

NATIONAL HOUSE DONS ITS WAR PAINT

Bids Defiance to the Senate by Rejecting Its Amendments Providing for Executive, Legislative and Judicial Salary Increases.

Action in Each Case Is by a Sweeping Majority and with Party Lines Obliterated, Yet for More Than Six Hours the Battle Wages, Oratory and Confusion Vie with Each Other and Speaker Cannon Is Forced to Wield His Gavel Vigorously.

Washington, Feb. 24.—With its war paint on, the house today by sweeping majorities many times defied the senate by rejecting its amendments to the legislative appropriation bill providing for salary increases for the president, vice president, and the officers of the executive department, and for the secretary and fourth assistant secretary of state. Party lines were obliterated completely.

It was a regular field day in the lower body, where oratory and confusion, vied with each other for the honors. Not a word of the present congress has the speaker been compelled to yield his gavel with such force to bring about order as today. Of parliamentary tangents, there were many, but the veteran presiding officer emerged from them all with his decisions undisputed.

The battle was waged for more than six hours, at the end of which the bill was sent to conference. A much time was consumed in the consideration of the conference report on that measure that a night session was made imperative in order that further discussion of the sundry civil appropriation bill, which had dragged along for several days, might be had.

Although the members were primed for a discussion of the secret service, the subject was allowed to go over until tomorrow. The bill was less than one-half completed when the house, about 6:05 o'clock, recessed until tomorrow.

Senate Considers the Agricultural Bill. Washington, Feb. 24.—The agricultural appropriation bill was under discussion in the senate during practically the entire session today. Mr. Mcumber, of North Dakota, discussed at length the right of congress under the constitution to fix standards for grain, and declared the present practice make impossible the sale of western grain at the price to which it is really entitled. Mr. Hayden of Idaho denounced the methods of administering the tariff in a speech which occupied two hours. Consideration of the bill was not concluded.

Costly Gifts to Retiring Congressmen. Washington, Feb. 24.—Unusual honors were conferred today on the retiring members of the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce. On behalf of the members of the committee, Representative Townsend of Michigan presented the retiring chairman, Colonel Hepburn, of Iowa, with a magnificent chair. Mr. Knowlton of California presented Vice President-elect Sherman with a desk set elaborately adorned with sterling silver, and Mr. Adanson of Georgia gave Mr. Bryan, of New York, a punch bowl.

South Carolina Man Appointed. Washington, Feb. 24.—Bernard H. Rawl, of Lexington, S. C., today was appointed chief of the dairy-division of the department of agriculture.

TARIFF SPLITS DEMOCRATS. Minority Members of the Senate Unable to Agree Upon Policy.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The Democratic senators are going to be divided when the tariff bill reaches them. They are a unit on the general principle that the tariff should be based on the demands of the government for revenue rather than protection, and apparently the majority and the minority are agreed on this basis. Some of them believe in proceeding upon this theory even though the Republican frame the bill. Others, coming from states in which there are large industries which have heretofore been the subject of protection, take the view that as the bill will under any circumstances be a protective measure, it is in the line of their duty to consent to its exit themselves to obtain the best protection possible in the new measure.

SNUBS M. M. MANGASARIAN. President Refuses to See Representative of Independent Religious Society.

Washington, Feb. 24.—M. M. Mangasarian of Chicago, who came as a delegate from the independent religious society to see the president and present the resolutions in behalf of the society at his failure to obtain "justice for Paine." The resolutions adopted by the Independent Religious society of Chicago ask Mr. Roosevelt to withdraw publicly his regrettable and indefensible censure of one of the first citizens of the republic, Thomas Paine, who helped to make the world freer by his genius and grander by his heroism." They declare further that the president has "in a hasty moment of publicity and in printed form

HEATED DEBATE AT MADISON. As an Outcome Itemized Accounts Are Asked of All the Toga-Seekers.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 24.—Today's hearing of the Wisconsin legislative committee investigating the senatorial primary was marked by a heated discussion by members of the committee on the scope of the investigation should take. The matter was not finally settled, but it was agreed that all the senatorial candidates and their managers be instructed to file itemized accounts, the same as had been required of Isaac Stephenson. There were but two witnesses on the stand today—both Stephenson managers, Rodney Sackett and state chairman E. A. Edmunds. Both told of the payment of various sums for Stephenson support in various counties in the state.

Lehr Refused an Injunction. The supreme court today denied Senator Lehr's application for an injunction to prevent the secretary of state from auditing and the state treasurer from paying the expenses incurred by the senatorial investigation committee.

The sixteenth ballot for senator today resulted in no choice. Mr. Stephenson received fifty-six out of 128 votes cast; necessary to elect, sixty-five.

PRESIDENT GIVES TAFT HIGH PRAISE. An Eulogy by Mr. Roosevelt of the Man Who Is to Succeed Him a Significant Feature of the Inaugural Souvenir.

Washington, Feb. 24.—A remarkable feature of the inaugural souvenir issued by the committee in charge of the inaugural ceremonies is a biographical sketch of President-elect Taft by President Roosevelt. It has peculiar significance in view of the rumors published to the effect that friction existed between Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Taft. The keynote of the president's sketch may be found in these words: "No man of better training; no man of more diverse acquirements; of common sense and of higher character has ever come to the presidency than Wm. H. Taft."

Both Men Attend the Funeral of Stewart Douglas Robinson. New York, Feb. 24.—President Roosevelt and family and Wm. H. Taft were in attendance at the funeral of Stewart Douglas Robinson, the president's nephew, today. The presidential party departed for Washington at the conclusion of the ceremony.

Washington, Feb. 24.—President Roosevelt and the members of his family who attended the funeral of Stewart Douglas Robinson in New York this morning returned to the White House at five this afternoon. The president went immediately to his private office and with Secretary Loeb was for more than two hours engaged in disposing of a mass of correspondence that had accumulated during the day.

INCOMING CABINET NOW COMPLETED. That the Last Place Open Is Filled by Franklin MacVeagh's Acceptance of the Treasury Portfolio Is the Understanding.

New York, Feb. 24.—President-elect Wm. H. Taft today completed his cabinet by the offer of the treasury portfolio and its acceptance. The offer was made to and accepted by Franklin MacVeagh, of Chicago, as is near a positive statement of what is believed to be the fact as may be made in the face of the absolute refusal of Mr. Taft to throw any light on the most interesting situation.

It is vaguely hinted that there are things to be accomplished in Washington before the announcement may be properly made. Mr. Taft, however, justifies his silence on the ground that, as some time ago he declared, he would give out no information regarding the makeup of his cabinet until he was ready to announce it in its entirety, and in official manner. He gave a broad hint tonight, however, that it might be possible for him to divulge the identity of his latest cabinet acquisition in the near future, but he at once qualified this hint with an expression of doubt.

In spite of the strong belief that Mr. MacVeagh had been offered the treasury portfolio and has already or would accept it, there were reports that the name of A. B. Hepburn, of New York, former comptroller of the currency, had figured largely in the conferences on the subject. It was declared that should anything arise to eliminate Mr. MacVeagh from the list as it is now understood to stand, Mr. Hepburn would be selected to take his place.

Inaugural Address Gets Final Revision. The inaugural address of Mr. Taft received its final revision today. The document is, according to custom, a declaration of the policies which the new administration will endeavor to carry out. It is pronounced a strong state paper by those to whom Mr. Taft has submitted it.

PANAMA CANAL DISCUSSED. Is the Topic of the American Institute of Mining Engineers.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 24.—Earnest advocates of the Gatun dam to confine the waters of Chagres river at Panama were found among the members of the American Institute of Mining Engineers during their discussion of "The Panama Canal" today. The opposition to the lock type was led by Henry G. Granger, of Cartagena, Colombia, who made a sharp attack upon the report made a few days ago by the engineers who went to Panama with Mr. Taft.

The past is a milestone that has hung round the neck of many a sturdy man.

OLD SOLDIER WINS LANSING BATTLE

Representative Beeman, Michigan Legislative Character, Succeeds in Killing What He Calls a Fake Decoration Day Bill.

Attacking Detroit Ball Club's Proposition to Permit Athletic Games, He Rounds Up an Overwhelming Majority Against It—Senate Discusses Primary Elections—Horatio Earle Fights and Heads Off the Project of Abolishing His Office.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 24.—[Special.]—Representative Beeman, an old soldier, killed what he called a "fake Decoration Day" bill in the house today. The bill was a substitute put in by Representative Flowers, of Detroit, and allowed athletic games that day, provided they did not disturb the peace by making the question a judicial one. The Detroit ball club is thought to have wanted the "flowers" substitute.

"I don't want a shoddy bill," said "Old Man" Beeman. "If we can't give the people a decent bill, let's not try to palm off a fake on them." The bill was killed, sixty-six to seven.

Representative Beeman is one of the house characters, and today was his first speech. He always wears a blue swallow shirt and boasts that he never owned a "dressed" one.

Horatio Earle Before Committee. Road Commissioner Earle told the house committee on roads and bridges some home truths today. The committee was discussing the bill to abolish his office.

"You farmers want to go careful," said Mr. Earle. "The first thing you know the ethics and mining men will combine and repeal this law, and then you'll have to pay for your own roads. Why, don't you fellows know that strictly farm property pays only six-sevenths of the money that goes to making good roads?"

Horatio's argument sounded good to the honky-tonked ones, and it is likely nothing will be done with the bill.

Senate Discusses Primary Elections. The senate mulled over the Dickinson primary bill for three hours today, in special order, but did little with it except to make some trifling changes in phraseology. It seems sure that the provision relating to United States senators will stay in the bill, and while it is not so sure it is reasonably certain that the measure will not be extended to cover all state officers. The bill was made the special order for next Tuesday.

Mr. Mackay's civil service bill was reported out in the senate today, and was made the special order for tomorrow despite the protests of several friends of the administration, who thought that this procedure was rushing things.

Dr. B. D. Harney, of the Seno, is here to protest against the bill giving a board of registration for optometrists. Dr. Peter Scholler of Hancock is to speak for the bill. Dr. Harrison said today that optometry was part of the practice of medicine, and he opposed the bill on the ground it would "divide the medical melon."

New Bills Introduced. The following is a synopsis of some of today's bills:

Senator Taylor—Allowing \$55 instead of \$40 for the burial of indigent old soldiers and including army nurses also, of whom there are twelve in the state.

Senator Kline—To put all schools under a uniform text book law.

Senator Fairbanks—To tax mortgages one-half of one per cent when filed.

Senator Moriarty—Making it a misdemeanor to make false property statements to gain credit.

Representative Young—To license employment agencies.

Representative Harris—A bill cutting the number of deer it is legal to shoot in the upper peninsula to one.

Representative Unsell—For a state commissioner of physical training.

Representative Jensen—Giving boards of health authority to make private water companies furnish pure water.

Representative Austin—Bringing the gipsim mines under the state inspection.

Representative Wood—To forbid treating.

Representative Burnham—Securing representation on boards of directors to minority stockholders.

Democratic Convention Meets Today. A caucus of the dead will be held tomorrow. It is known as the Democratic state convention. If there are candidates for anything, nobody knows who they are, and not even a temporary chairman for the convention has yet been named. The gathering meets in the council room at the city hall because this is the largest room than can be had, rent free.

M. J. Doyle to Preside. Lansing, Mich., Feb. 24.—The temporary chairman of the Democratic state convention here tomorrow will be M. J. Doyle, of Menominee. The convention will nominate candidates for justices of the supreme court, regents of the University of Michigan, superintendent of public instruction, member of the board of education and six members of the state board of agriculture.

MISHAP TO OCEAN LINER. New York, Feb. 24.—The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, inbound, went aground during a dense fog today in Gedney channel, at the entrance to the lower bay. There were nearly a thousand passengers on board. The steamer was floated soon after noon.

WEATHER FORECAST

Washington, Feb. 24.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Fair, Thursday, except snow near Lake Superior; Friday, partly cloudy and slightly warmer.

GALVESTON PLAN ADOPTED. People of Bismarck Vote for the Commission System of Government.

Bismarck, N. D., Feb. 24.—At a special election held today, Bismarck, the capital city of North Dakota, decided to adopt the commission or Galveston plan of city government.

NOT TO GO TO THE PEOPLE. Arkansas Committee Declares for Statutory Statewide Prohibition.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 24.—After weeks of deliberation, the temperance committee of the house this afternoon adopted the Gann bill, providing for statutory statewide prohibition, and ignored the bill providing for submission.

RIVALRY WILL CONTEST, HOWEVER. Former Lieutenant Governor Sherman Is Majority Nominee at Springfield.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 24.—The official canvass of the Republican vote for the nomination of mayor shows that former Lieutenant Governor Sherman was nominated over Mayor Reece by fourteen votes. Late this afternoon Mayor Reece gave notice of a contest.

SUFFRAGETTES JUBILANT. Legislation Giving Women the Ballot Wins in South Dakota.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 24.—The equal suffrage bill passed the house today, sixty-two to two. As a like bill was carried in the senate early in the session and barely failed in the house, the suffragettes are jubilant over the outlook.

ANTI-ALIEN BILL IS PASSED. Measure Adopted in Nevada Excludes Foreigners from Grazing Lands.

Carson, Nev., Feb. 24.—The state senate today passed the anti-alien bill, already adopted by the assembly. It is in the form of a joint concurrent resolution providing that all aliens and foreigners shall be excluded from federal and state grazing lands.

The anti-gambling bill passed the assembly today, twenty-seven to twenty.

PERMITS SCIENTIFIC BOXING. Bill Passed in Tennessee Goes to the Governor for Signature.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 24.—The senate today passed the house bill permitting scientific boxing in this state. The measure now goes to the governor.

Sunday Baseball for Indiana. Indianapolis, Feb. 24.—The Indiana legislature went on record today as favoring Sunday baseball, when the state passed the bill, thirty to eighteen.

The house had already passed the bill, but as the senate amended the measure it must go back to the lower body.

STEAM LAUNCHES SUFFER. Fleet in Hampton Roads Experiences Continued Heavy Weather.

Port Monroe, Feb. 24.—The fleet in Hampton Roads was swept by another severe storm this afternoon. The big battleships and cruisers did not suffer from the blow, but the steam launches running to shore made decidedly heavy weather of it and a number of accidents occurred.

