





Copper Country

HERE TO SAVE HIS SON.

Him Lee, Escanaba Landryman, Arrives to Help Ngun Sue Duck.

Him Lee, an Escanaba Chinese landryman, arrived in Houghton yesterday morning to fight for the release of his son, Ngun Sue Duck, arrested in Cantonment Tuesday night by Immigration Inspector Peter...

HANCOCK MAN IS MISSING.

Believed Sailor Olman Went Down in Some Wrecked Vessel.

A man named Olman is believed by many of his friends in Hancock to have been on one of the many vessels which were wrecked on the lakes during the fall storms. Olman, it seems, shipped on a boat three months ago. The name of this boat is not known by any of his family...

"BOBBIE" BURNS' BIRTHDAY.

Scots At Calumet Will Celebrate the Poet's Anniversary.

The Scottish people of Calumet and Laurium, headed by the St. Andrew's society, are arranging to hold their annual celebration of the birthday of Robert Burns. The event will be held in the First National Bank hall, Laurium, on the night of Jan. 25.

HOCKEY PLAYERS' SALARIES.

Fred Lake Writes of Big Offer Turned Down by Him in Canada.

W. E. Fairbairn, president of the Copper Country Amateur Hockey League, yesterday received a letter from Fred Lake, former wing man on the Portage Lakes and last year a sensational point player on the Ottawa team...

IS WANTED AT THE SOO.

John Curry Arrested at Hurontown on a Chippewa County Warrant.

John Curry of the Soo was arrested Wednesday night at Hurontown by Sheriff Bayless, under orders from Sheriff Bayless of Chippewa county, who has a warrant for the man. Complete details were not learned, but it is thought by Sheriff Bayless that Curry is wanted for the larceny of a horse and rig or some vehicle.

EXTRA MEN IN THE CARS.

Crews Are Doubled in Order to Handle the Christmas Mails.

The Christmas and holiday mail coming into and going out of the copper country is so large this year that it has been found necessary to double the mail handling crews on the evening train in from the south, the morning train going south and the Northwesters, coming in at noon and going out at 2:30 p. m.

ITALIAN CITIZENS' LEAGUE.

Annual Meeting of Calumet Organization in Laurium Sunday.

The annual meeting of the Italian Citizens' league of Calumet will be held at the Torrance hall, First street, Laurium, Sunday, when officers for the coming year will be elected and other business, such as the annual reports, will be handled.

DIES IN THE FAR WEST.

News of the death at Kennebec, Wash., of John Mertes, a former resident of Houghton, was received yesterday. Death occurred Dec. 14.

BIG CHARITY DANCE.

The big public dancing party for the benefit of the Houghton County Anti-Tuberculosis society and the Calumet Associated Charities was held last night in the Calumet Armory, under the patronage of the leading women of Calumet. The Calumet & Hecla fund provided the music.

OLD RESIDENT DIES.

James Sullivan, sixty-eight years of age, an old resident of Calumet, died at the Calumet public hospital early yesterday morning. He was a retired miner and was one of the men who helped to sink the Red Jacket shaft of the Calumet & Hecla many years ago.

LIGHT INFANTRY ELECTION.

A meeting of the members of the Houghton Light Infantry was held in the armory Wednesday night for the purpose of filling the office of second lieutenant. Sergeant Thomas Smith was nominated and was elected unanimously.

BIG GATHERING OF ELKS.

The Calumet lodge of Elks announced yesterday that on Jan. 19 a big class would be initiated and the biggest gathering in the history of the lodge would be held. The Hancock lodge is invited to participate.

SACRAMENTO REPORTS A FINE CASE.

A fine example of a recovery is a case of kidney disease that was supposed to be incurable is reported from Sacramento. Mr. I. T. Gibson of 521 Ninth street, Sacramento, was in October last in a local hospital in the Capitol City, swollen with the dropsy that often attends the serious and supposed incurable forms.

FELL INTO PORTAGE LAKE.

Alex Seigle, a Hancock city employee, went out on the ice of Portage lake yesterday about noon to cut away a barrel which was obstructing the flow from a sewer. The ice gave way under him, but after a struggle he rescued himself.

SECRET WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

Announcement is made of the wedding on Nov. 10 of Miss Hazel Williams, daughter of George Williams of Calumet, and Robert Gray, the well-known Calumet hockey club goal tender. They kept the marriage secret until yesterday.

JOHN J. FULLTON CO.

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Upper Peninsula

Upper Michigan's Hall of Fame.

After seeing the 250 or more Shriners at Marquette last week, one fairly well acquainted with the peninsula and the leading men therein was heard to say that he believed the prominent men that were not Shriners could be counted on the fingers of one hand.

Farming His Hobby.

John A. Falk, a well-known grocer at Marquette, has blossomed out as one of the most successful farmers of the district and through his efforts in this direction is enabled to supply his customers with Schoolcraft county apples and vegetables.

