

COOK'S "PROOFS" "FIXED" FOR HIM?

Quoted as Making Affidavit That He Prepared the Explorer's Records, Captain Loose Confirms the Published Statement.

That He Has Formulated a Long Series of Observations and Data for the Doctor, Is the Declaration of the Master Pilot and Navigator—Paid Only \$260 When Promised Four Thousand Dollars for the Work, He Now Speaks Out.

New York, Dec. 9.—Captain A. W. Loose, master pilot and navigator, whose affidavit stating that he had formulated a long series of observations and data for Dr. Cook at the latter's request since his return from the Arctic region was published by the New York Times this morning, in an interview today practically reiterated the story told in the affidavit. He persists in the declaration that Cook did not reach the pole, and he suspects that the doctor was never out of sight of land. He admits that he never saw Cook's original records.

Dane's Confidence Not Shaken.

Copenhagen, Dec. 9.—The summary of the affidavits of the persons claiming to have aided Dr. Cook in the preparation of his Polar data were read here today with amazement. Scientific circles are inclined to be incredulous regarding the charges; and some persons, like Dr. Carl Burrau, the astronomer, consider them improbable that their effect will be to strengthen the confidence in Cook. Rector Terp, of the University of Copenhagen, said tonight that these latest charges against the explorer are pure fiction. Nevertheless, he would examine the documents prepared by Loose and Dunkle and which the New York Times has agreed to send to Copenhagen.

Mr. Lonsdale, Dr. Cook's secretary, who brought the records to Copenhagen, said that they contained Cook's original unaltered observations. He added that the explorer's report was founded on these, and was dictated by Dr. Cook to him, no other person having anything to do with it. Loose and Dunkle, Mr. Lonsdale, added, were guests at the Waldorf Astoria during Cook's stay there, but the explorer's acquaintance with them was slight.

Cook's Attorney Quits Him.

New York, Dec. 9.—Dr. Cook's personal lawyer, Henry Wellington Wack, has severed relations with his client, Mr. Cook refused to confirm or deny this tonight, but it is affirmed on competent authority. "I have not the remotest idea," said Mr. Wack tonight, "where Dr. Cook is, or why he persists in his seclusion when his presence is vital to his interests. I am inclined to believe he is abroad."

Says Explorer Expressed Gratitude.

"On the last day of his stay at the hotel Captain Loose says he gave Dr. Cook the final set of observations he had made for him, and the doctor thanked him for the same," said Mr. Wack tonight, "and he expressed his gratitude for the observations which Captain Loose says he worked out by the reverse route, the deduction is that the doctor felt no confidence in the adequacy of his own proofs."

Captain Loose's Charges.

In its issue of this morning the New York Times published the following: "The Times presents herewith the remarkable narratives of two men, made under oath, declaring that they were employed by Dr. Frederick A. Cook to fabricate astronomical and other observations for submission to the University of Copenhagen, which, about two weeks ago, Dr. Cook's secretary, Mr. Wack, said: 'My urgent letters to the doctor were unanswered, although they demanded a reply from any man so notorious for his own affairs.' The attorney added that he had received a letter from Mrs. Cook, posted Dec. 5, asking him to discontinue all expenses on the doctor's account, and to forward her certain papers."

Story of Conference Is Confirmed.

Friends of Dr. Cook granted tonight that Captain Loose had consulted freely with him and had occupied rooms adjoining his at the Gramatan Inn. Whether this served to co-operate or collusion, not even Captain Loose would say. The navigator said:

"I went to Dr. Cook, thinking I could help him. A short talk convinced me that he was ignorant of some of the essentials of navigation. My task was enlarged, but that was not for me to debate as long as I was paid. As the payments ceased, and the doctor has disappeared, I speak out. I supplied the figures. They were gratefully received. What use was made of them is bound to appear."

ENGINEER FATALLY INJURED.

Peter City, Mo., Dec. 9.—Engineer Tom Daleout was fatally injured and three others were seriously hurt in the 'Frisee yards here tonight, when a passenger and a freight train collided. The engines were badly wrecked.

TWO STEAMERS LOST ON LAKE ERIE

Seven Sailors Are Known to Have Perished as a Result of the Disasters, and the Fate of Thirteen Others Is Uncertain.

Big Freighter W. C. Richardson Founders Within Half a Mile of Buffalo Harbor, and the Freighter Clarion Burns to the Water's Edge and Sinks Near Point Pelee—At Port Arthur, Ont., Six Men Are Drowned When a Dredge Capsizes.

Buffalo, Dec. 9.—The big freighter W. C. Richardson, bound from Duluth to Buffalo, foundered today within half a mile of the harbor. Five of the crew perished. The remaining fourteen were rescued by the crew of the propeller Paine, which is still anchored outside of the harbor. A fog circled around Point Pelee, and learned that Engineer Mabery, Second Mate Clary and three hands had been lost. It is believed that the Richardson's cargo shifted while swinging and rolling at anchor. The insurance on the Richardson, amounting to \$250,000, expires at noon tomorrow. The cargo of flaxseed, valued at \$400,000, is fully insured.

Fire Destroys Steamer Clarion.

Cleveland, Dec. 9.—Two men lost their lives and the fate of Captain Bell and twelve others, who are afloat in a life boat, is unknown as the result of the burning of the steamer Clarion, near Point Pelee, Lake Erie, today. Six members of the crew were taken from the Clarion by the steamer L. C. Hanna and were brought here. Those in the life boat are without food and it is feared that they will either starve or freeze to death before being rescued.

Conferences Held at Hotel.

"Captain Loose in his statement says he stayed at the Gramatan Hotel from Nov. 16 to Nov. 19, working out observations for Dr. Cook, and that he and the doctor had frequent conferences. Mr. Dunkle told him on Nov. 19, leaving the next day, he and the captain having connecting rooms, numbers 120 and 123. Mr. Dunkle registered for them. The hotel register shows the arrival on Nov. 16 of George H. Dunkle and Andrew H. Lewis, the fictitious names agreed upon for Captain Loose. They were assigned to rooms 120 and 123.

"A. L. Constock, one of the desk clerks, and another clerk named Kelly told a Times reporter that they recalled the day Lewis arrived, because he had asked for Dr. Cook, and when told that the doctor had not arrived became angry, thinking they were trying to deceive him. Lewis started for the railroad station, to go back to the city, but was called back to the hotel and waited in a private room until Dr. Cook arrived. Captain Loose told the same incident to the Times reporter. He remained secluded in his room during his stay at the hotel, so as to run no chance of having the doctor found out. All the time he worked hard on the Polar calculations, giving them to Dr. Cook as they were completed.

Six Men Drown at Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 9.—John Fralton, Paul McDonald, Neil Cameron, J. Phalen, Jack Wilson and J. Smith, employees of the Great Lakes Dredging company, were drowned this afternoon. They were aboard a dredge being towed into the harbor, when it sprang a leak and sank. Nine men were on the dredge, escaped by jumping on to a scow.

Iowa Youth Have Narrow Escape.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 9.—L. Murphy and Harve Turner, Sioux City youths, were floating down the Missouri river in a house boat today when they encountered ice floes which wrecked their habitation. They fought their way ashore and arrived here this evening, nearly exhausted.

BISHOP WILSON IS PRESIDENT.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—The Anti-Saloon league today elected Bishop Luther B. Wilson, of Philadelphia, president. Among the dozen vice presidents are: Rev. Father James Cleary, of Minneapolis; Rev. Washington Gladden, of Ohio; Bishop G. M. Matthews, of Illinois; and Chas. A. Pollock, of North Dakota. The secretary is Rev. S. E. Nicholson, of Pennsylvania; the treasurer, Foster Copeland, of Ohio, and the general superintendent, Rev. R. A. Baker. The convention declared for legislation prohibiting the interstate shipment of liquors into "dry" territory.

DAYLIGHT LAW VIOLATED.

Three Omaha Hotel Keepers Lose Their Liquor Licenses.

Omaha, Dec. 9.—The proprietors of three of the principal hotels here today were fined \$100 and costs each, on conviction of selling liquor after 8 o'clock p. m. The sentence makes the revocation of the defendants' licenses mandatory, and there is no appeal from the decision of the police court.

CONDUCTED A FAKE RACE.

Charged With Swindling Denver Man, Ernest Powers Is Convicted.

Denver, Dec. 9.—The jury in the case of Ernest Powers, accused of swindling J. C. Bowman by an alleged fake race at Council Bluffs, this afternoon returned a verdict of guilty. Powers is an alleged member of the Maybray group.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Partly cloudy, Friday; Saturday, increasing cloudiness; moderate to brisk northwesterly winds, becoming northeast on Saturday.

UTAH METROPOLIS GETS THE BIG BOUT. Jeffries-Johnson Battle Will Take Place at Salt Lake City, and It Will Be No Fake, Announces Fight Promoter Rickard in an Interview at Boston.

Boston, Dec. 9.—"The Jeffries-Johnson bout will be held in Salt Lake City, and it will be no fake," was "Tex" Rickard's declaration here today. "I will give \$5,000 to anybody showing anything crooked in the arrangements. I knew the day before the bids were opened that Johnson would stand by me, and Jeffries would be with Gleason, so we got together and reached an understanding. Coffroth told Gleason to come in with me. That let Coffroth out, and I want the public to know that he has nothing to do with it.

BICYCLISTS HAVE ACCIDENT.

Three of the Six-Day Riders at New York Go Down in a Heap.

Waterway Men Visit White House.

Three hundred committee men, representing the Ohio Valley Improvement association, who called at the White House this afternoon, were assured by the president that important steps toward the development of the waterways would be taken by the present congress. Mr. Taft expressed regret that his remarks before the Rivers and Harbors Congress yesterday had cost a "cock blanket" over the convention. He said he had only intended to help the gathering by pointing out a practical method of accomplishing the object desired.

CAIRO NEGRESS EXAMINED.

Cairo, Ills., Dec. 9.—The grand jury which is probing the Anna Peller murder and outrage today examined Lovie Green, at whose house the lynched negress, "Froggie" James, lived with a woman named Cooper and Henry Drane, all colored. No evidence was found to connect Alexander with the crime, except the statement of James before he was lynched.

No Developments in Doxey Case.

St. Louis, Dec. 9.—A dozen witnesses are still unexamined in the grand jury investigation of the Doxey-Erder case. Several persons whose identities were concealed were examined today.

CLAIMS SELF-DEFENSE.

Prisoner in Iowa Admits Killing a Man With a Crowbar.

Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 9.—Arrested while working for a farmer near Grinnell, Joe Sycord confessed today that he killed Frank Bateman, formerly of Marshalltown, at Carington, N. D. Nov. 13. He declared that he struck Bateman over the head with a crowbar in self-defense. The Mescaline lodge at Carington investigated and caused Sycord's apprehension.

BORIC ACID DANGEROUS.

Dr. Wiley Disagrees With the Contentions of a Canning Company.

CHINESE SMUGGLED IN.

Investigation in Texas Reveals the Existence of an Extensive Conspiracy.

FIRE AT KALAMAZOO.

Loss of \$75,000 Is Shared by More Than Thirty Concerns.

HIS RESIGNATION IS ACCEPTED.

Ex-Senator Blackburn No Longer a Member of Canal Commission.

Washington, Dec. 9.—It was officially announced today by the war department that former Senator Blackburn had resigned as a member of the canal commission, and the resignation has been accepted by the president, effective Dec. 4.

TAFT CALLS THEM INTO CONFERENCE

For More Than an Hour, the Presiding Officers of the Senate and House Are Closeted With the Nation's Executive.

No Announcement Is Made, but It Is Believed the Meeting Had to Do With the Legislative Program—The President's Desire to Please the Country Is Well Known, and He Is Anxious to Avoid Mistakes That Would Aid the Democrats.

Washington, Dec. 9.—President Taft called Vice President Sherman and Speaker Cannon into conference today. For upwards of an hour the three were closeted together while visitors waited outside the executive office. When Messrs. Sherman and Cannon left, they said the consultation was not on a subject for public discussion, and if any information was given out it must come from Mr. Taft. The latter declined to talk.

SWITCHMEN'S UNION MAKES BOLD THREAT.

Rather Than Be Beaten in the Northwest, One of Its Officials Declares, It Will Call Out Its Members on All the Railroads West of Buffalo.

COMBERS ANXIOUS TO AID.

He Refuses to Say Whether Switchmen's Strike Will Spread, However.

Federal Mediators in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 9.—Commissioner of Labor Neill and Chairman Knapp arrived tonight to act as mediators between the railroad men and the telegraphers who have asked an increase of wages from the Illinois Central, Northwestern, St. Paul and Rock Island companies.

CALLS OUT UNION MEN.

Miners' Federation Order Adds to the Idleness at Lead, S. D.

Wage Dispute in Coal District.

Columbus, O., Dec. 9.—It is practically settled that a conference of the coal operators and miners of the Central district, composed of Ohio, western Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois, will be held at Toledo in January. The miners demand a higher scale. The operators declare that a reduction from the present scale of 40 cents per ton of lump coal is essential.