The commanders and other officers were much gratified by the published reports from Washington today that Admiral Sperry would continue as commander-in-chief of the battleship fleet until the date of his retirement in September.

STORM HAVOC IN THE SOUTH. Rain and Wind Cause Damage Amounting to Many Thousands.

Louisville, Feb. 24.—Rain which has raged during the past twenty-four hours over nearly all of Kentucky, parts of Indiana and Tennessee has done thousands of dollars' damage in Louisville alone and has caused the death of a negro and the loss of over five hundred cattle. Every river and creek throughout the deluged territory is bank full, and many have overflowed. At Taylorville, forty miles from Louisville, the flood is seven feet deep in the principal streets.

Memphis, Feb. 24.—That the storm of wind and rain which prevailed in eastern Arkansas, northern Mississippi and western Tennessee yesterday was most severe, is confirmed by advices received today. The town of Fisher, Pointsett county, was practically destroyed and six persons were killed and a number of others injured. Near Augusta, the dead number six. In Nonoke, a child was killed.

TRAIN PLUNGES OVER A CLIFF. Many Persons Killed or Injured in a Railroad Accident in Ecuador.

Guayaquil, Ecuador, Feb. 24.—A passenger train today was thrown over a cliff a hundred feet high, near Rio Bamba. Twenty-five persons were killed and forty were injured. The accident was caused by a displaced rail.

SUBMITS TO THE KNIFE. Maud Ballington Booth Undergoes an Operation for Appendicitis.

New York, Feb. 24.—Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, underwent a surgical operation today, for appendicitis. The operation was successful.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The department of superintendence of the National Education association this afternoon elected Stanton D. Brooks, of Boston, president, and J. P. Heater, of Pueblo, Colo., secretary.

STOCKS MAKE GOOD RECOVERY

Big Interests Give the Market Strong Support and a Stop Is Put to the Disorderly Liquidation That Threatened Disaster.

Purchases to Cover Shorts Is a Potent Influence Also, and at the Close of the Day the Prices Are Up \$2 to \$5 a Share for the Leading Issues, with Confidence Expressed That Fundamental Conditions Are Sound and Shaped Toward Betterment.

New York, Feb. 24.—There came a check today to the disorderly liquidation which was rushing the stock market into a state of demoralization. Perception of what the course of yesterday, if continued, would lead to, prompted some measures of effective support today.

The large short interest which had grown rapidly with the swift fall in prices for a week past was prompted to reduce its short lines, with the signs of greater stability in the market. This demand was a potent influence in the recovery of prices. The buying demand was languid and was characterized by spurts intended to test the market. The undertone of the market was firm, although lacking aggressive strength.

The reports of yesterday that the anthracite roads in the commodities exchange case were disproved today. This accounted for the leadership assumed by Reading in the recovery. There was a better feeling also over the steel trade outlook and a growth of the confidence that the price concessions on steel products were preliminary to a revival in the trade. The speculative deflation called by the trade readjustment going on was recognized to have made great progress in the abrupt collapse in prices which has already occurred.

The proportion of the market road justness that called for obtained clear form and were corrected from the extravagant assumptions of yesterday that an immediate relapse to the acute conditions of the depression and contraction of 1907 was in prospect. The conviction binds very general expression in the financial district that the fundamental conditions are sound and are shaped toward betterment rather than towards recession.

The money market was unaffected by the large operations of today. The call for the return of \$30,000,000 of government deposits to the treasury matured today, and the New York banks turned over many millions of this amount yesterday and today on account of interior correspondents.

The last prices were dealer than yesterday to the extent of \$5 a share for Reading, \$3 for United States Steel and \$2 a share for most of the prominent railroad stocks.

PLEAD GUILTY TO REBATING. Railroad and Glass Company Pay Fines at Springfield, Ills.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 24.—Entering pleas of guilty in the federal court here today to charges of rebating and failure to post rates and schedules, the Illinois Terminal association, operating a road between Alton and Edwardsville, was fined \$4,000 and costs, and the Illinois Glass company, owned by the Terminal company, was fined \$12,000 and costs, which both paid. According to the interstate commerce commission it was a scheme which enabled the Glass company, with the help of the Terminal company, to ship glassware through from Alton to California at a rate of \$2 less on the car than any other companies could do it.

GRAND JURY TO INVESTIGATE. Both & Co. Said to Have Falsified Statements to the Banks.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The grand jury today began an inquiry into the affairs of A. Booth & Co., the big fish concern which is in the hands of a receiver. A former employee of the company testified recently before the master in chancery that false statements were made to the banks, the statements varying \$2,000,000 from the true condition of the company.

NOW MAY LOSE CHARTERS. Thousands of Illinois Corporations Ignore Provisions of State Law.

Springfield, Ills., Feb. 24.—Of the fifteen thousand corporations in Illinois required under the law to report to the secretary of state between Feb. 1 and March 1 as to the names of officers and the kinds of business engaged in, over four thousand have not reported and thousands of charters may be forfeited. There are also many delinquents in making anti-trust affidavits.

WILL CUT PRICES ITSELF. National Lead Company Declares an Open Market for Its Products.

Pittsburg, Feb. 24.—Following the lead of the United States Steel corporation, the National Lead company has declared an open market for lead and its products. "This move is openly admitted to be due to the discovery that independent companies were cutting rates on every hand to secure contracts."

EAGLES TO MEET AT OMAHA. Omaha, Neb., Feb. 24.—The next na-

ROBBER GETS RICH LOOT. Pearl Necklace Valued at \$50,000 Is Stolen from a Frisco Woman.

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—A \$50,000 pearl necklace belonging to Miss Jennie Crocker, of this city, was stolen during the Mardi Gras ball given by Mrs. Charles O. Alexander at the St. Francis Hotel last night. The theft was not reported to the police until tonight.

WILL COST OVER \$1,000,000. Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Sr., to Build Model Tenements for Consumptives.

New York, Feb. 24.—Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Sr., has given more than \$1,000,000, it was announced today, for the erection of four model tenements for persons suffering with tuberculosis. The buildings will be operated in connection with Dr. Henry L. Shively's tuberculosis clinic of the Presbyterian hospital.

ALL GOSSIP, SAYS JENKS. Cornell Man Mentioned as Dr. Angell's Possible Successor.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 24.—A rumor that he was to succeed Dr. Angell as president of the University of Michigan was qualified by Professor J. W. Jenks, of Cornell University, tonight as "all gossip." "Everybody seems to know about it," said he, "except myself. As far as I know, it's all gossip."

SUCCEEDS IN RAISING \$375,000. Cleveland University Now to Get \$125,000 from General Education Board.

New York, Feb. 24.—President Thwing of Western Reserve university, at Cleveland, tonight announced that the \$175,000, conditional to a gift of \$125,000 from the General Education board, had been raised. This half million dollars is to be used in endowing the undergraduate colleges, Adelbert and the college for women.

PICTURES COOPER AS BIG DEFAULTER. Cross-Examining the Murdered Man's Bitter Foe, the State Springs a Surprise at the Trial of Senator Carmack's Slayers.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 24.—After a day replete with exciting incidents and interesting developments, the session of the Cooper-Sharp trial for the murder of former Senator Carmack closed with Colonel Cooper still upon the stand. The direct examination of the colonel, which began early yesterday morning, lasted until nearly noon today.

Almost the first witness the state did on cross-examination was to announce that it would try to prove that Colonel Cooper was a defaulter to the extent of over \$100,000 while clerk and master of chancery of Maury county. This precipitated a bitter fight, and the state, winning a partial victory, straightway sprang another surprise. It resurrected some old legislative records concerning the investigation into the defalcation of State Treasurer M. T. Polk in the early '80s. It offered to prove that thousands of dollars of the state's money was invested by Polk with Cooper and others in a Mexican silver mine scheme, at what log scheme in North Carolina and a scheme to buy the Nashville American.

Colonel Cooper admitted that there were irregularities in his office of clerk and master in chancery, but said they were due to bad management and poor bookkeeping and that every dollar was made good. He admitted that Polk was his partner in the ventures named, but declared that he (Cooper) never handled a dollar of the money and had no knowledge that it was taken from the state's strongbox.

Colonel Cooper's cross-examination today reached only the commencement of the trouble between him and Carmack—the early editorials. Tomorrow the state should reach the actual killing.

BIG SWINDLE CHARGED. J. C. Mabery Accused of Promoting Fake Races and Wrestling Matches.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 24.—Armed with requisition papers which were signed this evening by Governor Carroll, Detective Groneweg, of Council Bluffs, left tonight for Little Rock, where J. C. Mabery is under arrest, charged with being the leader of a gang of fake racing and wrestling promoters in Council Bluffs. Mabery was arrested on charges brought by T. W. Bellevue, of Princeton, Mo., stating that he had been swindled out of \$30,000 cash.

CONVICTED OF CATTLE THEFTS. Iowan Worth \$100,000 Sentenced to Five Years in the Penitentiary.

Atlantic, Ia., Feb. 24.—James Starlin, worth \$100,000 and known as the "cow-cattle king of Cass," was today sentenced to five years in the penitentiary. Starlin was convicted of stealing cattle from Cass county farms. The trial attracted widespread attention, owing to the prominence of Starlin, who was a heavy shipper. He refused to appeal the case and started for Fort Madison tonight.

SOUTH OMAHA RIOTING OVER. Greeks Will Not Be Further Molested, Reports the Governor.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 24.—Governor Shallenbarger today received a telegram from the state department at Washington, inquiring for the safety and protection of the Greek residents of South Omaha. He wired a reply that the trouble is all over and the Greeks would not be further molested.

CLEVELAND ACCIDENT FATAL. Cleveland, Feb. 24.—Three persons were fatally injured and twenty others were hurt in a collision between a Pennsylvania railway train and a street car here tonight.

SERVIA TO FIGHT AUSTRIA-HUNGARY?

Threatening Situation in the Balkans a Matter of Concern to Diplomatic Circles in All the Capital Cities of Europe.

St. Petersburg Is Pessimistic, Paris Is Uneasy; London Is Not So Apprehensive, and Berlin Considers the Alarmist Reports Exaggerated, Still Even in the Most Optimistic Quarters Danes Is Realized and Peace Negotiations Are Anxiously Watched.

Paris, Feb. 24.—The attitude assumed by Austria-Hungary and Russia in the difficulty between the former power and Serbia is creating considerable uneasiness here. France is anxious to play the role of pacifier, but Germany having declined the French, British and Italian overtures for intervention at Vienna, and having suggested, instead, intervention at Belgrade, the French government has decided, in view of the attitude of Russia, to initiate no new action except with the complete approval of Russia and Great Britain.

Pessimism in Russia. St. Petersburg, Feb. 24.—The pessimism with regard to the Balkan crisis is steadily deepening in diplomatic circles, where it is believed that Austrian action against Serbia may be expected within a fortnight unless a solution to the present grave problem is soon arranged. The foreign office officials state that Russia is not disposed to consider an invasion of Serbia alone as a casus belli, but there is fear the government's hand may be forced under such circumstances by popular feeling. The beginning of hostilities would throw thousands of Russian volunteers into the Serbian ranks.

Duma leaders who visited the foreign office today expressed the conviction that war is inevitable. Information received from Kiev today indicates that no military measures have yet been undertaken on the southwestern frontier, but all the applications of officers for leave of absence have been refused and Kiev department is ready for instant mobilization.

Berlin Hopeful of Peace. Berlin, Feb. 24.—There is no reason to believe that an outbreak of war between Austria and Serbia is imminent, according to the view held in the most authoritative semi-official German circles. The alarmist reports are regarded as being much exaggerated. It is admitted, however, that the situation is not clear and will remain "clouded" until those power-like France and other states striving to maintain peace make their voices heard at St. Petersburg and influence Russia to notify Belgrade that in the event of war Serbia cannot rely upon either direct or indirect Russian support.

Whether Russian or other states powers will use their influence in the peaceful support of Serbia depends to a great extent, it is believed, upon their success in bringing the Serbians to a calm attitude appropriate to the circumstances. It is considered likely that Great Britain and Italy would object to intervene at Belgrade in conjunction with France in order to preserve peace. The real key to the situation is for the moment Russia, whose decision is eagerly awaited.

London Realizes the Danger. London, Feb. 24.—The British government is not so apprehensive regarding the situation in the Balkans as are some of the other governments of Europe, judging from the indications in the dispatches received here from the various continental capitals. The foreign office recognizes that the undue prolongation of the tension between Austria-Hungary and Serbia is dangerous, but it is hopeful of an early relaxation of the situation. As far as known officially here, Germany has not declined to participate in joint action, and negotiations are still going on with a view of the proffer of good offices.

Military Preparations Costly. London, Thursday, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to the Times from Vienna says that Austria's military preparations are costing \$200,000 daily and represent a burden that cannot be born indefinitely. It would nevertheless be premature, says the dispatch, to regard war as certain, and it may be confidently asserted that the nearer the possibility of an armistice conflict appears the greater is the desire in Austria that it may be avoided.

Austrian Spies Reported Lynched. Vienna, Feb. 24.—It is reported here that two Austrians who were taken for spies have been lynched at Cetinje, Montenegro. According to the report, the cars and noses of both men were cut off. There is no confirmation of this report, and the foreign office declares it has no knowledge of the incident.

PREMIER TO RESIGN. Downfall of the Bond Government at Hand in Newfoundland.

St. John's, N. F., Feb. 24.—Following the issuance tonight of a proclamation by Governor MacGregor, postponing the opening of the legislature from tomorrow until March 4, Sir Robert Bond, the premier, informed his followers that his resignation will be handed in in a day or two. This announcement means that the downfall of the Bond government is at hand, and the opposite leader, Sir Edward Morris, will be called on to form an administration.

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A good old fashioned Lake Superior
 blizzard.

The status of Uncle Ike Stephenson
 as a senatorial candidate seems to get
 worse the longer the deadlock at Madis-
 on endures.

Political alliances are all very well at
 times, but Mr. Osborn of the Soo has
 observed that frequently the man who
 travels alone in politics travels farthest.