Instantly Killed by a Train.

C. Bert Longtime, an Escanaba young man, who for only ten days had been employed as a brakeman by the Northwestern road, met death in the Chicago yards when he stepped in front of a fast passenger train and was instantly killed. Longtime was on a double track and not knowing of the coming of the passenger train stepped from his train to the adjoining track.

Little Girl Travels Far.

There arrived in the Soo this week a little girl, fourteen years of age, who had made the way from her home in Beymouth, Syria, to the Soo City alone. She is the daughter of M. J. Boebous, a novelty dealer, and is one of the family left behind when the father decided to immigrate to this country four years ago.

Bridge Problem at Menominee.

Is the Menominee river at the site of the present upper bridge, more popularly known as the paper mill bridge, a navigable stream? If it is, and in the opinion of City Attorney Cuddy of Menominee it is, then the upper and middle bridges were illegally constructed and have no right to exist.

High School Girls Fight in Street.

Two Escanaba high school girls, whose names could not be learned, forgot all the polite training taught in the schools and failed to even observe plain Marquis of Queensberry rules when they came together in the combat at Ludington and Mary streets.

City Appoints a Veterinarian.

Dr. W. J. Firkus has been named by the board of health as the city veterinarian at a salary of \$300 a year. The proposition to appoint a veterinarian was included in Escanaba's new milk ordinance.

Length of Animal Life.

Various attempts have been made to discover the law governing the length of life of different species of animals. A general rule, subject to many exceptions, is that the life of large animals is longer than that of small ones. But although an elephant may live 200 years, and a horse not more than forty, a man outlives a horse, and a cat or teard may equal a horse in length of years.

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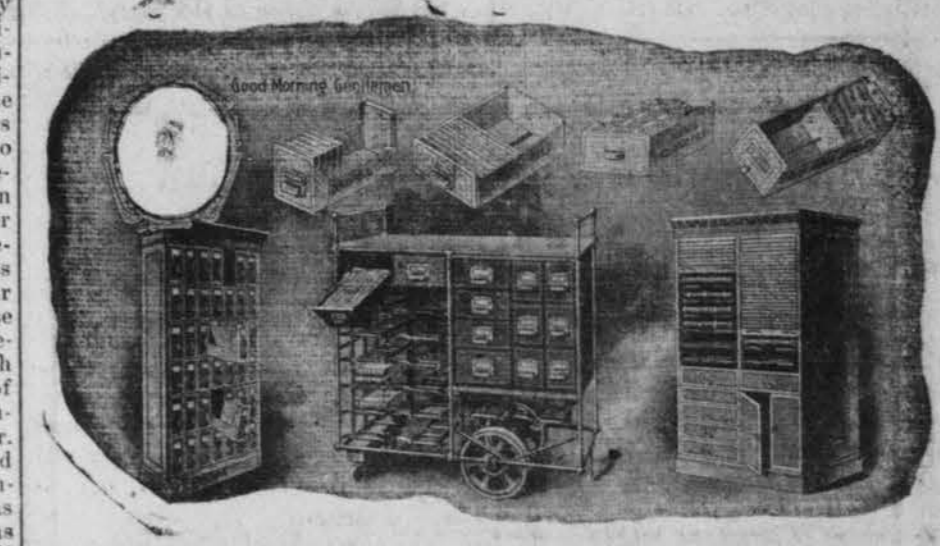
Fire Chief Seventeen Years.

The late John Loose, who died at Marquette after a short illness due to congestion of the lungs and the same weakness, was the city's first fire chief and held the position for about seventeen years.

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK. For Christmas there's no better present you can give your children than a bank account with the Citizens National Bank.

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LOWER STATE NOTES.

PONTIAC—The big concrete chimney at the plant of the Rapid Motor Vehicle company, which six weeks ago caused the death of two workmen when the top collapsed, has been completed.

LAW IN THE WILDERNESS.

What an Officer of Canada's Mounted Police Stands For. An officer of the mounted police is not an exponent of the law; he is the law itself.

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Today Will Be a Day of Rush, Hustle and Scramble

and many people will finish the day tired and disappointed to think that they were unable to accomplish all they had planned to do.

Right in the midst of your rush today, STOP— and instead of buying a great number of toys for the boy or girl take ONE DOLLAR of the amount you had intended to spend, come to this bank and open a Savings Account. Be sure and cram the bank book clear down into the toe of the stocking so that it will be the last to be found.

The toys will soon be broken, the candy eaten and the Christmas tree taken down, but the bank book will be with the child every day in the year. It will be an incentive to save.

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A 16-lb. Turkey given away at the first show tonight.

New Pictures: The Anti-Fat Sanitarium A roaring comedy.

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Program Changed Twice Tomorrow.