ONE THOUSAND COTS INSTALLED.

Bridgeport Mills Likely to Be Operated With Imported Non-Union Labor.

STEERS BRING HIGH PRICE.

Two Carloads Sell at Kansas City at \$10.50 a Hundred Pounds.

FEDERAL JURIST'S RULING.

Liability Suits Must Be Instituted Where Railroads Are Incorporated.

NAVAL RACE NIP AND TUCK.

Germany and the United States Close Contenders for Second Place.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The navy year book, issued today, shows that the race for second place among the world's navies is still close between the United States and Germany. Of the fighting ships (battleships and armored cruisers) built and building and provided for, this country has forty-five, and Germany has forty-six, but the tonnage for the United States is 639,241, against 651,324 for Germany. The larger number of small vessels, than this country. Her total tonnage is 820,032, against 785,987.

JURY AT CHERRY WITHHOLDS VERDICT

Important Witnesses Not Yet Found, the Coroner's Investigation of the St. Paul Coal Mine Disaster Is Abruptly Adjourned.

That Two Much Wanted Men Cannot Be Located, Is Considered Decidedly Peculiar, and for the Time Being the Inquiry Is Closed—That Signals from the Entombed Miners Were Ignored, Is the Testimony of One of the Rescuing Party.

Cherry, Ills., Dec. 9.—The inquest held here in consequence of the loss of the St. Paul coal mine closed abruptly today, without the jury reaching a verdict or fixing any responsibility for the loss of life in the disaster. Through Juror John Thompson, the jury announced that it would not consider returning a verdict until Rosenkier and Dean, the missing witnesses, are either found or the officials have shown evidence of a desire to find them.

State's Attorney Censured.

"If you had any kind of a state's attorney, they would be found," said Attorney Seymour Stedman. Accepting this as an intimation that he was assisting the mine corporation in keeping the missing witnesses out of the reach of the coroner, State's Attorney Eckert indignantly answered: "That's no kind of a statement to make. It is unfair, when you realize that I have made every effort to find these men."

Signals for Aid Ignored.

Proceeding the adjournment, John Hland, a Spring Valley miner, who was among the first of the rescuers to enter the mine the day following the disaster, testified that he heard signals for assistance from the entombed miners, but could get no help from the officials or experts to whom he told his story. The miner said he was standing at the top of the shaft when he heard repeated tappings which could not have been caused by anything but the picks of those entombed. He told Wallace Smith, one of the helmet men, and a number of experts from various states about the tappings, but they ignored his statements.

HELPS ALL STOCK MARKETS.

Bank of England Lowers Its Official Discount Rate.

New York, Dec. 9.—The reduction of the Bank of England official discount rate today strengthened the securities markets in all the financial centers. The action was a surprise, as the conditions prompting it had existed for several weeks and the open discount rate at London had been about 1 per cent below the bank rate for some time. This discrepancy would ordinarily exclude the Bank of England from sharing in the banking profits. Its measures to force up the money rate and attract gold to London have been at the cost of a profitable share in the banking business for a time. Today's reduction serves notice that the safeguarding measures have been more than sufficient. The exigencies of the British budget, which have proved less, evidently than anticipated. The lower bank rate was the prime factor in the New York stock market. Still, the demand for stocks was somewhat desultory and spotty.

The Rise in the Rock Island Stocks and Wash Preceded a Renewal of the Fears of a combination of those lines with the interest secured in Lehigh by the Rock Island controlling factors. Amalgamated Copper and the other metal and smelting industrialists responded to renewed reports that the preliminary demand of the copper merger area again going forward. The extra dividend by one of the leading copper producers assisted in the strength of the copper. The volume of the trading as a whole slumped considerably on account of the diminished activity in Steel and other usual factors of speculation. The closing tone was strong after a reaction.

Two Carloads Sell at Kansas City at \$10.50 a Hundred Pounds.

Kansas City, Dec. 9.—Two carloads of steers sold today at \$10.50 a hundred pounds. This is the highest price ever paid in the open market here and is a dollar higher than any steers have brought in the open market at Chicago this year.

The Union Oil Company's Well at Rose Mary, Cal., Has Reached a Depth of 5,322 Feet and Still Drilling.

Holland abounds in co-operative societies organized to reduce the general living expenses.

DAILY MINING JOURNAL A MORNING PAPER PUBLISHED BY THE MINING JOURNAL CO. (LIMITED.)

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

If congress will but do its share the administration's economy program will have most satisfactory results.

The navy department is asking for two battleships from the present congress, and expects to get them.

But, after all, Haskell is about the kind of a governor that a state that passed a bank guaranty law is entitled to.

The fact that Mr. Osborn doesn't suit Jim Helme should be a considerable influence in recommending him to the voters of the state.

Congress will now mark time until the Christmas holidays and then it will enjoy the holidays. It may settle down to business about the first of the year.

Senator Smith and Burrows are reported to have visited President Taft separately in regard to the Marquette collectorship. This is taken by some observers to mean stormy weather ahead.

That the president's message is tame has been a frequent comment. But the president meant it to be tame. Not the message, but the accomplishments of the present session of congress is the thing by which he will be judged.

Those who expect that President Taft will take up the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy in his special conservation message will doubtless be disappointed.

Charley Murphy has been over to Brooklyn to see Mayor-elect Gaynor. Both maintain a studied silence as to what passed between them, but it is assumed that Murphy talked about jobs.

Ex-Governor Lind of Minnesota has announced that he is willing to take the nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket next year on condition that there is a demand for local option incorporation in the platform of the party.

Some of the Taft-baiting papers have presumed to find fault with that excellent feature of the message advising against any congressional inquiry into the sugar frauds, pending further progress with the cases now being so effectively pushed by the government prosecutors and investigating agents.

If we are going to have a return to the specific system of taxation for iron and copper mines why not have it all around? How would it suit to have the farms taxed on the basis of their yield, the mercantile concerns on their sales, the manufacturing plants on their output, the railroads on their earnings, the salaried men and wage-earners on their compensation, and so on to the end of the list?

If Game Warden Pierce will but glance over the papers published in the upper peninsula he will discover that The Mining Journal is not alone in voicing the dissatisfaction of the public with the existing system of game protection.

All signs point out that Speaker Cannon will be an effective aide to President Taft in getting the legislation that the latter thinks he should have from the present congress. Uncle Joe feels none

too secure. The violence of his recent utterances show a disturbed state of mind. He realizes that nothing could more effectively confound his enemies than cordial cooperation with the president in getting the things the latter wants done. A consistent following of this program would put him in much better odor than he has been the past year or more, and would greatly decrease the likelihood that he would be effectively attacked.

Two of the principal lower Michigan railroads are believed to have forestalled any likelihood of trouble with their employes by advances that are already in effect, or that are soon to be agreed on.

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not much additional time will elapse before it again comes into full relations with Chicago, Wisconsin, Minnesota and the other conference universities and colleges.

Senator Hale in the closing periods of the special session of congress, expressed the opinion that the commission authorized by the Aldrich-Payne tariff law was a body whose powers were strictly limited to determining the question whether the United States was being discriminated against by other countries, so that the president might be properly guided in applying the maximum and minimum provisions of the act.

Senator Hale's message. In it the president shows a purpose to regard the tariff commission in exactly the way Senator Hale said it should not be regarded, and it is said that Attorney General Wickham supports him in that interpretation of the law.

The president commission thus becomes, if congress doesn't limit its usefulness by stingy appropriations—in effect the commission for a scientific inquiry into tariff matters which has been a general demand that congress should authorize by law.

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was right with Kelsey, and if he had continued on in office indefinitely President Sheldon would have been permitted to exploit the Phenix company until he had tired of that occupation.

Governor Hughes has been singularly fortunate in having the wisdom of positions he has taken from time to time proved by subsequent developments to have, beyond any question of doubt, been right.

There are objections to the contract system, but it is the only one that will give tolerable results while the state gives against doing what it should do—employ the labor of its convicts on its own account in producing whatever will give the largest return, regardless of competition, and allow the men a share of their earnings, provided they are industrious and obedient to the prison rules.

But to have this system work out desirable results an unhampered market is essential, and to that the labor unions are an obstacle while they hold to the views they now entertain relative to prison labor and the hurtful effect competition with it has on their interests.

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25 lbs. Best Sugar, \$1.50

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Classified Want Directory

HELP WANTED WANTED—Stenographers. Permanent positions to experienced stenographers. State salary wanted and furnish references. Address letters to "Stenographers," care Mining Journal Co., Marquette. 11-29-tf

WANTED—BOARD AND LODGING. WANTED—Room and board in private family by young man. Address letter to R. care Mining Journal. 12-18-tf

LOST AND FOUND. LOST—A gold bar pin on High St. between Park St. and Gold Hill. Finder will please call 767 Bell telephone. 12-9-tf

WANTED—TO BUY. WANTED—20,000 4 x 8 ft. x 8 ft. and 12,000 4 x 8 ft. x 8 ft. No. 1 cedar ties. Also 12,000 strictly 1 in. top by 8 ft. cedar fence posts. Northern Construction company, Lansing, Mich. 12-6-tf

FOR RENT. FOR RENT—Steam-heated furnished room, modern conveniences, for light housekeeping. 229 West Ridge street. 12-2-tf

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, with bath and electric light, North Front street. Newly furnished throughout. Call Bell phone 778. 12-2-tf

FOR RENT—Five-room house, 314 Adams street. Enquire at 238 Genesee street. 12-1-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished house, with bath, steam heat and electric light. Board furnished if desired. 122 West Arch street. 11-28-tf

FOR RENT—Houses in different localities. \$6.50 to \$12 per month. Enquire Bell phone 994. 12-4-tf

FOR RENT—The O'Hagan building, corner Barabara avenue and Lake St. Will rent the whole or part. Good living rooms upstairs suitable for rooming houses, partly furnished. Will sell the furniture cheap. Apply Michael Herwegg. 5-8-tf

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Gentle driving horse and six-month-old colt of excellent stock. A bargain. Can be seen at my barn. Apply 146 West How it avenue. 11-27-tf

FOR SALE—One heavy black team and harness. Upper Peninsula Brewing Co., Marquette. 11-18-tf

FOR SALE. One Edison (1907) model exhibition moving picture machine with 75 ft. lens. One Melmoth double dissolving stereoscope with two 75 ft. lens. One 10-horsepower Edison electric motor with small dynamo. One Edison lamp power indicator. All of the above goods are in first-class condition and will be sold cheap. Use one second-hand upright piano. All goods can be seen at my residence, 128 West Ohio street. I also offer for sale my residence property, situated at 649 West Washington street, comprising house, barn and two lots. Inquire of W. A. Ross. 9-21-tf

Copper Country

LEPROSY IN COPPERDOM?

Dr. A. S. Wathin Says a Calumet Firm Has Signs of the Disease.

A case of suspected leprosy came to the attention of Secretary Shwayman of the state board of health Tuesday, a report from Dr. A. S. Wathin of the University of Michigan, says a Lansing dispatch. Dr. Wathin said that Stanislaus Suzzara, a Finn, who resides with his wife and family of seven children at Calumet, presents all the characteristics of the disease. The man came from Alaska five years ago. A report on the case has been sent to Surgeon General Wyman at Washington.

No verification of this could be learned in Calumet yesterday.

FACTS IN UKOVICH DEATH.

Victim of Isle Royale Accident Tried to Cross the Shaft.

Facts in the death of Matt Ukovich at Isle Royale Tuesday night were brought out in the inquest. He was crossing over the shaft at the first level and missed his footing, dropping to the seventh, a distance of about 600 feet. In falling the body struck a timber and the head was crushed. Ukovich was about thirty years of age, a recent immigrant, and had no relatives in this country. Justice Little held the inquest Wednesday afternoon at which Mine Inspector Dave was present. The jury, made up of Nicholas Reiss, Albert J. Ziegler, Thomas Deagan, James Moon, Fred Hansen and Charles Bliss, brought in a verdict of accidental death.

Don Koski, a miner employed at the Superior was struck on the head by a piece of falling rock Monday. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Hancock, where it was found that his head was fractured, one arm was broken and two fingers were so badly smashed as to require amputation. It is believed the man will recover.

GOODALE IN FINE FETTER.

Has Been Training Hard for Battle Saturday With Whitehead.

At Goodale of Chicago, who is to fight Walter Whitehead, colored, of Duluth, at Hancock, has been training hard at Dunn's hall, Calumet. He has been taking long runs daily, doing shadow fighting, working with the bag and working out his dozen best pugilists with his rain of blows. He is in fine condition and is just rounding up his form to the keenest fighting point possible.

Goodale comes to the copper country with the record of having beaten some of the best lesser lights in the business, including DeGray, who claimed the middleweight championship of Canada. Goodale finished DeGray in five rounds. He knocked out Jim Burns in five rounds, too, got decisions over Cantrell in two battles, beat Rolenok in "Frisco" and also Griffin, the big heavyweight. He is confident that he can whip Whitehead. If he does, he will be matched with Dummy Maxson for a battle in Calumet.

