copper market conditions in this country remain absolutely sound, and producers are showing themselves confident masters of the situation. There is a firm hand on the helm, and no one need be afraid that there is going to be any slump in New York such as has taken place in warrants on the London Metal exchange. Quotations on the London Metal are still 26c for Lake and 25c to 25 1/2c for electrolytic. Of course, the market is quiet. Producers are well sold up to May and June, and consumers have their requirements well covered for those months. On March 1 stocks of copper in public warehouses were worth less than 8,000 tons, and yet the sales of standard copper in London this month amount to over 22,000 tons, or nearly three times the entire quantity held in stock. It has been a "bear" raid on copper, and the shorts are heavily committed. Germany has sold heavily on speculation, and it is likely to stand big losses, as a recovery in London is looked for.

A prominent international copper interest says of the situation in the metal: "While not actually selling any copper, the conditions of this side of the Atlantic the severe bear in London G. M. P.'s has run altogether too far; it merely tends to show to what extent speculation in copper abroad has been carried. The statistical position of copper is as healthy as ever. In Germany there is no sign of curtailment in manufacturing where copper is used extensively. The production of that country is running at the rate of about 74,000,000 pounds a year, and no efforts are being made to increase this output. A nice little copper in my opinion, is bound to be affected by the movement towards a lower level in London, but there is practically no copper being bought at the moment. With general conditions in the various world centers in such an unsettled state it would be difficult to sell any copper at the present prices, but even if quotations are shaded on future business it will be to a very slight extent. Leading concerns have enough copper for present requirements."

**ART EXHIBITION IN HOUGHTON.**  
An art exhibit will open in the Houghton Central school Wednesday evening and will continue for the remainder of the week. The pictures shown will be for sale, and the proceeds will be used in defraying the expenses of decorating the Douglas Houghton school. The pictures are reproductions in various methods of the works of great artists of ancient and modern times, and it is said the exhibit will be very interesting.

**FAVOR GRANITOID PAVEMENT.**  
A meeting of the interested property owners was held in Hancock Friday night to consider the matter of to be selected for the new pavement on Quincey street. It was decided that granitoid, which Red Jacket has tried so successfully, be used, and the council is asked to let the contract for that form of pavement. R. S. Blome & Co. of Chicago will undoubtedly secure the work.

**GATELY-WIGGINS EXPANDING.**  
The announcement is made that the Gately-Wiggins company of Calumet will shortly open a branch store in Iron Mountain. The company has stores in Calumet, Houghton and Ishpeming. It is a house furnishing installment plan concern and one of the largest in the country. Scott Downey of Hancock, now with the Houghton branch, will be the manager of the new store.

**MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETING.**  
A meeting of the Houghton County Medical Society will be held tonight in the Arlington Hotel, Calumet. Dr. Roulé of Tamarack and Dr. Roache of Wolverson will read papers. The meeting will consider the question of fees for examining insurance applicants.

**TELEPHONE WIRES STILL DOWN.**  
A big gang of telephone linemen has been working the telephone wires between Houghton and Calumet for several days, but yesterday communication had not been restored. The condition is a result of the sleet storm of last week.

**COPPERDROM BREVITIES.**  
The justice courts have had a great many cases of drunkenness to deal with recently. One, that of John McLeod, is typical. He had just returned to Calumet from the lumber camps and he went on a regular lumberjack spring drunk. He made a practice of sleeping on the sidewalk in Red Jacket for three successive nights. Then the police gathered him in and Justice Fisher made it \$5.

Joseph Pauline of Calumet had an interesting experience March 16, if the story he tells Judge Jackola is correct. He says that on the day named he went into the saloon of Joseph Stefanitz in Red Jacket, taking with him a bottle of whiskey. Five men were in the saloon. One asked him for a drink, and by the time he had the bottle returned to him it was empty. He remonstrated, and alleges that as a result some one turned out the lights and the five gave him a beating. Justice Jackola will give the quintette a hearing April 6.

## RHEUMATISM WILL GO.

Shake well in a bottle the following: Fluid Extract Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Kargon one ounce, and Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces. Take for each dose one teaspoonful after your meals and at bedtime, drinking plenty of good water.

A well-known authority states that any good prescription pharmacy can supply the ingredients, which can be easily mixed at home. This mixture will act directly upon the kidneys, removing obstructions that clog the process of eliminating waste matter and acids which produce Rheumatism, Bladder and Urinary difficulties and other affections resulting from sour blood, which the kidneys failed to keep clean and pure.

The worst forms of Rheumatism are said to be readily overcome without the slightest injury or ill feeling to the stomach or digestive organs.

Needs—that is, through the month of June—but beyond that time they have not and will not at the present time commit themselves.

## CALUMET & ARIZONA.

The Calumet & Arizona is hastening the completion of the new furnace at its smelting plant, Douglas, Arizona, which will give the company an added daily capacity of 600 tons per day. The company has been making a large requirement from the increased ore reserves opened up in the Calumet & Arizona mine itself, but it has always to reckon with the fact that the shipments from the Superior & Pittsburg are increasing daily and that they will in the very near future force the company to the alternative of lessening its own shipments or those of the younger company. Consequently there will be a big hurry to complete the smelting plant in time to take care of the increased capacity of the younger property as well as to do justice to the old.

The company's management also foresees that the day will be shortly at hand when the Calumet & Arizona will require an even greater smelting plant than that which is being prepared for the present time. Hence the company has moved its power plant to a new location and will give its entire attention to the extension of this plant. The Calumet & Arizona now has five furnaces in operation with adequate converted capacity for handling the output of the new furnace. The capacity of 300 tons per day, while the new furnace is double that capacity. The old shops east of the power house have been torn down and in their place will be erected a new power-house, which will accommodate the engines and the condenser and an entirely new set of the same appliances which will give the company spare capacity against the day of further expansion which seems to be fast approaching. The forthcoming annual report of the Calumet & Arizona will show that the company is in as fine a condition as any one could wish. It is expected that annual earnings of very nearly \$30 per share will be shown.

The Calumet & Arizona is pushing development work on its recently acquired properties in Pima county, Ariz. Three diamond drills are in operation on one group of claims, where much native copper has been encountered. It is proposed, according to present plans, to open ten diamond drill holes to a depth of 800 feet each. On another group of claims diamond drill work is under way in public warehouses where the shafts to a depth of 800 feet. Three other groups of claims taken over by the Calumet & Arizona will be prospected by means of diamond drills.

## PARROT'S DIVIDENDS.

A correspondent writes: Even the high price of copper doesn't help the Parrot dividend; in fact, the higher the price, the lower the return to the stockholder, at any rate, the minority. Long ago, when copper was about one-half the present price, a director of Parrot told a friend of mine that Parrot was earning lots of money, and he would get his share sooner or later, if he would only be patient. He has been patient several years, but there is no sign of any dividend conforming to the price, as we were told that litigation was going on preventing any return. When that ended, a trifling dividend was paid, and when everybody but the insiders were looking for an increase, it was cut in half; "poor ground," said the insiders, but they didn't explain how it came about that the Parrot was earning so poor ground at the same time, but that is not the only incredible statement the minority have to accept—they can.

The outsiders had no difficulty in believing the director's statement that the mines were making money; what we wanted to know was, what we were going to get our share of the proceeds? This twenty-five cents dividend is an absurdity. Why some of the larger of the minority stockholders don't try for a receivership, I don't see. Thus, a receivership is costly, but it can't be more so to us than the present conditions. We should get the earnings, and if we did, we could well afford to pay, under the conditions. The receiver would act as directors, for the benefit of the company, neither for a majority nor a minority, and we should get reports, reports that would show things, not hide them. Even with the statements of production and cost as are far beyond the distribution.

A receivership would mean that we should have a majority, not a minority; charges; we certainly don't get that now, nor have we had it for years, neither is there any present probability that we shall have it for years to come, unless we do something. Never shall we see more favorable conditions than for a year past, yet we are expected to believe that this valuable group of mines can only pay a dollar a year. Most of us have had the stock too long to give up now. We hope to see a day of reckoning come and those who can help to bring about such a change will do well to stir and not let us don't help ourselves, nobody will help us.

## SUBSTITUTES FOR COPPER.

It is characteristic of the present high prices for copper and the actual shortage of the metal for mechanical uses that any discovery which contains any

promise of providing a practical substitute should be greeted with the greatest attention by the scientific and engineering world. An interesting illustration of this fact has occurred within the last week in connection with the reported discovery of an alloy of aluminum and cobalt fused at high temperature which, it is claimed, possesses merits superior to copper in point of conductivity and weight. The discoverer of the new alloy is William C. Davis of Vermont. The tests on the alloy were conducted at the Stanley Electric works, owned by the General Electric company, in Pittsfield, Mass. Some details of the discovery of the new metal have already leaked out, and the value and possibilities of the discovery have been given an emphasis which it is not as yet demonstrated they possess.

On the actual comparative tests made at the Stanley works on given samples of the aluminum-cobalt one and copper, both furnished by Mr. Davis, it is true that the results favored the new alloy. The Stanley Electric electricians claim, however, that the tests made were not conclusive, as the copper samples used were of a low grade of copper, much inferior in quality to that which is used in copper wires and cables. In their opinion, further exhaustive tests will be necessary to establish the commercial importance of Mr. Davis' discovery. As matters stand today, however, it is safe to assert that copper consumers are no nearer finding an all-round copper substitute than they were when the merits of aluminum were first exploited, and which has since been found to have only a limited substitute value. The distinctive feature of the Davis alloy is its process by which the two metals are fused. Patents have been applied for to protect this process.

## WASHINGTON.

At the annual meeting of the Washington Copper Mining company 42,772 shares were represented. A vote was passed authorizing the removal of the Eastern office to New York. The Keeweenaw Copper company is the largest single holder. The following statement was issued to the shareholders: "Pending the exploratory and development work in the neighborhood of the lands of this company by other corporations and the completion of the Keeweenaw Central railroad, on which regular trains have just begun operating, it has not been deemed advisable to attempt active operations. Such operations, if undertaken, would have to be preceded either by an assessment or by the sale of treasury stock for the purpose of furnishing the necessary cash." The treasurer's statement for 1906 follows: Cash Jan. 1, 1906, \$2,822.25; interest, \$2,610; total, \$2,574.34; expenses, \$601.86; balance Jan. 1, 1907, \$2,182.48. The following named were elected directors: Charles A. Wright, Spencer R. Hill, James N. Wright, Thomas Hootson, Charles A. Wright, Jr.

## ARCADIAN.

The new compressor which was installed at the Arcadian for the purpose of permitting more rapid work on the north drift, has been in operation ready for service, and its entire capacity will be used in the north drift where the ore is by far the best in the mine. Heretofore the company has been at a great disadvantage for the reason that only one drill could be worked. This was used alternately north and south. The company will start at once working two drills, and in the near future hopes to increase this number to three just as soon as room can be made for them. The company now has a total capacity of fifteen drills. The officials are very sanguine that the north ground will make an excellent showing.

## TENNESSEE COPPER.

The Tennessee Copper company's report for the calendar year 1906, is issued. With exception of one item, that of depreciation, the figures remain unchanged from those reported to the New York Stock exchange in connection with the company's application to have its stock listed. Net profits after deducting \$106,000 for depreciation were \$242,231 equal to 16.48 per cent earned on capital stock.

## Cobalt Gossip

F. C. Loring, consulting engineer of the Threthewey states that the mine is shipping five cars a month of different grades.

Negotiations are said to be going on in New York for the purchase of the outstanding stock of the Erie-Cobalt company.

Manager Elmer, of the Cobalt Central, is quoted as saying that there is every prospect that the company will go on a regular dividend basis before the end of the year.

An advance of \$20 a share in the Temiskaming & Hudson Bay stock was reported due to a strike on that company's property, but it is now known that an offer has been made for another portion of the company's property. The Temiskaming company is the pioneer company of the camp.