New pictures in the afternoon and a complete change at night. J. C. WOODWORTH, Prop.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

PROGRAMS FOR RELIGIOUS OBSERVANCE OF ANNIVERSARY SAVIOR'S BIRTH—SPECIAL MUSIC PREPARED.

As in the past, Christmas will be generally observed by the churches of the city, some holding their services on Saturday and others on Sunday.

At St. Paul's Episcopal church Christmas morning there will be Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. and Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 a. m. At the 10:30 service, the following musical program will be rendered, under the direction of C. J. Shadick, organist and choir director: Processional, "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful"; Communion service, J. P. Marshall; Offertory, Anthem, "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Field"; Charles Vincent; Recessional, "Christians Awake"; Christmas Sunday, M. E. Church.

The special feature of the services at the Methodist church, on Sunday will be the vested choir of sixty-five voices which will sing morning and evening. The evening will be given up to a service of sacred Christmas music by the choir and the Sunday school. The programs will be as follows:—Morning— Organ prelude, selected; Mrs. Knight; Processional, "Angels from the Realms of Glory"; Full Choir; Apostles' Creed; Prayer; Hymn; Psalm, Christmas selection; Gloria; Christmas Story; Anthem, "Oh, Holy Night"; Adams Quartet; Offertory, "Romance"; Atherton; Mrs. Knight; Solo, selected; Miss Berg; Sermon, "Gifts for the King"; Recessional, "Hark, Hark, My Soul"; Full Choir; Benediction; Organ Postlude;—Evening— Special features: Anthem, "O Come Let Us Worship"; Himmell Quartet; Songs by the Sunday School; Duet, Misses Berg and Hicks; Song by Primary; Pastor; Sermonette, "The Children's Christ"; Pastor.

At the Swedish Lutheran church there will be a service at 5:30 Christmas morning, at which special music will be rendered by the church and children's choirs. On Sunday, services will be held at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. A Christmas program for the children and young people will be given Monday evening.

Owing to the Baptist church being without a pastor, the only service to be held Saturday or Sunday will be Sunday school at noon Sunday. The First Church of Christ, Scientist, will hold services at 10:30 Sunday in the opera house block. The subject of the lesson will be "Christian Science."

At the Presbyterian church, there will be no services on Saturday but the regular morning and evening Sunday services will be observed. At the morning service a male chorus will sing, "In Dream I Heard the Seraphim," by Faure-Buck, and "The Manger Cradle," by Beidinger. Mr. Rogers' theme in the morning will be "The First Christmas Gift." A special Christmas offering will be taken for missions. The pastor's theme in the evening will be, "The First Christmas Sermon."

At St. Peter's cathedral, pontifical high mass will be observed at midnight Christmas eve. Christmas day, there will be first mass at 6 a. m., second mass at 7:30 a. m., children's mass at 9 a. m., and pontifical high mass at 10:30 a. m. The collections at all the masses on Christmas will be for the benefit of the orphan children.

At St. Jean Baptiste church, midnight mass will be celebrated by Father Jodocy. The second mass will be sung at 8 o'clock and high mass will be sung at 10:15. The choir, accompanied by the Peerless orchestra, will render the mass by Rosewig, and an offertory by Weigand.

BOWLING SCORES.

The two-men contest at the bowling alleys was concluded yesterday afternoon. It resulted in Foard and Van Idersline losing the cup, Godwin and Jenks retaining the match by thirteen pins. The scores of the last games were: Godwin, 151 184 178 154 204 871; Jenks, 178 175 160 170 171 854.

Totals 329 350 338 324 375 1725; Foard, 135 150 216 169 169 839; Van Idersline, 166 173 204 200 176 919.

Totals 307 323 420 369 345 1758. The totals for the fifteen games were: Godwin, 2536; Jenks, 2543; Total, 5079.

Foard, 2402; Van Idersline, 2964; Total, 5366.

In the league contest last night, the Guild Hall "A" defeated the Finneas, two out of three. The scores follow: Guild Hall "A"—Tot. Jeanson (sub), 175 115 149 439; Drummy (sub), 154 176 121 451; Sprey, 179 205 165 549; Roberts, 157 188 170 515; Miller, 144 154 176 474.

Totals, 809 838 781 2423. Finneas—Tot. Savola, 157 160 148 465; Jari, 145 159 192 496; Jaki, 148 156 170 474; Makki, 182 161 150 493; Vanhalla, 139 124 141 404.

Totals, 771 746 801 2312. Tomorrow three turkeys will be given away, one for the high score, one for the three highest games in succession and one for the three highest games rolled during the day. All these having an equal handicap will be allowed one-half of their handicap in bowling for these prizes. Tonight the big turkey will be awarded.

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APPEAL LAW OF 1909 IS INVALID SUPREME COURT DECLARES THAT IT DEPRIVES COUNTIES OF SELF-GOVERNMENT—DECISION SETTLES THREE CONTESTS.