Senator Moriarty is quoted at Saginaw
 as giving the Osborn gubernatorial boom
 a great boost. He says the upper penin-
 sula would give an upper peninsula can-
 didate practically unanimous support.
 We believe he speaks advisedly.

Maine is a dry state. Strict prohibi-
 tion laws are in force within its
 boundaries. But there are held by Maine
 residents over 3,000 federal licenses for
 the sale of liquor. Here is a most con-
 tradictory condition. Why should there
 be over 3,000 federal liquor licenses in a
 state where no liquor can be sold? Are
 they used for parlor decorations?

The Ohio contingent of notables is
 making it as easy as possible for the
 president-elect. Brother Charley Taft
 relieved an embarrassing situation by
 withdrawing from the senatorial race
 and leaving the field clear for Repre-
 sentative Burton, and now comes ex-
 Governor Herrick, who voluntarily ob-
 literates himself as a possibility for the
 treasury portfolio, leaving Mr. Taft free
 to honor the representative of some other
 state.

Senator Lehr, a member of the Wis-
 consin legislature, has opened an at-
 tack in the courts on the constitutional
 standing of the advisory vote on candi-
 dates for United States senator, now
 provided for by the direct nominations
 laws in many states. The proposition
 put forward by Senator Lehr is that
 the Wisconsin primary law is, in effect,
 coercive of the legislature, and is thus
 calculated to destroy the freedom of
 that body to elect a United States sen-
 ator in the manner prescribed by the
 federal constitution. He announces that
 if he loses his case in the Wisconsin
 supreme court he will carry it to the
 United States supreme court. The case
 is one important to every state having
 a law that provides for an advisory
 vote on senatorial candidates, for if
 this provision will not stand up in Wis-
 consin it will not stand up anywhere.

The Norway Current and the Hough-
 ton Gazette are carrying on a little con-
 troversy on the point of whether or not
 Governor Warner has dealt well by the
 upper peninsula, with the Current sup-
 porting the negative of the proposition.
 The Current's principal fault appears to
 be found with the fact that upper penin-
 sula members did not fair as well as
 they might with committee appoint-
 ments. Its theory appears to be that
 the governor is at Lansing, "the midship-
 mite, the bo'sun tight and the crew of
 the captain's gig," and credits him with
 virtual selection of all the legislative
 committees. We incline to the belief
 that the Current's premise is wrong, and
 that the committees as they stand rep-
 resent the selections of, respectively,
 the speaker of the house and the lieutenant
 governor, acting in his capacity as the
 presiding officer of the senate. As for
 the governor's attitude toward the up-
 per peninsula, his friends do not ap-
 pear to be finding fault with it, and it
 is somewhat beside the point for his
 enemies to be concerned.

Governor Hughes has come out openly
 in favor of the plan of allowing party
 committees to recommend candidates for
 nomination in the proposed direct pri-
 maries in New York, a plan which was
 discussed in these columns yesterday.
 Concerning it the Globe says: "If the
 direct primary system is established
 state making will inevitably occur in
 advance of primary day. The conference
 and the caucus will be held. If there
 were no preliminary concentration in
 extricable confusion would arise. It is
 better to have this slate making carried
 on publicly than secretly—it is better
 to have the organization out in the open
 and assuming the responsibility of pub-
 licly selecting men than to have it
 covertly passing the word. The choice is

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not between a slate and no slate, but
 between the public and the secret slate.
 Who can have a moment's doubt as to
 which is the better?" And again: "Pow-
 er of political life will be placed in the
 hands of the rank and file. Committees
 may propose but they will not dispose.
 With such a check on the committees it
 may be assumed that they will see that
 it is to their interest to behave, and if
 they behave this is all the people want."
 Obviously it would be much easier to se-
 cure the adoption of the proposed plan
 than of an out and out direct nomina-
 tions law. That is perhaps the reason
 why Governor Hughes has given it his
 endorsement.

Justice David J. Brewer, of the fed-
 eral supreme court, in an address at
 Ann Arbor, delivered himself of the opin-
 ion that the world's cruise of the fleet
 entailed a useless waste of money. It
 would be interesting to hear Justice
 Brewer and President Roosevelt debate
 this question. The cruise cost, it is said,
 \$8,000,000, or about the cost of launch-
 ing and equipping for war a battleship
 of the Delaware type. The point has
 been made that it is fully worth one
 battleship to be assured that a fleet of
 sixteen battleships can circumnavig-
 ate the globe and come home fit for
 a fight or a frolic. One thing is obvious,
 Justice Brewer's statement that the
 cruise was useless is an overstatement.
 Common sense tells us that the lessons
 learned from the cruise are invaluable
 both to officers and men, and it is cer-
 tainly worth a great deal to have a fight-
 ing force so thoroughly proved as the
 great fleet was in the course of its four-
 teen months trip. There was certainly
 a large element of value received in the
 cruise. The only question debatable is
 whether the cruise was worth quite all
 it cost. At the moment the public judg-
 ing from the expressions of the press,
 is convinced that it was. Of course
 we wouldn't want the globe cir-
 cumnavigated every two or three years
 by sixteen battleships, but it is worth
 a good deal to know that the trick
 can be turned and the ships arrive in
 their home waters in the excellent con-
 dition in which they were reported this
 week.

The best news we have read recently
 is yesterday's report that an agreement
 has been reached on legislation regard-
 ing the discharged colored troopers who
 wore things loose at Brownsville, Tex.
 This means that we have heard the
 last of what promised to be interminable
 debates in congress on the subject. The
 adjustment proposed should be satisfac-
 tory to all concerned. It opens the way
 for reception back into the army of all
 troopers who can prove that they were
 not implicated in the Brownsville out-
 rage. Thus any injustice that has been
 done may, in large measure at least,
 be righted. This disposal of the matter
 is a compromise, the terms of which
 seem to concede that President Roosevelt
 was right in ascribing the outrage to
 the negro troopers, but on the other hand
 implies that many innocent men were
 made to suffer along with the guilty.
 Senator Foraker and others of the presi-
 dent's enemies who saw in the Brown-
 ville case an opportunity to harass him
 have signally failed in their effort to
 prove that the good people of Brown-
 ville shot themselves up, and that all
 the negro troopers were innocent. At
 the same time there will be satisfaction
 that such of the alleged offenders as
 actually had no part in the outrage are
 to be given an opportunity to clear them-
 selves of the charge against them, and
 secure honorable re-instatement in the
 army.

Discussing proposed amendments to
 the direct nominations statute the Grand
 Rapids Herald says: "That candidates
 for governor, lieutenant governor and
 United States senator, at least, should
 be named by direct primaries was one
 of the issues of the state campaign on
 which, so far as discussions showed,
 there was substantial unanimity of opin-
 ion, as also that municipal and county
 nominations should thus be provided for.
 The extension of the direct nominations
 system to state candidates other than
 those named was not so much 'under the
 hammer'; but it now seems, from the
 Lansing reports, that the great majority
 in both senate and house strongly favor
 making the direct nominations method
 uniform and compulsory throughout, and
 that the pending bill will be so amended
 as to accomplish this object. There is,
 however, a small but shrewd and deter-
 mined contingent quietly working to
 leave out all reference to United States
 senatorial nominations; but it is not
 believed its efforts will be productive
 of results." Three things, the Herald
 continues, will be essential to the
 success of such a general uniform pri-
 mary elections system as now seems
 to be contemplated by the Lansing leg-
 islators. First—Restriction of voters to
 the primaries of their respective parties.
 Second—The same safeguards against
 and the same penalties for violations of
 the primary elections law as for the
 regular elections law. Third—Provisions
 for state party councils to enunciate
 platforms, etc.—this in case all nomi-
 nations by convention are eliminated—
 something after the plan adopted in
 Kansas and other western states, where
 all the state, congressional and legislative
 nominees, together with the county
 chairmen, constitute such political coun-
 cil.

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Figures published by the Missouri state
 railroad commission are of interest as
 showing that, despite the industrial de-
 pression, the passenger earnings in that
 state, as a whole, were greater in 1908
 under the two-cent rate than they were
 in 1907, before the lower rate went into
 effect. The Missouri Pacific and Santa
 Fe showed gains on state business of
 \$1,000 and \$800, a mile, respectively, or
 60 and 19 per cent. Two other roads
 showed slight gains and three reported
 losses. If the Missouri roads can make
 such a showing under the two-cent fare
 law, it is not easy to see why a two-
 cent rate should not also be profitable
 in far more thickly settled Pennsylvania.
 But the supreme court of the latter
 state, by a four to three decision, some-
 thing more than a year ago held unconsti-
 tutional the two-cent fare law as being
 "unreasonable and confiscatory," thus
 preventing a practical test of the lower
 rate. In the light of Missouri's experi-
 ence it may well be urged that had the
 Pennsylvania low fare law been given
 a test, the result would have been a more
 favorable showing than even in Mis-
 souri. The recent unanimous decision
 of the federal supreme court in the New
 York eighty-cent gas case—that a prac-
 tical test only can determine whether
 or not a certain rate is confiscatory—
 seems to furnish the only safe and reason-
 able rule. "There must be no guess-
 work," said the court; "and unless the
 proof shows conclusively that the effect
 of the state law fixing the lower rate
 must be confiscatory, the lower rate
 must be given a fair and reasonable test
 before an aggrieved corporation is en-
 titled to an injunction suspending its
 enforcement."

BOARD IS ACTIVE.
 It is gratifying to find the members
 of the water board busily themselves
 to see what steps can be taken to as-
 sure the city a safe and palatable wa-
 ter supply. Their activity of late weeks
 bears promise that they will now settle
 down to a continuous study of the prob-
 lem existing in Marquette and will not
 leave it until they have determined what
 they had best do.

Experiments were recently undertaken
 to see if it would be feasible to draw a
 supply of water from wells sunk along
 the lake shore north of Lighthouse point,
 into which the water from the lake
 would filter and purify itself. These ex-
 periments, as has been noted, have not
 borne promise of success along these
 lines, because it has been shown that
 there is a stratum of rock a short dis-
 tance below the surface.

As related in a news article yester-
 day, the board is now looking into the
 merits of another plan for purifying
 doubtful water. It is a patented process
 in which ozone is the medium of purifica-
 tion. It is in successful operation at
 Lindsay, Ont., but does not appear to
 have been generally employed in this
 country, though it is somewhat used
 abroad. The results reported from Lin-
 dsay, however, are in themselves sufficient
 to warrant the board in looking into
 the plan most thoroughly. It may possi-
 bly prove an effectual solution of the
 problem presented by the conditions pre-
 vailing in this city.

The statement is made that the board
 intends to gather all possible data on
 the subject of water purification, and
 that it may perhaps later engage an ex-
 pert to inspect the situation here and
 make recommendations as to what
 should be done. These are commendable
 purposes, and ones which if carried out
 with reasonable promptitude will cause
 people to forgive past delays in dealing
 with this vital matter.

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PIN PRICKS TO CALIFORNIA.
Real Sources of the Rabid Anti-Japanese Agitation.

Not So Much the Commercial or Industrial Complaint, but the Resentment by the Sensitive White People to the Peculiarities, Wanton Aggressiveness and Spying Ways of Orientals.

San Francisco, Feb. 24.—While dis-
 credited denunciations were trying to force
 through the California legislature anti-
 Japanese measures that under other
 circumstances might not have been un-
 popular, some Japanese orange pickers
 at San Bernardino stone some Japanese
 Hindus that had come to compete in the
 cheap labor field.

These concurrent facts sum up the
 Oriental question in California in a form
 to defy art. There remains only the
 amplification of these facts by some-
 one who knows the details of the pecu-
 liarities of the coast Japanese that
 make them a source of irritation here,
 the background of the legislative strug-
 gle, and the class of men back of the
 Japanese agitation. While the principles
 of the laws which are being passed in
 the legislature, the real sources of the
 agitation need be considered first. These
 are not so much in any racial anti-
 pathy—the "Jim Crow" idea is foreign
 to the cause—but in the thousands of
 pin-pricks from which sensibly Califor-
 nians suffer, of which there are such
 substantial arguments as these:

Commercial Arguments.
 Trade from San Francisco to the
 Orient has been cut into by the
 Japanese since their victory over Russia.
 To hear of the wily tricks to which
 American shippers have been subjected,
 would make it plain that Japan intends
 to control the commerce of Asia. In
 other words, America has got entirely
 the worst of it in this silent commercial
 war. Japan not only keeps foreigners at
 a distance—except in the treaty ports—
 but withholds every possible scrap
 of commercial information from the for-
 eign consuls. In return, the Japanese
 freely buy up all the land they please
 in California—and they are doing it.

As to the school question, the Japanese
 are not content with the free educational
 privileges here, but insist in sitting in
 the schools, buy up all the land they
 please in California—and they are doing it.

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 to see if it would be feasible to draw a
 supply of water from wells sunk along
 the lake shore north of Lighthouse point,
 into which the water from the lake
 would filter and purify itself. These ex-
 periments, as has been noted, have not
 borne promise of success along these
 lines, because it has been shown that
 there is a stratum of rock a short dis-
 tance below the surface.

An Act of White Hoodlums.
 A very insignificant act of bad boy-
 hood time ago had entire Japan aroused.
 They stoned a Japanese girl, and
 Berlin, breaking some of the glass panes.
 The Japanese papers in San Francisco
 are dominated by the excitable
 socialist element, but the home cor-
 respondents are worse than "yellow."
 The question is how long the American
 press will continue to publish such
 a time a drunken stevedore pushes a Jap
 off a car or a tough newsboy runs away
 with a Jap's hat. The police do all they
 can to stop such persecutions as occa-
 sionally happen, and many a citizen has
 learned a lesson in the wrong way.
 Artisticly the Japanese are one
 thing, commercially and economically an-
 other. The Jap is not content to be a
 laborer. He wants to get into business
 where he can make a profit. He will
 not let his own land, and in making
 it he resorts to rate cutting. Only a
 feeling of charity, together with some
 confidence in their superior workman-
 ship, has kept a living to any whites in
 the shoe repairing business in San Fran-
 cisco, as an instance.

