





Copper Country

MURDER AT ONTONAGON.

Developments Show That Joseph Guzik Did Not Die Accidentally.

After being buried at Ontonagon, the body of Joseph Guzik, which was found a week ago, was exhumed and a coroner's inquest was held over it, and it is now decided that the man did not come to his death accidentally but was murdered and the sheriff of Ontonagon county is searching for the murderers.

COPPER COUNTRY SPORTS.

Baseball and Cricket Seasons to Open Tomorrow and Sunday.

The season of the Copper Country Cricket League will open tomorrow. The season of the Copper Country Baseball League and of the Houghton County Trolley Baseball League will open Sunday.

Copper Country Baseball League—Volvier at Franklin, Mohawk at Ahmeek, Laurium at Gay, Hubbell at Lake Linden.

Houghton County Trolley League—Hancock at Red Jacket, Caledonians at Lake Linden, Tamarack at Laurium.

FATALITY AT PAINE DALE.

Five-Year-Old Gladys Brown Burned to Death While at Play.

Gladys, five-year-old daughter of Henry D. Brown of Painesdale, died Wednesday afternoon as the result of burns received by her while playing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neuman of "B" location Tuesday afternoon and it seems that the children, unmindful of the danger, threw on the little girl, saturating some paper with kerosene and applying a match to it. When the flames struck up the Brown child, who was standing nearest the stove, became seized with fright and in trying to get away tripped and fell face downward in the fire. It was but a moment when her light clothing burst into flame. The screams of the child and her playmates brought the members of the Neuman family to the room and a pail of water was quickly thrown on the little girl, extinguishing the flames, but the scorch was too late, for an examination revealed that the child was so terribly burned about the body that there could be little hope of her recovery.

HOUGHTON STREET IMPROVEMENT.

Two Blocks of Huron Street Will Be Paved This Summer.

Huron street, Houghton, between Sheldon and Albion streets, a distance of two blocks, will be paved this summer, according to F. W. Stoye of the village council. Mr. Stoye said that the pavement would probably be macadam, but that the council might try sand which has lately been used with success in many cities.

GRAND PARADE OF ELKS.

Calumet Convention Will Offer a Spectacular Pageant.

The grand parade to be held by the Elks on the second day of their convention in Calumet next month will be one of the biggest pageants of the kind ever held anywhere in the state, according to the plans being laid by the members of the local lodge. The parade will be in the form of a pageant, with a float representing the Elks, and a band of music.

LAURIUM LIGHTING WAR.

Electric Light and Gas Companies Bidding for Business.

Competition in the lighting business will give Laurium the benefit of lower rates for lighting than has been paid the past few years and will give much more light for the dark spots of the town, it appears. Four propositions have been submitted to the council by two rival concerns—the Houghton County Electric Light company and the Calumet Gas company.

FIELD DAY MEET.

A meeting of the committee in charge of the field day meet of the Hancock Hibernians will be held Sunday, when plans for the athletic event will be discussed and arrangements for it will be completed. It is planned to hold the meet at the Hancock Driving Park Wednesday, July 28.

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Mining News. OSCEOLA. There is some talk that the next dividend declaration of the Osceola will be larger than \$3, says the Boston Financial News.

FIRST MONEY COMES. School Board Treasurer Stoye Receives \$5,000 from Andrew Carnegie.

WHO WILL GET THE BALANCE? Chicago World's Fair Still Has \$44,000, Which Is Still Unclaimed.

HANCOCK CONSOLIDATED. The Hancock consolidated is opening stop-work roots, and adding to reserves preparatory to beginning production.

NOTES OF COPPER NEWS. There has been great improvement in the Davis Daily properties in recent weeks, it is stated and it is expected now that the company will soon be shipping to the Washoe smelter.

Delta County Saloons. In the past two weeks, County Treasurer Mallman has been made the custodian of \$98,139 direct revenue from the saloons of Delta county.

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Upper Peninsula. The regular annual campaign for the improvement of sidewalks in the city of Menominee has started. The sidewalks committee of the common council brought in their reports this week and fully three hundred pieces of walk were named as either requiring complete rebuilding or needing repairs.

Child Is Fatally Scalded. The two-year-old son of Rocco Sophia of Messeur fell into a pan of boiling water and was badly scalded. The child was taken to the hospital at Ashland, where it shortly passed away, after suffering much agony.

Police Appointments Made. The Menominee police appointments for the present year have been confirmed by the common council. The appointments were made by Chief A. P. English, and are as follows: Captain, Daniel Flynn; patrolmen, A. G. Rasmussen, Charles Van Dozer, John Reedy and James Grant.

Cracked Skull Causes Death. During a mixup a few days ago at the Caspian location, near Stambaugh, Joe Jacobinski was either struck on the head with a club or other weapon, passed off the porch of the house where he was boarding and fell on his head on some hard substance.

\$100 REWARD, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity.









STREETS INSPECTED BY PROPER OFFICERS

STREET COMMISSION AND COUNCIL COMMITTEE LOOKED OVER THOROUGHFARES OF CITY.