The supreme court has just handed down a decision of state wide interest. It declared unconstitutional the law enacted by the legislature last winter, providing for appeals from the equalization between townships as fixed by the boards of supervisors. This law, known as act No. 292, provided for the appointment of a committee of appeals in case a supervisor was not satisfied with the valuation as fixed by the board, one member to be selected by the supervisor making the appeal, one by the board and those two to choose a third member. The case decided was the one brought from Bay county, and two other cases from Manistee and Muskegon counties were also presented to the court.

The validity of the law was attacked on the grounds that judicial power is conferred on the committee, that it deprives counties of the right of self government, that the tribunal or agency created is not an impartial one and that the act as amended is incomplete and defective and not a workable law. In the opinion, the court holds: "We are constrained to say that the legislature, in the act in question, has constructed neither a state nor a local agency of taxation, but has, inadvertently no doubt, delegated to aggrieved parties the selection of a committee, empowered to undo what the regularly elected officers of the townships and wards have done officially. A privately constituted and officially irresponsible committee is empowered to review and perform the duties of responsible officials. We are required to and do affirm the order of the circuit judge of Bay county."

FACIAL TREATMENT.

Miss Hollie Oster, Werner block, removes superfluous hair, moles and warts by electric needle. Ladies' and gentlemen's manicuring. Bell 'phone 61. (3-6-11)

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## Ishpeming Department

(Additional Ishpeming on Pages 9 and 10.)

### "THE CLIMAX" COMING.

Play That Scored in the Cities to Be Here New Year's Eve.

## WILL PETITION SUPREME COURT

LOCAL OPTION ADVOCATES WILL ASK ORDER FOR RECOUNTING THE WITHDRAWALS.

### ONE LEGAL POINT INVOLVED

Petition Is to Be Filed in Behalf of Revs. C. H. Rutledge and C. L. Adams and Others Who Favor Local Option Election.

William P. Belden, legal representative of the signers of the local option petitions presented to the board of supervisors at the last regular meeting, asking that the question be submitted to the voters at the April election, yesterday completed a petition that he will personally present to the supreme court at Lansing, asking for a writ of mandamus to compel the board of supervisors to reconvene and reconsider the local option petitions, also to recount the names of those who had withdrawn from said petitions. The petition to the supreme court is brought in the names of Revs. C. H. Rutledge and C. L. Adams in behalf of themselves and others who signed the local option petitions.

The board of supervisors deducted 220 withdrawals, and the petition to be presented to the supreme court alleges that 198 of these were filed after the names of the signers of the local option petitions had been posted and before they were filed with the county clerk. The affidavits of the 198 petitioners who asked to have their names withdrawn stated simply that they had reconsidered their position, and wished to withdraw on that account.

Speaking on this point yesterday, Mr. Belden said: "We claim that these petitioners had no legal right to withdraw after the lists were posted. The statute gives the right to withdraw on the ground of fraud, but not for other reasons. There are not a sufficient number of the signers claiming fraud to have any effect on the result."

"Usually the petitions asking for a recount by the board of supervisors are filed with the circuit court, but in view of the resignation of Judge Stone and the fact that there will be a vacancy in the office of circuit judge for some time, which might delay the hearing, and in view of the great public importance of the question necessitating a prompt decision, we decided to present the petition, asking that the board of supervisors be ordered to reconvene and to recount the names, directly to the supreme court."

"If the court sustains this proceeding it will issue an order to show cause why the names should be recounted. This will give the board of supervisors an opportunity to present a full statement of their side of the case and this hearing will probably be held in January. If the supreme court should refuse to sustain the proceedings, we will file a petition in the circuit court."

"Our petition involves practically but one legal question, and that is the right of these men to withdraw. The board of supervisors has decided all other questions in our favor. In view of the great interest being shown in this matter, we believe that it will be better for all concerned to have the legal question disposed of as soon as possible, in order to allow ample time to prepare for the election. We now anticipate that the point at issue will, in all probability, be disposed of within a month."

Copies of the report of the committee from the board of supervisors, to whom the local option petitions were referred, also a copy of the protest presented to the board by the Upper Peninsula Brewing company, will be attached to the petition that Mr. Belden will present to the supreme court, probably on Monday.

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### LUTHERAN CHURCH SERVICES.

Christmas services at the Swedish Lutheran church will be held tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. The musical program, to be given under the direction of Miss Amanda Anderson, the organist, will perhaps be the best that has ever been rendered in the church, as about seventy-five persons are to take part. It will be given by three choirs, and an orchestra. The latter will be led by Art Schenberg, leader of the Ishpeming band. The Bethany and junior choirs each have over thirty members, while there are ten or more voices in the male choir. Tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock there will be a Christmas tree, with a program by the children of the Sunday school. The entertainment will take place in the church and presents will be distributed to 300 or more boys and girls. The usual Sunday morning service will be held at the church and on Sunday evening members of the congregation will attend a Christmas entertainment, to be given by the Saginaw Sunday school at the new school house at Green's Creek.