After the declaration of the Nipissing dividend, President E. P. Earle said:

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The company has ores in transit and at the smelter and cash approximating \$600,000. We propose to keep a substantial fund on hand in connection with extensive development and prospecting, which explains today's action in regard to the dividend."

A report from A. E. Hogue, consulting engineer on the McCormick property, says that 150 feet of diamond drilling has been done on No. 1 shaft. Already some native silver has been found. The drill is going in the direction of the large vein of the Jacobs mine. In No. 2 shaft a promising deposit of calcite has been encountered, and this shaft will go much deeper.

J. Curry, a broker of Toronto, has effected an amalgamation of the Kerr Lake-Croton Reserve, the British American Cobalt and the Ontario Cobalt, under the name of the British American Cobalt Mines company, capital \$5,000,000. Most of the large interests in these properties are Montreal and New York capitalists. It is understood that the shares of the company will be offered on the London market at a later date.

## Upper Peninsula

It Boosts Menominee— At the annual meeting of the Commercial club officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, Leo G. Harmon; vice president, F. J. Trudell; treasurer, Charles J. Cook; secretary, Edward Daniel; directors, Frank Erditz, John Henes, E. J. Brady, R. M. Andrews, C. H. Crawford and G. H. Haggerson. One of the officials said that it could be stated the club was planning a campaign for the ensuing year that would in all probability result in greater benefits to the municipality than that of last year, productive though the latter was. It had a number of industries in view and, though in some cases it might meet with failure, it was its intention to keep fighting all the time. The Commercial club has in the past half-decade put Menominee on the map and from being a dead town has won for it universal recognition as one of the most bustling municipalities in northern Michigan.

## Alleged Manslaughter at the Soo—

Following the demise of Thomas Boucher, found dead in a saloon at the Soo, six arrests have been made on the charge of manslaughter. An examination shows that Boucher died from a blood clot on the brain believed to have been the result of rough usage by persons who were bothering him the night

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**Sunset Mining and Milling Co.**  
Of Wilcox, Arizona.  
This company owns ten claims, or about 200 acres of mineral lands in Coconino County, Arizona, and within one-half mile of the new acquisition to the Calumet & Arizona, the Casey property, for which absolutely undeveloped property the said company paid \$100,000. The Sunset Mining & Milling Company's property is being rapidly developed under the able and conscientious management of Mine Superintendent George H. Wilson. The ore which is taken out is being shipped to the nearby smelters for treatment and everything indicates that in the near future this will be one of the richest mines in Arizona. Samples of ore from this mine which have been assayed at the Michigan College of Mines by Professor L. S. Austin has shown an ore value of \$134.14 per ton of copper and silver.  
A limited amount of stock in this excellent mine is now offered to the public at only 75 cents per share. This offer is good a few days only. For further information apply to:  
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Orders for this stock may also be placed with Gust A. Larson, Druggist, at the People's Drug Store, Marquette, Mich., and the Wallace H. Hopkins' Co., Ishpeming, Mich.

**CATARH**  
To prove unquestionably, and beyond any doubt, that Catarrh is a disease, and not a cure, I am furnishing patients through druggists, small Free Trial Boxes of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. For this reason I am certain, that Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure will bring actual substantial help. Nothing certainly, is so convincing as a physical test of any article. The test of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure is a simple one. But this article must possess true merit, else the test will condemn it. The test is as follows: If you have Catarrh Cure is a new white, healing antiseptic balm put up in beautiful nickel capped glass jars at 5c each. Such so-called "Cures" as Epsom, Rhynol, Menthol, etc., are incorporated into a violent, cream like preparation, imported by Dr. Shoop from Europe. It is a powerful cathartic, that has extended to the stomach, then by all means, the house interior. It is a powerful, stomach distress, a lack of general strength, bloating, itching, biliousness, bad taste, etc. Only call for Dr. Shoop's Restorative.  
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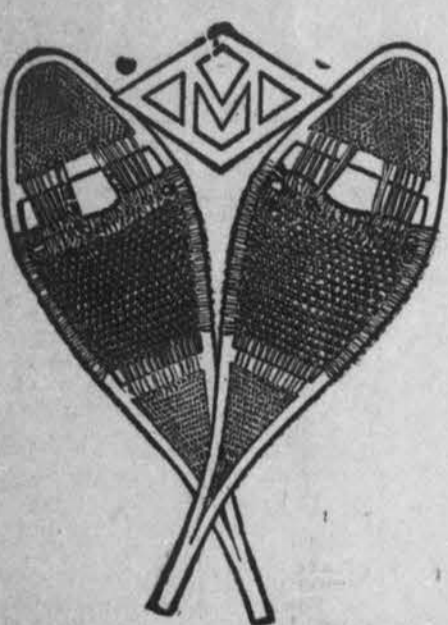
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## City Brevities

Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 16 degrees; noon, 18; 7 p. m., 15. Maximum, 20 degrees; minimum, 15.

The banks will be closed today, on account of election.

Miss Mayme L. Hicks has resigned her position at Foster's.

Peter O'Meara, a member of the police force for the past few months, has resigned his position.

Miss Irene Patenaude of Norway, Menominee range, is spending a few days as the guest of relatives in Marquette.

Charles E. Retallic, superintendent of the electric light and power plant, left Saturday for Dayton, O., on business connected with the plant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ball leave this evening for New York, where they will attend the marriage of Lieutenant George Ball next Saturday.

The funeral of the late Michael Atfield will be held this morning at 9 o'clock from St. Peter's cathedral. Interment will be made in Holy Cross cemetery.

Abe Mathews and Wilbur Van Evera, who have been spending the Easter vacation at their homes here, return to the Houghton College of Mines this evening.

Miss Nye, in charge of the kindergarten department of Houghton schools, and Miss Edith Russell leave this morning for Houghton, after a few days' visit here.

John Selander wishes to inform his friends that he is not dead, as erroneously reported in another paper, but is very much alive; also he says that the friends who so kindly sent flowers to his home can have the same back, if they so desire, by calling.

There will be a house night at the Marquette club this evening. The election returns will be received, and a luncheon will be served. Entries are now being made for a billiard tournament of the members. It will be a handicap affair. Games in the pool tournament are being played steadily.

John Tellander died at St. Luke's hospital Saturday morning, as a result of cancer. He had been ill for some months with the dread disease, but had been in the hospital only a few days. He is survived by a wife. The funeral will be held from the residence, corner of Third and Crescent streets, Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

Kimberley Meeting—James Russell left Saturday evening for Milwaukee to attend a meeting, to be held today, of the directors and officials of the Kimberley-Wiley Mines company. Some important business is to be transacted. Later in the week Mr. Russell will attend a meeting of the joint prisons board at Lansing.

State Returns Early—This evening returns on the state ticket and the amendments will be available before 6 o'clock. As the city ticket will be voted by ballot, it will be considerably later before it is definitely known what the vote in the several wards has been, and it will be 10 o'clock, or even later, before the official returns are in.

A Chilly Easter—Marquette had a chilly Easter. The wind was cold and raw, and the mercury showed a low temperature. The unfavorable conditions open today in a buoyant manner, to say nothing of making the Easter bonnet untimely. The special services in the several churches, however, attracted large congregations and were much enjoyed.

No Markets Saturday—There were no sessions of either the Boston or New York stock exchanges Saturday, the only quotations received by Paine, Webber & Co. being those on wheat. The close of the week showed very substantial recoveries all along the line from the low prices made a week ago today, and it is expected that the markets will open today in a buoyant manner. George D. McCarthy spent yesterday in the copper country, visiting relatives.

Claims U. P. Championship—The Mining Journal has received a letter from the manager of the Crystal Falls basket ball team, asserting that the team claims the championship of the upper peninsula. It has defeated the strongest teams in this region with which games could be secured, and has gone through the season with an unbroken record of victories. The Crystal Falls team is ready to prove its claim by arranging games with any team that wants to dispute the title.

U. P. Educational Meeting—The executive committee of the Upper Peninsula Educational association has met and fixed the dates of the twelfth annual meeting at Escanaba as Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 and 2, and arrangements for the program are now being made. William McCracken is president of the association; H. E. Kratz of Calumet vice president; Alfred Nichols, of Opechee, secretary; J. B. Faught of Marquette, railroad secretary, and E. E. Ferguson of the Soo, treasurer. Mr. McCracken is also chairman ex-officio of the executive committee.

Two Fire Alarms—The department responded to two fire alarms Sunday morning. The first one was turned in on account of a chimney blaze at the house owned by Tom Miles on Michigan street. The second was turned in from the Savings Bank block, by tenants of that building who discovered that the dust chute, located in the narrow eastern end of the building, housed a lively blaze. This chute extends from the basement to the top floor, and in some manner its contents caught fire. A heat was developed that blistered the woodwork on the top floor. The blaze was quickly quenched, after the firemen had dragged the hose to the top of the building and turned water into the chute. The damage was nominal.

EUREKA!

Yes, I Have Found It At Last.

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## THREE-CORNERED FIGHT.

Modeste Riopelle in the Race for Alderman in the Fourth.

A new candidate is in the field for alderman in the Fourth ward, and his entry makes three who aspire to represent that constituency in the city council. At the solicitation of many independent voters, Modeste R. Riopelle has consented to be a candidate for aldermanic honors, and he will make the run today on slips. Mr. Riopelle is an old resident of the city, and has the ability to represent his ward in a thoroughly capable and satisfactory manner. In opposition to him are James Gray and George Reichel, both members of the present council.

## JACOB WERNER; AN APPRECIATION

Jacob Werner, candidate for mayor today on the People's ticket, is a Marquette product. He has grown to manhood in this city. His whole life and business career are closely identified with it. Both have been honorable and upright, as has been his whole conduct in the short campaign in which he has taken a part.

Mr. Werner's record in Marquette carries out his assertion that if he were chosen mayor he would have in mind only giving a square deal to all elements and classes in the city. There has never been anything small about him, or anything narrow. He is a man of broad mind and broad sympathies. He has no entangling alliances. He has been out of factions the past two years. He is in no way responsible for the sins of commission or omission of any man, or group of men, and no faults of others can justly be visited on him.

Thousands and thousands of dollars will pass through the hands of the next mayor during his two years' administration. Mr. Werner would handle every dollar honestly and wisely. His unimpeachable personal record speaks for the one thing; the large measure of success he has attained in his own business speaks for the other. There is no man in the entire city to whom the taxpayer could entrust his interests with greater security. There is no man who would more carefully try to govern the city for all the people. A vote for Mr. Werner is a vote no man need be ashamed of.

HAD LIVED HERE MANY YEARS.

Demise of Mrs. Hannah Foard Occurs After an Extended Illness.

The death of Mrs. Hannah Foard occurred at 3:30 o'clock yesterday morning, after a long illness. Her passing took place at St. Mary's hospital, where she had been for many months. Mrs. Foard was aged seventy-eight, and had lived in Marquette for many years, having been one of the early settlers here. She is survived by four sons—M. E. Foard, of Anaconda, Mont.; T. E. Foard, of Sault Ste. Marie, and W. C. Foard and M. H. Foard, of this city. The funeral services will be held at St. Peter's cathedral at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, the cortege leaving the residence of M. H. Foard, Spruce street, at 8:30.

## CHOCOLAY FURNACE TO BE STARTED AGAIN

BARRY BROS. OF DETROIT PLAN A RESUMPTION—PRELIMINARIES ARE NOW UNDER WAY.

The coming summer will see a resumption of operations at the Chocloy furnace. There has been no official announcement of this fact, but it is an open secret. Surveys are now being made for spur tracks and other necessary improvements, and it is understood that the preliminaries to putting the plant in blast will be pushed with all possible speed. The operators will be the owners, Barry Bros., of Detroit, the big varnish house, who already operate the furnace at Newberry, which is under the superintendency of E. E. Johnson. Mr. Johnson will also have charge of the Chocloy plant.