A Contrast of Chinese and Japanese.
 Why, one may ask, has California
 comparatively so much love for the Chi-
 nese, while apparently abhorring the
 "greasy Japs"? Mental attitude here
 again is offered in explanation. The
 merchant will listen to add that the
 Chinaman is the most honorable man in
 business. Every New Year's celebration,
 following the Oriental calendar, the Chi-
 nese buy their ornate bills, and start
 the new year without a debt. No Chi-
 nese dares to violate this custom, which
 has always been placed by the white
 man among the things that will happen
 in the millennium. Furthermore, the
 word of a Chinaman is his bond. He
 will seal a transaction that between
 whites require a notary and a filing
 office. With the Japanese, on the con-
 trary, the whites have suffered the ex-
 perience that attaches to the Japanese
 in their own country. "The old prejudice
 against the Chinese has so far passed
 away that fifty thousand more of them
 would be welcome on the coast," said a
 well-known Californian.

To say that the Japanese cannot act
 on the square is a libel against their
 race, and on the surface. With Japan
 a republic, politeness comes before all.
 Courtesy is first to be considered. When
 a Jap house boy, after being paid for his
 week's work, slips with his belongings
 out of his window at night, it is because
 he has not the courage to tell his mis-
 tress that he intends leaving. If the
 mistress has been very kind to him and
 sees a better job he always decamps.
 When no breakfast appears, his room is
 found to be vacated. But he has no
 taken a thing that does not belong to
 him, nor left under any part of the
 work for which he was paid. If his mis-
 tress has been only moderately kind, he
 will pretend to be ill when he wants to
 leave, or pleads that he is moving to the
 country. But let him feel that he is
 ridiculed and he will snap his fingers
 even that he is under his master's nose. This
 why he is unpopular as a servant, for he
 not only departs in deceit, but is forever
 changing places. The Chinaman, on the
 other hand, if once suited, will end his
 life in one household. The days of the
 fire are filled with instances, most of
 them pathetic, where old family Chinese
 servants earned money on the side or

drug up their own savings to support
 their impoverished retainers. This loy-
 alty is lacking in the Japanese
 even in their own land, however much
 they may be admired for certain lofty
 ideals as to duty.

That there should be constant friction
 between a people whose conduct rests
 upon a profound reverence for courtesy
 and a people who have less courtesy in
 the little matters of life than perhaps
 any civilized nation on earth is to be ex-
 pected. This same antagonism is found
 in almost every American household
 where one member of the family is su-
 persensitive and another open spoken
 and blunt. But with the American gen-
 erally the intent and not the language
 is what offends. In "cow country" the
 words that are the deadliest insults in
 anger are in other circumstances terms
 of endearment between men.

It is not getting too far outside the
 question to say that Americans are not
 a tolerant nation. There is no trouble at
 all in getting along with Japanese when
 one observes natural courtesy without
 an air of condescension on the one hand
 or of slavish desire to be affable on the
 other. Condescension causes resentment,
 and extreme affability sirs contempt.
 But an American scarcely ever chooses
 the mean, and that is why he sticks up
 above other foreigners like a sore thumb
 in the Philippines or Mexico, for in-
 stance. Thus so long as Americans are
 Americans and Japs are Japs, there can
 be no cordial feeling where the two na-
 tions compete. Whether Japan's next
 war will be with Russia or the United
 States is speculation, but the same prob-
 lem would arise were there to be a sud-
 den influx of Japanese into any of the
 Eastern states.

Japanese Becoming Drunkards.
 Another thing that police records show
 is that the Japanese here have acquired
 a vice almost unknown in Japan. It is
 the white man's vice. In the per cent
 of arrests for drunkenness, the Japanese
 lead all other nationalities in San Fran-
 cisco. The mild sake of Japan—which
 is villainous enough when taken in
 large quantities—is superseded by
 whisky and gin. Curiously, the Japa-
 nese are great consumers of beer, particu-
 larly of the heavy variety peculiar to Cal-
 ifornia known locally as "steam beer."
 In contrast the Chinese are the most
 peaceable of any race in San Francisco,
 except, of course, in highlander war
 times. The Chinese do not like alcoholic
 liquors, preferring narcotics to stimu-
 lants.

Those who have lived among the coolie
 people of Japan say that the coolie
 type is decidedly "coolie." The workers
 of Japan are socialists, and like social-
 ists, feel no gratitude for the greatest
 good concessions ever made to their own
 country. Nor are they favorable to the
 present Imperial government. In Califor-
 nia the Japs have had several riots
 with Greek railroad laborers. In Haw-
 aii there is constant war with the Ko-
 reans. Curiously enough, American as-
 sociation has greatly raised the rate of
 homicide in Japan. In Japan revenge usually
 results in the suicide of the aggrieved
 one, but in San Francisco murders among
 the Japanese are shockingly common.

Legislative Contest at Its Source.
 Now to turn to the economic and leg-
 islative situation: The determination
 of Japanese immigrants to hold the
 cheap labor market has aroused the an-
 tagonism of union labor, with its high
 regard for the United States. Two bills
 before the legislature. One of these was
 rather popular, in that it was a
 copy of Japan's own law against for-
 eigners holding land. The other nullified
 the results of the conference at
 Washington two years ago, when the
 school board promised equal privileges
 in white schools in return for a mod-
 est exclusion treaty. To bring up the
 school question in any form after the
 Japanese had done so much to entertain
 the American fleet was discourteous,
 to say the least—and discourtesy is the
 gravest of offenses in the mind of the
 Japanese.

The sentiment of union labor is given
 form and force in the anti-Japanese
 league, which also holds Chinese, Hindu
 and Korean labor under the ban. The
 league was founded in San Francisco
 two years ago, "before the fire." Every
 union in San Francisco, and probably
 almost every one on the coast by this
 time, imposes a fine on any member
 caught "patronizing" an Oriental laun-
 dry, cobblers shop, clothing factory, or
 other industry. Pamphlets are given to
 housewives, in which the Oriental is
 accused of every conceivable filthy or
 disease-bearing habit. Pamphlets against
 Japanese morals are sent to fathers.
 Posters summarizing these attacks are
 pasted on billboards. Yet back of the
 anti-Japanese league is O. A. Tveitmoe.

"Who Is Tveitmoe?"
 It is O. A. Tveitmoe who conceived
 the league, gave it a start and carried
 its propaganda over the Pacific coast.
 He has pronounced "der Japanese" in
 Scandinavian accent before union "mass
 meetings" that he himself called, and
 has pamphletted them in good Billings-
 gate in "Organized Labor" and other
 publications. His huge form, solid and
 fair, and the thick spectacles that offset
 the detective focus of his bulging blue
 eyes are familiar to thousands of
 workers.

"Who is this man Tveitmoe? Tveit-
 moe or Tveitmo?" asked Roosevelt
 sarcastically of the California legation
 on receipt of resolutions thus signed
 upon the San Francisco school question
 in the early part of 1907. At that time,
 it might be said that O. A. Tveitmoe was
 secretary of the largest and strongest
 trades council in the world. He is yet.
 This council is Building Trades
 council of San Francisco. Tveitmoe
 was in the spring of 1907 the biggest
 man in labor's eye in the state except
 "Pin Head" McCarthy himself, the presi-
 dent and dictator of the building trades.
 Tveitmoe threw his force behind Mc-
 Carthy as labor's man to succeed Mayor
 Schuchman in the event of his death. Then
 his fame passed under a cloud, from
 which it has not yet emerged. As a
 part of the political fight, a newspaper
 representing the interests of the graft
 prosecution, the Bulletin, published what
 purported to be transcripts from the
 union records of a meeting showing
 that an O. A. Tveitmoe, alleged to be
 the building trades' secretary himself,
 had served in prison for embezzlement
 or some like crime. Tveitmoe kept out
 of sight the remainder of the campaign
 and has not yet sued or even threatened
 a libel suit against the Bulletin. So
 this is why he may be termed a dis-
 credited leader, for while he still keeps
 his job in unionism he is unable to ob-
 tain a hearing among the people at
 large. In fact he was almost forgotten
 until brought into the light by his re-

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cent activity in Sacramento. But even
 there his personality was of no effect.
 Tveitmoe had to have a champion in
 this legislature, and he naturally select-
 ed Grove L. Johnson. The league had
 been silently exacting protection prom-
 ises from some legislators, and knew
 many others would fear to anger the
 labor vote. The selection of Johnson as
 leader of the anti-Jap legislation was
 as wise as it was natural.

A California Joe Cannon.
 What Uncle Joe Cannon in person-
 ality is to congress, Grove Johnson is to
 California legislature. Only Johnson is
 really a sinister force behind this super-
 ficial resemblance. He had served in
 congress, and Lord knows how many
 terms in the legislature. There is nothing
 in the line of political tricks in
 which he is not an adept. He knows
 how to block a bill far before its time
 where the interest of some fat corpora-
 tion is at stake. His adroit scheming,
 now to cut the sting from an anti-
 corporation bill, again to slip a joker into
 another unpopular among practical pol-
 iticians, has done more to keep the state
 government in the hands of the South-
 ern Pacific than any except the great
 boss Herrin himself. And he is also
 quick to catch the applause of the
 groundlings. He knows what will ap-
 peal to the prejudices of the honest farm-
 er; that to vote for the anti-Jap
 track bill just issued wins the grati-
 tude of the church people. And he also
 knows that his labor following will
 help when it comes to killing or putting
 through future legislation against popu-
 lar will. But in his anti-Jap fight
 Johnson had two grudges. One, un-
 doubtedly, was against President Roose-
 velt, who has been opposing Harriman
 and feverently supporting the San Fran-
 cisco graft fight.

These are graft prosecution meas-
 ures, Johnson cried in rage when the
 code amendments prepared by the Com-
 munity club were placed before his
 special committee. The amendments
 were aimed against the technicalities
 that have made justice a farce in Cal-
 ifornia. They did not imperil a single
 tight of the man at bar or do more
 than annul the absurd technical quib-
 bles that make impossible the punish-
 ment of the red-handed criminal.
 So Johnson proceeded to kill these and
 all code reform bills in their infancy.

The second grudge was over some
 gubernatorial slight that has not been
 made public, although Governor Gillett
 began the agitation for separate schools,
 that tried to force bills in violation of
 a national treaty. It has given its moral
 support to the hoodlumism that has
 persecuted Japanese in occasional in-
 stances, and encourages a rude and dis-
 courteous behavior toward them at all
 times. Yet what is union labor going
 to do in the event of war? A legisla-
 tor who supports the Exclusion League
 that a national defense is needed,
 the labor unions have solemnly with-
 drawn their antagonism to the militia
 bill. That is to say, the unions will not
 place on the unfair that a legislator
 who supports the militia act. They will
 not, however, give any active support
 to the bill. They will not withdraw
 the union rules that prevent a union
 man from serving in the militia, and re-
 quire a man to resign from the militia
 to do in the event of war. This strong
 antagonism still remains in this strong
 negative sense against an armed body
 that might be used to enforce peace in
 time of labor riots.

San Francisco at this time has the
 fewest active militiamen of any large
 city in the United States and at the
 same time the greatest number of dis-
 charged soldiers. It contributed more
 than an entire regiment of volunteers
 that did active service in the Philip-
 pines and has retained discharged men
 of every regiment that has passed
 through on returning from the islands.
 It has thus the finest kind of material
 to man its coast defenses. But with the
 antagonism of the unions, its entire in-
 fantry regiment disbanded after doing
 excellent guard service during the first
 month or two after the fire. Even the
 officers became disgraced and quit.
 There are now left only a few com-
 panies of small credit to the city with
 headquarters across the bay in another
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Copper Country.

MICHAELSON GOES TO JAIL.

Surrendered by His Bondsmen, His Hearing Goes Over Until March 10.

After being surrendered by his bondsmen, Alfred Michaelson, the Calumet business man who was arrested several weeks ago upon charges of embezzlement, was arraigned yesterday morning in the court of Justice of the Peace Jackola, but the hearing was not held. A rooming house was asked for, and the case was set for hearing March 10. William Jacka and Charles Muford were Michaelson's sureties, and the sum of the bonds in the three cases was \$8,000. Messrs. Jacka and Muford appeared in court Tuesday afternoon and asked to be released from the bonds, and this resulted in Michaelson being rearrested. He was unable yesterday to give new bonds and, pending the hearing in March, was taken to jail.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE.

Bicknell Young, Member of the Board of Boston Church, Coming.

The Christian Science society of Houghton has arranged for a lecture upon Christian Science, to be given sometime in March or early in April. If the date does not conflict with other engagements, the lecture will take place in the Kerroide theater. The speaker will be Bicknell Young of Chicago, a member of the board of lecturership of the First church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass. Mr. Young is a very lucid and forceful speaker. The last lecture upon Christian Science in the copper country was about three years ago, and was delivered by Judge G. Ewing of Chicago. He was listened to by a good-sized assemblage in the Kerroide theater, and the opinion universally expressed at the time was that he had made a message well worth hearing. The widespread interest in religious movements led generally throughout the country and the growth of Christian Science have directed attention strongly toward these subjects, and the opportunity that is to be given to the people of the copper country to listen to an authorized public lecturer on the subject is expected to attract much attention. The lecture will be without admission charge, and the public will be cordially invited.

TOURNAMENT IN HANCOCK.

Bowlers from All Parts of Upper Peninsula Are to Take Part.

The big event of the copper country bowling season, a tournament that will be held through a week and in which a long list of valuable prizes will be given, is being arranged by Franklin Wade and Co. The tournament will be held in Hancock, Mich., on March 15 and it is expected that bowlers from all parts of Upper Michigan will participate. The tournament will precede the upper peninsula annual tournament that is to be held at Marquette. Negotiations have been started with various individual players in Marquette, Ishpeming, Negaunee, Escanaba and it is expected that a big list of entries will result. It is planned that all the crack bowlers of the iron country shall take part. Matches will be played by five-men, three-men and double teams, as well as individuals. The first prize in the five-men team event will be a \$20 gold-lined punch bowl, and the second prize will be a \$15 bowl. The prizes in the three-men event will be two loving cups. Besides these prizes a number of bowling balls, bags, fountain pens and other articles will be given. A loving cup will go to the winner in the singles, and the contestant who makes the highest average in all the games will receive \$5 in gold. The tournament will be open to all.

SOLICITING COMMITTEE NAMED.