Fred Hammond of Muskegon, Mich., will challenge the winner of Saturday night's battle at Hancock. He will fight at 160 to 170 pounds, if given a chance. He is particularly anxious to meet Goodale.

Goodale will fight Whitehead at 165 pounds and the colored gentleman is expected to make about the same weight.

An Interesting "Discovery."

Appropos of the Goodale-Whitehead bout, the following from Duluth is very funny:

"A special to the News Tribune from the copper country says that there is good ground for belief that a band of sports there has framed up a double-cross on Walter Whitehead, of Duluth, and that no less a personage than Philadelphia Jack O'Brien is the man who is going to spring the coup.

"Walter was induced to go to Hancock to fight a Canadian middleweight by the name of DeGray next Saturday night. After his arrival it was stated that another man, Al Goodale, of Chicago, claiming to have a decision over DeGray, had been selected as the Duluth negro's opponent. In due time Goodale put in his appearance. He didn't mix with the fight fans at all, it was noticed, but went directly to Calumet, about fourteen miles from Hancock, where he kept to his rooms as closely as possible. Walter took his training in Hancock and did not get a look at Goodale."

"Yesterday, says the dispatch, and the day before, it began to be rumored around that this Goodale was none other than Jack O'Brien, who had come up from Chicago to clean up a little money for himself and those 'in the know.' It is stated that conclusive identification was made. Whitehead has never seen O'Brien, but they were kept apart, according to those who claim to know the details of the scheme, for fear that the negro might recognize O'Brien through his photographs.

"It is believed that Walter is in for a good beating when he stacks up against the shifty Philadelphian. O'Brien has a habit of making fighters without much science look like Simians when they get in the ring with him."

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The upper canal of Portage lake and the Entry, the lower entrance, were both frozen over yesterday morning and the cold weather conditions indicate that there will be no opening for traffic, as there is no traffic through the lake. There are two or three boats expected yet in these ports, but if they are delayed a day or two it is not likely they can get into the lake unless a tug is employed in the meantime in keeping the channel open.

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RECEIVES PATIENTS MONDAY.

County's Hospital for Indigent Tuberculous Patients Almost Ready.

The hospital for the care of Houghton county's indigent tuberculous patients, located in the old office of the South Side Mining company, will be ready for the reception of patients Monday if Dr. W. S. Jackson, the county physician, can have his present plans carried out. The men who have been transferring the old building into a hospital have virtually completed their work and there remains only the placing of the furniture. The hospital will be in charge of Mrs. McMahon, who lives in the adjoining house and who is a former trained nurse. She will be assisted by a cook.

The old building has not been changed externally to any extent, excepting that a small addition containing two rooms for the use of the matron and cook has been built. The county has gone to little expense in the way of permanent changes in the building, as the South Side Mining company may at any time require the house. The interior presents every comfort. The walls have been re-plastered and changed made in doors and windows for greater convenience and ventilation. A modern bath and toilet room have been put in and the building is liberally equipped with stoves. The water supply comes from a spring on the hill back of the house, where a reservoir has been erected by hard laborers from the county jail.

The house will offer accommodations for ten patients and they will have every comfort. It is true that all the conveniences of a modern hospital are not at hand, but such as are provided will suffice. It should be understood in this connection that this hospital is a part of the county infirmary and is for the use of indigent patients only. No person afflicted with tuberculosis will be received who is able to pay for treatment elsewhere. An erroneous impression has gotten abroad that this is a public tuberculosis hospital. It is not. It is a part of the county poor house.

NEW ARABIAN KLAN OFFICERS.

Social Degree of Knights of Golden Eagle Is Organized.

Garfield castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle, of Calumet, has organized a social degree, to be known as the Arabian Klan. The officers of the new branch organization are as follows: Imperial High Potentate—Fred Hamblin. Grand Wizard—Richard James. Grand Magi—Pascoe Hosking. Prophet of the Klan—Richard Andrews. Oriental Guide—Harry Clements. First Regulator—Harry Jeffery. Second Regulator—William Brooks. Grand Inkslinger—W. S. Uren. Grand Recorder—U. C. Penberthy. Inside Lector—George Hamblin. Outside Lector—John Simonsen.

LEHTO GAINS FAME.

Friends Think Him Best Wrestler in the Entire Northwest.

Carl Lehto, the giant Finn of South Range, is declared at Hancock to be the best catch-as-catch-can wrestler in the entire Northwest. His friends think he has no equal in the region. Great things are expected of him.

Lehto will probably be matched against Jack Rowett of Bessemer when this month for his bout with Stoll. In Lehto's favorite style wrestling, it is believed at Hancock that Rowett would have been able to handle him as a big man. Lehto was hardly known outside of South Range four months ago, but in that space of time he has come to be recognized as a likely contender for championship honors.

NEW PASTOR IS INSTALLED.

Rev. Frank P. Knowles Formally Takes Pulpit at Houghton.

Rev. Frank P. Knowles was Wednesday night formally installed as pastor of the Houghton Presbyterian church, to which charge he was called from Mountain some weeks ago. Mr. Knowles has now been in Houghton long enough to have established himself in the regard of his parishioners, to the ceremony was only a matter of form.

Rev. Dr. Stalker, moderator of the Lake Superior Presbytery, was in charge of the service. Rev. Jos. Anastasi of Calumet preached the sermon and Rev. M. A. Allen of Ishpeming delivered a charge to the people. The charge to the pastor was delivered by Dr. Stalker.

SEEKING A MISSING MAN.

James Porter of Bad Axe Thought to Have Died in Copper Country.

Chief of Police Voetsch of Houghton yesterday received a letter from Henry Stuker of Bad Axe, Mich., in which he makes inquiry concerning James Porter. He says that James Porter of Bad Axe is missing and that his wife thinks he came to northern Michigan.

A man of the name was recently frozen to death on the South range and Mrs. Porter thinks he might have been her husband. Chief Voetsch will correspond with the woman in order to secure a description for comparison.

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LEANDER KUKULA'S HEARING.

Man Charged With Killing Cousin Taken Before Justice Olivier.

Leander Kukula, who is held under a charge of murder, being suspected of having had a hand in the death of Matt Kukula, his cousin, was taken before Justice Olivier, in Hancock, yesterday afternoon for hearing. Matt Kukula was found two weeks ago in the Quincey ravine with a broken neck.

HOSPITAL'S TENTH ANNIVERSARY.

St. Joseph's Hospital Will Observe the End of Its First Decade.

The tenth anniversary of St. Joseph's hospital of Hancock will be observed during Christmas week by a bazaar and sale of fancy articles. The hospital was established in 1899 in an old residence on Hancock street. In June, 1909, owing to the growing demands made upon its services and inspired by the promises which the development of the city and the copper country held out, the magnificent new building on Lakes street was planned. St. Joseph's hospital stands today not only a leading architectural feature of the Portage Lakes town, but one of the most thoroughly equipped and up-to-date institutions of its kind in the country.

FRAATERNAL AND CLUB NOTES.

Elections of Officers Held by Various Organizations Recently.

The annual election of officers of Columbia lodge, Knights of Pythias, of Houghton, resulted in the choice of the following: Chancellor commander, Ira E. Randall; vice chancellor, H. P. Torrio; prelate, Rev. Frank P. Knowles; master of work, Dr. Charles T. Ferris; master of exchequer, A. N. Baugher; chaplain, Rev. F. Zimmerman; advocate, Frank Leonard; treasurer, Ed. Cuddeby; trustees, Emory Welsing and John Vertin; inner guard, Max Asselin; outer guard, William Schenk.

At a recent meeting the Young Men's Catholic club of Laurium elected officers for the coming year and also decided to continue the membership campaign until the first of January. The following were elected officers for 1910: President, Frank Ziehr; vice president, George Sloan; secretary, William Schwenn; treasurer, Patrick Lang; librarian, David L. Smith; chaplain, Rev. F. Zimmerman; advocate, Frank Leonard; treasurer, Ed. Cuddeby; trustees, Emory Welsing and John Vertin; inner guard, Max Asselin; outer guard, William Schenk.

The Painesdale Social club, with headquarters in the Paine Memorial library, has arranged the following program for the season: Dec. 18—Supper and entertainment. Jan. 7—Business meeting. Jan. 14—New Year's dance. Jan. 28—Drama. Feb. 4—Business session followed by Japanese party for members only. Feb. 17—Carnival ball, open to the public. Feb. 24—Card Party. March 3—Business meeting and social session. March 10—Open date. March 17—Open date. March 24—Open date. April 1—Business meeting followed by juvenile party. April 9—Open date. April 15—Entertainment given by male members of club. April 22—Open date. April 29—May party, open to the public. May 6—Final business meeting of the year.

Herbert E. Spitz has been chosen temporary secretary of the club, to succeed H. E. Johnson, who is spending the winter in Florida. Mr. Johnson is expected to return the early part of spring. Mr. Spitz will be elected permanent treasurer this month, to succeed F. E. Craven, who resigns and leaves for his home in Philadelphia.

When a sermon gets thin it is sure to spread itself out long.

Jessie vein, and the Jessie vein has its apex in the Jessie claim north of the deeded, or compromise strip.

Under the apex law the owner of the apex has the right to follow his vein on its dip wherever it may lead. In the Jessie case there is this exception to that rule. When the compromise strip was deeded to the Tuolumne owners it included all the "mineral therein contained," and so the owners of the deeded strip own the Jessie vein so long as it remains within the boundaries of that strip.

It is estimated by the North Butte engineers that the Jessie vein is within the deeded strip for a depth of 200 to 300 feet and then it dips under and out of it to the south. According to this claim the Tuolumne has no right to the ore or to the vein north or south of the very narrow strip of ground—that is, it has no right to the vein before it dips into the deeded strip and none after it leaves it on its southern dip into the earth. Further, even while the vein is within the strip indicated the Tuolumne company owns but five-eighths interest in the ore.

The Tuolumne shaft is down the hill from the Jessie and there is a difference of more than 200 feet in the elevations. From the 1,400-foot level of the Tuolumne a crosscut has been run north to the vein and in raising on the Tuolumne broke into the workings of the North Butte on the 1,600-foot level of the Jessie. This level is a drift run on the Jessie vein to the east, and was started from the 1,600 crosscut driven north from the Edith May and Spaulding.

The North Butte engineers say there is absolutely no question that the drift is continuously in the Jessie vein. On the other hand the Tuolumne people claim the ore body found by them belongs to a vein having its apex within the boundaries of the Tuolumne. However, no connections have been made to the surface, or within many hundred feet of the surface, to prove that contention.

The Tuolumne has another vein to the south, which has not yet been extensively explored or developed, and there is no reason to believe that good ore will not be found in that vein. So far as work has been done on it no ore of value has been found, but that work has been limited.

The Tuolumne company has been one of the few companies that kept up operations throughout the panic period and the money spent for the greater portion of the work was raised in Butte, so that the public very generally sympathizes with the Tuolumne, but on the face of things the facts appear to be against the company.

Amalgamated-Clark Litigation.

Matters are shaping for one of the largest and most important contests in mining litigation ever known in the Butte district, and will be between the Amalgamated Copper interests and the W. A. Clark companies. A year ago the Amalgamated served notice on Mr. Clark that he had been mining on ore bodies claimed by the Amalgamated, but he treated the notice with slight respect. He held the messenger to take his notice to a place reputed to be more heat and sulphur than the smelters of Butte.

Papers in a suit have been prepared but have not been filed in court, the delay, it being presumed, being due to the fact that the Amalgamated is seeking to force a settlement as the price of its consent to enter the mine.

BUTTE COALITION.

The Butte Coalition company is now outfitting very nearly 2,000 tons of ore daily from the Rarus, Tramway and Minnie Healey mines, and with its share of ore mined from jointly owned property by the Boston & Montana, Anaconda and Butte & Boston companies the output is fully 2,000 tons, and the company is probably producing at the rate of 40,000,000 pounds a year. The company is employing 1,250 men at present.

While mining is at a rate higher than at any time in the history of the company, development work is still going on extensively. Still sinking is being done at both the Rarus and Tramway, the former having reached a depth of 2,200 feet and the latter 2,000. Stations are being cut at both points, and when completed sinking will be resumed. It is the intention of the Butte Coalition to sink the Rarus and Tramway 200 feet more. New levels will also be started as soon as the stations at the 2,200 and 2,000 are completed.

The large air shaft on the Rarus, which has been connected with the workings down to the 1,900-foot level, is also being enlarged to a four-compartment shaft by raising from the lower levels, the material being used for filling old stopes. The air shaft is equipped with a larger, sixteen-foot diameter, suction fan and provides ventilation and air for all the Rarus and Minnie Healey workings. Both the Rarus and Tramway shafts are down east and the air circulates through every nook and corner of the mines before it reaches the up-est air shaft.

North Butte.

Very little information concerning development work in the North Butte is obtainable, the strictest secrecy being maintained. All that is known about recent work is that the 2,200 crosscut from the Speculator shaft has reached the Jessie vein, and released so much water that some saying was caused. This has been caught up and dripping has been started toward the west. It is expected that the drift will get under the ore body that was opened on the 1,800-level in a few weeks.