Much preliminary work is required. For one thing the furnace location is now bare of kilns, and a battery of these capable of keeping the plant in continuous operation will have to be built. Also a chemical plant will be erected, as Barry Bros. utilize the byproducts in large measures, themselves. Also much building and repairing will be necessary in connection with the furnace proper, though the main buildings are in pretty good condition, having been carefully watched through all the years that the plant has been idle. It is said that it was last operated in the early seventies. Much of the machinery equipment is, however, said to be still useful. As Mr. Johnson was not in the city yesterday The Mining Journal could not get full information in regard to the present condition of the plant, or the company's plans.

The prospective resumption will help Marquette considerably. A settlement will undoubtedly grow up at the furnace, but much of the business of the employees will be done in the city, and some of them will doubtless live here. The resumption will give Marquette and its environs three blast furnaces in active operation.

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Members of S. M. Stevens lodge, No. 150, B. of L. F. and E. are requested to attend the funeral of the late M. Atfield at the residence at 8:30 o'clock this morning.

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Marquette's Largest Clothiers and Haberdashers.

## VICTOR TALKING MACHINES Are Great Entertainers



Prices:  
\$10.00 \$15.00  
\$17.00 \$22.00  
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## LARGE STOCK OF MACHINES AND RECORDS

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## GET READY For Spring Sewing

This is the time when sewing machines are made to hum. Sewing oil on the market over fifty years. Quality always the same—THE BEST. Reliable needles and parts for all makes of Sewing Machines.

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SOLD ON EASY PAYMENTS. MACHINES RENTED.

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## For Sale

One six-passenger Brown's Oscillating knee sleigh, trimmed with imitation Moquette, full backs.  
One light delivery sleigh.  
One second-hand four-passenger small box pleasure sleigh.  
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MARQUETTE, MICH.

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Put us in touch with the finest line of Spring Fabrics shown in this city. An order given for Suit or Top Coat meets all demands.

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Marquette Merchant Tailor

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Kelley Island lime, gypsum and wood shavings; hard plaster and hard finish plaster; plasterers, plastering hair; steel plates for plastered corners; fire clay; Atlas cement; Lake Shore sand; red brick; sewer pipe; drain tile; best Fibrecrete building paper; dry stove wood, hard and soft. Do excavating and farm work and general teaming; clay and loam soil furnished to order. Real estate and horses for sale and houses for rent.

GEO. E. FRENCH.  
202 Division St.,  
Marquette, Mich.  
Bell phone, 184. County phone, 117.

# THE VALUE OF A BANK

## A Striking Illustration

A few days ago a man came into this bank with a small pasteboard box full of ashes and scraps of bills—all that was left of \$500. He had intended to

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Four-cylinder, 16-horsepower, forty miles an hour, down to four, on the high speed. Climbs hills on the high speed, too. It is the talk of the town wherever it goes, and the price is, six hundred dollars. Better see me.

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## Eggs

We have Eggs from the following breeds: White Wyandots, Barred Plymouth Rocks, Rose Comb, Brown Leghorns, 15 for \$1.50; \$6.00 per 100.

## DUCKS

Piken, Indian Runners and Malard, at \$1.50 per setting of 15. \$6.00 per hundred. Homer Pigeon and Chester White Swines.

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Do you realize that there has never been a better chance to make money than now? Adventure selling at \$4, Mass at \$6, Victoria at \$8. If you will not buy Adventure at \$4 you will never make money speculating. The Adventure has two thousand acres, three good veins crossing the property and all-carrying copper in paying quantities. They have one of the best equipped 3-stamp mills in Michigan. Inside of sixty days there will be a great advance in all the above stocks. If you ever expect to make money buy Adventure, or buy wheat at 75c. Twenty dollars will buy one thousand bushels of wheat.

## J. W. SPEAR BROKER

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### GRANTING OF FRANCHISES.

#### Movement to Vest Power in Township Boards and City Councils.

At the council meeting Friday night a communication from the city clerk of Lansing was read, asking the council to take action to request the senators and representatives from its district to use their influence in favor of bills, which the Lansing council advocates. A copy of a resolution recently passed by the Lansing council was read, and the matter was referred to the park, cemetery and street commission for recommendations. The resolution adopted by the Lansing council follows:

"Resolved by the common council of the city of Lansing:

"That the senators from this district and the representatives in the legislature from the county of Ingham be and they are hereby requested to use all reasonable and proper efforts to cause the amendment of Act No. 264 of the Public Acts of 1905, authorizing the use of the highways and streets of the several townships, villages and cities of this state for electric lighting, heating and power wires and poles and Act No. 16 of the Public Acts of 1899 amending section 6691 of the Compiled Laws, authorizing telephone companies to maintain lines of wire and other materials in, under and across any public places, streets and highways of this state, so that the power to license, regulate or prohibit such use of the highways and streets shall be vested in the several township boards and village and city councils of this state.

"Be it further resolved that the city clerk be and is hereby directed to cause to be printed copies of this resolution, and that he mail a copy thereof to each of the township clerks and the clerks of the several villages and cities of this state.

"Further, that the several township boards and city and village councils be requested to pass suitable resolutions requesting the senators and representatives from their respective districts to support such bill or bills as shall be introduced for the above purpose."

### HIGH AND LOW FIGURES.

#### Stocks Showed Substantial Recovery from Low Points.

The high and low figures for the week, as furnished The Mining Journal by Paine, Webber & Co., show a wide range. The week opened with a spectacular break in the market, but Tuesday the recovery began, and the New York and Boston exchanges closed Friday with the sentiment at the best for the week, and with substantial recoveries recorded in all issues. The high and low figures are as follows:

|                     | High.  | Low.   |
|---------------------|--------|--------|
| Adventure           | 3 1/2  | 3 1/4  |
| Arctadian           | 8 1/2  | 8      |
| Allouez             | 55     | 45     |
| Atlantic            | 15     | 13     |
| Bingham             | 19 1/2 | 14 1/2 |
| Butte Coalition     | 28 1/4 | 20 1/2 |
| Boston Consolidated | 25     | 20 1/2 |
| Calumet & Arizona   | 140    | 140    |
| Calumet & Hecla     | 870    | 820    |
| Centennial          | 35 1/2 | 29 1/2 |
| Copper Range        | 80 1/2 | 72     |
| Daly-West           | 16 1/2 | 15     |
| Franklin            | 19     | 16 1/2 |
| Greene              | 23 1/2 | 20 1/2 |
| Granby              | 130    | 124    |
| Isle Royale         | 21     | 14 1/2 |
| Mass                | 6      | 5 1/2  |
| Michigan            | 15     | 13     |
| Mohawk              | 81     | 68     |
| North Butte         | 91     | 72     |
| Old Dominion        | 50     | 38     |
| Oscoda              | 134    | 115    |
| Parrot              | 22 1/2 | 19 1/2 |
| Quincy              | 118    | 108    |
| Rhode Island        | 7 1/2  | 6      |
| Shannon             | 18 1/2 | 16     |
| Tamarack            | 113    | 106    |
| LaSalle             | 15     | 13     |
| Trinity             | 25     | 14 1/2 |
| Utah                | 61 1/2 | 53     |
| U. S. Mining        | 55     | 50     |
| Victoria            | 8      | 7      |
| Winona              | 9      | 8      |
| Wolverine           | 100    | 155    |
| Amalgamated         | 63     | 53     |
| Amalgamated         | 89 1/2 | 78 1/2 |

### CURED OF RHEUMATISM.

Mr. Wm. Henry of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

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## Always the Same

# Calumet Baking Powder

The only high grade baking powder at a moderate price.

**ACCORDING TO LAW.**

### Game Warden Chapman Has Not Violated the Statutes.

The Grand Rapids Press and Detroit News claim to have secured evidence that indicates that Game Warden Chapman has employed more deputies than the law allows. Those papers also claim some of the deputies have been guilty of grafting by appropriating money which should have been turned over to the department. Mr. Chapman has started an investigation of his own and has issued the following statement relative to the work of the department, which shows that his conduct of the office has been according to law:

"The law provides for ten deputy state wardens to be paid \$3 a day and expenses when on duty. The legislature appropriated \$2,000 annually for such deputies, but the legislature also provides that the money received annually for deer hunters' licenses, which last year amounted to \$20,000, shall be used in the enforcement of the game and fish laws, which includes salaries and expenses of these ten deputies.

"The last of the \$2,000 appropriated for the last fiscal year has been spent. It's all in the state treasury. The deer license money met the salaries and expenses of the ten deputies and other employees without drawing on the general fund for this purpose. As to vouchers and documents showing I have from thirteen to twenty-five state deputies drawing pay all the time let me explain that all above ten are captains and engineers of tugs and launches and men who lift nets and do other work though not employed regularly. We have to pay these men out of the deer license fund, but they should not be confused with deputy wardens. There are probably one hundred county game wardens appointed by the state warden and whose pay is provided for by supervisors. County deputies get no state money whatever.

"As with all other state departments all fines and costs imposed for violation of game and fish laws are by the justice imposing them turned in to the county treasurers, who appropriate the money among the township and township library purposes. The law does not say any money collected by the game and fish warden's department, must be turned in to the state treasury, but by a rule of the department must be turned into the state and deputies are not allowed to keep their own fees. These fees must be conveyed into the state treasury and this is the only money so returned except reports for sale of confiscated property, which also goes into the state treasury."

### AT THE BOWLING ALLEYS.

The Politicians (Jenks, Godwin, Kieffeld) and the Hobbes (Brooks, Anderson and H. O. Bell) are now tied for first place in the three-men contest, with the Bantams (Lawton, Conklin and Jeanson) a close third. No games will be played this week in this contest, on account of the city championship tournament. The team standings are as follows:

|   | P. | W. | P.C. | Av. |
|---|----|----|------|-----|
| No. 2—Hobbes  | 15 | 10 | 666  | 489 |
| No. 4—Politicians   | 13 | 10 | 666  | 485 |
| No. 3—Bantams   | 15 | 9  | 600  | 501 |
| No. 7—Hoodlums  | 15 | 8  | 533  | 481 |
| No. 1—Ringers   | 15 | 7  | 466  | 484 |
| No. 8—Lambis  | 15 | 6  | 400  | 496 |
| No. 5—Merchants   | 15 | 5  | 333  | 480 |
| No. 4—Rexalls   | 15 | 3  | 333  | 461 |
| Individuals at over 130:  |    |    |      |     |
| 171. Dunster 171, Van Iderstine 174, Jenks 170, H. B. Bell 167, Lawton 164, H. O. Bell 164, Anderson 163, Werner 162, Jeanson 161, Godwin 161, Foley 161, Ranson 160. |    |    |      |     |

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITY OF MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 12, 1907.

In accordance with the provisions of the City Charter I herewith present my annual report as follows:

#### STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF MARQUETTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE SECOND TUESDAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1907.

##### CITY TREASURY.

Receipts.

|                          |              |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Balance March 13, 1906   | \$ 50,429.96 |
| Received during the year | 362,487.23   |
| Total                    | \$412,917.23 |

Expenditures.

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Paid Common Council orders, as shown in Schedule "A"              | \$1,562.54   |
| Paid Library orders, as shown in Schedule "B"                     | 5,517.83     |
| Paid Fire and Water orders, as shown in Schedule "D"              | 27,974.69    |
| Paid Light and Power orders, as shown in Schedule "E"             | 54,407.06    |
| Paid Park and Cemetery orders, as shown in Schedule "F"           | 6,623.95     |
| Paid Peter White, Treasurer of the Board of Education             | 64,000.00    |
| Paid County Treasurer, services on election board                 | 46,938.87    |
| Taxes   | 50,000.00    |
| Refund to County Treasurer of over-payment of Primary School fund | 8,645.40     |
| Total   | \$286,880.34 |
| Balance   | \$126,036.89 |
| Total   | \$412,917.23 |

##### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Peter White, Treasurer.