Will Ask Subscriptions at Calumet on Account of Conventions.

At the meeting of the committee in charge of preparations for the various conventions to be held in Calumet the coming summer a number of matters connected with the big gatherings were discussed, but beyond naming a sub-committee to solicit funds no actual business was transacted. The meeting was held at the Gately-Wiggins Hall Tuesday afternoon. The executive committee is made up of representatives of all of the various fraternal organizations that are to hold conventions, together with representatives of the commercial organization at Calumet. Another meeting of this committee will be held within a short time, when further plans for the conventions will be discussed. Those who have been named on the sub-committee to solicit subscriptions are: James Wiggins, chairman, F. J. Kohlhaas, George Williams, John Dunn, B. Barnham, Anthony Lucas and J. J. Kaufman.

DIES FROM INJURIES.

Andrew Lukkinen of Calumet, who was crushed under a falling mass of timbers at the South Trench branch of the Calumet & Hecla mine about a week ago, died early yesterday morning. At the inquest which was held in the court of Justice of the Peace Fisher shortly after the demise the jury returned a verdict that Lukkinen had been killed accidentally. The man was a timber boss, and it was while while he was engaged in directing work that he received the fatal injuries.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.

The funeral of Henry Cuisinsky of Calumet, who died Tuesday, after a protracted illness, will be held tomorrow afternoon. The services will be at the German Lutheran church. Mr. Cuisinsky was thirty-one years old and besides his widow is survived by two children. The cause of his death was tuberculosis.

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ITS LAST MEETING.

The next meeting of the village council of Hancock will be held in the new quarters at the fire hall. The session will be the last one under the present administration, and it will be the annual meeting also. The reports of the clerk, treasurer and other officers will be presented. At the coming election, three councilmen are to be chosen. The two who will hold over for another year are John P. Nelson and William Michaelson. It has not been definitely stated yet whether the three whose terms expire intend to run for reelection.

COPPERDOM BREVITIES.

A. E. Lutey of Hancock is spending a few days in Minneapolis. A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook of West Hancock. Joe Shear of Painesdale has returned from a visit to friends at Ishpeming. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown of Mass City were visitors in Hancock this week. Mrs. Strong of Niagara, Wis., is in Hancock, visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Hanan. John Davden of Ironwood is in Houghton, visiting at the home of James H. Thomas. Mrs. F. W. Denton of South Range has returned from a visit with friends at Chicago.

NEW CHURCH EDIFICE.

It is probable that the work of building the Catholic church for which members of the faith in South Range have been working for some months will begin this spring. From subscriptions and social affairs a considerable fund has already been realized, and the committee in charge will shortly call a meeting to make a report. If it is found feasible the work of building will be started. Plans for the edifice are now being prepared. The site chosen for the structure is on Trimmountain avenue and is so situated that it can be conveniently reached by the residents of both Baltic and South Range. The proposed parish includes about eighty families.

OBSEQUIES HELD YESTERDAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Della Laurent of Calumet was held after a protracted illness last Monday, was held yesterday morning. Services were conducted at St. Anne's Catholic church, after which the remains were taken to Houghton and the burial occurred at Forest Hill cemetery. Mrs. Laurent was a popular and widely known young matron. She was the daughter of D. DeStramps and had been a resident of Chassell all her life. She was twenty-seven years old and besides her husband is survived by four children. Her wedding to Joseph Laurent took place seven years ago at Port Huron.

SAY JUSTICES ARE LAX.

It is reported that some of the members of the Houghton county board of supervisors are dissatisfied with conditions in the courts of justice of the county, and charge that in some matters certain of the justices have been lax. These justices, it is stated, have not been prompt in making settlements with the county treasurer. Others have neglected to make certain required reports at times at which the law states these reports shall be made. It is possible that the county board will be asked to take some action in the connection at its next meeting.

PRIZE DOG POISONED.

Angelo Yotti's English bull terrier, the Laurium dog that took first prize in its class at the copper country fair last fall, was poisoned this week. Yotti's canine is but one of a number of valuable animals that have been killed in this manner within the past few weeks. Owners have so far been unable to learn the identity of the miscreant.

TEN-ROUND BOUT TONIGHT.

All preparations for the Allard-Willette ten-round bout at Lake Linden tonight have been completed. The ring on the stage of the theater where the fight will take place was in readiness yesterday and both men are ready for the going. Jack Dunn of Calumet will referee the bout. The go will be preceded by two fast preliminaries.

MAY INSTALL ELECTRIC HOIST.

It is reported that the People's Fuel company is planning to install an electrically-driven coal hoist at its docks in Hancock. At the present time there is but one hoist of the kind on Portage lake, that at the Van Orden docks in Houghton, and which has just been completed.

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In the first sub-district oratorical contest, to be held at Calumet early next month, representatives of the Calumet, Hancock, Lake Linden and Dollar Bay High schools will compete. A similar contest will be held at the Houghton High school about the same time. The winners in these two will meet later to determine who shall represent the copper country in the contest with the iron region.

Petty officers of the Hancock Naval Reserves, appointed this week, are: Chief boatswain's mate, Paul Rappe; chief master-at-arms, William Johnson; quartermasters, James DuFresne, C. W. Macdonald, Irving Fierce and Francis Sullivan; gunners' mates, Joseph Raymond and Fred Vanasse; first class boatswain's mate, Leigh Swift; coxswain, Fred King; yeoman, Bert Crawford and Nathan Dutton; carpenter's mate, Saul Seegal; bugler, Thomas Doney.

A remarkable feature of the entertainment given by the Houghton Masons and the Order of Eastern Star the evening of Washington's birthday was the "looking backward" drill. It was given by twenty ladies of the Eastern Star chapter under the direction of Sam Penberthy and it was a decided novelty. Each of the twenty in the drill wore a bonnet headed the wrong way and on the back of the head each had a mask which fit snugly under the bonnet. To lighten the illusion the ladies had aprons worn on the back and each wore a huge boquet on her back.

Mining News

CALUMET & HECLA'S LIFE.

Ten Years Would Be Required to Remove the Conglomerate Pillars.

Speaking of the life of the Calumet & Hecla's conglomerate pillar, a mining captain who worked for the Calumet for a great many years made the statement that it would take the Calumet & Hecla miners ten full years to take out the copper bearing conglomerate pillars throughout the Calumet and Hecla mines, at any time when the management finds that it has worked the lode to the bottom. The pillars are not to be removed by any means on all sides and can go as deep as is ready to discontinue operations on the conglomerate lode. At such a period, some time in the future, they can go through old abandoned drifts and shafts and remove the pillars which would be the end of the mine. The pillars are not to be removed by any means on all sides and can go as deep as is ready to discontinue operations on the conglomerate lode. At such a period, some time in the future, they can go through old abandoned drifts and shafts and remove the pillars which would be the end of the mine.

The two-year-old daughter of Joseph Vincent of Chassell is in a serious condition, the result of burns received when she slipped and fell into a pool of boiling water. It is thought that she will recover.

Captain Johnson Vician of Houghton, who has been in ill health lately, is to go to West Palm Beach, Fla., and will spend the remainder of the winter there. He will be accompanied by his son, William Vician.

Miss Made Power, daughter of Mrs. Helen Power of Houghton, and Sidney Ellis of Marquette, Wis., were married at St. Ignace's rectory Monday. The couple will live in Marquette. Mrs. Ellis was formerly a teacher at Calumet.

Mrs. Marjorie Bassette, who stated that she had told her husband to kill her when he threatened her with an axe and who had him arrested on a charge of non-support, withdrew the charges when the case was called in the court of Justice of the Peace Brand at Houghton.

Ben Treverton, the Calumet & Hecla drill boy who stabbed another boy in a fight that the two youngsters had, has been bound over for trial in the circuit court upon a charge of assault with intent to do great bodily harm. His bond was fixed at \$1,000 by Justice of the Peace Fisher.

The hockey team of the Hancock Congregation church that will try conditions with a seven representing the Houghton Methodist church next Monday evening at the Amphitheater is composed of William Reid, George E. Ross, Arthur Finley, Daniel Fisher, Eldred Moss, Louis James H. Gillespie and Richard Barkel.

John Seppala of Ahmeek was arrested and is facing a charge of assault with intent to kill. It is alleged that in a drunken fight he stabbed Mattie Louma, who also lives at Ahmeek. The trouble occurred in a saloon last Sunday night. Seppala will probably be bound over for trial in the Keweenaw county circuit court at Eagle River.

In James Paine, Hancock claims to have the champion butcher, and the substantial basis upon which the claim rests is that when competing with the best men in his trade in the country in a contest held under the Chicago World's Fair he defeated all of them and covered the world's record by killing, skinning and dressing a beef in four and one-half minutes.

Mrs. Catherine Lieblich of Hancock is in a serious condition, suffering with a fractured skull, received when she fell at her home and struck her head against a radiator. She was turning out the light in one of the rooms when the accident occurred. It was at first thought

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Operations in the Raven mine have again been suspended on orders of the directors of the Raven Mining company, owing to the failure to raise funds by the sale of 63,000 shares of treasury stock, which was offered to stockholders at par, 100 cents, while the stock was selling on the open market at about eighty cents, says the Butte correspondent of the Boston Commercial. Some of the heaviest stockholders in the east subscribed for treasury stock at par some months ago in order to keep the work going, and the mistake was made in telling the stockholders that these same treasury shares were anxious to take the offered 63,000 shares at the same price with an option on more stock until next September, but that the directors did not think it fair to permit all shareholders to share in the treasury distribution. Of course such a representation did not make the general stockholders fall over themselves to provide funds for the company, apparently being willing that the eastern interests should have the privilege of buying the stock at par. The result has been that nobody took it and the scheme has been a failure. It is announced that the directors will make another appeal to stockholders and if they fail the property will be closed permanently and what subscriptions that have been received will be returned. The company now has a considerable indebtedness.

The Raven shaft has reached an incline depth of about 1,400 feet, and it had been the intention to push the shaft to the 1,500 or 2,000 foot point, at which latter depth, it is almost certain, commercial ore will be found in the vein. The company has a well situated property in the Raven, adjoining large property owned by the Amalgamated Copper company. It also covers a majority interest in the Snover mine, a development property capable of large production, but the other interest is owned by the Butte Coalition company, and without the consent of the latter the Raven company can not mine the Snover. A few years ago the Raven shaft, and the Raven company had a standing equal to any. It shared with East Butte the distinction of being the most popular copper issues on the eastern curb. At that time Raven was capitalized at only \$200,000 and its stock sold up to \$8.50 per share. The stock was worth it and would still be worth it if the company had not forfeited the confidence and respect of the public. The men and officers then in charge of the company's affairs treated the public badly. Apparently their one object was to unload their own stock. Having obtained the stock at fifty cents per share and held

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City Brevities

Today's weather: Partly cloudy with snow; colder.

Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 22 degrees; noon, 15; 7 p. m., 11; Maximum, 22 degrees; minimum, 11.

Nels P. Flodin has gone to Duluth on business.

There will be band music at the ice rink tonight.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Lindstrom yesterday.

Mrs. Ida Bird went to Grand Rapids yesterday afternoon.

Miss Nettie Wagner has gone to Houghton to visit Mrs. Dan Pryor.

Mrs. Peter Cassidy, of Ontonagon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jerry Farrell.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Walker (ne Lath Boidly) Feb. 17, at Oshkosh, Wis.

Mark Elliott has returned to his home in Virginia, Minn., after spending a few days in the city.

Edward Miller, of Baraga avenue, who was operated on for appendicitis at St. Mary's hospital Tuesday, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Dr. E. H. Flynn, who has been ill with blood poisoning for a week or more, has gone to Hot Springs, Ark., for treatment, accompanied by Dr. W. B. Linn.

Miss Helen Reinhart, East Hewitt avenue, has returned to the city, after an extended visit at the home of D. N. McLeod, at Rexton. She was away for two months.

Social Dancing Party—Invitations are out for a social dancing party to be conducted at Fraternity Hall Friday evening under direction of the Ferguson Business college. The Peerless orchestra will play.

Famous Lecturer to Be Here—Jacob A. Riis, an author and lecturer of national fame on sociological and political subjects, will speak at the Marquette opera house Monday evening, the lecture being one of the numbers of the St. Luke's hospital lecture course.

Three Marriage Licenses—The following marriage licenses have been issued from the county clerk's office: August Krummi and Mary Hanson, both of Michigan; Otto Sironen and Mary Lakarinen, both of Negaunee; Thomas J. Robbins and Annie B. Quayle, both of Ishpeming.

A Possible Accident—A report, which could not be confirmed, was current on the streets last evening, to the effect that some one had been killed by a South Shore train near Sand River yesterday.

Punior had it that a caboose, on its arrival in Marquette, showed traces of fresh blood, but that the train crew knew nothing of any accident.

Another Criminal Case—Another criminal case was filed recently for hearing at the February term of circuit court. Edward F. Murray, of Ishpeming, is charged with violating the liquor laws in that he kept his saloon open on Sunday, Feb. 14. The case was first heard by Justice William Andrews, of Ishpeming, by whom Murray was bound over to circuit court under a \$300 bond.

Injured by Train—Albert Bird, of Metropolitan Junction, a lamp lighter in the employ of the Northwestern road, was perhaps fatally injured by a train yesterday morning, while riding snow shoe to work, but that the train crew knew nothing of any accident.

Died in Superior—Henry Erkeling, son of Mrs. Henry Erkeling, 218 Baraga avenue, this city, died at his home in Superior Tuesday. Pneumonia was the cause of death, and as he had been ill but a week, the news came as a great surprise and shock to his mother. The deceased left this city twenty years ago, and has been running a meat market in Superior. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his death. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made, but the remains may be brought to this city for interment.

Changes at Getz's Store—Louis Getz is making extensive improvements on the interior of his front store, which, when completed, will make it the most up-to-date department store in the city, at least in so far as beautiful and convenient sales rooms will make it so. The entire second floor of both stores is being transformed into one large room, in which, when completed, will be shown the stocks of carpets and millinery. The changes also include new steel ceilings on both floors, and a remodeled store front on the first floor. These improvements are now being made and are being rushed to completion.

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ARE POLES TOO CLOSE?