Cole-Ryan Western Headquarters.

The Cole-Ryan people have decided to open a general western headquarters for their extensive mining and smelting interests at Salt Lake. This office will have special control over the western matters of the International Smelting company, and the mining interests in Nevada and Utah, so as to relieve the New York office of the detail work. The Salt Lake office will have no connection with the Cole-Ryan interests in Butte, represented in the North Butte and Butte Coalition companies.

MORE ACTIVITY IN COPPER.

The New York Journal of Commerce & Commercial Bulletin, which is consistently conservative in the copper market, gives more encouragement than usual in its latest review, observing: "The most important development in copper is the larger domestic consumption. Returns from manufacturers indicate that the melting in this country in November was close to 60,000,000 pounds, the electrical industry, including the

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TUOLUMNE-NORIH BUTTE CASE.

A Detailed Account of the Controversy, Its Merits and Land Involved.

There appears to be such a vigorous stock distribution campaign going on in behalf of the Tuolumne Mining company, generally understood in Butte seems warranted, writes the Butte correspondent of the Boston Commercial.

In the first place, the management of the Tuolumne company is in the hands of very capable men, who have a very high standing in Butte. The Tuolumne claim is a fractional property of about six acres lying between the Speculator and Jessie claims, of the North Butte company, the Jessie bounding the Tuolumne on the north. The company is capitalized for \$800,000 in shares at \$1 each.

The first thing that has counted against the company locally and elsewhere where facts were known, and for which the company and its officers probably have not been responsible, was a campaign of misrepresentation by stock peddlers and others that were primarily directed at making a market for the stock, the misrepresentations relating to certainties of early production and dividends and large shipments when, in fact, the property was still prospective and shipments of ore were matters of months, or a year or more.

The second vein opened is north of the shaft, and on the 1,400-foot level has developed a rich ore body, about 300 feet in length and of an average width of six to ten feet, running about 6 per cent copper, which is a remarkably high average.

Unfortunately, this ore body and the vein in which it is found is in a disputed area, and locally, while the hope is that the Tuolumne may prove its ownership, the understanding among mining men familiar with the facts is that the North Butte is most likely the owner and that the Tuolumne engineers know it. The situation surrounding the dispute is based on the law governing apexes, but there is also a unique and unusual side phase to it.

Both the Tuolumne and Jessie claims were located in 1882, the Tuolumne location antedating that of the Jessie about ten days only. They were located on separate veins, the southeastern portion of the Jessie overlapped the Tuolumne, the conflicting portion forming a long triangle along the whole length of the Tuolumne claim, running to a point at the western end.

When the Jessie locators applied for a patent their application was adversely by the Tuolumne locators on account of the conflict. A compromise was reached under which the Jessie was allowed to go to patent for the whole of the location and the conflicting triangle was then divided about equally, a line being drawn east and west through the center of it, and the Jessie locators deeded the southern portion to the Tuolumne locators personally. The deed conveyed all that piece of ground together with all the minerals therein contained.

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Today's weather: Cloudy, with stationary temperature.
Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 14 degrees; noon, 16; 7 p. m., 18. Maximum, 18 degrees; minimum, 12.

L. M. Van Buren left for Houghton county yesterday after spending a few days in the city.

The Woman's society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. George C. Higbee this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

C. A. Lantier left last night for Winnipeg and western Canada on business connected with Canadian immigration.

Mrs. Si Jacka of Crystal Falls is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brittell, on East Michigan street.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. V. Halby, 619 Spruce street.

Both the Northwestern and St. Paul trains from Chicago were several hours late yesterday, and in consequence the bulk of the mail was not delivered until after noon.

Between 4 and 5 o'clock this afternoon school tablets will be given away at the Hub clothing store. Each school child who calls at the store will be given a very nice tablet.

The meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star, which was to have been held in Negaunee Monday night, has been indefinitely postponed, owing to illness among the members.

Mrs. J. R. Gillard and children left last evening to visit her parents at Sandusky, C. Within a few days, Mr. Gillard will go to Grand Rapids to accept a position with a prominent law firm.

Soo Canal Passages—The Mining Journal is advised from Sault Ste. Marie that no upbound ships passed the canals yesterday. The last upbound boats reported were the Boland and Wm. H. Mack. These went through the locks at 10 o'clock Wednesday night.

Charged With Gaming—Papers have been filed with the county clerk, charging Gust Ekola of Negaunee with having operated a gambling room in connection with his saloon. Complaint was made against Ekola by Elvi Polkinen and the former was bound over to circuit court, after a hearing before Justice Thoren.

Will Clear Saturday—The steamer Yuma, which has been at the coal dock for the last two days, was unloaded about noon yesterday and moved to the ore dock, where she will take on a cargo of Imperial ore. This will be the last boat to clear from Marquette this season and it is expected that she will get away Saturday. The Yuma carries no insurance.

Many Bottles Missing—During the last four months, 2,500 bottles bearing the name of the Marquette City dairy have been lost or stolen. It is said that many of these bottles are now in the hands of small local dealers, and are being filled and delivered to customers daily. Mr. Vandenberg gives notice that this practice must cease and that the name be returned to the owner with out delay, or trouble will be forthcoming.

Normals vs. F. F. C. Team—Saturday evening at the Normal gymnasium at 8 o'clock will be played a basketball game between sixes representing the Normal school and the Ferguson Business college. This will be the first game this year for the Normal team, but they have been getting in some hard practice of late and a rattling road game may be expected. Admission will be twenty-five cents for men and fifteen cents for women. Monday night there will be a basketball game played at Legion Hall between the Guild Hall and Knights of Columbus teams.

Verdict for Defendant—The suit for damages for an injury received by Sorenson Ross while in the employ of the Iron Cliffs company at the Barium mine, which has been on trial since Wednesday morning, resulted in a verdict for the defendant company by direction of the court shortly after noon yesterday. The taking of testimony was finished early yesterday but several hours were consumed arguing the motion of the defendant's attorney to instruct the jury to return a verdict in favor of his client. The suit brought by Samuel Hosking against the Cleveland Iron company was taken up late yesterday afternoon.

Preliminary Contest Held—The preliminary declaratory contest, which is the first step in the chain of contests ending next June with a state contest, was held at the high school yesterday afternoon, five out of eleven contestants being chosen to take part in the local contest to be held the second week after the holidays. At the January contest there will be both declaimers and orators to compete, and the winners will represent Marquette at the district declamatory and oratorical contests. The number who have entered the oratorical contest is so small that a preliminary elimination contest is not necessary. The winners in the contest yesterday were: Grace Fletcher, Mary Love, James Beckman, Walfrid Larson, and Lyla White.

Record Logging Season—The present winter will be a record breaker for loggers all over northern Michigan and Wisconsin, according to statements of several authorities. Not only will there be more timber cut for the mills, but more pulpwood, poles of all kinds and cedar products will be turned out. Cedar-men report that they are putting out larger crews than ever, because of the greater activity in the cedar market. Railroad construction work will call for millions of ties and the same improvement has been noted in the telephone and telegraph pole business. Although, in the opinion of timber men, the combination of the telephone and telegraph interests may hurt this market during the coming year, still it is believed that the demand for the product will be good. Cedar posts also have a good market value and are in demand. The logging roads are now in prime condition for a fall of snow and as soon as it comes, the winter's lumbering will begin in dead earnest.

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The interest that was manifested in the disposition to be made of the office of collector of customs for the Superior district has lately been somewhat obscured by the shock of the announcement that the electors of Marquette would have to choose a postmaster by election next spring, but it is still alive, even though it has lately had little in the way of news to feed on.

The latest word about this spirited contest that The Mining Journal has run across is contained in a Washington dispatch from its special correspondent to the Grand Rapids Press, the tenor of which is that Senators Smith and Burrows are pulling against one another in the matter. It is here printed:

"A split is imminent between Senators Burrows and Smith over the proposed appointment of Charles J. Byrns of Ishpeming as collector of customs at Marquette. Without having conferred, the two senators have gone separately to President Taft. Burrows, it is stated, objected to Byrns and tried to make out a case to show why he shouldn't be appointed.

"This is the first time that Burrows has come out against Byrns. Smith learned of the attack on his plans for his upper peninsula friends, it is understood, and urged his appointment."

Appointment May Be Delayed.

While there has been little definite information in regard to the situation here lately, many people have expressed the belief that the appointment would be likely to hang fire for some weeks, if not months. This belief will be strengthened by the above dispatch, which indicates that the senators have come to a parting of the ways.

The opinion has been held by some that the appointment of Mr. Byrns was being held open between the senators pending a time when it would be taken up in connection with the decision or so other appointments that have to be made by the senators in Michigan within the next few months, and that the senators would, at one sitting, come to an agreement covering all the offices.

As the Press correspondent remarks, Senator Burrows' repeated visit to the president to object to the appointment of Mr. Byrns was the first time he has definitely shown his hand in the matter. At Detroit a month ago, when he and Senator Smith were the center of a gathering of politicians in that city, Senator Burrows presented an absolutely non-committal attitude, and it is said that the meetings between him and Mr. Byrns have been cordial. At the same time the friends of the other candidates have maintained that he would stand out against Senator Smith, when he urged Mr. Byrns' appointment.

It is an opinion held by many men who have knowledge of the way these situations work out that President Taft will be inclined to refuse to choose between the senators, but will insist on their coming to an agreement on some candidate. In that, or almost any other event, the negotiations are likely to extend over a period of weeks. The report that the senators are at odds over the appointment will greatly increase interest in the situation.

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Upper Peninsula

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Strikers' Places Filled—Officials of the Northwestern Co-operative and Lumber company Gladstone say that the operation of their shingle mill is not being interfered with in any way by the walkout of union shingle weavers. Nonunion men have taken the places of the strikers and the mill was closed down but three days before operations were resumed. One of the officials of the company says: "The report that one of the shingle weavers was discharged because he was called home to attend a sick wife is unfounded. The man was gone for a week and he was not attending a sick wife. When he returned to work I told him that we had no further use for him and he said that he would stop every part of the shingle mill if I let him go. I considered the cause for his discharge a good one and I would not relent. The result was that the union men quit and we have since filled their places with non-union men and every department of the mill is now running smoothly."

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At Detroit today the launching of the new Anchor line steamer Octorara will take place. This is the boat that was contracted for some time ago. She will be put on the Buffalo and Duluth run and will make her first trip to Lake Superior ports on the opening of navigation next spring.

The Octorara is modern in every respect, and is much like the other boats owned and operated by the Anchor line. She will add greatly to the carrying capacity of the line.

The Octorara is named after the name of all the Anchor line boats and the fastest boat is no exception to the general rule. The Anchor line is operated by the Pennsylvania railroad and the stockholders in the company, at least the larger number of them, claim Pennsylvania as their native state.

The Octorara is named after a river, of course, and is, of course, located in Pennsylvania.

GOOD RIDDANCE OF "DR." RIDDER.

Married at Duluth Tuesday, He Is Lost to Hobo Army and Socialism.

The Duluth papers give an account of the marriage there Tuesday of that reprobating humber, "Dr." Ben Ridder, who visited this city some months ago to preach socialism from the pulpit but failed to draw listeners and cut his stay in Marquette short for want of encouragement to protract it.

He managed to get some cheap newspaper advertising while here, but auditions were not forthcoming. Marquette workmen are sensible, and too discriminating to be caught by the quality of "chaff" dispensed by agitators of this fellow Ridder's class.

He made his way to Minnesota. Whether he made a hit with the proletariat there or not, the Duluth journal cannot say, but he evidently did not foolish young woman of St. Paul, for she consented to marry him, and the two were made one at Duluth Tuesday, the ceremony being performed on the top floor of a big store, Pantan & White's.

The bride, Miss Ellen Christensen, stood up under the ordeal bravely and Ridder made the most of it by letting her a speech explaining how it came to pass that he had given up his preaching and preaching socialism to settle down in marital bliss, and then selling photos of himself and wife to all who could be persuaded to buy. The wedding attracted something of a crowd, which greatly gratified the groom, who presided for notoriety in his predominant characteristics, as did the handsome little bunch of money he realized from the sale of the photos.

It is said that he is going to start an employment agency at Duluth, and expects to make a living finding jobs for other men. If marriage has him down so that he will cease to roam about the world and getting jugged promiscuously, his capture by the St. Paul girl will not have been made wholly in vain. But it is hard luck for the girl.

TWO MATCHES BOWLED.