Receipts.

|                              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Balance March 13th, 1907     | \$ 1,962.10 |
| Received from City Treasurer | 64,000.00   |
| Received from other sources  | 14.17       |
| Total                        | \$66,026.27 |

Expenditures.

|                                      |              |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Paid orders as shown in Schedule "C" | \$ 64,127.11 |
| Balance                              | 1,894.96     |
| Total                                | \$66,026.27  |

##### SUMMARY OF CASH BALANCES.

|                                   |              |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| City Treasurer                    | \$412,917.23 |
| Board of Education                | 1,894.96     |
| Total cash on hand March 12, 1907 | \$414,812.19 |

##### SCHEDULE "A."

Expenditures Authorized by Common Council.

| Order No. | Name of Payee.   | Nature of Claim. | Amount. |
|-----------|--|------------------|---------|
| a293      | Shields McCarthy, auditing treasurer's books                                 |                  | 22.50   |
| a294      | W. F. Morgan, auditing treasurer's books                                     |                  | 20.00   |
| a295      | Young & Co., contract for printing in City Hall                              |                  | 237.00  |
| a296      | F. P. Smith Wire & Iron Works, first payment on "Drinking Fountain"          |                  | 250.00  |
| a297      | Pay roll of city officers, March salaries                                    |                  | 823.23  |
| a298      | M. W. Shea, services on election board                                       |                  | 5.00    |
| a299      | Wallace Hogan, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a300      | James Hogan, services on election board                                      |                  | 5.00    |
| a301      | H. J. Koop, services on election board                                       |                  | 5.00    |
| a302      | Richard Larson, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a303      | John W. Dwyer, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a304      | John J. Boyle, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a305      | Frank C. Richardson, services on election board                              |                  | 5.00    |
| a306      | Herman C. Wagner, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a307      | Fred J. Schultze, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a308      | H. J. Lobdell, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a309      | E. H. Bush, services on election board                                       |                  | 5.00    |
| a310      | J. E. Southard, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a311      | Con Maloney, services on election board                                      |                  | 5.00    |
| a312      | E. B. VanCleve, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a313      | A. J. Wallace, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a314      | N. Cadarite, services on election board                                      |                  | 5.00    |
| a315      | Arthur J. Neault, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a316      | Loy C. Richardson, services on election board                                |                  | 5.00    |
| a317      | James T. Gray, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a318      | Alfred D. Beaudry, services on election board                                |                  | 5.00    |
| a319      | Christ Peterson, services on election board                                  |                  | 5.00    |
| a320      | R. J. Darow, services on election board                                      |                  | 5.00    |
| a321      | Elmer Ekstrom, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a322      | Jacob Smith, services on election board                                      |                  | 5.00    |
| a323      | Stephen Kemp, services on election board                                     |                  | 5.00    |
| a324      | Emil Gustafson, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a325      | Frank Stickney, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a326      | Francis Finlay, services on election board                                   |                  | 5.00    |
| a327      | W. F. Morgan, services on election board                                     |                  | 5.00    |
| a328      | Edwin A. Primeau, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a329      | Oliver Patenaude, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a330      | Edwin L. Stewart, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a331      | Frank Dellar, Jr., services on election board                                |                  | 5.00    |
| a332      | F. J. Dorf, services on election board                                       |                  | 5.00    |
| a333      | Frank H. Gooding, services on election board                                 |                  | 5.00    |
| a334      | Andrew Siegel, services on election board                                    |                  | 5.00    |
| a335      | Edward J. Peltzman, services on election board                               |                  | 5.00    |
| a336      | Lester Clark, services on election board                                     |                  | 5.00    |
| a337      | John L. Zoberlein, services on election board                                |                  | 5.00    |
| a338      | Patrick McCarthy, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a339      | James Buckley, election gatekeeper   |                  | 3.00    |
| a340      | Napoleon Constantine, election gatekeeper                                    |                  | 3.00    |
| a341      | Bernard Cairns, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a342      | James Wheatley, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a343      | A. J. Lobdell, election gatekeeper   |                  | 3.00    |
| a344      | John Hanley, election gatekeeper   |                  | 3.00    |
| a345      | William Brown, election gatekeeper   |                  | 3.00    |
| a346      | Amos Bodin, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a347      | Zepher Measler, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a348      | Sands G. Cole, election gatekeeper   |                  | 3.00    |
| a349      | John Balme, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a350      | John P. Hedman, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a351      | L. D. Carter, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a352      | F. C. Foster, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a353      | John Oudotte, election gatekeeper  |                  | 3.00    |
| a354      | John Connors, services on registration board                                 |                  | 6.00    |
| a355      | L. P. Cray, Jr., services on registration board                              |                  | 6.00    |
| a356      | Harry Gorman, services on registration board                                 |                  | 6.00    |
| a357      | James E. LaFortune, services on registration board                           |                  | 6.00    |
| a358      | William T. Brennan, services on registration board                           |                  | 6.00    |
| a359      | Fred L. Horlich, services on registration board                              |                  | 6.00    |
| a360      | John Bergh, services on registration board                                   |                  | 6.00    |
| a361      | John B. Wilson, services on registration board                               |                  | 6.00    |
| a362      | Fred S. Hoar, services on registration and election boards, rent of building |                  | 26.00   |
| a363      | Edward Carr, services on registration and election boards                    |                  | 11.00   |
| a364      | Howard W. French, services on registration and election boards               |                  | 11.00   |
| a365      | Peter J. Donovan, services on registration and election boards               |                  | 11.00   |
| a366      | O. E. Brown, services on registration and election boards                    |                  | 11.00   |
| a367      | John A. Ekstrom, Jr., services on registration and election boards           |                  | 11.00   |
| a368      | Wm. Barber, services on registration and election boards                     |                  | 11.00   |
| a369      | Arthur Oudotte, services on registration and election boards                 |                  | 11.00   |
| a370      | John Tierney, services on registration and election                          |                  | 35.00   |

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### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Marquette, in the state of Michigan, at the close of business, March 22nd, 1907.

#### RESOURCES.

|  |                |
|--|----------------|
| Loans and discounts                    | \$1,404,731.12 |
| Overdrafts, secured and unsecured      | 207.35         |
| U. S. bonds to secure circulation      | 150,000.00     |
| U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits   | 60,000.00      |
| U. S. bonds on hand                    | 12,500.00      |
| Bonds, securities, etc.                | 14,260.00      |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | 38,000.00      |
| Due from National banks                |                |
| (not reserve agents)                   | 8,916.72       |
| Due from state banks and bankers       | 21,005.93      |
| Due from approved reserve agents       | 82,301.93      |
| Checks and other cash items            | 118,727.64     |
| Notes of other National banks          | 1,157.71       |
| Notes of other National banks          | 11,270.99      |
| Functional paper currency              | 14,260.00      |
| U. S. National Bank                    | 146.02         |
| LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANKS, ETC.    |                |
| Specie                                 | \$ 76,187.85   |
| Legal-tender notes                     | 42,630.00      |
| Total                                  | \$2,000,000.00 |

#### LIABILITIES.

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| Capital stock paid in                             | \$ 100,000.00  |
| Surplus fund                                      | 50,000.00      |
| Discount  | 67,107.32      |
| Undivided profits, net of expenses and taxes paid | 8,730.96       |
| National bank notes outstanding                   | 65,928.28      |
| Due to other National banks                       | 10,412.19      |
| Due to state banks and bankers                    | 13,005.67      |
| Individual deposits subject to check              | 1,512,248.71   |
| Demand Certificates of deposit                    | 62,908.94      |
| Certified Checks                                  | 61.00          |
| United States deposits                            | 45,349.20      |
| Deposits of U. S. district officers               | 4,653.80       |
| Reserve for taxes                                 | 1,638,756.51   |
| Total   | \$2,000,000.00 |

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, I, Edward S. Rice, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1907.

EDWARD S. RICE, Cashier.

ROBERT F. CHASE, Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec. 27, 1908.

CORRECT—Attest: PETER WHITE, S. R. KAUFMAN, L. U. KAUFMAN, Directors.

### REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE MARQUETTE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK

At Marquette, Michigan, at the close of business March 22d, 1907, as called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

#### RESOURCES.

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| Loans and discounts                    | \$88,309.11  |
| Bonds, mortgages and securities        | 17,013.27    |
| Overdrafts                             | 470.00       |
| Banking house, furniture, and fixtures | 5,000.00     |
| Other real estate                      | 4,180.30     |
| Due from other banks and bankers       | 4,142.75     |
| Items in transit                       | 2,801.00     |
| Due from banks in reserve cities       | 113,575.59   |
| Exchanges for clearing houses          | 1,400.00     |
| C. E. and National Bank                | 5,417.00     |
| Currency                               | 15,200.00    |
| Gold coin                              | 2,801.00     |
| U. S. National Bank                    | 121.01       |
| Checks and other cash items            | 4,210.37     |
| Total                                  | \$429,969.73 |

#### LIABILITIES.

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Capital stock paid in                             | \$100,000.00 |
| Surplus fund                                      | 12,500.00    |
| Undivided profits, net of expenses and taxes paid | 13,226.17    |
| Commercial deposits                               | 470,000.00   |
| Certificates of deposit                           | 71.56        |
| Due to banks and bankers                          | 4,210.37     |
| Savings deposits                                  | 26,189.19    |
| Savings certificates                              | 33,307.20    |
| Total   | \$429,969.73 |

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF MARQUETTE, I, W. B. McCombs, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of March, 1907.

G. A. CARLSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires May 13th, 1908.

CORRECT—Attest: E. N. BREITUNG, S. R. KAUFMAN, L. U. KAUFMAN, Directors.

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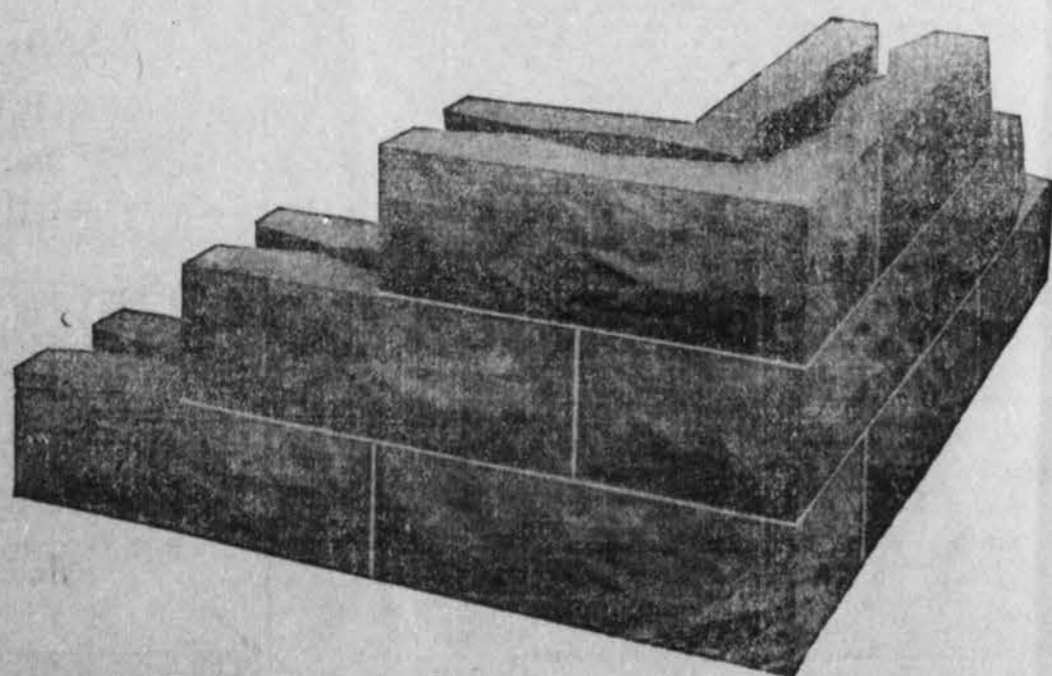
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**Ishpeming Department**

(Additional Ishpeming on Page Seven).

**ISHPEMING MAN A SUICIDE.**

**Well-known Resident Took His Life at His Home Saturday Morning.**

John Larson, an old and well-known citizen of Ishpeming, committed suicide Saturday morning, shortly after 10 o'clock, at his home on Ready street, by blowing out his brains with a thirty-eight calibre revolver.