State Highway Commissioner Asks County Boards to Enforce the Law.

Horatio S. Earle, state highway commissioner is impressing upon every county board of highway commissioners and upon every township board the law relative to corporations setting poles of any kind along the highways, and this law also applies to Uncle Sam's mail box posts and even utility poles.

According to the state law no pole or post may be set within twenty-five feet of the center of the highway without the consent of the township board in the township where the pole or post is to be set, and no pole or post can be set within fifteen feet of the center of a highway under any condition.

Mr. Earle calls attention to suits for damages which may be brought against the board of township road officers should any person be hurt by having poles too near the road. Should any person be thrown out of his rig against a pole or post not placed according to law and such person killed his relatives could bring suit against the township board for \$5,000.

Many county and township boards are not next to this feature of the law and many that have been so informed will undoubtedly get busy with the telephone and power companies in their respective counties and compel the corporations to set many poles not now placed in compliance with the law.

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THEATRICAL

"Paid in Full"

The great American play, "Paid in Full," which was presented by a strong cast at the opera house last night, was to an almost startling degree different from the conventional in theatricals, in that it was true to life, and not an exemplification of an existence that has its being only on the stage. Every member of the cast, both in words and actions, portrayed traits of human character, with which all present were thoroughly familiar, and could readily recognize in their neighbors, if not in themselves. The play treats in a wonderfully convincing manner of the problems of middle life, the eternal struggle to make a living, by those who have all the feelings, desires and aspirations of the class blessed with a larger portion of the world's goods. The moral of "Paid in Full" is "Be honest, and live within your means," and it is conveyed to the public in a striking way, which is frank and convincing, yet not unpalatable. Absence of any conversation and laughter on the part of the audience during the acts was strikingly noticeable, showing that the play's teachings went home.

Thomas Coffin Cooke, as Joseph Brooks, the central figure about whom the action is woven, is fully able to cope with his difficult part, that of a weak, ambitious, selfish man of the world, whose downfall was the result of brooding over the idea that fortune was down on him and that he was putting more into the world than the world was giving him in return.

The character of Mrs. Brooks, as Mrs. Catherine Proctor, as Mrs. Brooks, was distinctly refreshing in her role of a pure, foreful, innocent woman. Because of her part, one carries home from "Paid in Full" the realization that American womanhood is after all true blue. The unexpected ending, where she leaves her selfish, weak, base-minded husband, after obtaining his freedom at the risk of her reputation and honor, brings out the character in its true strength and nobility.

Albert Andrews, in the part of James Smith, is a fine type of a healthy, optimistic. Although he has been denied the right of an honorable birth, he shows himself qualified to belong to the true nobility. As the rejected suitor of her who later became Mrs. Brooks, he stands by the woman he loves through thick and thin, and is ready to protect her honor, when the husband is willing to sell it for his own liberty.

Frank C. Burton is one of the strongest members of the troupe, being cast as a rough old sea captain, who has seen little but the had side of life, yet is able to recognize and respect goodness, when it is revealed to him in the person of Mrs. Brooks.

Agnes Herndon, as the mother of Mrs. Brooks, handled her role of a society butterfly, who was old enough to know better, in very clever style. Vienna Bolton, as her young daughter, was a splendid caricature of the painfully proper young lady, who moves mechanically according to the rules of the etiquette book.

The cast was exceptionally strong and well-balanced, and last night's production of "Paid in Full" received the commendation from the people of Marquette, which it received in New York, "a play distinctly worth while."

Upper Peninsula

Escanaba Pastor Resigns—

Announcement is made by the Rev. John C. Rooney, of the First Baptist church at Escanaba, of his resignation as pastor of that congregation, to take effect March 28. The announcement has come wholly as a surprise and every effort will be made to induce him to stay in the city. It is understood, however, that Mr. Rooney has decided to retire from the active ministry although his plans for the future have not been made public. Mr. Rooney has severely felt the effects of northern winters for the past few years and only last winter to the church at Escanaba has prevented him from leaving the city and leaving in a congenial climate.

Alleged Robber Escapes—

An unknown robber, who gained an entrance to the Peterson Opera House at Escanaba escaped from Officer Charles Larson only after four shots had been fired by the policeman in a futile attempt to bring the fleeing man to a halt. Residents living in the east end of the city heard the shots and many thought that a murder was being committed, but Officer Larson was firing in the air and while patrolling his beat the policeman discovered that the entrance of the theater was open. On entering the building he heard a slight noise as if some one was stealing toward the stage. The officer searched the rear of the house and then went to the stage entrance and was attempting to gain an entrance by a window at the side of the building and started to run. The policeman ordered him to stop but the man paid no heed. He continued to run, pursued by the officer, and when near Campbell street suddenly dodged between a cluster of buildings and could not again be located.

Traction Company Cuts Costs—

The Stone & Webster traction corporation, operating in the copper country, has been exceptionally fortunate so far this winter, in saving on its operating costs. As a usual thing the Lake Superior winters set up a large share of the summer profits of operation, because of the extra outlay necessary to keep the cars going. Running suburban cars through twenty-foot snow banks, with the thermometer down to zero is costly business, but it must be said to the credit of the Stone & Webster people that they have maintained their street railway service when the steam railroads were tied up and it was generally supposed that Lake Superior railways had won the best snow storm lighters in the world. Yet these Boston people have demonstrated that proper equipment and capable management can do even better, and the cost has never appeared to be a matter of consideration as long as the lines were kept open. This winter has been remarkably mild and the cars have been operated at lower costs than ever before during the winter months, to the betterment of the street railway corporation's treasury. The new line from Calumet to Mollawik is proving one of the best paying pieces of mileage on the line and the service is likely to be in greater de-

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MARQUETTE COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

(Official.)

Marquette, Mich., Feb. 24, 1909.

An adjourned regular session of the common council was called to order at 8 o'clock p. m. by the mayor, the Hon. John Robertson.

Present—Aldermen Astre, Campbell, Downey, Ekstrom, McCarthy, Schauer, Siegel and Williams.

The record of the session of Feb. 1st, approved.

The mayor presented the following: Marquette, Mich., Feb. 24, 1909.

To the Honorable Common Council: Gentlemen—Pursuant to the provisions of Act, No. 213, Laws of 1908, as amended, and subject to your approval, I hereby nominate and appoint James O'Reilly, member of the Board of Fire and Water Commissioners for the full term of five years from the first Tuesday in March, 1909.

Respectfully,
JOHN ROBERTSON,
Mayor.

Moved by Alderman Downey, supported by Alderman Donovan, Schauer, McCarthy and Siegel—4.

Nays—Aldermen Astre, Campbell, Ekstrom, Schauer and Williams—5.

The petition of William Nelson and J. M. Longyear, requesting that a sewer be laid in Arch street, from the southwest corner of Lot 85 in Hewitt's addition to the manhole in the trunk sewer, a distance of 150 feet, was presented and referred to the committee on parks, cemeteries, streets and sewers.

On motion of Alderman Williams, supported by Alderman McCarthy, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the profile prepared by Charles Cummings, civil engineer, and hereto attached, be and the same is hereby approved and adopted for a sewer in Arch street, from a point 625 feet east of the center of Lee street, west in the center of said Lee street, thence south 212.5 feet in Lee street, and that this resolution and said profile be duly filed by the recorder and placed on file.

On motion of Alderman Williams, supported by Alderman Siegel, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the controller be and he is hereby directed to prepare specifications and estimates of the cost of the following proposed improvement, to-wit:

The construction of a six-inch tile sewer, with four-inch "Ys," in Alger street, from a point 625 feet east of the center of Lee street, thence south 212.5 feet in Lee street, with manhole and lampholes shown in the profile for said sewer heretofore adopted; and.

Resolved, That the controller prepare a special assessment roll for the collection of the total estimated cost of said improvement and submit the same to the council for approval.

Moved by Alderman Downey, supported by Alderman Ekstrom, and carried, that the mayor appoint a special committee to investigate the matter of re-assessing the cost and expense of grading, curbing and macadamizing Division street, from the north line of Blumhulter avenue to the south line of Newberry street, said special committee to report on same at the next regular session. The mayor thereupon appointed as such special committee Aldermen Downey, Schauer and Ekstrom.

On motion of Alderman Williams, supported by Alderman Siegel, and carried, the Park, Cemetery and Street Commission was directed to discontinue work on the grading of Division street, from the north line of Blumhulter avenue to the south line of Newberry street.

Moved by Alderman Siegel, supported by Alderman Ekstrom, and carried, that the action of the council on February 1st, 1909, relating the saloon license fee to Mrs. John C. Johnson be rescinded.

Yea—Aldermen Astre, Campbell, Downey, Ekstrom, McCarthy, Schauer, Siegel and Williams—8.

Nays—Alderman Donovan—1.

Moved by Alderman Donovan, supported by Alderman Downey, and carried, that the mayor appoint a special committee of three to act in conjunction with the city attorney in the matter of the claim of the city against the Marquette & Southeastern Railway company on account of the judgment paid to Laughlin Johnson, administrator. The mayor thereupon appointed Aldermen Williams, Downey and Astre as such special committee.

The council then, on motion, adjourned.

DANIEL S. DONOVAN,
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MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Paine, Webber & Co.'s correspondent at New York yesterday telegraphed as follows:

Improvements were recorded throughout the list, with the traders for the most part taking a saner view of the recent developments in steel circles.

Closing prices were as follows:

Table with columns for stock names (Amal, Amc, Amr, etc.) and their closing prices.

Boston Stock Quotations.

Writing from Boston yesterday, Paine, Webber & Co. had the following to say of the stock market:

The market opened soft this morning, with heavy liquidation, due to forced selling of stocks at the low level.

Closing prices were as follows:

Table with columns for stock names (Adv., Am., All., etc.) and their closing prices.

The sales were as follows:

Table with columns for stock names (Amal Cop., Amc., etc.) and their sales figures.

Copper Metal Prices.

New York, Feb. 24.—Copper was unchanged to a little higher in the London market today, with spot quoted at 236, 75, 6d and futures at 237, 25, 6d.

secured a confession from him. McCoy secured only a small amount of money.

RECORD-BREAKING WALK.

Pedestrian Schumann Travels from New York to Chicago in 315 Hours.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—John Schumann arrived in Chicago tonight after a record-breaking walk from New York. He covered the 1,200-mile route in 315 walking hours.

INDIAN RUNNER SPEEDY.

Fred Simpson, at Toronto, Smashes Numerous Indoor Records.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 24.—Fred Simpson, a Peterboro Indian, ran ten miles here tonight in 52:30, smashing all indoor records.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 24.—Albert Walbaggosa, an Indian, who is said to be a phenomenal runner, has been discovered in the woods at the Garden River Canadian settlement, below the Soo.

CALVE SINGS TO AVOID JAIL.

Opera Star Has Humiliating Experience With Novel Cuban Stature.

New York, Feb. 24.—In spite of "artistic temperament," Emma Calve was recently forced to sing in Havana because of a Cuban law which provides that a performance advertised must take place or forfeit the money.

PRISON SITE IS NOW A PARK.

Relief Corps Beautifies Grounds Surrounding Gloomy Old Andersonville.

Washington, Feb. 24.—An act of Congress passed the bill authorizing the acceptance of the land around the old Andersonville prison the government will find it self in possession of a fairly well established park which it is hoped will remain forever a memorial to the veterans in the most notable southern prison of the Civil War.

CHURCH WORKERS FAVOR IT.

Plan to Form a Presbyterian Junior Brotherhood Gets Endorsement.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 24.—Resolutions calling for the organization of a junior brotherhood were presented and met with favor today at the national convention of the Presbyterian Brotherhood of America.

SPERRY'S ACTION MYSTIFIES.

Not Known Why Captain Hutchins Was Detached from Command.

Washington, Feb. 23.—No explanation of the cause of Captain Hutchins' detachment from command of the battleship Kearsarge by Rear Admiral Sperry at Gibraltar, nor the reason for his coming home on a passenger steamer, Rear Admiral Pritchard, chief of the bureau of navigation, declared that he had not the slightest idea why Captain Hutchins was detached from his command, unless on account of illness.

MATCH FOR ENGLISH BOXER.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 24.—A match was announced today between Freddie Welsh, the English champion lightweight, and Ray Branson, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., to be held here March 5.

WILL NET TEN MILLIONS.

Oklahoma Solons Vote to Sell 52 Per Cent of State's School Lands.

Guthrie, Ok., Feb. 24.—Both the house and the senate have now passed the bill for the sale of the indemnity and college school lands, about 52 per cent of the total school lands of the state, or about 2,000,000 acres.

ICE JAM AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 24.—A barrier of ice chokes the entrance to Buffalo harbor. If the thaw does not loosen its grip in a day or two dynamite will be used. A fleet of big frigates with cargoes of Manitoba wheat and barley now stranded in New York for export shipment are held prisoners out at the breakwater.

900,000 FISH FOR MICHIGAN.

New York, Feb. 24.—Ninety hundred thousand whitefish, the largest consignment ever sent out from the New York aquaria, are on their way to Michigan, where they will be placed in Lake Norton.

KAISER'S SON MAY VISIT U. S.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Frederick William, crown prince, has been contemplating the possibility of visiting the United States when the sander class yachts go over for the races next summer.

NO TRAINS FOR SEVENTEEN DAYS.

Denver, Feb. 24.—Owing to deep snow in the mountains and a railway blockade, Cheated Butte has had no trains from Gunnison for seventeen days.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY IN LONDON.

Man Believed to Be an American Killed His Wife and Himself.

London, Feb. 24.—John Tempest Dawson, aged seventy, fatally shot his wife while they were together in the National Portrait gallery today, and then committed suicide. The couple were believed to be Americans, but were married for the past ten years at Brighton.

Taft's ADMINISTRATION.

It Will Stand Absolutely on Its Own Feet.

Washington Looks for a Complete Change of Atmosphere and One Which Will Give Satisfaction to the Conservative Business of the Nation.

Washington, Feb. 24.—William H. Taft has come to Washington and gone on his visit. His visit has been told, but the impression he left upon official Washington is the topic of the day. This was, to put it bluntly, that the Taft administration is to stand absolutely on its own feet.