Four five-men teams tried conclusions in two league handball matches at the downtown bowling alleys last evening. The honors went to the Pilgrims and the Guild Hall "A." The handicaps included, the scores were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Team and Score. Includes Kings, Mames, Hamel, O. Anderson, Frei, Rydholm, Jeanson, Totals, Pilgrims, Guild Hall "A", Burt, Spear, Roberts, Robertson, Miller, Totals, Pilgrims, Guild Hall "A", Zerkel, A. Shaner, E. Shaner, Drummy, Webb, Totals.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

There is nothing more appreciated by your wife, mother, sister, or intended bride than a Singer sewing machine for a present. It is not only a household necessity, but so to have some piece of furniture. We are now showing the new styles, most modern in mechanical construction and woodwork. We have them in the full parlor cabinet, mahogany, birds eye maple, mission, oak and walnut in all styles from the five drawer to the full cabinet. Such a present will be highly appreciated and will last for a life time. We invite you to call at our stores and look over our stock before selecting a present for your beloved ones. We sell for cash or easy payments and deliver the goods placed on credit for five years, and will store same for you and deliver on Christmas eve at your option. We will give free of charge with each cash sale from now until Christmas only, one Singer stocking darning. Singer store, located at 108 N. Third St., opposite postoffice, Marquette.

Upper Peninsula

Boys' Club for Escanaba—

A large number of the young men of Escanaba responded to the invitation of Rev. Father Langan of St. Patrick's church to meet with him this week and discuss plans for their entertainment. Instruments for a boys' brass band have been ordered by Father Langan and the work of instructing the juvenile musicians will be started shortly. A reading room gymnasium and other attractive features are to be added to the club.

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UNCLE SAM COMES IN FOR A SHARP REBUKE.

Fifty Members of the Central American Colony in Mexico City, Most of Them Adherents of Zelaya, Join in Adopting Denunciatory Resolutions.

Mexico City, Dec. 9.—Fifty members of various colonies of the Central American republics here met tonight at a private residence and adopted resolutions denouncing President Taft and Secretary Knox and the action of the United States towards Nicaragua. The speakers, most of them adherents of Zelaya, denounced the American authorities, those present organized and elected officers. The resolutions adopted are that "Secretary Knox violated the first principle of international rights in his note to Charge Rodriguez, and Taft in his message to congress did the same, also that the United States, taking as a pretext the shooting of the two Americans, has menaced Nicaragua by sending troops there. It is added: "The intervention attacks not only Nicaragua but menaces all America, since by this means a precedent is being established whereby no country on this continent will have the right to punish North American criminals unless prepared to have the United States deal summarily with it, on the ground that American interests have been attacked."

Zelaya's Troops on the Run.

Bluefields, Dec. 4, via New Orleans, Dec. 9.—General Estrada's position at Rama is now considered impossible. Detachments sent into the mountains have repeatedly met government troops, who always have retreated. Estrada is endeavoring to force a general engagement with General Oseja, commander of the government troops. Oseja's forces are now converging in front of Rama. Estrada is confident, and will await the attack behind his fortifications. As Bluefields a thousand reinforcements await his call, the trip by the Rama river requiring but seven hours. Whether there is but one highway, the Rama river, this stream, navigable by ocean ships, is flanked on either side by swamps, through which marching is impossible.

Federal Leader Asks Conference.

Bluefields, Dec. 3.—Advices from Rama state that General Vasquez, commanding a division of Zelaya's forces, yesterday proposed a conference to the revolutionary General Estrada. The latter sent General Diaz to the conference, the result of which has not yet been ascertained. It is believed that Vasquez is seeking an advantageous surrender on his own initiative. The cruiser De Moines arrived here today.

Dictator to Yield the Presidency.

Managua, Dec. 9.—It is authoritatively stated that Zelaya will surrender the presidency the present month. The intentions of the United States are riving the Nicaraguan government considerable anxiety. The administration is puzzled on account of the uncertainty of Washington's next move. No military preparations are discernible.

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other city officer. Who the appointees will be and the salary of the newly created office will be decided later by the council. The ordinance provides that all crews delivered in the city must be 20 per cent cream.

CLIFF RUINS DISCOVERED.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Examiner of Survey V. L. Douglass, of the general land office, has reported to that office the discovery of important prehistoric Pueblo cliff ruins near the head of Indiana Creek, not far from the southwest corner of the Navajo Indian Reservation in Arizona.

These ruins contain seventy rooms and were constructed almost entirely of adobe brick, 18x8x4 inches in size, made of clay mixed with grass and laid in single courses. The structure is built high in the cliff, under a large arching shelter rock. A number of the rooms are two stories, and some appear originally to have been three stories high. Many of these rooms are in a perfect state of preservation. One was covered with three coats of adobe plaster.

Here was discovered an inscription, presumed to be Spanish, which, so far as it could be deciphered, was: "Ghos— Anno d— 1661. The first line of the inscription is not complete. The second line also is not distinct beyond the letters given, but probably the words are "anno domini." The figures 1661 are about 4 inches high and deeply cut.

SUFFRAGETTES IN POLITICS.

New York, Dec. 9.—A special "votes for women" committee, formed by members of the Equality League of Self-Supporting Women and of the Collegiate Equal Suffrage League, has been formed for the purpose of doing any sort of political work that comes to hand.

Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blatch is the guiding spirit of this combination, and associated with her are Miss Elizabeth Sinek, Miss Eleanor Rymie, Miss Caroline Lovett, Miss Jessie Ashley, Miss Inez Millard, Mrs. Simon Flexner and Mrs. Henry Miller.

The committee's first point of attack will be the seventh senatorial district, in which there will be an election of a successor to the late Senator Mcarren on Dec. 21.—A communication has been mailed to all the voters in the district, asking them to help to elect a senator favorable to woman suffrage. Mrs. Blatch was asked what the women were going to do after the candidates were nominated.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Office of the Park, Cemetery and Street Commission. Marquette, Mich., Dec. 8th, 1909. Pursuant to resolutions of the common council of the city of Marquette, notice is hereby given that separate sealed proposals will be received at the office of this commission until 5 o'clock p. m., Dec. 10th, 1909, for furnishing all labor and material required to make the following improvements, viz: (1) The construction of an eight-inch sewer, with four-inch "Y's," in Front street, from manhole in Michigan street to a point 125 feet south of the south line of Ohio street, in accordance with profile and specifications therefore, on file in this office. (2) The construction of a wooden bridge across Dead river at the electric light plant, cost of said bridge not to exceed the sum of \$700. Bidder will be required to furnish plans and specifications of such bridge, and to file such plans and specifications together with proposals for construction of said bridge. Proposals for each of said improvements must be in separate sealed envelopes, marked so as to designate which improvement is referred to, and must be accompanied by a contractor's bond with two good sureties in a sum at least twice the amount of the bid; conditional for performance of contract, payment for labor and materials, etc., in accordance with form on file in this office. The commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids. JOSEPH E. ANDERSON, Secretary. (12-9-3d) NOTICE. JOSEPH ZALK. You will save dimes and dollars by calling at 222 S. Third St., between railroad tracks and Spring St. I am now located with complete lines of Stoves, Furniture and Household Goods, bought, sold and exchanged; also repair work done. Bell phone, 304 block. (12-4f)

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COUNCIL APPOINTS TRUANT OFFICER

CHIEF OF POLICE WILL FILL THE POSITION—WILL RECEIVE \$10 PER MONTH FOR HIS SERVICE.

Charles Burt, secretary of the board of education, sent a communication to the council Thursday evening, asking that a truant officer be appointed. Accompanying his letter was a copy of the following resolution adopted by the school board:

"Resolved, That this board, under Act No. 200 of Public Acts of 1905, and amended by Act No. 74 of 1907, and Act No. 62 of 1909, herewith respectfully petition the mayor and common council of the city of Ishpeming to appoint one or more of the police force of this city to serve as truant officer or officers for school district No. 1 of this city. Same officer or officers, when appointed, to have the powers and duties nominated in the above acts. Be it further

"Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be presented to the mayor with the request that it be brought before the common council at its next regular meeting."

On motion of Alderman Hulst, seconded by Alderman Malkoney, Marshal W. H. Trevarrow was appointed truant officer, with a compensation of \$10 per month, in addition to his regular salary. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

Ask Exemption from Water Taxes.
The president and secretary of the Young Men's Christian association petitioned the council, asking that the city exempt the organization from the payment of water tax. The communication was referred to the committee on water works.

John Olson, Joseph Pheneuf, Carl E. Carlson and John Berryman petitioned for an arc lamp on Bessemer street. The petition was referred to the committee on electric lighting.

Mrs. John Eddy asked that she be exempted from the payment of a concrete curb in front of her residence on North Third street. The communication was referred to the committee on streets and alleys.

The committee on finance, through its chairman, D. J. Sliney, reported that the matter of exempting Mrs. Ole Fosmo from payment of general and special taxes on her property in the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company's North location, as requested by Rev. F. August Lilleheie, at the November meeting, is outside the jurisdiction of the council at this time, and recommended that the property in question be assessed. The recommendation was concurred in.

Alderman Barnett of the water committee, to whom was referred the petition of residents of the Nelson mine location, asking for the extension of the water main to that district, made a verbal report, recommending that owing to the lateness of the season the matter be laid over until some future time. He said it would cost about \$2,000 to extend the main to the location.

Last Month's Bills.
Alderman Olson, chairman of the committee on claims and accounts, presented the committee's report for November. The bills payable were as follows: Street lighting fund, \$883; general fund, \$350; 337; fire, \$212.39; cemetery, \$86.27; police, \$30.93; library, \$576.47; sewer, \$10.85; highway, \$130.20; water, \$191.83. The payrolls were: Official, \$1,000.99; highway, \$658.06; water, \$518.97; sewer, \$4.05.

Alderman Bergstrom, for the committee on police, presented the November reports of the municipal court and the poundmaster. The collections of the court were \$176.50. Of this sum, \$42 was on account of fines in criminal cases; \$92.50, costs in criminal cases, and \$72 from civil cases. The county treasurer received \$42 on account of the fines, leaving a balance of \$134.50. In addition to the above, about \$100 is due the city from the county on cases previously reported.

The Latell brothers, physical culture artists, will be seen in their celebrated poses and hand balancing acts at the Bijou theater, commencing tonight, and continuing the remainder of the week. (12-9-24)

Visit Toyland at Braastad's. (12-2-11)

Two nearly new upright Grand pianos. Cheap. Terms to suit. Grinnell Bros., Ishpeming. (12-7-11)

"GRAUSTARK" TONIGHT.

Strong Company Will Present Play at Ishpeming Theater.

"Graustark" which will be the offering at Ishpeming theater tonight, is entitled to high rank among the romantic dramas of the present day. It is replete with strong human interest, is full of life and spirit and the comedy element is much and enjoyably in evidence. The hero of the play, Graustark, is a rich young American who pursues a mysterious Miss Guggenlocker across two continents to her home in the little country of "Graustark" where the attractive young lady is a reigning princess. The princess is about to marry a man from the ranks of the very best people in the profession, and the secretary and equipment and other equipment are adequate.

The company presenting the play has been engaged by Messrs. Baker & Castle from the ranks of the very best people in the profession, and the secretary and equipment and other equipment are adequate.

TO GIVE EXHIBITION.
Trick Skier, Known to Many Here, Will Be Active This Winter.
John Rudd, the trick ski jumper, who turns a somersault while descending a ski hill, after leaving the take-off, will during the annual carnival of winter sports, which is held in that city. Rudd's engagement will start Jan. 24. Noted Canadian skaters and ski riders will participate in the events. Rudd is to receive a large sum for his performances, which are to be given daily during the carnival.

After finishing his engagement in Montreal it is expected that Rudd will return to this section to give exhibitions at the ski tournaments. He has been announced as an attraction at the national tournament to be held in Colorado in February. Rudd's act consists in making one turn in the air after his descent off the slide, landing on his feet again and riding over the snow until he comes to a stop.

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CHRISTMAS DONATIONS.

Captain of Salvation Army Has Placed Boxes in Many of the Stores.

Captain H. D. Gough, commanding officer of the Ishpeming branch of the Salvation Army, is taking hard to it to ready for the annual distribution of Christmas dinners. Contribution boxes have been placed in many of the stores. It is hoped that the people will respond to the captain's call as he has found a large number of families deserving of assistance. He said yesterday that many of these in need will not ask for county aid, and he is doing his best to help them. Early in the week the captain sent out 100 letters to prominent citizens asking them for donations for the Christmas dinners, but up to this time he has received very few responses. He has the county phone in his home.

See the Latell brothers in physical culture poses and hand balancing acts at the Bijou theater the remainder of this week. They are fine. (12-9-24)

BROTHERHOOD OFFICERS.

At the meeting of the Ishpeming lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America, held Wednesday evening, officers were elected as follows:
President—Fred Isaacson
Vice President—Frank Beal
Secretary and Treasurer—J. H. Mortley
Chaplain—Mrs. Eliza E. Webber
Conductor—Mrs. Olympia Martley
Watchman—Henry Phillips
Sentry—Mrs. Bessie Robbins
Trustee for three years—Ed. Phillips.
Trustee for one year—J. T. Nicholls.

At the conclusion of the meeting the ladies of the order served a fine luncheon. The new officers will be installed at the regular meeting to be held on the evening of the second Wednesday in January.

Parrots, \$5.50; canaries, \$2.50 to \$4; monkeys, \$11.75; rabbits, \$6 a pair. (12-2-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO.