Up to six or seven years ago Larson had charge of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company's diamond drill operations. He was considered one of the ablest drill men in the country. He was one of the first to engage in that line of work in the upper peninsula, and for many years was regarded as an authority. He was not only a fine workman, but was a good man to work for, when he was in his normal condition.

For some time before the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company dispensed with Larson's services he had been drinking. He was reprimanded many times before he was finally let go. After leaving the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company he did not work steadily. For a year and a half prior to last summer he had charge of the drill operations of the Greene Consolidated Copper Mining company in Arizona. He gave up the position a short time before the organization of the Cananea company and returned to Ishpeming, remaining here until a few months ago, when he left for Mexico. He returned from there two weeks or so ago, since which time he had been drinking heavily.

**Tried to Kill His Wife.**

Larson's wife, son and daughter tried every possible thing to induce him to stop drinking. They pleaded with him at every opportunity. At times he showed a disposition to get ugly. Finally, on Friday morning, his son Charles had notices printed, serving them on the saloon keepers, warning them against giving his father any more liquor. The old man came down town as usual in the morning. When he found that he could not obtain any liquor, and learned of the notices, he returned home in a decidedly vicious mood.

He began to abuse his wife and daughter, who tried to persuade him that their son had done the proper thing, and that he had taken that means as a last resort, in hope of straightening him out. Larson finally got the revolver which he later took his own life and fired a shot at his wife, the bullet missing her. Mrs. Larson and the girl left the place, going to a neighbor's, where they remained all night.

The women notified Marshal Lehman of what had happened, and asked him to come up and see if he could not quiet Larson. The marshal found the doors of the house unlocked, with Larson the only occupant. He was then asleep in a room upstairs. Thinking everything would be all right when Larson had slept off the effects of the liquor he was led to believe he had been drinking, he did not disturb him, but told Mrs. Larson and the girl not to go near him until morning.

**Girl Swears Out Warrant.**

Saturday morning Mrs. Larson and her daughter were afraid to return to their home, and decided to have Larson bled under arrest, and put under bonds to keep the peace. The girl called at Judge Andrews' office and swore to the complaint.

Marshal Lehman and Deputy Marshal Trevarrow went to the Larson home. They rapped on the kitchen door. Larson opened it, greeting them in a pleasant manner. He asked them to come in and take a seat, which they did. Larson appeared to be feeling well and he did not seem to understand why the officers had called. Finally Lehman began to ask him questions as to what had happened the previous day. Larson said that he did not remember that anything unusual had occurred. When advised that he had shot at his wife he said that he had no recollection of having done anything so bad as that. Then

the officer told Larson that a warrant had been sworn out for his arrest.

"Well then, I suppose you want me to go to town with you," said Larson. When advised that such was the case, he said: "Just wait a few minutes while I take off these slippers and put on my shoes." The shoes, said, were upstairs. The officers offered no objections, and Larson returned in a few minutes with his shoes on. He then made another trip upstairs for his cap. After this he was allowed to go to the barn to feed the cows.

**Shot Through the Temple.**

On returning to the home he told the officers that he desired to go upstairs again. He was allowed to do so and presently the pistol shot was heard. The officers found Larson gasping for breath, with the weapon by his side. He expired within a few seconds. The bullet entered the right temple and passed through the head.

The marshal notified Coroner Prin, but after hearing the story of the suicide from Lehman and Trevarrow the coroner concluded that an inquest was unnecessary. Before leaving the house Lehman found the bullet which Larson had fired at his wife Friday afternoon. It had lodged in the wainscoting in the kitchen.

**DIED ON TRAIN.**

**Upper Peninsula Man Enroute to Finland Expires Suddenly.**

Jacob Kangas, who spent a few days in this city last week, visiting Peter Koski, the Division Street merchant, leaving on the early South Shore train Thursday morning on a visit to his native place in Finland, died suddenly on the train, between Sault Ste. Marie and Sudberry, Can.

Kangas was well known to Koski, as well as a few other Finnish residents of Ishpeming, though he had never resided here. He had been in the country several years, spending most of the time at Duluth and towns near there. During the past winter he was employed at one of the Nester camps near Bruce's crossing. He was about fifty-six years of age and survived by a grown-up family in Finland. One of his sons is said to be a minister in the old country.

Mr. Koski wired the authorities at Sudberry yesterday to forward the remains to Ishpeming, and they are expected to arrive here tonight or tomorrow.

**ROUSING RALLY.**

**Citizens' Party Held Successful Meeting Saturday Evening.**

Several hundred voters assembled at Braastad's hall, Saturday evening and listened to the principal issues of the campaign by members of the Citizens' party. The rally was the largest held here prior to any municipal election in years. City Assessor John H. Quinn made the principal address, other speakers being John S. Olson, candidate for Alderman, Slimy Albin, Ed. Barnett, Ed. J. Butler, and W. T. Potter, chairman of the city committee.

Mr. Slaney emphasized some of the principal candidates, and also gave assurance that if Mr. Olson is elected mayor the taxpayers of the city, large and small, will not suffer loss at his hands. Dr. Barnett spoke of the excellence of the water works and sewerage systems. He said that the year before the completion of the sewerage system there were 410 cases of typhoid fever in the city, and forty deaths from that disease. He spoke of the purity of the water, declaring that no better can be found anywhere in the state.

Mr. Potter urged to voters not to vote for candidates who favor abandoning the city's present improvement program. Men, he said, who try to save money for a municipality by cutting off improvements that are necessary waste money, and do their city a great injury in other respects. The Citizens' party, Mr. Potter declared, has and will continue to show better general results in the management of the city's affairs than any other party that has ever been in power here.

Mr. Olson said that he has entered the race unpledged and that if elected he will conduct the city's affairs impartially and in the interest of all the people, treating the working men, the businessmen and the mining interests alike. He said that he felt confident, from assurances of support he has received from the voters generally, that not only himself but others on the Citizens' ticket will be elected. Mr. Olson's remarks were enthusiastically received.

**Strong Tax Argument.**

Mr. Quinn opened his address with an argument in favor of the four candidates on the city ticket, speaking particularly of Mr. Olson, whom he has known intimately for nearly a quarter of a century. He reviewed Mr. Olson's record as a citizen and businessman, expressing the opinion that if elected he will make a most careful, conscientious and conservative official.

Speaking of tax matters, Mr. Quinn said he was glad of the opportunity to talk upon a subject which the office seekers of the opposition party have used year after year to further their own selfish ends. He said he realized that by the misrepresentation of facts the candidates at the head of the People's party ticket had perhaps convinced some well-meaning and honest voters that the Citizens' party is not giving them a fair deal on the matter of taxation. He said it gave him much satisfaction to be able to refute the charge so frequently made that the taxes are excessive in this city, in proportion to other cities of the upper peninsula. He declared that the claim that Ishpeming is and has been taxed in the interest of the corporations is maliciously false, and that such garments are used only at election times to prejudice the minds of the voters against the Citizens party nominees. The Citizens party, he declared, stands for the interests of all classes and for the general welfare and progress of the city. The argument that what is good for the corporations is bad for the smaller taxpayers has been used time and again by the opponents of the Citizens' party, but Mr. Quinn was satisfied that the fair-minded taxpayers cannot longer be misled by such talk. The corporations have never been known, he said, to oppress anyone, but on the other hand they are doing much

for the people and the general advancement of the city.

"It has been asserted that the rate of taxation has been increased here from year to year," said Mr. Quinn. "This is not only true of Ishpeming, but the same will apply to nearly, if not every, city and town in the upper peninsula. I will remember the days when our taxes were lower. Those were the days when we used kerosene for street lighting and other improvements were neglected. With the growth of the city and the increase in population our requirements grow. There is no sense in the arguments by the men who are now seeking your votes; they simply want to take you backward and impede the progress of the city. Taxes in Ishpeming are fair and equitable as compared with the benefits you derive from them.

**Rate Not Excessive.**

"I will go still farther and say that the rates of taxation in Ishpeming last year and the year before were considerably lower than they were in some of the other well-governed cities of the upper peninsula. I herewith submit some figures for comparison taken from the report of the state board of tax commissioners for last year, which are authentic, the rate being based on each \$1,000 valuation:

|   |              |
|---|--------------|
| Ishpeming   | \$ 26.97     |
| Ironwood  | 29.21        |
| Iron Mountain   | 23.10        |
| Escanaba  | 32.75        |
| Hancock   | 29.92        |
| The total amount of taxes raised in Ishpeming last year was \$178,328.39, for the following purposes: |              |
| State tax   | \$ 16,795.78 |
| County tax  | 50,196.42    |
| Reflected tax   | 30.80        |
| Highway tax   | 21,000.00    |
| Library tax   | 6,613.00     |
| Fire fund   | 7,500.00     |
| Water fund  | 20,000.00    |
| School tax  | 46,000.00    |
| School one mill tax   | 6,613.00     |
| School building tax   | 6,613.00     |
| County road   | 8,408.23     |
| Sewer fund  | 8,500.00     |
| Total   | \$178,328.39 |

"By a careful examination of the tax roll we find that the Lake Superior Iron company paid \$ 47,588.84  
Cleveland Cliffs Iron Co. 59,181.04  
Pitts. & Lake Angeline Mining Co. 16,338.74  
Harlow estate (old New York) 525.82

Total paid by mining interests \$123,634.44  
"We find that the two banks and the street railway company paid taxes to the amount of \$ 7,276.94  
Total \$129,361.28

**What Small Taxpayers Pay.**

"We find by deducting the \$129,361.28 by the interests named, that there was remaining to pay by all the other interests of the city, including the stocks of wholesale and retail merchants, lumber companies, business blocks, dwellings, and all other property, both real and personal, \$48,967. I believe you will agree with me that this is not excessive. To make this more plain I will say that last year we were compelled to raise for school purposes \$59,226. Without the money paid into the treasury by the corporations the total payments of all the other taxpayers combined would have fallen short \$10,258.90 of enough to maintain this fund alone.

"This brings the question home to every good sober-minded citizen and head of a family, whose boys and girls are getting the benefit of the best school system in the state. Are you going to listen to agitators who want you to vote against these interests, whose liberality makes it possible for you to enjoy the benefits which you now enjoy?"

**EAGLES' BALL TONIGHT.**

**Second Annual of Ishpeming Aerie Takes Place at Braastad's Hall.**

The members of the Ishpeming aerie of the Fraternal Order of Eagles have made extensive preparations for their second annual ball tonight at Braastad's Hall. Something over 500 invitations have been issued. A delegation of members worked yesterday putting the hall in order. The floor received attention and the assembly room was decorated appropriate to the Easter season. Each guest will receive a souvenir program, containing the society's emblem embossed in the order's colors.

An orchestra of ten pieces, under the leadership of T. J. Clifford, will furnish the music, and the dancing will start promptly at 9 o'clock. A program of twenty-six numbers will be danced, this including a grand march, which will take place at about 10 o'clock. Tickets to the ball are \$1 each, with thirty-five cents per plate extra for supper, which will be served in the dining hall.

**Other Parties This Week.**

The fifth of the series of parties by the Midwinter club will take place tomorrow evening at Braastad's Hall. It will be a masquerade, and a number of old-style dances are to be introduced. The last of the series of parties under auspices of the Ishpeming lodge of Elks will be held Friday evening at Braastad's Hall. The invitations have already been sent out and it is anticipated that the party will not only be one of the most pleasant of the season, but that the attendance will also be larger than usual.

**BYRNS IN THE CITY.**

Representative C. J. Byrns arrived in the city from Lansing yesterday, having come up to vote. He will leave again this afternoon. With looking after the interests of his district in the Legislature and attending to his duties as national director of the Modern Woodmen of America, Mr. Byrns is a decidedly busy man. He is booked for four or five speeches at Woodmen demonstrations in the lower peninsula this month. Mr. Byrns will within a short time begin to map out the details, with the aid of the Ishpeming men, for the big barbecue to be given in this city during the summer in honor of United States Senator William Alden Smith. Mr. Byrns anticipates that this will be one of the most notable events ever held in the upper peninsula. Many prominent upper and lower peninsula men will be invited to attend, and he has already been assured that the number present will be large.