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EMPLOYEES TO GET MORE STEEL STOCK

UNITED STATES STEEL CORPORATION DECIDES TO GIVE WORKMEN PREFERRED STOCK AT \$125 A SHARE AND COMMON AT \$90.

It is reported from New York that the finance committee of the United States Steel corporation has voted to offer the employees of the company the opportunity of subscribing to its preferred stock at \$125 a share.

Since the profit-sharing plan was instituted the employees have subscribed in all for 15,000 shares of common and 193,455 shares of preferred.

The decision of the finance committee is of particular interest at this time, as it shows the company's attitude toward the declaration of war against the corporation by the American Federation of Labor.

It is expected that a large percentage of the employees now holding stock in the company will take advantage of the offer made by the finance committee.

Some of the company's local employees

procured their stock six years ago its value has doubled.

We still have some Christmas novelties in our dry goods department that will be sold at bargain prices today.

The place to get your turkey all dressed and drawn, is at Ishpeming Co-operative Society.

Don't forget our smart tailored suits and overcoats when in search for a substantial Christmas gift.

Ladies' suits at 30 per cent discount; alterations free.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES.

There will be special Christmas services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, with music by a double quartet both morning and evening.

Choir—Mrs. F. H. Raisky, Miss Cox, Dr. E. G. Robbins, Mr. Schott, Mrs. H. S. Thompson, Miss Trenberth, Messrs. Sven Kroghdahl and Henry Girzi.

Anthems, "There Were Shepherds"..... Spence Anthem, "Hark, Hark, With Harps of Gold," with obligato..... Marston Solo, "The Message of the Angels"..... Schmecker

Anthems, "To Victory"..... Neidlinger Anthem, "Bethlehem"..... Coombs Duet, "What Can I Give My Saviour"..... Eversole

We handle the very best of fresh oysters in both bulks and cans, that the market offers.

CHRISTMAS CORALS.

The choir of the First Methodist Episcopal church, consisting of twenty-five or more voices, will, according to their custom, sing Christmas corals on Saturday morning at 6:30 o'clock.

Special big line of fresh fruits and vegetables for Christmas, at J. Sellwood & Co.

Silk and linen handkerchiefs with or without initials, 15c, 25c and 50c.

Don't fail to take advantage of this big bargain. Biggest reduction ever heard of in teas at F. Braastad & Co.

China Closets, Sideboards, Leather Upholstered Chairs, suitable for holiday gifts, at Ishpeming Co-operative Society.

GRACE CHURCH PROGRAM.

The musical program for the Christmas service at Grace church, commencing at 10 o'clock, is as follows:

Processional, "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful"..... "I Shall See Him But Not Now"..... Communion service..... J. P. Marshall

In fancy groceries we have everything necessary to make your Christmas dinner complete. Let us help you to make selections today.

Parrots, \$5.50; canaries, \$2.50 to \$4; monkeys, \$11.75; rabbits, 80c a pair.

"SANTA'S RECEPTION"

On Christmas night the members of the Salisbury Sunday school will present a cantata, entitled "Santa's Reception."

Don't mind the rush, send in your orders and we will fill them.

Combination sets—silk hose, handkerchief and tie in various colors at L. W. Atkins & Co.

Fifty per cent cut in the prices of teas of all kinds at Braastad's grocery store.

Dressed and undressed dolls at one-third off today at Sellwood's.

Silk lined, wool lined and unlined gloves and mittens for gentlemen's Christmas gifts at L. W. Atkins & Co.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

There is nothing more appreciated by your wife, mother, sister, or intended bride than a Singer sewing machine for a present.

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CHRISTMAS-TIDE.

There was a chant of music sweet, The earth was wrapped in robes of white,

This glorious army from the skies Brought joyous news to men below:

On Judah's heights the shepherd swains Beheld that heavenly light appear;

What means this burst of jubilant praise, On this best day of all the year.

From MORGAN'S CURB LETTER.

The New York market was very dull today. Reading, Rock Island and Amalgamated were the only active issues.

The Boston market was strong and active for a short time near the opening, but later became dull and began to decline.

Chief, Boston Ely, Ray Central and Cactus were the features on the curb, the first three advancing while Cactus declined 1/2 point in the latter part of the session.

Yesterday's prevailing prices were:

Almseeck . . . . . \$220.00 Bid. Asked. \$225.00 American Saginaw . . . . . 2.50



Our seventh Christmas season is over and we have none but feelings of thankfulness and gratitude to our ever-increasing clientele, to our vast host of friends and patrons.

GATELYS Lenn A. Snyder Mgr. Bell Phone, 191. County Phone, 484. Main and Bank Sts. ISHPEMING, MICHIGAN.