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ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

H. E. Nelson, manager of August-Hendrickson & Co.'s dry goods and gent's furnishings departments, has arranged an unique display of holiday goods on the second floor of the store. It represents an aeroplane loaded with toys, dolls and other articles.

Sherburn M. Becker, widely known throughout the country as the "boy mayor" of Milwaukee, who gave a lecture in this city last spring on the Italian earthquake, has purchased a seat in the New York stock exchange for \$96,000 and is to locate permanently in New York city.

The first of a series of indoor baseball games to be played by teams composed of senior members of the Y. M. C. A., and representing different churches, took place Tuesday evening between Grace Episcopal and the First Methodist Episcopal churches, the former winning twenty-one to sixteen. Bigelow, Cole and Couch filled the points for the Episcopal team and Prin and Rose were the battery for the Methodist nine.

J. T. Collins, a commercial traveler from Sault Ste. Marie, who has been confined to the rest house north of the city for nearly a month past, with small sores, will probably be discharged before the end of the week. Alderman Barnett, chairman of the committee on health, advised the council Thursday evening that the patient was convalescent, and that he could be released within a very few days.

H. C. Dudley, superintendent of the Office from Mining company's Bill mine, at Marquette, Mich., who was formerly in the employ of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company here, has left the Mesaba for a several weeks' vacation, which he will spend in California and other Western states. During his absence W. E. Bowden will have charge of the office work and Pit Foreman Eshman will have charge of shipping operations at the mine.

How about your piano? If it needs tuning, don't neglect it. Leave your order for M. J. Olson at William Leininger's store. (6-28-11)

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DWYER DAMAGE CLAIM NOT ALLOWED

CITY ATTORNEY, MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS AND STREET COMMITTEE SAY THAT PROPERTY HAS BEEN IMPROVED, NOT DAMAGED.

It would seem from the action of the council Thursday evening that if James Dwyer, who at the previous session presented a claim for \$300 on account of alleged damages to his barn and the appropriation by the city, of part of his two lots, receives this amount, or any part of it, he will be obliged to go to the courts, as the claim was turned down. This action was recommended by City Attorney W. P. Belden, whose recommendation was concurred in by the members of the board of public works and the committee on streets and alleys. Mr. Belden's letter relating to the matter by the former, is as follows: "To the Committee on Streets and Alleys, and Board of Public Works. Gentlemen: I have considered the claim of James Dwyer for damages to his property on lots 2 and 3 in block No. 12 in the Excelsior Iron company's addition, and I have also visited the premises with the superintendent of the board of public works and examined the work which has been done. I do not think to begin with that any damage whatever has been done to those lots but on the contrary that they have been much improved by what has been done. Furthermore, I do not think under the circumstances of this case, that Mr. Dwyer is entitled to maintain any claim for trespass against the city of Ishpeming. I recommend that the claim be declined.

"Very truly yours,
"W. P. BELDEN,
"City Attorney."

Ladies' trimmed hats at half price at Braastad's. (12-2-11)

WRESTLING MATCH ARRANGED.

Copper and Iron Country Athletes Will Compete Here Saturday, Dec. 18.

K. L. Wirtanen, a copper country catch-as-catch-can and Greco-Roman wrestler, and Matt Kangas of Negaunee, who for some time held the championship of Finland in the Greco-Roman style, will compete in a match at Ishpeming theater a week from Saturday night, the 18th. The contest will be for \$50 a side and a division of the door receipts.

The match will be two out of three falls. The first bout will be in the Greco-Roman style and the second in catch-as-catch-can. If each man secures a fall they will toss for the choice of the third bout.

There will be a preliminary contest between Carl Lehto and Gunner Graustark, two heavyweights from South Range. Lehto, who conducts physical culture classes in the copper country, is a clever catch-as-catch-can wrestler, and it is announced that he will challenge the winner of the Wirtanen-Kangas match. Last Saturday night he disposed of "Germany" Schultz of Milwaukee in a catch-as-catch-can match at Calumet in short order. He got the first fall in two minutes and thirty seconds and the second in two minutes and fourteen seconds. Both men tipped the scales at about 180 pounds. Both Wirtanen and Kangas are also about this weight.

Lehto has accepted a challenge to wrestle John Rowett of Bessemer in the

Greco-Roman style early in January, the match to take place in the copper country. His friends in Houghton county are now endeavoring to arrange a match for him with Frank Gotch, the world's champion catch-as-catch-can wrestler. Gotch is to travel with Jeffries in his barn storming tour and it is thought that they will visit the copper country. Lehto has seen Gotch wrestle and he states that he would be glad of an opportunity to match his strength and skill against him.

The famous Klostler piano, \$150. (12-2-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO.

BOOMING SKI SPORT.

Secretary of the National Organization Has Issued a Booklet.

Prominent skiers of this city have received a copy of a booklet edited and issued by Aksel K. Holter, secretary of the National Ski association, giving in detail an account of all of the tournaments held last winter in the Northwest. The publication is illustrated with a number of pictures of ski slides taken at tournaments, also with cuts of the prominent supporters of the sport. Among the pictures is one of Eric Hoyt, of this city, president of the national organization. The front page is adorned by a picture of Mrs. Aksel Holter, taken while she was on a ski tramp. In presenting the views of the principal slides, Mr. Holter comments that the one in Ishpeming is one of the best.

Much interest is being manifested in national ski tournament affairs on the Mesaba range. Several ski clubs have been organized during the past few weeks and steps are now being taken to increase the membership of some of the old clubs. At Virginal John R. Krogh, formerly of this city, is one of the most active members of the organization. A meeting was held in his office some days ago for the purpose of appointing a committee to take charge of a new club house, to be erected there. The house will be built at the top of the club's slide, north of the city. The plans for the building were approved at a meeting held last Sunday. The officers plan to double the membership before their tournament, the date of which will be decided as soon as there is good sleighing. The slide recently completed is located three miles north of the city. The club expects to send several riders to the national tournament.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

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FROM MORGAN'S CURB LETTER.

The New York market opened higher and was strong all day, though the trading was unusually light. The trend was steadily upward, and advances were general, a point and over being gained in most instances.

The Boston market was lacking in interest to the greatest extent for weeks. North Butte and Lake were rather active, and Miami was in demand as a fractional advance. North Butte sold ex-dividend and was practically unchanged until the last half hour, when a sharp break occurred which carried it down to 50% at the close. There was no news to account for the break. Lake was a trifle weaker. Butte Coalition, Greene Cananea, Giroux and Superior & Pittsburg were quiet, though all were somewhat firmer. Boston Consolidated was also firm. The balance of the list was apparently neglected. A quiet, dull market is the best in which to make purchases. The stocks above mentioned will easily advance two or three points again this month.

The buying of the curbs, though light, continues to widen in range, and now includes nearly every issue on the list. The selling of tired holders at these prices must soon exhaust itself, and we may reasonably look for an advance in the sound stocks to a point more nearly reflecting actual value.

Yesterday's prevailing prices were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Almeek	2.50	2.75
American Saginaw	2.50	2.75
Arizona & Mich.	.50	.65
Black Mountain	.38	.70
Butte & Superior	2.68	
Butte-Alex Scott		5.00
Butte & London	.25	.35
Butte & Belknap	10.00	10.25
Chemung		16.00
Conroya (82 paid)	1.12 1/2	1.25
Calumet & Ceribon	.50	.65
Calumet & Sonora	11.75	12.25
Cactus	4.00	4.12 1/2
Chief Cons.	1.87 1/2	2.00
Conbit Copper	7.75	8.12 1/2
Iron Arizona	4.37 1/2	4.75
First National Cop.	6.50	6.62 1/2
Inspiration	7.25	7.50
Lake Sup. & Ariz.	2.00	2.50
Live Oak	15.37 1/2	16.00
Ohio Copper	5.37	5.43
Rye Cons.	22.50	23.00
St. Mary's	2.21	2.43
Raven	.75	.77
Sierra		5.00
San Antonio		10.00
Savannah	2.50	2.75
Shattuck	22.25	22.62 1/2
St. Mary's		.38
Superior & Pitts.	16.00	16.25
Superior & Globe		.95
Tuolumne	3.50	3.56
Vandeventer		1.75
Warren		3.05
Wolverine & Ariz.		.92
Yuma	1.37 1/2	1.50
Yule	1.25	1.75
Colubatus Cons.	1.55	1.57
Florence Mining	2.62 1/2	2.87 1/2
Goldfield Cons.	8.00	8.05
Tri Bullion	.87	1.00
Tongah Mining	6.50	6.75
Crown Reserve	5.25	5.50
La Rose	4.75	4.81
McKinley Par.	.85	.90
Silver Leaf	.13 1/2	.13 1/2

A white handkerchief fluttering from a pole at the window of a private house in Italy indicates rooms for rent.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, I ss. Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY swears to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1909.

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\$35 Ladies' Tailored Suits, today	\$20.00	\$35 Ladies' Tailored Coats	\$20.00
\$30 Suits	17.50	\$30 Coats	17.50
\$25 Suits	15.00	\$25 Coats	15.00
\$20 Suits	10.00	\$20 Coats	10.00
\$15 Suits	8.50	\$15 Coats	8.50

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60c Special Linen value..... 5c	Men's White 1/2 Linen Handkerchiefs; special value, at, each..... 10c
Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs. 20c	

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Scene in "Graustark," the beautiful romantic drama, at Ishpeming Theatre this Evening.

BRITISH POLITICS
EXCITE CANADIANS.
One Element Says Victory of the Lords Will Imperil the Colonial Tie—Another Hopes That Tariff Reform Will Win—News and Gossip from Over the Border.

Montreal, Dec. 9.—With the sanction of the governor general the Franco-Canadian treaty party takes its place among things accomplished. While criticism of the measure has not been wanting, it can hardly be said to have met with really serious opposition. The critics have contended that it gives greater advantages to France than to Canada, that it puts a barrier in the way of imperial preferential trade, or is a menace of tariff war with the United States. But, at the vital moment, they were few who carried opposition to its conclusion by opposing the ratification of the convention with their voices. The final stages in the treaty aroused nothing more than passing comment. The possibility of reprisal from Washington has ceased to inspire columns of vitriolic satire. Even the Canadian navy is passed by on the other side. The whole current of thought has been turned toward the crisis in Great Britain. Journals of every shade of opinion are crowded with the speeches of English politicians. The constitutional issues at stake are discussed at length. The peerage and the beaige are lashed with the anathema of the London Daily News—or granted, as commented with the dignity of the London Times.

By the majority of Canadians, the budget crisis is regarded as of greater importance to Canada and the other over seas dominions than any other issue raised in Great Britain in years. On the venient side, it is felt, will largely depend the independence or dependence of Canada. Particularly among what might be termed the popular radical element, there is no hesitation in expressing the view that a victory by the Lords would mean the eventual cutting of the imperial painter. The over-riding of an elective by a hereditary chamber, it is pointed out, is contrary to all Canadian ideas of government by the people.

The average business man, however, looks at the matter in a different light. The plea of colonial preference, raised by the Unionists, is to his view more important than the invasion of the rights of the commons by the lords. Looks to British Market. In the victory of tariff reform, he sees a protected market in England for his goods, just as he now enjoys protection in Canada. He is looking for the quid pro quo to the reductions on British imports granted by the Laurier government; and there are certain of their number who have been dreaming rosy dreams of free entry into British markets, while the foreign importer will have to climb a tariff wall. The suggestion of tariff reformers in England that, in the event of the adoption of a protective system by Great Britain, the overseas dominions should be called upon to meet a reduced scale of duties, does not seem to have found grace in the eye of Canada—and especially so in the case of the western exporter of Canadian wheat.

Henri Bourassa, leader of the Nationalist movement in Canada, is to make another bold bid for England. Within a few days, it is definitely announced, his new daily, Le Devoir, is to make its appearance. The journal has been long talked of, and various dates have previously been quoted for its appearance. But Le Devoir has persistently declined to smile on a political venture. The present announcement, however, seems to bear the likelihood of achievement, although French publications in the journalistic line come and go in Montreal in such a flux as to justify a certain amount of doubt. The Nationalist party has been losing ground lately, and it is daily needed to give a little impetus to the cause. So the new journal is to bring before the electorate the importance of not forgetting their devoir.

Case of John Dillon. The fate of John Dillon is as good as determined. Found guilty of murder, Dillon escaped the scaffold on the plea of insanity. The case is one which deserves to be written large in the history of crime in Canada. Dillon, sixty-five years of age at the present time, was formerly a book agent. He was a man of eccentric ways, not the least noticeable of which was a habit he had of parting his hair down the middle behind, and of never being seen without a carefully brushed silk hat even when on trial for his life. Dillon had had some trouble with his landlady, and she sought the aid of the police to turn him out of the house. John objected with a gun, killing one police officer and wounding two others. With

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his arsenal of weapons, he kept practically the police force of Montreal at bay for several hours, and only yielded when he was shot down. The plea of insanity was made. Two separate commissions were sent over to Ireland (Dillon's native country) to see if insanity existed in the family of the accused man. After nearly two years of protracted proceedings, Dillon was found guilty and sentenced to death. Within a day of his execution, a week's respite was granted. Then again a respite was granted, on the second occasion to permit of an examination of the prisoner's mental condition by an alienist. The report of the alienist has been forwarded to the minister of justice, and is believed to contain the opinion that Dillon is insane.