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## Ishpeming

### ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

Charles Chyder of Hancock transacted business in the city Saturday.

Robert Haynes came down from St. Paul Saturday to spend Easter at home. S. H. Forsberg and wife of Crystal Falls spent yesterday with relatives here.

William O'Donnell, clerk at the Nelson House, spent Sunday with friends at Gladstone.

Miss Ingeborg Braastad has returned home from college to spend her Easter vacation.

Dr. W. S. Pottle went to Calumet Saturday to spend Easter with friends. He will be back today.

John Cassin went to Munising Saturday to visit a couple of days with his son-in-law, John Smeltz, and family.

Michael Cassin, who is managing a meat market at Chassell, came down to spend Easter with his family.

Nels Moline is not managing the company boarding house at the American mine, but has taken another place. He has sixteen boarders.

Olof Holmgren, who is doing diamond drill work for the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company in the Swanzy district, came up to spend Sunday with his family. He will return today.

The Juvenile Bostonians closed their engagement at the Ishpeming theater Saturday evening and the company went to Hancock yesterday for a week's engagement. The company's business was not good here, due to its being holy week.

The fire department was called out yesterday afternoon to extinguish a blaze in the Chicago & Northwestern company's tool shed near Lake street, it having started in the roof from a hot stove pipe. The blaze was put out with the chemicals.

The members of the Junior Reclites, who will produce the comedy drama, "Out in the Streets," tonight at the Ishpeming theater, will be greeted by a large house. They have disposed of a large number of tickets. Seats are being reserved in advance, the price for both floors being twenty and thirty cents.

Ten cents will be charged in the gallery. Incidental to the play specialties will be introduced by a boys' quartet and several of the individual members of the company.

William Harris, a former shift boss at the Lake Angeline mine, who left there the close of the year to accept a captaincy with the New York State Iron company on the Mesaba range, but was taken ill soon after assuming the duties of his position, will leave Wednesday evening for Ann Arbor, where he will receive treatment at the University Hospital. Dr. McIntyre of the Ishpeming hospital staff will accompany Mr. Harris to the city. He is suffering from nervous prostration.

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## Negaunee Department

### A POSSIBLE FUTURE STEP.

Promoters of Interurban Railway in No Hurry to Extend Line to Champion.

When President W. H. Wagner and Secretary J. W. Barber of the Lake Superior Railway Construction company, which proposes to build and operate an interurban railway between this city and Marquette, were in the copper country looking over the traction system a week or so ago, Mr. Barber told a newspaper man that eventually the company might extend its line as far west as Champion, and it was reported that the plans had been made definitely. Mr. Barber was in Negaunee Saturday. He said that this talk is a trifle premature. However, the promoters of the project believe that in time a line extending to Champion would pay, but the principal matter receiving serious consideration at this time is the closing up of the preliminaries for the building of the road between Negaunee and Marquette. After the system is completed and in good working order between these two cities the company will consider further extensions. Branch lines in this country, one to the mines on the southeast range of Negaunee and another to South Marquette, the promoters believe, could be made to yield a profit to the company. Mr. Barber intends to spend the greater part of this week in Negaunee.

### LUMINOUS ARC LAMP.

One of the Latest Novelties Will Be Tested in Negaunee.

The board of public works has purchased one of the luminous arc lamps, which have attracted general attention among the electricians of the country. The luminous lamp is said to be an improvement on the flaming arc lamp, two of which are now in use in this city. The flaming arc is far superior to the ordinary arc lamp, for in spite of the fact that it consumes a greater amount of electricity it throws from 100 to 200 per cent more light. The principal advantage the luminous lamp is said to possess over all other lamps is in the life of the carbon. The lower carbons are said to have a life of from 150 to 200 hours, and the upper ones will burn from 2,500 to 3,000 hours. This is not only a big saving in carbons, but it also reduces the cost of taking care of the lamps. The carbons in the arc lamps used on the street here burn for from sixty to eighty hours. The saving with the luminous arc as compared with the flaming arc is said to be from 15 to 15 per cent, and the saving in comparison with the arc lights this city is now using is about 25 per cent.

### VERY SUCCESSFUL AFFAIR.

The annual supper and entertainment Friday evening at McDonald's opera house under auspices of English Oak Lodge, Sons of St. George, was one of the most successful societies has ever given during the twenty years its annual functions have been held. The supper was an exceptionally fine one and it was partaken of by several hundred persons, including many of the town's people besides the Sons and Daughters. The attendance at the supper was very large that nearly all of the standing room was taken up. The several numbers on the program were well rendered and were much enjoyed by the audience.

### ANNUAL BALL TONIGHT.

Members of Fire Department Will Parade Principal Streets at 8 O'Clock.

The Negaunee fire department's annual ball will be held tonight at McDonald's opera house. It promises to be the most successful, socially and financially, that the organization has ever given. That is saying a great deal, as a number of the balls during the past fifteen years or more have been the biggest kind of successes. The number of tickets already disposed of exceeds the largest number sold for any of the previous functions.

The members of the department will assemble at 7:30 o'clock, and thirty minutes later they will march west on Jackson street to Cyr south on Cyr to Iron east on Iron to Pioneer avenue, thence to the opera house. The procession will be headed by the Negaunee City band. The officers expect every active member in the department to turn out, and they would also like to see the honorary members in line. The chief has invited the chiefs of all the departments in the county to attend as guests of the local organization, and it is expected that some of them will be present.

The music for the ball will be furnished by the Negaunee orchestra, which will be augmented by two or three extra men, and the supper will be served at the Breitung House. The charge for the supper will be fifty cents per plate.

### ICE WAGONS AND WOLVES WON.

In Friday night's contests the Ice Wagon defeated the Green Sox and the Wolves won from the Indians, each victory being by the lead of twenty-two pins. The scores were as follows:

|           |                  |
|-----------|------------------|
| Green Sox | Tot.             |
| Boase     | 123 153 140 425  |
| Curley    | 156 137 186 459  |
| Pascoe    | 146 119 151 416  |
| Totals    | 425 409 466 1300 |

|             |                  |
|-------------|------------------|
| Ice Wagons  | Tot.             |
| Kirkpatrick | 145 166 137 448  |
| Erickson    | 149 139 167 455  |
| Nightingale | 147 101 171 419  |
| Totals      | 441 406 475 1322 |

|         |                  |
|---------|------------------|
| Wolves  | Tot.             |
| Sanders | 155 166 182 443  |
| Reichel | 123 166 156 445  |
| Rodgers | 153 149 179 481  |
| Totals  | 433 421 517 1371 |

|          |                  |
|----------|------------------|
| Indians  | Tot.             |
| Wellman  | 143 165 154 462  |
| Wasmuth  | 137 136 149 422  |
| Mitchell | 162 148 155 465  |
| Totals   | 442 439 468 1349 |

### AWNINGS.

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### QUIET ELECTION.

Only Contest Today Is for Supervisor and Alderman in the Third Ward.

There will be no election excitement in Negaunee today, though there promises to be a very warm contest in the Third ward between the nominees for supervisor and Alderman on the Taxpayers ticket and Hugo Muck and Louis Villeneuve, the nominees for supervisor and Alderman, respectively, running independently. It is the general impression of the voters that the contest will be close. Ed. Corey, the nominee for supervisor, and Nicholas Laughlin, Jr., his running mate, have a slight advantage on being the nominees on the regular ticket. Both Muck and Villeneuve, as well as a number of their friends, are working hard and it is predicted that nearly every vote in the Third ward will be cast. The Third is the smallest ward in the city, the largest vote ever polled there having been only 170. It is expected that the total vote today will almost reach, if not exceed, that number. Mr. Muck is the present supervisor and he has a strong following. The interest of all the voters of the city is centered in the contest. The election commissioners have decided to place the names of Muck and Villeneuve in the same column as their opponents, running their names under the head of the ticket, but beneath the Taxpayers party nominees. It is thought that the vote will be usually light and the opinion has been expressed that the total will perhaps not exceed 700. The city's normal vote is over 1,800. There has been no life in the campaign, except in the Third ward, since the caucus Tuesday evening and many people will not take the trouble to vote.

### LOCAL LACONICS.

J. G. Dabb of Iron Mountain was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. May Hudson and Miss Alice Merrill are in Chicago, to be absent a week or so.

J. A. Kirkwood of Duluth called on his friends and patrons in Negaunee Saturday.

Anton Hendrickson has gone to Sioux City, Ia., where he will visit for two or three weeks, with friends.

Captain T. H. Roberts, formerly of the Mary Charlotte mine, is spending a few days in the copper country.

Mayor J. H. Winter and C. L. Sporely arrived home yesterday from Chicago, where they spent a few days on business.

There were fifteen scores of over 200 points recorded at the Orr & Tompkins Alloys Good Friday, the highest of these being 241 by Saunders.

The road leading to the Mary Charlotte mine has been in poor condition the past two or three days. In places the snow is five or six feet in depth.

H. W. Crawford, former superintendent of the Bellevue farm, near this city, is now located at Rumley, where he has charge of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company's new farm.

Captain Joseph Hodgson, assistant superintendent of the Mary Charlotte mine, will move his family from Ishpeming to Negaunee this week, occupying the Pearce dwelling on east Main street.

The members of St. Paul's church of the Catholic Order of Foresters of this city attended mass in a body and received holy communion yesterday morning at St. Paul's church.

Julius Jacobson, who left here last fall for Arizona and other points in the south and southwest, is at present at Havana, Cuba, he having arrived there about fifteen days ago. Mr. Jacobson is not expected to return to Negaunee until May.

The members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will serve hot meals today in the main room of the First National bank block, corner Iron and Silver streets. The charge will be twenty-five cents per plate for adults and fifteen for children.

The wood dealers of the city are now handling their normal supply of dry hardwood, which has been scarce here for nearly two months past. A large quantity of wood has been purchased by the principal dealers, but the railway companies have not been able to supply the cars for the shipments. Cars are now more plentiful than they have been for some time past.

### MANY MILLIONAIRES ASK FOR PENSIONS.

McCumber Service Law Brings Them in Line for the Money.

Washington, March 31.—The commissioner of pensions, Vespasian Warner, said yesterday that he had received up to this time 275,000 applications for pensions under the service pension act which was passed at the last session of congress. The first day after the act went into effect the number of applications received reached 20,000. A part of these had accumulated in the bureau in the few days prior to the law becoming effective.

The number has dwindled down steadily until now the average received per day does not exceed 4,000. The commissioner estimates that there will be not to exceed 300,000 pensioners under the provisions of the act. Soon thereafter, because of the ever increasing death rate since that conflict closed, these applications will cease entirely and the great list of pensioners of all classes will begin to diminish rapidly.

Until this time experts on that sort of thing under the government have estimated that there were about 125,000 men in the "great unknown army," who had not been heard from since the close of the war and would now come forward to make claims. This would mean that this number of new pensioners would be added to the rolls. The commissioner of pensions says that this has not proved the case, as less than 2 per cent of the applications are original pensions.

He believes that when the roll is made up under the service pension act, it will constitute almost a complete list of the surviving soldiers of the Civil war. He bases this on the fact that nearly every man of whom the government has record who is still living is coming forward under the act. Men of high and low degree are now applying.

The ranks of the service pensioners roll now include no less than a score of millionaires. They apply for pensions under the act under the belief that it is a roll of honor and officially establishes their Civil war records. The pension commissioner agrees with them in this, for he points out that no man can be pensioned who has not served faithfully and well, and who has not received an honorable discharge. Many of the applicants are now seeking pension certificates as legacies to their children and have no thought of the amount of money which they will receive.