That Yule Joy May Be Real Joy

Get What You Want Now You Want It

THE ISHPEMING CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY

Don't Overlook the Fact. It's Time to Get Busy.

Our Stock Offers a Great Holiday Purchasing Opportunity

to all who may be looking for the season's nifty articles.

Positively the greatest values in the city.

Everything for the Ladies. Anything needed by the Girls. Toy town the place of merry-making for little tots. Tasty Toggery for the Gentlemen.

For the Christmas Gift

you want something that is just right, that carries the right sentiment, comes within your purchasing power, will be durable and a lasting joy to the recipient.

W. J. ROBERTS The People's Jeweler. 115 Cleveland Ave. Expert Watchmaker. Fine Engraving.

SIR--

Buy clothes to fit. Get style too. Shop with us. We've the proof. Of what? Good Clothes {STEIN-BOCH'S, KUPPENHEIMER'S, DESPRES-LOWENSTEIN'S. Knox, Stetson Hats. Hanan, our own shoes. L. W. ATKINS & CO.

H. W. ELSON Have You the Liquor Disease? Manufacturer of Fine Carbonated Beverages. TAYLOR INSTITUTE IRON RIVER, WIS.

GOLD MEDAL FLOUR JOHN McMURCHY, Manager. J. A. PATTERSON, M. D., C. M. Physician in Charge.

IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Electric Irons, Electric Heating Pads, Electric Shaving Mugs, Electric Percolators, Electric Heaters, Electric Portable Lamps, latest designs, Art Glass Shades and a new line of Electric Fixtures.

MARQUETTE COUNTY GAS & ELECTRIC CO.



# THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

NEGAUNEE, MICHIGAN.

## IF YOU HAVE

BANKING BUSINESS we want to serve you. We know how to render acceptable service and our equipment, facilities and connections are the best. It has always been our desire to be helpful to our customers and a score of years' experience qualifies us to fill every requirement of the most exacting.

TALK TO US ABOUT IT.

# The Negaunee State Bank

CAPITALIZATION \$50,000

A HOME BANK

### OFFICERS:

FRANK A. BELL, President.  
THOMAS PELLOW, vice president  
THOMAS PASCOE, Cashier.

### DIRECTORS:

Frank A. Bell, Thomas Pellow,  
John W. Elliott, Thomas Connors,  
John Huhtala and Thomas Pascoe.

\$1.00—Will Open a Savings Account—\$1.00

## JEWELRY

NEW EFFECTS IN BELT PINS, COLLAR PINS, RINGS and Miscellaneous JEWELRY.

Our stock is especially selected with the view of meeting the wants of our customers.

### J. M. PERKINS

Jewelry and Stationery. 9-21-3m. Negaunee, Michigan.

## EVERYBODY COME TO

# Negaunee Candy Kitchen

and see the great amount of candy SANTA CLAUS has ordered us to make for your Christmas.

Nut Candy, Mixed Chocolates, Candy Canes, Candy in boxes of all sizes.

Fruits of all kinds and Mixed Nuts.

Special prices to schools and churches.

### JOHN LAFKAS

Negaunee 12-15-eod Michigan.

Mining Journal Wants Bring Results

## Negaunee Department

(Additional Negaunee on Page Ten.)

### VICTOR MAKKI'S BODY RECOVERED

RESCUERS EXPECT TO SOON FIND OSCAR MATTILA, THE REMAINING VICTIM OF THE CAVE-IN AT THE NEGAUNEE MINE.

The men who have been working since a week ago Monday night, in the search for the four miners who were caught by the cave-in at the Negaunee mine, came upon the body of Victor Makki a few minutes before 12 o'clock yesterday. The body was found in an opening off to one side, near the breast of the main drift. There are several openings nearby that were almost completely filled with broken timber and ground, and as it is impossible to tell just where the men went in their efforts to escape, all are being cleared out. The condition of Makki's body indicates that he was killed instantly. Most of his clothes were torn off and his body was badly mutilated.

It was reported from the mine yesterday that the men engaged in the rescue work expected to locate the body of Oscar Mattila, the remaining victim at any time, but there is still a considerable quantity of loose ground in the opening where the men are working. Two crews were employed yesterday, one in the opening near the breast of the drift, and the other in the sub-level above, where Makki and Mattila were employed. It is thought that when the ground started to come in Mattila may have gone in a different direction from the one taken by his partner, and he may be located some distance away. There was a good-sized opening above, where Makki and Mattila were employed, in making his getaway from the opening ground. On account of the unsettled condition of the hanging, the men have been obliged to work cautiously and to be careful in the placing of timber. Each crew is putting in but a brief time when they are permitted to rest.

In view of the fact that Makki was not found alive it is generally thought that Mattila was also killed outright by the fall, as all of the openings appear to have been almost completely filled with ground, giving him little chance to find an enclosure similar to the one in which Frank Condello was entombed. Should he be found alive he will doubtless be in much worse condition than Condello was when he was taken out.