Being the existing circumstances attending the crime the case has created almost as much comment in Canada as did the Kinrade murder mystery of Hamilton.

NEW CHINESE NAVY. Far Eastern Nation Is Enthusiastic Over the Prospects—Special Board Now Studying Foreign Systems.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Unwillingness to learn of military matters from the West can no longer be charged against the Chinese government, for even at this time there is in Europe an imperial commission charged with the duty of reconnoitering the Chinese navy. This commission will examine the dockyards, arsenals, and shipbuilding yards of the world's great maritime powers. Whether the commission has been given authority to place orders for warships does not seem to be known for certain, but it is not improbable. While patriotic Chinese desire that the vessels of the future navy should be built in China, it is not likely that the native yards, with their present resources at least, would be able to undertake the work of constructing ships of considerable size and power. The Chinese government will, in any case, be inclined to observe caution in the work of reconstruction. They have not been fortunate with their navy in the past. Their first essay in a fleet of modern vessels was destroyed by the French in the battle at Foochow in 1884. In this war the Japanese ten years later China had a number of efficient and powerful ships, with crews drilled on modern lines. But bad administration, among other things, left the fleet without a proper supply of ammunition with the result that the Japanese, and who for some years has been trying with the limited means at his disposal to improve the efficiency of the squadron under his charge. Those appointments were not only significant as indicating that a more direct control over the navy would be exercised by the central government, they were also important for another reason. In the past the fighting professions have been despised in China. Military and naval officers have been of little account, and the lack of prestige attaching to the two services has no doubt been largely responsible for the weakness of the empire. But the direct association of the emperor and the members of his family with the army and navy cannot but give a powerful impetus to the important movement in China today, which aims at developing the armed strength of the empire. A fund of twenty-five million taels is now to be raised for the navy, to be divided between initial capital expenditure and the charges of maintenance during the first few years. A large part of the work in the near future, is to consist of the reorganization and enlargement of existing dockyards, colleges and arsenals. It is said that a new important naval base is to be founded.

The desire for a new navy springs directly from the motive which inspires the whole movement of reform and reorganization in China. The Chinese are looking off their heels, and striving to learn from the West, not because they admire the principles and practices of European civilization, but because they wish to obtain the strength to keep off foreign aggression and to assert their sovereign rights in the face of the world. The need of training, preparation, and union is urged in every school and newspaper, and a remarkable spirit of martial enthusiasm is abroad in the land.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, Sold by The People's Drug Store.

IMMIGRANTS GAIN IN MENTAL FORCE. Government Compiling Scientific Observations—Finds That the Heads of Children Are Growing Longer and Narrower.

Washington, Dec. 9.—Some unique and striking information about the development of immigrants as American citizens is soon to be put out by the immigration commission. The first installment of the results of the investigation, which has been in progress for over two years, will be made public within a few days. Other installments will follow at intervals as the work is completed. One branch of study has had to do with information of the heads of immigrants and of their descendants and with other anthropological developments. A series of charts, based on a great number of measurements, demonstrate that the heads of these children of immigrants average two millimeters longer than the heads of their parents, but are narrower, and that their faces are also narrower.

These changes are regarded as distinct proofs of increasing intellectual and mental force, and are credited to the better environment and larger opportunities. The measurements were made on many immigrants from Italy, and also from Russia. In certain cases there was noted an increase of stature. Many other charts on kindred topics have been made. These promise to be something of a contribution to the subject of immigration, which, it is said, has never been studied so thoroughly and comprehensively as by the present commission.

The school children of immigrants have been studied to the number of 2,000,000, and the records of their school careers made up. Much of this was gathered from the records of public schools in the large cities. This is understood to comprise some very interesting material. The first report to be made public will deal with the white slave traffic. The commission has gathered a great deal of data thereon. Another will be on immigration from Russia. The work of the commission has already resulted in the closing of four of these homes. The commission, composed of senators and representatives and a number of other members, does not hope to have all its information printed, but congress will be asked to appropriate for getting much of this into book form. Its reports will be followed by efforts to amend legislation, although no program to that end has been yet formulated for the approaching session of congress.

JUDGE ON MOTHER-IN-LAW. "If She Bothers, Don't Have Her Around," He Tells a Litigant. Middletown, N. Y., Dec. 9.—Justice Joseph Morsehauser, in supreme court in Orange county, had some remarks to make concerning mother-in-law in a suit for separation that was before him. The case was that of Mary V. Hadden against Charles A. Hadden of Peekskill. The Haddens were married in 1904 and have a child four years old. The defence made a point that it was a case of too much mother-in-law had separated the couple. "This mother-in-law business is overrated," said the court. "I have lived with mine ever since we were married, and we have gotten along all right. I am going to allow this plaintiff \$50 for counsel and witness fees. I could straighten the matter out for you if you should ask me to try. This young couple ought to be together, their child should be with them. I will try the case in two weeks if you don't settle it ahead of time. If a mother-in-law bothers you, don't have her around, and the husband should not have his people around either."

THE ARM OF THE LAW. In a certain Canadian city a lady was defending an action for a large sum of money which she felt she was not morally entitled to pay. When it looked as if the case would go against her she sold all her real estate, and put the proceeds, some \$15,000 or more, in her pocketbook—which in her case, as is the custom with some women, was her stock. The judgment was given against her, and because she would not pay nor sell where the money was she was sent to jail for a year. Her counsel tried to get her released. The following conversation formed part of the proceedings: "You admit," said the judge, "that this woman had property to the value of \$15,000?" "Yes, your honor," said the counsel. "And you admit that she sold the property and put the money in her pocketbook?" "Yes, my lord." "And do you mean to tell me that the arm of the law is not long enough to reach it?"

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MARKETS. NEW YORK STOCKS.

Paine Webber & Co's correspondent at New York yesterday telegraphed as follows: "The stock market presented a very general but not a general activity was centered in the specialties. Norfolk and Western and Pennsylvania were strongly absorbed, and a great many of the low priced issues, such as Katy, Ohio & Western and the Canadian stocks, also Colorado Fuel, were in good demand. The reaction in the Bank of England rate had a favorable effect, but otherwise there was not much news of importance, and the greater part of the day's buying was attributed to the demand of the shorts, together with pool operations. Foreigners are said to greatly approve of the president's recent messages and reports now in circulation indicate that the special message read before Christmas will also be conservative in tone."

Closing prices were as follows: Amalgamated... 49 1/2 Northern Pac... 14 1/2 A. & N. E. ... 100 N. Y. C. ... 129 1/2 Am. Smelt. ... 122 1/2 O. & W. ... 49 1/2 Am. Loco. ... 82 1/2 Penn. ... 134 1/2 U. S. Steel ... 174 B. & O. ... 108 C. & P. ... 31 Rock I. ... 40 1/2 C. Pacific ... 18 1/2 St. P. ... 39 1/2 C. & G. W. ... 20 Pfd. ... 125 D. & S. ... 88 1/2 St. Paul ... 157 1/2 Erie ... 33 1/2 So. Pac. ... 130 1/2 Ill. Cent. ... 21 1/2 Union Pac. ... 202 1/2 Minn. & N. ... 143 1/2 Wabash ... 27 1/2 N. Y. City ... 71 Western U. ... 21 1/2 M. & E. T. ... 49 1/2 W. Cent. ... 28 1/2

Boston Stock quotations. Writing from Boston yesterday, Paine, Webber & Co. had the following to say of the stock market: "North Butte continued the only weak feature in the local market today. At the opening the stock was scarce and it fell a dollar from last night's close, but the buying power was soon exhausted and from that time on scattered liquidation steadily forced the price down. Stop orders were caught at 38 and 37, and this resulted in a further sharp break so the stock closed at the level of \$36. The situation is not promising in the morning, forced selling is liable to depress the price several points more. The other Cole-Ryan properties were strong and steady, and the decline in North Butte seems to have no effect upon them. East Butte and Copper Range were both strong and quiet."

NOTWITHSTANDING reports of disappointments in development on the new levels of the North Butte mine there has been no month during the past year that the North Butte company has not turned out 3,000,000 to 3,500,000 pounds of copper from an output of about 1,400 tons of ore per day. A great deal of development work has been done and is still going on. More lateral work has been done in all directions on the 1,600-foot level and some on the 1,800-foot level, while the 2,000 and 2,200 levels are being opened, the work on the latter being now in progress both east and west from the main crosscut. On the 2,200 level a long crosscut is being driven to the Jessie vein, and it is still going on in that. South of the shaft, on both the 2,000 and the 2,200, connections have been made with the Speculator vein, that work being largely for ventilation and drainage. A drift has been run east on the Speculator vein and connections made with the High Ore, the North Butte being drained through that to the main pumping level of High Ore. The Granite Mountain shaft, which had been sunk 900 feet from the surface, is being raised from the lower levels as levels to connect with the Granite Mountain shaft are being extended on the 700, 1,000, 1,200, 1,600 and 1,800, all of which are under way. Raising is being done from all these levels and the shaft is being raised three compartments to the 900, to which point from the surface it is only of two compartments; but an additional compartment will also be raised to the surface later. It is anticipated that the new shaft will be in commission by next June, when the North Butte will have no large workings. The shaft of the Gem claim, which lies just north of the Jessie, has been sunk from the 700 to the 1,600 and is being connected with all the main mine workings. It is being used as an air shaft. The only addition that has been made to the extensive surface plant during the year was the erection of a new drill sharpening shop.

NOTES OF COPPER NEWS. Wolverine & Arizona has received \$16,000 as the proceeds from the recent shipments. The management is now extracting ore from the Higgins tunnel and expects to resume shipments soon. Paine, Webber & Co. yesterday wired the following from Boston: "We hear very flattering reports from the Live Oak property, near the Miami. It is a very promising company, with only about 40,000 shares outstanding, and the stock ought to sell higher in the near future." All outstanding options on Chino stock have been exercised by Hayden, Stone & Co. of Boston. They had a year and a half to run. The company will commence the construction of a 2,500-ton mill, but no new financing will be necessary, as there is now in the treasury \$1,500,000. The exercising of the options at this time was accomplished because of the excellent results obtained in the development work. The directors of the Lake Copper company are not considering at the present time any further issue of stock, although some people think they ought to meet an advancing market with treasury stock so as to insure treasury funds for a new mill. The management, however, responds that regular rock shipments will begin in a few weeks, and after Jan. 1 the receipts from that source will pay all running expenses and add something to the surplus. It was said at Boston yesterday that the Guggenheim interests have an option upon large blocks of stock of the First National Copper company at \$11 per share. The options were given by directors and large individual holders, including W. H. Brewster, T. M. R. R. Borg, Thos. W. Lawson and others, and run until Dec. 16. It is claimed that the First National is producing at the rate of a little better than one million pounds per month at a cost some-

Chicago Grain Markets. Chicago, Dec. 9.—A bulge of nearly two cents in the December was the feature of the trading in wheat today. The market for that option was extremely congested throughout the day, and the offerings were meagre. The small receipts at all primary points and the high premiums paid for cash grain at the landing points of the country contributed to the present demand for the current month. Additional reports of damage to the Argentine crop by frost prompted liberal purchases of the more distant options. Late in the session several leading commission houses advanced bids for the May bill in December to sell the May and this caused recessions all around. The close was about steady, with the price a shade lower to 1/2 higher. The December closed at 100 to 100 1/2; highest, 105 1/2; lowest, 100; closing, 103 1/2. Corn—Activity and strength characterized the trading in corn. The likelihood of a big increase in the consumption of corn on the farms for feeding purposes, owing to the wintry weather now prevailing, caused shorts to cover

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what under 10 cents a pound and is prepared to increase its output. There has been no settlement of the deal whereby the Cole-Ryan interests were to take over 100,000 shares of Miami Copper company stock from the Lewisohn General Development company affiliates. The management of the Miami has decided to resume development work and blocking out ore. Its tonnage has been estimated at fourteen million tons, averaging about 2 1/2 per cent copper, and for six months it has been doing nothing to add to this tonnage, simply blocking out. It is now planned to drill immediately both at depth and laterally. The company is now strong in cash resources, above its mill construction needs, by reason of the recent issues of \$1,500,000 of bonds. STATE BUYS FOREST. Vermont Now in Possession of a 450-Acre Tract in Plainfield. Rutland, Vt., Dec. 9.—The state board of agriculture and forestry has just completed the purchase of Vermont's first state forest. It is in Plainfield. The plot consists of 450 acres, partly covered with second growth spruce and some old growth hardwoods. A central location has been selected in order to better demonstrate methods of forestry. Later similar tracts will be bought in other parts of the state. The newly purchased tract is particularly well adapted for the use of State Forester Hawes because it offers a variety of problems in culture and conservation. The open lands will be planted in seedlings at once and the second growth thinned out properly. A lot of nursery stock from the experiment station at Burlington will be set out in the spring.