Recently one of the most influential business men in the country, the head of one of the greatest corporations and a man with millions of dollars, made application for the \$12 a month pension. The general public, which is familiar with his name, has never known that he had a splendid war record; that he entered as a private soldier and served full three years in that capacity; participated in some of the bloodiest battles of the war and received an honorable discharge. He was so poor when he left the army that he worked at day labor, and now there are not twenty men in the country who can measure fortunes with him. His systematic benefactions are said to be more than ten times each day what he will receive in pension money per month under the service pension law. Yet he writes that he will, if the pension is granted him (and it will be), hand it down to his descendants with more satisfaction and pride than any of his worldly possessions.

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INVENTOR TO ATTRACT ELECTRICITY FROM SKY  
Plans to Send Wireless Messages Without Usual Power Plant.

Columbus, Ind., March 31.—The wireless telegraph system that is being installed here by Dore Ogden, local manager for the Western Union Telegraph company, will have a feature that has never before been tried in connection with wireless telegraph experiments. The new feature will consist of kites that will be sent up from wireless stations, which are expected to attract enough electricity from the elements above to convey messages from one wireless station to another.

A few years ago, when the United States government was trying to get large kites to be used by the weather bureau, Ogden built a number of large ones of canvas, some of them being twelve feet square. These kites were sent up a distance of one and one-half miles by means of wires to which they were attached, and the wire was taken off a reel as the kites ascended. When the kites had been sent up Ogden noticed that the lower parts of the wires to which they were attached became charged with currents of electricity so strong that one dared not touch them, nor did one dare to approach very near to the wires. From this condition Ogden has figured that kites sent up from the various wireless stations that he will establish for experimental purposes will attract sufficient electricity to convey messages from one wireless station to another.

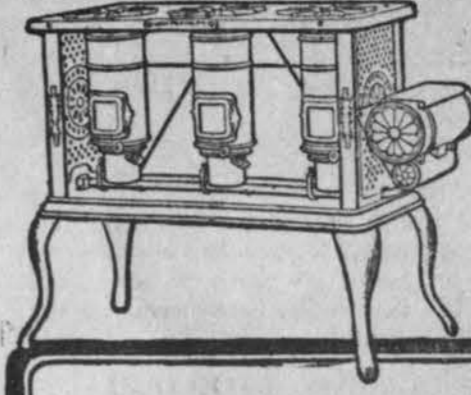
The first successful experiment in wireless telegraphy was made at Walsboro, a small town four miles west of here, in the early '70s. Charles Crabb at that time invented a set of wireless instruments and made several successful experiments, but the invention and experiments were disastrous ones for him, in that he became blind and mentally deranged, so engrossed was he in the great work he had started. While inventing and building his wireless telegraph instruments he worked day and night at them, and thus destroyed his sight and his mind temporarily. He worked in a cave, that his great secret might not be discovered, and when all was ready he took his wireless instruments out and, tapping the Pennsylvania Railway company's wires late at night, near Walsboro, he thus stole messages from their wires and sent them to his other wireless instrument, a distance of two miles. Several successful experiments of this sort were made by Crabb before his eyes and mind failed him and he was obliged to abandon his cherished scheme of wireless telegraphy.

A WOMAN TELLS HOW TO RELIEVE RHEUMATIC PAINS.

I have been a very great sufferer from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, for a number of years. I have tried many medicines but never got much relief from any of them until two years ago, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Through my advice many of my friends have tried it and can tell you how wonderfully it has worked.—Mrs. Sarah A. Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes rest and sleep possible. For sale by The Stafford Drug Co.

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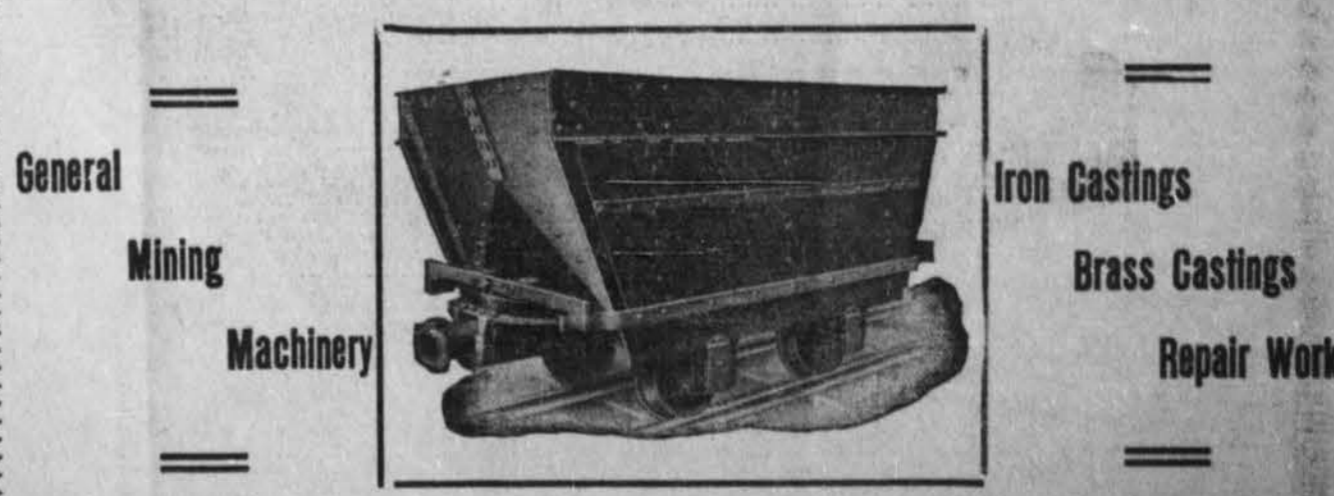
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ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CITY OF MARQUETTE

(Continued from Page Five.)

Table listing various city expenses and salaries, including items like 'Pendell's Pharmacy', 'Robert P. Byrne, Treas.', 'Bigelow & Co.', and 'Lake Shore Engine Works'. Includes sub-sections for 'SCHEDULE "B"' and 'SCHEDULE "C"'.

Table listing various city expenses and salaries, including items like 'D. S. Donovan, postage', 'H. L. Seigel, matches', 'Joseph Knapp, 25 days labor', and 'Edw. S. Bice, cashier, teachers' and janitors'. Includes sub-sections for 'SCHEDULE "B"' and 'SCHEDULE "C"'.



Main ledger table with columns for item descriptions, amounts, and sub-totals. Includes sections for 'SCHEDULE "D"', 'SCHEDULE "E"', and 'SCHEDULE "F"'. The table lists numerous transactions and their corresponding monetary values.

LEDGER BALANCES, MARCH 12, 1907.

Table showing ledger balances as of March 12, 1907. It lists various accounts and their respective balances, including items like 'Marquette Journal Co. Ltd.', 'Robert Hume, foreman', and 'City of Marquette'.

ANALYSIS OF ACCOUNTS.

Table providing an analysis of accounts, detailing the breakdown of various financial items. It includes sub-sections for 'ROBERT P. BYRNE, CITY TREASURER'S CASH ACCOUNT' and 'EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED BY BOARD OF FIRE AND WATER COMMISSIONS'.



ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LIGHT AND POWER COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 12, 1907.

The Hon. Mayor and Common Council, Marquette, Mich., March 12, 1907. Gentlemen—Pursuant to statute, we submit the report for the year ending this day.

This, the second full year of operation of our new series and showing street lamps, has been very satisfactory, and allows a saving of \$1,000 over cost of the old D. C. system, the last year it was in use, which is about what was expected.

During the recent season of short days, in the previous year our water wheels, during the evening hours, have been fully loaded a number of times, confirming the necessity of providing for the present winter wheels are much worn and we plan to replace the worn parts immediately, including shaft, bronze turbines and enclosing rings and gates, in order to enlarge from 22 to 25-inch diameter wheels. This change will stop leakage through present worn wheel openings and also give us greater power.

The whole river improvement is a matter so far in the future, as to demand no discussion here. The Silver Lake storage is very necessary to our operation now, and should be completed as soon as possible, and at an early date, up to the condition of the old wooden dam, private parties, shows a substantial increase and we see opportunity for further increase, but holding out no prospect of further increase, but retaining our present capacity, outside of high lighting load. The suggestion has been made, heretofore, that with the water pump at work on the water works we could do a large part of the pumping and effect a substantial saving there in the cost of coal. It has not been thoroughly considered as yet.

We have, with the co-operation of your honorable body, secured legislation enabling us, with the approval of the voters, to issue an additional \$100,000 of bonds, as may be required. The minimum charge per month, to private users, will be reduced to fifty cents per month, beginning March 1, 1907. We are considering reduction of rate charged the city for the use of the plant, but no conclusion has been reached; a strong feeling exists that the surplus of earnings now being made may well be applied to expenditures necessary to put the plant in a permanently safe condition, in respect to present power dam and the dam at Silver Lake.

The matter of the manufacturing and furnishing of gas, particularly for fuel, has recently been brought to our attention. It is a subject, though without definite balance, we shall look into it and if found advisable, will employ an expert to make figures.

The operation of the plant has been continuous and satisfactory and the increase of the use of current, for both light and power, affords substantial testimony of continued appreciation by the citizens of Marquette.

We introduce our usual tabular matter, with a comparison of results five years ago and last year, with those of the year closing this day.

Table with columns for Receipts, Disbursements, and Net Revenue from plant. Includes sub-sections for RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, and NET REVENUE FROM PLANT.

STATEMENT OF LIGHT AND POWER FURNISHED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 12, 1907, AND THE LIGHT RECEIVED THEREFOR.

Table showing amounts invested in various categories: Land, Buildings, Power plant, Transmission, Team, wagon, etc., with sub-totals for City of Marquette and Private Consumers.

STATEMENT OF AMOUNTS DUE FOR LIGHT AND POWER. Lighting for February, during March 20, 1907. Lighting delinquent for one month. Estimated delinquent for more than one month.

STREET LIGHTING. Two 75-light electric regulators and switchboard. Two separate street lighting circuits from power house. One hundred sixteen Alternating Current series, 75 ampere, enclosed street lamps (Westinghouse). Current taken from our 550 K. W. generator, which has, during the past year, done our whole work.

Table showing RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for STREET LIGHTING, including labor, material, and various expenses.

STATEMENT OF INDEBTEDNESS OF LIGHT AND POWER COMMISSION. Labor to March 13, 1907. Supplies to March 13, 1907. Past due interest (coupons not presented).

COMPLETE STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS (CLASSIFIED) FROM THE BEGINNING OF OPERATIONS JULY 1, 1887, TO MARCH 12, 1907. Receipts from operation of plant: City of Marquette (lighting), Peter White Public Library, Park and Cemetery Commission, etc.

DISBURSEMENTS. For real property (water power and power house). For power house. For No. 1 dam and flume (original plan). For Dwellings (No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100).

Calculation showing the surplus of earnings of the year. Depreciation of plant, interest and sinking fund, apportioned between the City and the Private users.

EARNINGS. (Year ending March 12, 1907). Arc Circuits—City street lamps, at \$7.34 per 100 per month. Private parties, at \$5.00 per 100 per month. Total earnings—\$29,128.51.

Table showing DEPRECIATION for various assets: Street Commercial Circuits, Power plant, Transmission, Team, wagon, etc., with rates and amounts.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE PETER WHITE PUBLIC LIBRARY, MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 12, 1907. To the Honorable, the Common Council of the City of Marquette.

The trustees have entered into a contract for the completion of the stack system in the library, in accordance with the plan and specifications, originally adopted, involving an expenditure of \$4,000. This work will be completed within the next few days.

Table showing RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for the LIBRARY, including salaries, fuel, and various expenses.

MAGAZINES AND PERIODICALS. The magazines and periodicals are the same as last year, and may be found in the reading rooms, with the following additions: Birds and Nature, Bur McIntosh, Collier's Weekly, The Delinquent, Home Needle Work Magazine, International Review, Kindergarten Magazine, Kindergarten Review, Life, Little Folk's Magazine, Technical World.