CURBING IN BAD SHAPE

None at All in Many Places and Wood Curbs Are Broken and Rotten—Some Hills Gutted.

The park, cemetery and street commission and the streets and sewers committee of the common council completed their inspection of the streets of the city yesterday, the thoroughfares south of the South Shore tracks having been looked over Wednesday and those north of the track yesterday afternoon.

It was stated by Street Commissioner Reidinger last evening that the streets in general were found to be in very fair condition, although there is considerable repair work that needs immediate attention.

Rebuilding Needed. Two parts of streets were found to be badly in need of rebuilding. The Genesee street hill, from Adams to Altamont streets, is so badly washed and gutted out that it is impossible for a heavy load. The street was macadamized years ago but it was never curbed and its condition is such that to rebuild it entirely will be necessary.

Another street that needs extensive repairs is Seventh from Washington to Park cemetery, a distance of two blocks. This is another steep grade, which is so badly washed and gutted out that travel with anything except a light rig is almost impossible.

Two Streets Not Completed. Two streets which were only partially completed last year should be finished, although it may not be possible to do so this year. For nearly 1,800 feet on the north end of the Presque Isle avenue improvement, only the foundation rock has been laid, and, except for a narrow driveway, the street cannot be used for travel.

Most of the macadamized streets in the city are in need of slight repairs, as holes have formed where sewer connections have been made, but this work can easily be taken care of at no great expense.

The commission expects to work on the theory that it is their first duty to keep the streets already built in first class repair, and to build only such new streets as can be constructed after that is done. This summer will probably see a large amount of cement curbing put in, but no great amount of macadamizing is likely to be done.

HIBBARD GETS FINE POSITION. Has Been Appointed General Passenger Agent of Transcontinental Line.

George W. Hibbard, formerly a resident of this city, has been appointed general passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railway, according to the Railway and Engineering Review of May 15. As none of his many friends in this city have been informed of his selection for this important position, some doubt is expressed as to the authenticity of the report, although the magazine containing the announcement is considered authoritative and reliable in railway matters.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound railway is the name given to the St. Paul route's extension to the Pacific coast, recently completed. The line runs from Mowbride, South Dakota, to Seattle and Tacoma, and should become one of the most important of the transcontinental lines. Thus it will be seen that the position that is reported to have come to Mr. Hibbard is a most flattering one, and the news is most gratifying to his Marquette friends, especially in view of the misfortune that recently befell him in Mexico. Until a few months ago, Mr. Hibbard was general passenger agent of the National Railway lines of Mexico, but when the National lines and the Mexican Central railways were merged, there was

INTERESTING RELIC FOUND IN THE WALLS

DETROIT POST OF NOV. 27, 1869, CONTAINS SEVERAL ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

An interesting relic was found while repairing the house occupied by Mrs. Zep Messer, on West Washington street, a few days ago. While tearing out a partition, a copy of the Detroit Weekly Post, published November 27, 1869, was found between the walls, which contains several interesting bits of local history. The paper is now in the possession of Dory Fontaine. The house in which the paper was found formerly stood on the location of J. H. Foster's store.

The last page is devoted to financial news and copper stocks are quoted as follows: Calumet, 21 cents; Franklin, 9 cents; Hecla, 85 cents; Quincy, 29 cents. Minter is quoted at 31 and 32 cents; eggs at 30 cents, and potatoes at 40 cents per bushel.

The issue contains a number of Marquette items, as follows: "The Platteleader gives particulars of the recent destructive fire. It broke out about 10 o'clock p. m., November 14th, in the rear of Jackson's dry goods store, in Jackson & Crowley's brick block, and Johnson & Preville's grocery, Crowley's drug store, Glasser's tailor shop and the Old Fellow's Hall were soon destroyed.

The Marquette Miners' and Mechanics' associations organized about a year ago, has at present about 200 members, and its receipts are \$200 per month, besides the interest arising from invested capital. Each member pays \$1 a month, while in health, which entitles him to \$35 per month in case of sickness or disability. On the death of a member his widow or nearest kin are entitled to \$500, or in case of permanent disability the member may accept \$500, in full of his annuity, in case he desires to leave the country.

Dealers report a scarcity of hay at the present time and, consequently, the product is now worth about \$18 per ton, and it is difficult to obtain at that or any other price. As a result, it costs more to feed horses and cattle than it did a month ago.

There are two reasons for the scarcity of hay during the last few weeks. The cold spring has dragged on unusually long, and cattle that in ordinary years have been out to pasture long ago are still being fed from the barn. Last year the grass was green and good for feeding by the last of April. This season is backward and it will be a week or more before the pasture will begin to get good—before cattle can be turned out to pick their own living.

Another reason for the present shortage is that the farmers are now too busy planting their spring crops to bring any hay to this city and the same is true at the shipping centers. A produce salesman said yesterday that farmers simply would not take the time to bring their hay to market at any price. The situation is the same all through northern Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin and the Dakotas. All over the country the season is backward and this will mean high prices for dairy products all summer, according to local dealers.

MAY PROVE FATAL

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