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CLEVELAND CLIFFS CO. TO OPEN ANOTHER MINE

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The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company has secured a lease of lands near the Dexter location, and is preparing to sink a shaft about a half mile east, and slightly north, of the Dexter mine. The shaft will be located on the northeast quarter of Section 5, owned by the Barnes Land company, which was organized about two years ago. This company owns the north half of Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. P. F. Chase of Dexter and E. M. Moore and the Clark estate of Marquette are the principal shareholders in the Barnes Land company. The Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company is interested in which Mr. Chase is interested, is also a shareholder in the Barnes company.

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The Dexter mine, in which Mr. Chase is also financially interested, has had a checkered career. It was opened in 1888, but never given a thorough test as it did not have proper financial backing. The ore is manganeseiferous and some exceptionally fine cargoes were shipped out of the mine in sacks and the mine did not prove a money maker for its owners. Up to the time the mine was closed down it had produced 118,512 tons of ore. The property was opened by the Dexter Mining company and after that concern suspended operations, it was taken over by the Manilla Iron company and work was resumed for a short period. The Oliver Iron company did a little exploratory work in that vicinity some years ago, but the diamond drill holes were not put down as deep as those bored by the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company.

Messrs. Chase and Moore and the Clark estate also own 169 acres in Sections 7 and 18, about a mile south of Chokasburg where drilling is now being done on the Grand tract. The first hole which is about 1,000 feet, has not yet been completed. George J. Main is interested in that tract, also in the Herkins' property in the same vicinity, and is directing the drilling operations, which are being carried on by Cole & McDonald.

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NO CAR SHORTAGE.

Close of Navigation Will Not Bring Scarcity, Says Railroad Men.

Since the close of navigation on the lakes, the railroad companies have not been as badly pushed for cars as they were during November and the first week in December, when there was an unusual demand for cars, to take care of the coal and other freight being received in large quantities.

In spite of the unusual demand for cars, near the close of navigation on the lakes, the demands of the shippers in a very satisfactory way though many of the lines of the Northwest have been greatly hampered during the past few days by the switchmen's strike. Practically all of the freight congestion was out of the way when navigation closed and since then the car movement has been satisfactory. It is not now anticipated that there will be any shortage to speak of during the next three months.

HELD FOR MURDER.

The case of Frank Peterson, the former Negaunee man, who is accused of the murder of James Gallagher at Cayuna, Minn., on Thanksgiving day, is now before the grand jury at Brainerd, Minn. Two other men are also held on a similar charge. One is James Kege, an Indian. Paul Fournier, who was tried some time ago on the charge of murdering N. O. Dahl in Beltrami county, Minn., in 1904 is being given a second trial. The supreme court some time ago granted Fournier a new trial.

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DIED AT HIBBING.

Remains of Former Negaunee Man Brought Here Yesterday for Interment.

Mrs. Thomas Tobin, a former well-known resident of Negaunee, whose husband, P-hin street was named after, arrived in the city yesterday morning from Hibbing, accompanying the remains of her son, John, who died there Tuesday, Pneumonia, from which he had suffered for three weeks, was the cause of his demise. The deceased was thirty years of age and was single. Mrs. Tobin is now the only surviving member of the family her husband having died six years ago at Hibbing. Another son, Edward, died three years ago. The remains of both were interred in the family lot here.

TO HANDLE AUTOMOBILES.

D. D. Smith, who a short time ago disposed of his mercantile business at Palmer, has taken the agency of the Mitchell Motor company of Racine, Wis., for Marquette and Delta counties. The Mitchell car is well known, though up to this time only a few of them have been sold in this part of the upper peninsula. Several different models are made. In Mr. Smith's advertisement in this issue he presents a picture of Model R. This car will sell at \$1,100, and will carry three passengers. Another car of the same model is equipped with a survey seat and will carry four passengers. A third model is equipped with a rumble seat. Mr. Smith plans to devote his entire time to the automobile business and he is now negotiating for the agency for several auto supply houses and will handle a large variety of equipment.

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HAS QUIT STREET CAR LINE.

Robert Ross, one of the two oldest employees of the Marquette County Gas & Electric company, has given up his position as conductor on the street car line, because of poor health. Mr. Ross has been a sufferer from stomach trouble, and he felt that he could not stand the work during the winter months. He plans to return to his old position again in the spring. He entered the employ of the company over fourteen years ago and has been working for it continuously ever since. John Williams, one of the motormen, also started to work for the company at the same time. Mr. Ross' place on the cars will be filled by J. Rosster, who worked for the company about a year ago. Mr. Ross and his wife will conduct a boarding house at Chokasburg for the winter.

STORM DELAYS TRAINS.

The Chicago & Northwestern passenger train was three hours late yesterday morning. It was delayed coming out of Chicago because of the snowstorm that prevailed there Wednesday. About ten inches of snow fell and railway traffic was greatly hampered. The snow fall was one of the heaviest that has occurred there in years, and the railroads did not have the necessary equipment ready for service.

LOCAL LAONICS.

Miss T. H. Harris, who has been ill for a week or more past, is convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Quinn entertained at bridge whist last evening at their home.

Mayor J. H. Winter and wife are expected home today from Chicago, where they spent the past week.

The members of the Bridge Whist club were entertained Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sues.

C. V. R. Townsend and wife arrived home yesterday from Chicago, where they spent the past few days.

A large number of Negaunee theatergoers will attend the production of "Graustark" at the Ishpeming theater tonight.

E. O. Squires, one of the instructors in the Negaunee High school, is suffering with diphtheria, and is quarantined at his home.

The Richmond mine, on the Caserde range, which is operated by the Consumers Ore company, has suspended work for the winter.

J. Kronberg and family have moved into their new home on Jackson street, which was recently completed by Charles Lund, the contractor.

F. J. Beck, in the employ of the West-Ingushouse company, is working at the municipal power plant repairing the electric coil that was burned out a few weeks ago.

The concert to be given at McDonald's Opera House New Year's night will be conducted by the Negaunee City band, and not by the Light Infantry band as was stated yesterday.

F. D. Davis, former superintendent of the schools here, now superintendent of the Escanaba schools, spent a few hours in the city Wednesday, having stopped off on his way to Marquette to attend the Shriners' meeting.

The regular meeting of the Eastern Star lodge, announced for next Monday, has been postponed. This is on account of the illness of the grand lady patron, who was to have been present. The meeting will be held later in the month.

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- 15 bars Sunny Monday Soap, 5 bars assorted Fairy, Tar, Pummo Soap or Gold Dust \$1.00
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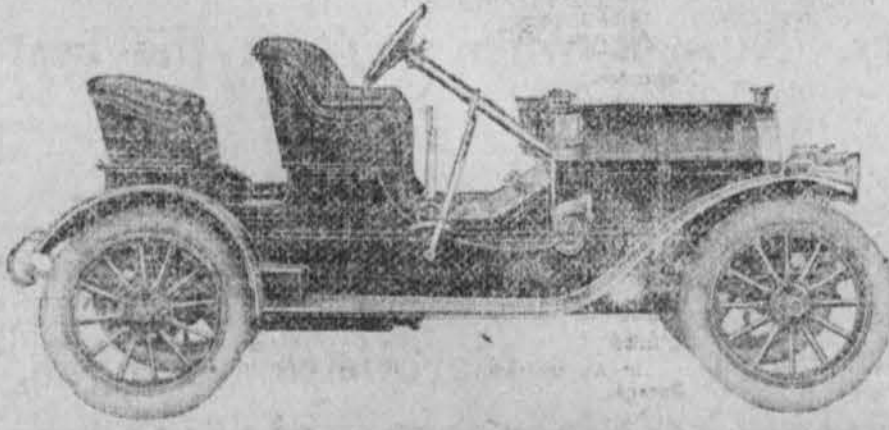
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WILL TRY TO GET LARGE MEMBERSHIP

MARQUETTE ART LEAGUE ABOUT TO START ON ACTIVE CAMPAIGN AMONG LOCAL PEOPLE.

A COMMENDABLE PROJECT

Opportunity to Study the Great Artists and Their Work at Home Would Mean Much to City.

Within the next few weeks determined and systematic effort is to be made to increase the membership of the Marquette Art League, which was organized a few weeks ago, the organization to some extent being the outgrowth of the visit of J. W. Young, a Chicago art dealer, to this city. At that time several meetings were held, which resulted in a considerable number of Marquette people becoming greatly enthused with the idea. An organization was effected and officers elected, as follows: President, H. H. Williams; vice-presidents, Mrs. Austin Farrell, Mrs. A. T. Roberts, Mrs. George N. Conklin; secretary, Miss Grace Spaulding; assistant secretary, Miss Lydia Olson; treasurer, E. J. Jennison; trustees, A. O. Jopling, E. R. Downing, F. S. Case, J. D. Mangum, F. J. Russell.

Something over 100 members have already been enlisted in the league and a campaign is about to be inaugurated to increase the membership to at least 300 in this city. To this end, a circular is soon to be distributed, setting forth the purposes of the organization and its need in this community.

Those who have ever been abroad cannot but feel that art does not hold the place in the hearts of the American people that it should. This is especially true in sections remote from large cities, such as the upper peninsula, where there is no opportunity to enjoy the works of the great artists, except as art exhibitions are brought in by local societies or educational institutions. In consequence, the great majority of people have little knowledge of or interest in art and its refining and uplifting influences.

Art in Europe.

The art conditions in Europe are very different from those which exist in our own country. There it is a vital part of the life of the people and in every city of any size some provision is made whereby the common people have opportunity for enjoying the works of the great masters. Practically all of the American artists have been schooled in the art galleries of Europe and it is only within the last few years that we Americans may be said to have anything in art reflecting real and true Americanism. Even though trained in Europe, however, many American artists are now expressing American ideas and ideals. One great criticism of the American people is that they do not take time to

enjoy life; that they do not have adequate ideas of leisure or the enjoyment of beauty. Nowadays educators and psychologists are more and more realizing the importance of developing the emotional as well as the practical side of our natures. People generally are coming to realize that the truest rest from labor is the enjoyment of the work of others.

In order to afford this opportunity for rest and recreation to the people of this vicinity, the Marquette Art League has been organized. It is hoped to have a lecture on art delivered here in the near future and one or more exhibitions of fine pictures each year. A course of lectures for those most interested is also planned. The project is one in which the general public is invited to cooperate by joining the association and lending both financial and personal support. In order to reduce the expense and at the same time secure the fullest advantages possible, the Marquette Art League will cooperate with similar organizations in Ishpeming, Negaunee, Houghton and Duluth.

How Exhibits Are Secured.

Associations of this nature are enabled to secure, through art dealers and artists in the large cities, exhibitions of paintings from our best artists and art treasures and masterpieces of all kinds; also the services of art lecturers. The Marquette Art League is tied up to no particular art firm or dealer and the committee will be free to use its judgment in getting the best lectures and exhibitions that can be had for the money they have to expend. What can be accomplished, of course, depends on the number of members secured. The larger the membership, the larger the exhibitions that can be obtained.

The fee for membership in the association has been fixed at \$1, so long that all who have any inclination to do so will be able to join. The membership fee will admit to the exhibitions and to all the regular lectures. The league has the active and moral support of practically all the eminent scholars, professional and business men and women of the city and, when once organized in the fullness of its strength, should be a power toward raising the moral, intellectual and aesthetic standards of the community.

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Degree of Honor Officers.

At a regular meeting of Wentworth lodge, Degree of Honor, held Thursday afternoon, the following officers were elected: Past Chief of Honor—Elizabeth Campbell. Chief of Honor—Lucy Lizotte. Lady of Honor—Phoebe Johnson. Chief of Ceremonies—Elizabeth Agnew. Recorder—Emma E. Quarters. Financier—Maggie Wentworth. Receiver—Anna Falstead. Usher—Mrs. Rustenoven. Guide—Charlotte Anier. Innerwatch—Margaret Kern. Outerwatch—Esther Jackson. Representative to Grand Lodge—Lucy Lizotte. Alternate—Emma E. Quarters. Trustees—Agnes Charlesworth and Esther Bystrom. Physicians—Drs. Hornbogen and Harkin.

Swedish Crown Officers.

At the regular meeting of Swedish Crown society last Tuesday evening, the following officers for next year were elected:

President—Emil Gustafson. Vice President—Victor Fallstedt. Recording Secretary—Robert Nygren. Financial Secretary—Charles Mogren. Treasurer—Ed. Larson. Chaplain—Gust Anderson. Conductors—Gust Lindgren and C. E. Johnson. Inside Guard—John Aspholm. Outside Guard—Gust Backman. Trustee (for three years)—William Nelson. Finance Committee—Fred Anderson, Gust Larson, August Anderson. Delegate to Supreme Lodge—Charles Mogren. Alternate—Emil Gustafson. Examiners—Drs. Youngquist and Von Zellman.

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