Table showing SUMMARY OF LIBRARY STATISTICS for the year ending March 12, 1907, including circulation, number of books, and readers.

REPORT OF THE FIRE AND WATER COMMISSIONERS. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Marquette. The Board of Fire and Water Commissioners herewith submit their official report for the year ending this day, it being their thirty-eighth annual report.

Calculation showing the surplus of earnings of the year. Depreciation of plant, interest and sinking fund, apportioned between the City and the Private users.

Operating expense and interest. Street Commercial Circuits. \$5,479.74 Manufacturing. \$2,381.89 Office and general. \$3,307.50 Interest on bonds. \$12,289.23 Total (divided on basis of earnings). \$21,477.12

very low rate, much below the average, and may prove to be too low, it will, however, be maintained until sufficient time has elapsed to determine when, if necessary, it may be changed. Rather late in the fall the board undertook the sampling of water in the lake, on lines radiating from the mouth of the intake pipe, at regular distances therefrom, at the

surface, bottom and intervals between, for the purpose of determining the existence, or non-existence, of creosote in the water. The determination is by chemical test, at a laboratory in the city, and not by taste, which could not be depended upon, as the little time we had before the information was not sufficient to give us any very satisfactory results. Sampling will be continued as soon as the ice disappears and continued until we have more definite information. As stated in a former report, the small sampling pipe, extending 550 feet out from the shore of the Silver Lake, and to seventy feet depth of water, gave the creosote taste at most times when it was noticeable in the water. The inlet of this small pipe is very close to the bottom of the lake, and many persons believe that, as the creosote is discharged from the Pioneer Company's furnace sinks, and the easterly current which prevails at the bottom, if the inlet were raised from the bottom several feet, a more reliable result would be obtained. One of the objects of the sampling mentioned is to determine if or not this theory is correct.

As recently stated to your honorable body, this board has determined to extend the forty-two-inch intake pipe, the distance not yet determined, providing the means of raising the money necessary, by an issue of bonds, the amount of which will be determined by the board, notice of which submission will soon be published, and will request the electors to vote upon an issue of \$5,000, and while no plans or specifications have as yet been prepared, partly because the distance advisable to go has not been determined, and other reasons, it is not now expected by the board that such a bond will be required. Two objects are in mind as being desirable to accomplish the extension of the intake pipe, the elimination of the creosote taste, and that of overcoming the feeling that apparently exists with a good many people of the city that the water is contaminated from sewage, and while there is no positive evidence to support this belief, and the analysis proves to the contrary, still the belief exists, and in opinion of the board, some extension of the pipe will be necessary to satisfy them.

For a detailed statement of the operations of this department, receipts and disbursements, of fire, fire loss and insurance upon the property damaged, etc., here are respectfully referred to the secretary's report, hereto attached, and made a part of this report.

Table showing RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for the FIRE AND WATER COMMISSIONERS, including pumping account, fuel, and various expenses.

ANNUAL REPORT OF STREET COMMISSIONER. Marquette, Mich., March 12, 1907. To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Marquette. Gentlemen—I have the honor to submit the following report of the operations of the Marquette city water works for the fiscal year ending this day.

Table showing RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for the STREET COMMISSIONER, including cash on hand, receipts, and various expenses.

For cleaning streets. For cleaning catch basins. For snow plowing and opening gutters. For hauling snow off Front and Washington streets. For eight new catch basins. For repairing sidewalks. For cleaning and repairing sewers. For cleaning and repairing gutters. For 600 lineal feet cement curb and attached to walk. For 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Michigan street. For 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Front street. For 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Third street. For 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Fifth street. For wood crosswalks and repairs. For 1,200 square feet cement crosswalks. For repairing bridges. For canvas and tarp. For changing sewer in Third street, corner of Washington street. For fencing at Carp river. For putting up and removing election booths. For hauling snow on Chequamegon road. For minor repairs, small charges. For street commissioner's salary.

Total for street work proper. Total for cleaning streets. Total for cleaning catch basins. Total for snow plowing and opening gutters. Total for hauling snow off Front and Washington streets. Total for eight new catch basins. Total for repairing sidewalks. Total for cleaning and repairing sewers. Total for cleaning and repairing gutters. Total for 600 lineal feet cement curb and attached to walk. Total for 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Michigan street. Total for 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Front street. Total for 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Third street. Total for 1,350 lineal feet cement gutter and curbing in Fifth street. Total for wood crosswalks and repairs. Total for 1,200 square feet cement crosswalks. Total for repairing bridges. Total for canvas and tarp. Total for changing sewer in Third street, corner of Washington street. Total for fencing at Carp river. Total for putting up and removing election booths. Total for hauling snow on Chequamegon road. Total for minor repairs, small charges. Total for street commissioner's salary.

Table showing LEDGER BALANCES for various departments: Construction, Pumping station, Machinery, Sewer intake, Hydrants, Dwelling house, By-pass, Fire department equipment, Pipe laying, Fire alarm system, Tools, Meters, Fire department building, Estate of J. M. Wilkinson, Cash, Marquette city, Bond account.

Table showing TABLE SHOWING NUMBER OF FIRES, LOSS AND INSURANCE FOR 1906. Columns include Date, Owner, Property, Value, Insured, Loss.

Table showing RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for the FIRE AND WATER COMMISSIONERS, including cash on hand, receipts, and various expenses.

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### ELECTION DAY TO BE EVENTFUL

LIVELY WARD CONTESTS WILL LEND VARIETY TO FIGHT FOR OFFICE OF MAYOR.

### L. M. SPENCER WILL NOT RUN

Registration Saturday Was Large—Many Voters Have Been Instructed—How to Use the Machines—Bits of Election News.

Saturday was largely given over to preliminaries for today's city and state elections. The boards of registration were in session, and activity at the ward polling places was increased by the instructions being given voters in the use of the Abbott voting machine, on which the vote for the state ticket and the amendments will be polled. The registration was, as expected, heavy, being larger in total number of names written on the books than was usual in the previous two days' spring registration, a fact due to the redistricting of the wards. In rewriting the rolls the men who did the work were guided in placing the names of the voters in the new registration books by the addresses given in the old books. In many cases these addresses did not properly show the present residence of the voters, and thus mistakes were made that had to be rectified Saturday. Most of the registrations were of men adjusting such matters as these, the number of new voters registered being but a small part of the total. The names written in the registration lists in the different wards were as follows: First, 58; Second, 124; Third, 50; Fourth, 91 and Fifth, 52.

#### Voting Machines to Be Tried.

The voting machines will be tried today on the state ticket. Saturday most people instructed had little difficulty learning how to operate them, and it is predicted that the vote on the state ticket and the amendments will be recorded rapidly. The voting machine is so simple in its operation as to offer no difficulty for the ordinarily intelligent voter who can read English, and even the other class of voters ought not to find much trouble in using it.

Tonight the vote on the state ticket will be known a few minutes after the polls are closed. It will probably be after 8 o'clock before there can be even an intelligent forecast of how the city has gone, and it will probably be midnight before the official figures are available. The increased size of the wards will mean placing a much heavier burden of work than formerly on the election boards. If the vote polled is as heavy as last spring the average vote to the ward will be 400, and as there will doubtless be much splitting of ballots the count will be a slow one.

#### Campaign Closed.

The campaign closed yesterday, and today the candidates and their friends will be concerned not in making votes, but in getting the votes out. The campaign has been much quieter than those of the past two years, and has been conducted in much better spirit. Both men running for mayor are square dealers, and have used, it is everywhere commented, only honorable tactics.

There was a good deal of confidence in the rival camps last evening. Mr. Werner's friends held that despite their leader's late start, they would win today, holding that his candidacy has been received with much favor and that he has gained ground steadily. On the other hand, Mr. Robertson professed himself well pleased with the situation, and satisfied that the work he has done for a month past would land him a comfortable winner. The Mining Journal was informed last evening that L. M. Spencer would not, as was announced earlier, make the run for recorder on slips. The supporters of Recorder Donovan believe that this will work to his advantage, as they rather calculated that if Mr. Spencer ran he would cut in on strength that as between Donovan and McCarthy would go to the former. Donovan's friends are confident of his election, whatever else happens, while McCarthy expects to go through with the Citizens' ticket, if it wins.

#### In the Wards.

There will be a number of interesting, and doubtless closely contested, ward fights. In the First John Downey and George Knapp, both supporters of the head of the People's ticket, are candidates for alderman, and will put up a spirited skirmish for votes. In this ward the rival candidates for supervisor are Martin Gorman and William Wiseman.

In the Second Joe Fay for supervisor is opposed by A. Fleury, a former alderman. Mr. Fay's election is regarded as assured, he being conspicuously the best man to send to the county board, both for the interests of the ward and the city. If the city at large had a vote on this office there would be no doubt of Mr. Fay's success. Peter Donovan, on the Citizens' ticket, is opposed by Mike Hennessey, and is expected to be re-elected, along with his teammate, Mr. Fay.

In the Third Alderman Ball is running against Mr. Peters. It is predicted that the result will be pretty close, as it is known that many men who are going to vote for Mr. Robertson will vote for Mr. Ball. Neither candidate appears to have made a very active canvass.

#### Ward in Tight Place.

The contest in the Fifth will be followed with perhaps the closest interest. There the aldermanic fight is a three-cornered affair, with Walter T. Ward, one time mayor, making the run on slips. Herman Schauer, of North Marquette, is the Citizens' nominee and Alderman Gustafson is on the People's ticket. The turn is being called on Mr. Ward's downfall. It is reported that he is getting a very artistic cross-cross from Mr. Robertson, who talks openly in favor of the election of Mr. Schauer, with whom he appears to be in alliance. As Mr. Ward is a Robertson man he can expect no aid and comfort from the Werner forces, who are supporting their own nominee, Mr. Gustafson. Thus many people expect that, between these combinations, he will fall down and out of politics, though he will doubtless make a hard fight. In this precinct the candidates for supervisor are Martin Sweder and John Tobin.

For alderman-at-large Jerry Sharland and Dr. Vadna is the opposing candidate, and it is expected that they will

run pretty close to the heads of their tickets.

The names of three prospective supervisors-at-large appear on the tickets, but the offices they will be elected to fill have been legislated out of existence, so the voters need not be particular how they cast their ballots in regard to them.

#### New Candidate in the Fourth.

A three-cornered fight has developed in the Fourth. Modeste R. Riopelle has entered the lists for aldermanic honors, and will make the run today on slips. He is the candidate of independent voters, at whose earnest request he finally decided to permit the presentation of his name. His supporters are confident he will make a strong run. James Gray and George Reichel also are candidates for alderman in this ward, and there is no question that the three-cornered fight will be a lively one.

### SUPT. BROOKS WAS RE-ELECTED

ENGAGED FOR ANOTHER YEAR BY SCHOOL BOARD—APPROVE PROJECT FOR SCHOOL FOR DEAF CHILDREN.

The board of education met Friday night and re-engaged Kendall P. Brooks as superintendent of the city schools for the coming year. Mr. Brooks is now serving his third year as superintendent, and his ability is highly regarded by the members of the board and the public. His re-election for the coming year meets with general approval. The salaries of the high school teachers were fixed.

The matter of establishing a school for the deaf here was brought up. Superintendent Brooks reported that he had located about six children who would be benefited by the proposed school. The matter was discussed, and a resolution was passed authorizing Mr. Brooks to take the necessary action for establishing the school, if five prospective regular attendants can be secured.

Mr. Brooks already has the five students in view, and he will now cast about for a teacher. It is expected that room will be found in the high school building for the class, and that the school will begin sessions with the opening of the new school year in September.

The board decided to take steps to have the money in its treasury placed in the local banks, on interest. At present the board is securing no interest on its deposits, and the steps to be taken are in line with those decided upon by the city council recently. With the beginning of this fiscal year all departments of the city government moved to secure interest on the deposits of funds.

The board decided to remove the hot air heating system now used in the Elv school and substitute for it a steam heating system. The change will be made during the summer.

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