The information is very interesting at a time when two of the most noteworthy suits instituted by the Roosevelt administration are hanging fire. One against John D. Rockefeller, is intended to bring about the dissolution of the Standard Oil company.

George W. Wickersham.

The most important selection for the Taft cabinet is that of George W. Wickersham of New York to be attorney general. Mr. Wickersham is a man of quietude and a man of high character.

TAKE DIVORCE BARS DOWN.

Philosopher Protests That Innermost Secrets of Life Be Bared.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—"It is necessary for men and women to have the innermost secrets of their lives and show themselves up as mere human animals in order to free themselves of the fetters of a marriage that has proved distasteful to them?"

GREEN OLD AGE.

Enjoyed by a Very Old Tree by the Mississippi.

The most ancient living thing on earth is a tree. Exactly where that tree stands is a moot question, for many localities lay claim to it.

MASCULE GIRL IS GIVEN PERMIT TO DON TROUSERS.

Berlin Decides She Is So Near a Man Public Peace Won't Be Ruined.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—Curious circumstances have compelled the Berlin police to depart from one of their strictest regulations, and sanction the wearing of male apparel by a woman.

THE DISCOVERER OF GOLD.

The Man Who Led the First Successful Party in California.

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undoubtedly a woman, her features, character, and general appearance were of the masculine type, and that she was much more likely to cause a public scandal in petticoats than in trousers.

ASPIRES TO FAST COMPANY.

Wisconsin One-Arm Pitcher Would Sign With a League Club.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Feb. 24.—Allan A. Ransom, known as the one-armed wonder, one of the most prominent of the amateur pitchers in Wisconsin, will seek a berth in one of the Wisconsin leagues this summer.

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On a smoken reef 350 feet distant from Stornoway lighthouse is a remarkable beacon which warns mariners with the help of a light which is only apparent.

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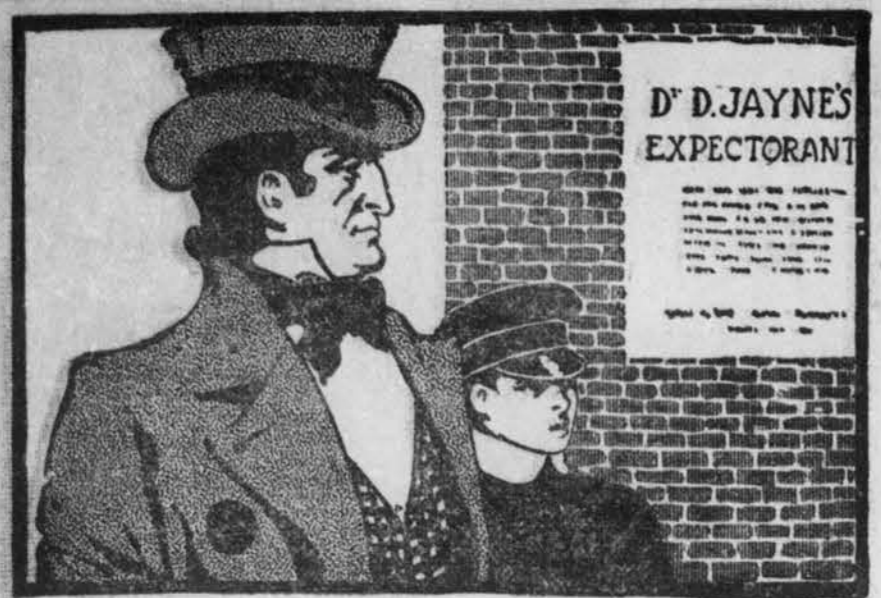
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Advertisement for D. T. Morgan & Co. Brokers, listing services for copper and other commodities.

Advertisement for George F. Ruez Broker, listing services for stocks, bonds, and grain.

Advertisement for Bijou Theatre, featuring the play 'A Vision of Salome'.

Advertisement for Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder and Extracts, highlighting their purity and scientific composition.

Advertisement for L. W. Atkins & Co., promoting their clothing and hats.

Ishpeming Department

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P. P. Chase, who is interested in the Dexter mine, eight miles west of Ishpeming, sold the machinery to the Lake Superior Iron & Metal company of Hancock, and the outfit is soon to be removed.

The Dexter mine was opened in 1883 and has had a checkered career. It has never had strong financial backing, such as is necessary to give a mine of its character a thorough test.

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ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

John Curran has returned to his home at Laurium, after a few days' visit with relatives in Ishpeming. The Misses Lillian Cartier and Vangle Pellier of Marquette are in the city, the guests of Mrs. A. Levasseur.

Dr. W. F. Donahoe, who visited relatives in the city the past few days, has returned to his home in Milwaukee. Dr. I. Sietto has returned to Princeton after a few days' visit with relatives and friends in the city and at the Winthrop.

Dr. D. McIntyre, the Cleveland Clinician company's head physician on the Swaney range, was a visitor in the city yesterday. James Downing and Charles White, former residents, have been here from Coleraine the past few days, visiting relatives and friends.

P. J. Denn and Thomas Roberts will hold the first three games of their fifteen-game series tomorrow evening at the Bank street alleys. William Trebilcock and George Harris have returned from Chicago where they attended the annual convention of the Cement Workers' association.

Ray Osgood, who has held the position of operator with the D. T. Morgan & Co. ever since the office was opened, has resigned. Gordon Rogers succeeds him. The Bijou theater is doing a good business this week. On Monday night over 800 people attended the three perform-ances. Leonard and Phillips are the principal performers.

Fred Braastad, who has been ill and confined to his home for the past month, is improving daily and it is expected that he will be able to leave the house in a few days. The Misses Orora Bowden and Velda Menard and Messrs. Octav Savoy, Ed. Sietto and Thomas Bowden of L'Anse-au-Loup returned home yesterday, after a few days' visit with friends in the city.

MAKING GOOD HEADWAY.

The mechanics at the American mine are making excellent headway with the installation of the new air compressor plant. The engine is now in position and the workmen are preparing to install the big fly wheel.

FROM MORGAN'S CURB LETTER.

American securities in the London market were active and distinctly higher this morning, and organized support was being shown in some markets.

CONSPIRACY FOR CAPTAINS.

Michigan National Guard Introduces Plan to Increase Officers' Efficiency. Lieutenants Devine and Peterson of Company J, Michigan National Guard, are this week attending the annual election of the Michigan National Guard at Lansing.

PLAN CHURCH FAIR.

The ladies of St. Joseph's congregation are planning a fair for the benefit of the church, to be held in September. A young ladies' club with nearly sixty members has been organized, and will hold meetings once a week.

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Advertisement for SHPEMING THEATRE. Wednesday, March 3. Chas. H. Yale Co. 28TH ANNUAL OBULATION THE EVERLASTING

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Negaunee Department

SNOW PLOW INJURES RAILROAD EMPLOYEE

SECTION HAND AT WORK IN THE NORTHWESTERN COMPANY'S YARD HERE IS SERIOUSLY HURT.

Ten minutes to 12 o'clock yesterday the Chicago & Northwestern company's big snow plow, arriving from Escanaba, struck Albert Bird, a section hand, at a point near the switch of the spur leading to the Union depot at Negaunee and carried him nearly 400 feet to a short distance east of the South Shore bridge. The man received injuries that it is feared will prove fatal. His right foot was crushed, his left leg broken both above and below the knee and his left arm was fractured above and below the elbow.

Bird was working on the track near the switch and it appears that he did not hear or see the snow plow approaching. He claimed after he had been picked up from the side of the track where he had rolled off the plow that the engineer did not blow the whistle, but Michael Doyle, a section hand who was working 100 feet west of where Bird was shoveling, says that he heard the whistle and that he stopped off the track about the time the plow had reached the point where Bird was working. As soon as the plow had passed Doyle noticed that Bird did not return to his work on the track, and he at once surmised that the man had been struck by the plow. Bird was taken to the Negaunee hospital.

None of the members of the crew of the plow saw the accident, nor did they know anything about it until they reached the depot, where they stopped for orders. The storm was severe in the vicinity of the switch and the snow was flying some feet above the top of the plow, so that the engineer and fireman could not distinguish the track ahead of them. S. Tyrrell was the engineer, and Conductor E. H. Gibbs was in charge of the plow. The injured man is very well known in the city. He has lived here for twenty years or more. He had been employed as a section hand with the Northwestern company for eight years, and is single. The physicians at the hospital gave very little hope for his recovery yesterday afternoon, when he was suffering considerably from the shock.

WORST STORM OF YEAR.

Passenger Trains Belated and Freights Annulled Yesterday.

The snow storm which set in early Tuesday evening and continued throughout yesterday, was the worst of the season. Much snow fell and heavy drifts formed. The early trains on the South Shore came through practically on time, but some of them were unable to move on schedule later in the day. Most of the trains were pulled by hand shovels and it was only with much effort that they were moved over the lines. The Chicago & Northwestern passenger train was over two hours late yesterday morning. It was on time until it reached Escanaba, where a second engine was put on, but the storm was unusually bad from Escanaba north and in places there were some heavy drifts. The Northwestern train going south yesterday morning was an hour late, due to a delay in securing a second engine at Ishpeming. Practically all of the freight trains on both the South Shore and Northwestern systems were annulled. The Tuesday night freight on the Northwestern came up practically on time, but it was belated on the return trip.

The employees of the street car line worked at a big disadvantage. When the cars came out of the barn yesterday morning there were several feet of snow in places, especially in the cuts. The first car out got as far as the Northwestern crossing here at 6 o'clock and it was unable to go any farther until the snow plow relieved it, about four hours later. The plow was kept on the line all day and the cars were kept moving.

MEETING WITH FAIR SUCCESS.

Felix Chialotti and Joseph Bertot, who were some time ago delegated by the Italian residents of the city to solicit funds among the business and professional men for the Italian earthquake sufferers, are meeting with fair success. They recently raised nearly \$100 in a few hours and they expect to add considerable to this sum before they complete their work. It is expected that in all several hundred dollars will be sent from here. Eugene De Gebriel, a former resident of Negaunee, and a son-in-law of Mr. Chialotti, was at the head of the canvassing committee that raised \$2,000 in Roslyn, Wash., in a collection recently taken at St. Paul's church, \$84 was contributed by members of the congregation.

REVOLTS AT OLD STEEL.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich., suffering from severe renal trouble, lies in an operation." Then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills, she writes, "till wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, Cure Constipation, Headache, 25c. at The Stafford Drug Co.

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LOST TEMPER IN COURT.

Princeton Man Charged With Robbery Wanted to Get Even With Witness.

Stephen Aquado, of Princeton, created a wave of excitement in Judge Thoren's court Tuesday, while he was being tried on the charge of robbery, preferred by Peter Varantoni, who conducts a boarding house on the road to the mines on the East range. Aquado came to the city Sunday, with the intention of remaining a few days, and while at the boarding place robbed the proprietor of \$32. While the hearing was in progress, Aquado lost his temper and made a plunge across the room at Peter Chiri, the principal witness, and in the tussle that followed one of the men fell through the glass front of Mr. Thoren's book case. Marshal Tribble was present and quickly had Aquado under control. The trial proceeded without further interruption and Aquado was found guilty, as charged. His fine was placed at \$100 and costs of court, or three months imprisonment in the county jail. Being unable to raise the money he was taken to the jail.

DEATH OF MRS. DELORIMER.

Former Wellknown Resident of Negaunee Passed Away in California.

George J. Maas received a telegram yesterday afternoon, advising him of the death at San Diego, Cal., of his sister, Mrs. John B. De Lorimer. The announcement of the demise was not a complete surprise to Mr. Maas and other relatives here, as Mrs. De Lorimer had been an invalid for some years and her condition had been precarious for a week or two. Her brother, Dr. Rudolph Maas, of Hancock left Sunday night for San Diego in response to a message advising him that her condition was then more critical than it had been in some time.

The deceased was a resident of Negaunee for a number of years, prior to about twenty years ago, and was well known here, particularly by the older residents. She and other members of her family were frequent visitors to the city, they usually spending a few weeks here every summer. Mrs. De Lorimer is survived by her husband and two sons, all three of whom were with her when she died. Relatives here have not yet been advised when the funeral will be held, or where the remains will be buried. It is possible that the interment will be in Negaunee.

STORM PLEASED THEM.

There are several men in Negaunee who were pleased to see the storm. Among them were a number of old men who work on the streets. Most of them have been idle since the improvement work was completed in the fall and yesterday they were glad of the opportunity to shovel snow. If today is not stormy a big force will be employed as it is the purpose of Superintendent Willman to get all of the sidewalks and streets in good condition as soon as possible. The city has two good sidewalk plows and one street plow, all of which will be in use today. There is perhaps a greater quantity of snow on the cemetery road than on any other thoroughfare in the city, though all of the roads to the outlying districts will need attention. It will also be necessary to plow out the roads in the cemeteries.

LOCAL LACONICS.

During the recent sale of Lincoln two-cent postage stamps the Negaunee post-office disposed of 3,000 within a week.

S. S. Mitchell, who has been critically ill during the past two months, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to leave the hospital.

Edward O'Donoghue, son of J. E. O'Donoghue, who fractured his leg above the knee ten days ago while skiing on the Mackinaw hill, is getting along nicely and it will not be long before he will be able to be out on crutches.

Negaunee men, who are to serve as jurors at the February term of the circuit court, received notice Tuesday that the court will not convene until next Monday, on account of the accident suffered by Judge Stone.

The Misses Aelstia Naara, Hanna Pello and Fannie Forstia, well known Finnish girls of Negaunee, are spending a few days with friends in the copper country. From there they will go to South Dakota, where they have relatives and where they will locate permanently.

Peter Mattson, who has advertised in The Mining Journal the past week for pupils for instruction on the violin, has had a number of applications and he now plans to devote all his time to that work. Mr. Mattson has an excellent knowledge of music, as well as of the proper methods of teaching.

The arrangement committee for the Negaunee fire department, which has had tickets printed for the organization's annual ball on Easter Monday, expects to dispose of several hundred of them before the date of the party. Invitations are to be sent to the several fire departments of the county and it is expected that a large number of out-of-town firemen will be present.