The finding of Condello alive was hailed with great delight by Superintendent Elliott, Captain Ware and all of the men employed at the mine. Practically all of the ground removed from the drift has been hoisted to surface. All of the men will be much pleased if Mattila is found before Christmas, as they want to have an opportunity to spend the holiday at their homes. If the body is not recovered the work will be continued through Christmas. Judging from the sentiment expressed by the men, Superintendent Elliott will have no trouble finding all the volunteers he will need to continue the search.

A view of one of Marquette county's beauty spots makes a gift of special interest.

(12-23-14) ISRAEL'S STUDIO.

You will find a complete line of silverware suitable for Christmas gifts at J. J. Wentela's store, Negaunee, Mich. (12-22-31)

CONDELLO RETURNS HOME.

Frank Condello, the miner, who was rescued from the Negaunee mine where he was entombed for seven days, was discharged from the hospital yesterday morning, and is now with his family at the Blue mine location. The only injury sustained by Condello was the one to his left hand, which was caught between the crashing timbers when the ground came down. One of the bones was fractured. He gained strength rapidly as a result of the treatment given him at the hospital and he left there in fine physical condition.

TO THE LADIES.

During January I will make silk and cotton shirt waists at \$1 each. MISS MAE GRENIER, Kirkwood Block, Negaunee, Mich. (12-22-41-6)

"Silver Lining" a moonlight effect of Teal Lake, printed in green, at Israel's Studio. (12-23-14)

MINER MET DEATH.

Underground Workman at the Lillie Property Killed Yesterday Morning.

Marto Makki, a miner, employed at the Lillie property of the Republic, Iron & Steel company, was killed yesterday morning about 8 o'clock. Makki and his partner, who were working in a sub-level above the sixth level, blasted five holes Wednesday night just before quitting work. As soon as they started in yesterday morning they began to trim the loose ground in the hanging. A chunk larger than Makki expected to bring down with his bar, fell and struck him on the head, fracturing his neck. He lived about thirty minutes and he was conscious most of the time.

The deceased was a native of Finland and was about twenty-two years of age. He came to this country about three months ago and had been working at the Lillie two months. He boarded with a family on Tobin street. He was known to very few people in Negaunee.

Coroner William Prin was called to the city yesterday morning and he empanelled a jury, the members of which viewed the remains at Undertaker Dave's morgue. An adjournment was taken until this morning at 9 o'clock, when the inquest will be held.

It will pay you to visit J. J. Wentela's jewelry store if you are looking for suitable holiday gifts. The stock of cut glass, silverware, hand-painted china, watches, rings and jewelry of all kinds is complete with prices reasonable. (12-22-31)

### CHRISTMAS SERVICE.

Midnight mass will be celebrated tonight, commencing at 12 o'clock, at St. Paul's church. There will be three masses tomorrow, the first at 8, children's mass at 9 and a high mass at 10:30 o'clock. All of the services the annual collection will be taken up for the orphans of the diocese. Last year \$300 was contributed for the orphans by the members of St. Paul's church, there being only one other congregation in the diocese that gave a larger amount. At the midnight mass, also at the high mass, the choir will be assisted by Edward Hickey and Henry Navins, soloists, of Ishpeming.

If you are looking for largains in cut glass and hand-painted china visit J. J. Wentela's jewelry store. (12-22-31)

In Sepia, green and black tone, views of Cliff drive, Marquette Road, and Teal Lake for Christmas gifts at Israel's Studio. (12-23-14)

### BEAN GUESSING CONTEST.

The guessing contest conducted by the Carpenter-Cook company was brought to a close Thursday evening at J. M. Perkins' drug store. The number of Paragon coffee beans in a jar in the store window were counted by a committee, of which Thomas Pascoe, cashier of the Negaunee State bank, was chairman. There were 3,782 beans in the jar. John Johnson won the first prize of \$5, he having guessed 3,772. Lamp Oil of Mine street, got second prize, \$3, with a guess of 3,790 and Lillie Olla, a six-year-old girl living on Cherry street, the third prize of \$2, her guess being 3,792.

I have just received a fine selection of watches, fountains, rings and lockets, which will be sold at reasonable prices. Patrons are cordially invited to call and inspect the stock J. J. Wentela. (12-22-31)

### 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 also a handsome 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, guaranteed 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 in the Coples block, Iron street, Negaunee. (12-4-7-10-14-17-21-24)

We wish you a Merry Christmas and many of them.

...THE...

# Negaunee National Bank

Negaunee, Mich.

## Here Are a Few Suggestions

Have you noticed the assortment we have of Gift articles? You can find most anything at KIRKWOOD'S.