The first services of the Lenten season were held yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Paul's church. Rev. Father Langner, the pastor, read the rules to be observed during the Lenten season at the masses last Sunday. At the service next Sunday announcements will be made as to the evening services during Lent. It is expected that there will be services two evenings a week, on Wednesday and Friday.

SOLDIER BALKS DEATH PILOT.

It seemed to J. A. Stone, a Civil War veteran, of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which restored my health completely. I now weigh 178 pounds." For severe Colds, obstinate Coughs, Hayfever, Asthma, and to prevent Pneumonia it is unrivaled. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by the Stafford Drug Co.

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NERVOUSNESS IN CHILDREN.

The Cause of It and Their Proper Treatment.

*A nervous child is greatly to be pitied, not so much because of its present condition, although that is distressing enough, as on account of what the future has in store for it. A nervous child suffers, no doubt. It is peevish, easily frightened, restless, inattentive, incapable of entering with enjoyment into the sports of its companions, soon tires of its games, and is often quarrelsome. But it is in adult life that the real suffering comes. Ineffective work, sleepless nights, racking headaches, the formation of drug habits, alcoholism, early physical breakdown, and even insanity are the dangers to be dreaded for the future of some—fortunately not all—children with weak and unstable nervous systems.

There is always a cause for this nervous condition in children, and the cause can often be removed if it can be discovered. Heredity doubtless plays an important part in many cases, but not so often as is commonly believed, and even when there is an inherited taint, other factors which perpetuate or increase the trouble almost always exist, and can often be overcome. A careful examination of a nervous child will usually bring to light some physical defect, the curing of which will free the nervous system from strain.

These physical defects may be anywhere in the body, but are usually found in one or more of three locations—the eyes, the throat and the bowels. The eyes are most intimately connected with the brain, indeed, they may be said to be actually part of the brain, and a defect of vision inflicts constant and innumerable blows on the brain which irritate it, and this irritation is transmitted to the entire system. The eyes of a nervous child should be examined and spectacles worn if called for. "What a pity to put glasses on a child!" Yes, but what a greater pity to let a nervous child grow up into a nervous man.

A child who is a mouth-breather is almost sure to have enlarged tonsils or adenoids. This condition interferes with natural breathing, which prevents the proper aeration of the blood; and impure blood cannot properly nourish the nerve cells. Further, enlarged tonsils or adenoids are often slightly inflamed all the time, which causes the absorption of septic products which poison the whole system.

Finally, constipation is a most potent influence in the causation of all sorts of nervous troubles. The treatment of this condition, not at all uncommon in children, in spite of their activity, does not consist in an occasional dose of castor-oil. The root of the evil must be sought, and it must be corrected by a careful regimen and the inculcating of habits of regularity.

PRaise INDEED.

One of the most candid tributes the late Edwin Booth ever received was rendered to him on his last Southern tour by one who knew neither of his presence nor of his identity in the play. Mr. Booth told the story of his friend, Dr. John H. Gardner.

"We opened our engagement in Atlanta, Ga., with Othello," said Mr. Booth, "and I played Othello. After the performance my friend, Mr. Malone, and I went to the Kimball house for some refreshment. The long bar was so crowded that we had to go around the corner of it before we could find a vacant space. While we were waiting to be served we couldn't help hearing the conversation of two fine-looking old boys, splendid old fellows, with soft hats, flowing moustaches, and chin tufts, black string ties and all the other paraphernalia.

"I didn't see you at the theater this evening, Cunnel," said one.

"No," replied the other, "I didn't buy seats till this mornin', and the best we could get were six rows back in the balcony. I presume, suh, you were in the orchestra."

"Yes, Cunnel, I was in the orchestra," said the first man, "Madame and the girls were with me. We all agreed that we never attended a mo' thrillin' play. The company was good, too; excellent company. And do you know, Cunnel, in my opinion that d--d nigger did about as well as any of 'em."

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BUT THE ICE WENT OUT INTO THE LAKE

AND NOW THE COMPANY IS PREPARING TO MAKE THE ANNUAL CUT ON DEAD RIVER.

HIGH WIND WAS DISASTROUS

Cost of Harvesting Considerably Increased Because of Field in Harbor Having Broken Up.

It is presumed that no one in this city suffered more heavily because of yesterday's storm than the Lake Superior ice company. This company has been watching with eagle eyes the field of ice which has been slowly but surely forming outside the breakwater during the last two weeks. On Tuesday the ice was about six inches thick, and when the weather bureau forecasted colder weather Tuesday, the members of the company thought that within a day or two, it would freeze to eight inches in thickness, when cutting for next summer's use could be started.

The high wind that accompanied yesterday's blizzard, however, stirred up the waves in Lake Superior, and the ice field was broken up and taken into the lake. In consequence, all hope of getting ice from Lake Superior this winter has been abandoned, and arrangements are being made to begin cutting on Dead river the first of next week.

Lake Ice Crop Uncertain.

As ice can be harvested from Lake Superior much cheaper than from any other body of water, the breaking up of the ice field means considerable financial loss to the company. For the last few years, however, the lake crop has been very uncertain, and the company has realized from the first that they were taking a gambler's chance in waiting for the lake to freeze over. This makes the third winter that ice has failed to form on the lake sufficiently thick for cutting purposes. Prior to three years ago, old residents state that it was unusual for ice not to form on the bay, at least eight inches thick. Just why the uncertainty of the crop has increased within recent years is not known. It may be that cutting away the forests gives the wind more of a sweep, and so makes the water in the harbor rougher than in winters gone by, while others say the change is due to abnormally mild weather and to the occurrence of storms at inopportune times.

For almost two weeks the sheet of ice of Lighthouse point has been from four to six inches thick, and even two days of moderately cold weather would have made it thick enough for cutting. For the last week, the weather has been so mild that it scarcely increased in thickness at all, yet as long as it stayed in the harbor, the ice company hoped for lower temperature and waited. The lower temperature has now come, but too late, as the field is now out in the lake, carried thither by the high north-west wind that accompanied yesterday's blizzard.

Will Cut on Dead River.

The ice company is now hustling to make the annual cut from Dead river, near the D. S. & A. trestle. Had it not been expected that a crop could be harvested from Lake Superior, the season's cut would have been made several weeks ago. One trouble with the ice on the river is that it is too thick, especially so late in the season. The expense of hauling the ice from the river to the ice house will be considerable, as it has to be loaded on cars at the trestle, then transferred to the Marquette & Southeastern railway and hauled to the ice house at the foot of Ohio street. Could the ice have been cut from the lake, it would have been taken direct to the ice house, thus saving freight charges and second handling.

Before the cutting is begun a transfer switch will be built from the South Shore track to that of the M. & S. E., which will take a day or two. For this reason, it is not thought that cutting will begin before Monday. The company expects to put up about eighty cars within the next week or so. With the exception of a few cars left over from the contract cutting on Lake Michigan earlier in the winter, the company has put up no ice in the Marquette ice house this winter, for general retail use.

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A BAD STORM.

But Traffic and Business Was Not Seriously Affected Yesterday.

A blizzard of the real "old-fashioned, Lake Superior kind" struck this city Tuesday night and raged with unabating fury until yesterday afternoon, when it became slightly colder, and stopped snowing. It is said at the weather bureau that but eight inches of snow fell during the storm, but an accompanying high wind drifted it badly, making walking and locomotion of every kind difficult.

The various transportation lines carried on their regular business with remarkable dispatch, considering the adverse conditions they were up against. The street car company got out its cars very early, and by keeping it going from one end of the line to the other all day, kept the track clear for the operation of cars.

The railroad trains arrived in the city in remarkably good time, none on either road being much over an hour late, and several were almost on time. The telephone and telegraph companies report that they experienced little damage or inconvenience from the storm, and the lines throughout the upper peninsula were in operation all day. The walks were badly drifted in the forenoon, and the snow drifted back almost as fast as it could be shoveled out. The city snow plow, drawn by four horses, was out early, and last evening most of the walks were at least passable.

BOARDS OF HEALTH CAN INVESTIGATE

GENERAL STATUTE PROBABLY CONFERS POWER ON CITY OFFICERS TO LOOK INTO DAIRY SITUATION

As the result of recent agitation and the published reports showing the probability that milk from tubercular cattle is being sold in this city, public sentiment has been aroused and the feeling is general that some sort of an investigation of local milk and dairy conditions should be made. It has been the generally accepted belief that the laws of Michigan were woefully lax in protecting the public from the dangers of bovine tuberculosis, but the provisions of chapter 145, sections 4-20, of the compiled laws of Michigan, would appear to show that the local health officer, or the public health committee of the common council, has ample power to make such an investigation, if either is so disposed. At all events, it is in the power of the common council to make such regulations covering the sale of milk and inspection of dairies as that body sees fit.

The sections of the state law referred to provide that it is "the duty of all local boards of health, to whom cases of contagious or infectious diseases in domestic animals are reported, to immediately investigate the same either in person, or by the employment of some competent veterinarian." The act further provides that in case such action is found necessary, the board of health may establish a temporary quarantine, until the state veterinarian can be notified.

The situation is then put in charge of the state live stock sanitary commission which is given a wide latitude of authority to act in stamping out the disease. They may order the infected stock to be killed, but in that case, the animals must first be appraised, and, on the approval of the governor of the state, the owner shall be reimbursed the appraised value of the stock so killed by the state. No indemnity, however, may be paid for an animal which has been brought into the state in a diseased condition, or which the owner knew was diseased when he bought it.

While it is not known that this act has ever been applied to cases of bovine tuberculosis, it would seem to the lay observer that it could be so applied. Of course, the act itself is weak in that it places the primary responsibility on the public and not on the health officers, and all laws of that class are apt to become dead letters. However, it appears that any citizen has it in his power to demand an investigation of the milk and dairy situation in this city, if he desires so to do.

APPOINTED OFFICERS EXCEPTED.

The Marquette land office has received notice from the department of the interior, stating that heretofore appointed federal, state or county officers will not be allowed to count absence while in the performance of their duties, as constructive residence upon a homestead on which they may have made entry. The former practice has been to allow both appointed and elected officers to be away from their homesteads while in the performance of their official duties, but the permission is said to have been abused, and elected officers alone may hereafter have this privilege.

FAVORS OSBORN FOR GOVERNOR

UPPER COUNTRY WOULD GIVE HIM 30,000 MAJORITY AT PRIMARY, SAYS SENATOR MORIARTY AT SAGINAW.

In an interview Michael M. Moriarty last evening, the senator from Crystal Falls, Iron county, upper peninsula, declared unmistakably for Regent Chase S. Osborn of Sault Ste. Marie for next governor of the state of Michigan, says the Saginaw Courier-Herald.

"It is rather early to begin talking about the next governor just now," said Mr. Moriarty, "yet as you have asked as to my choice, I would not hesitate a minute in endorsing Chase S. Osborn for the nomination for governor two years hence. No man in the state of Michigan is better fitted to govern this state than the man from the upper peninsula, who has watched with a live interest the progress of his native state for the past twenty-five years. The upper country would give him 30,000 majority at least at the primary election. Mr. Osborn, to my way of thinking, will have a walk-in when the proper time comes. The press of the upper peninsula is a unit in endorsing him for the position and he has a legion of influential friends in the lower part of the state. He is practically a man without enemies, a credit to the state, able, and I sincerely hope he will be our next governor."

Speaking of the time when Mr. Osborn was railway commissioner under Governor A. T. Bliss, Mr. Moriarty said that his opinion of that office was excellent and shows what he would be able to do were he given the chance. "His strongest point, however," Mr. Moriarty continued, "is his many qualifications for the position of governor. He is well educated, has kept in touch with state affairs, mostly from the objective point of view, for the past twenty-five years, and is today as closely in touch with them, as is the most popular man in the upper peninsula, has never been mentioned in connection with any deal which looks like the least bit shady, has no alliances with any faction, and his name at the head of the Republican party ticket would mean a return to the old 100,000 majority days."

Member of Jackson Committee. Mr. Moriarty, it will be remembered, is a member of the regular Jackson prison board. The others on the committee are John D. McKay, of Detroit, third district, and Frank Newton, of Ypsilanti, also they have been appointed a special committee to look into the details of the alleged grafting of Warden Armstrong of the Jackson state prison. Mr. Moriarty refused to give his opinion as to Warden Armstrong's guilt, but stated that he had known Mr. Armstrong for four years and was much surprised when he heard of the story charging him with graft. "He is the last man on earth," he said, "that I would ever suspect of doing anything that would be against all that was honorable and especially to wit: to steal at the state's expense."

A WONDERFUL EXHIBITION.

Street Superintendent Mitchell Impressed With Concrete Show.

Superintendent of Streets Edward Mitchell and daughter, Miss Olive, returned from Chicago yesterday, where they have spent the last ten days, and the former attended the National concrete exhibition at the Columbus. This show is given annually by the association of manufacturers of concrete machinery and products, this being the second of its kind. The exhibits include every kind of machinery for making and applying concrete, as well as a varied assortment of concrete products.

Mr. Mitchell was greatly impressed with the exhibition, and especially with the growth of the concrete industry in this country, as shown by the increased number and variety of exhibits. Some of the things he saw that are of especial interest to municipalities were samples of concrete sewer pipe, which is now being quite generally used in the larger cities; a great many different kinds of concrete mixers, every one of which was declared by the demonstrator to be the best; concrete tile; beautifully finished concrete columns and pilars, and a device for finishing sidewalk, which may be manipulated by the operator, while standing on his feet.

Some of the novelties shown were concrete collars, which would fit in water and glass-covered concrete brick. The patent holder of the latter invention states that he has found a way to make glass stick to concrete and that the use of such brick, so covered on the outside gives a building a handsome appearance.

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Muslin Underwear Sale---20% Discount

Our Annual Muslin Underwear Sale Is Now in Progress and Will Last All Week.

Never before have we shown such a magnificent line of Muslin Underwear at such remarkably low prices. Regardless of these low prices we will refund you 20 per cent of the amount of your cash purchase during this sale. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and visit our store during this sale.

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P. S.--We wish to announce to our numerous customers that we have just received a full line of sizes of the famous Nemo Corsets in styles 212, 214 and 304, at \$3.00. Also a full line of the Warner Dust-Proof Corsets, comprising all the styles for 1909.