- Safety Razors
- Military Hair Brushes
- Fine Line of Pipes
- Fountain Pens
- Cigarette and Cigar Cases
- Post Card Albums
- Hand Bags
- Games, assorted
- Fancy Stationery in Fancy Packages
- Nicely Bound Books
- Back Hair Combs
- Gold Rosaries
- Emerald Rosaries
- Amethyst Rosaries
- Perfumes
- Toilet Sets
- Writing Sets
- Fancy Ink Wells
- Holly Boxes

# T. P. Kirkwood

## THE NEGAUNEE PHARMACY.

We have a fine line of Candies for Christmas just in from the makers. Chocolates, Bon Bons, Candied Fruits, Gunther's of Chicago, Sterling's of Boston, Fernke's of Milwaukee, Johnson's of Milwaukee, American Candy Co., Winkler's, Duluth.

# The Savings Bank

LEVINE BROS., Props.,

Offers Today All the Remaining

# Toys, Dolls, China, Toilet Articles, at 1-2 and 1-4 Off.

### CITY TEEMS WITH YULETIDE SPIRIT

BOTH BUYERS AND SELLERS ARE HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS, AND FUTURE IS BRIGHT.

### POOR TO FARE SUMPTUOUSLY

Generous Response to Appeal of Salvation Army Makes It Possible for All to Have Good Dinners Tomorrow.

Marquette will have a merry Christmas, thank you. All over the city—in the homes, in the stores, everywhere—the Christmas spirit is in evidence. People generally are in better financial circumstances than a year ago and will be able to celebrate the most generally observed of all holidays more elaborately than last year.

The merchants of the city, with a few exceptions, report a very satisfactory holiday trade and a larger volume of business than for the same period last year. One unique feature of this year's shopping has been that it started a week or two earlier than usual and consequently has been spread out over a longer period, the result of which is that the much dreaded holiday rush has not come, and it is not thought it will come. However, several of the merchants report that their sales Wednesday were considerably in excess of the corresponding day last year, and the number of shoppers yesterday indicated that the sales would at least reach the average for the second day before Christmas.

One merchant stated yesterday that the general demand was for a better grade of goods than usual, and that he had been compelled to replenish a number of his higher priced lines, while his shelves were still well filled with the cheaper articles. This is an indication that the people have more money and are spending it with freer hand, a condition that is entirely gratifying to the shop keepers.

"What is doing more than any other thing to hurt the holiday business in Marquette," said one dealer, "is the church fairs, several of which have been held the last few weeks. I am glad to say that two of the churches had no fairs this year, and all of them would be discontinued if the church-going people realized the injustice they do to the merchants. These fairs come in direct competition with the merchants and rob us of a share of our legitimate trade. Not only that, but we are asked to donate articles to be sold at these fairs. In other words, we are even asked to furnish the club with which to be beaten on the head."

Grocers and meat dealers, from whom the groundwork of the Christmas dinner is to be had, are carrying an exceptionally fine and varied stock. Practically all of these establishments show unmistakable evidence of the Yuletide season

and necessities and luxuries are there to satisfy the most fastidious tastes. Poultry is more scarce and slightly higher in price than Thanksgiving time. Turkeys are now retailing at twenty-five and twenty-six cents, and even at that figure, the dealers state that there is little profit in handling them. New York city turkeys are reported to be selling around forty cents, and three car loads were sold in Chicago yesterday at wholesale for twenty-four cents. The birds handled by the local dealers have been of fine quality.

Thanks to the well directed efforts of the Salvation Army and the hearty response to their appeals by the public, the poor of the city will be better cared for in the matter of a Christmas dinner than ever before. The children of the public schools, more than anyone else, have made this possible. The sum total of the donations of the school children, which were on exhibition in the Salvation Army hall yesterday afternoon, was a wonderful revelation. They consisted of five sleigh loads of all kinds of vegetables, fruit, provisions, canned goods, jellies, preserves, meat, and other eatables. Nearly every child contributed something to the cause of charity and put all together, it looked like the stock of an entire grocery store.

With the money that has been given the Salvation Army, fifteen turkeys and 250 pounds of chicken have been purchased; also, flour, sugar, staple articles, and food and clothing where it is needed. Something has been spent to give the children a treat at the Christmas tree exercises to be held in the Salvation Army hall Monday evening.

### WOMAN FOUND DEAD.

Mrs. Isabel Coffman Passes Away During Night from Apoplexy.

Mrs. Isabel Coffman, widow of Alfred Coffman, was found dead on the floor of her home on Furnace street early yesterday morning, in which place she was sleeping when her fifteen-year-old grandson, Louis, and her stepson, Mr. Bayfield, went to bed the night before. Bayfield got up early yesterday morning and, according to the boy's story, went out of the house without going into the room where Mrs. Coffman lay. Since then he has not been seen and it is not known where he may have gone.

All things considered, the people of Marquette are happy and prosperous, in the proper mood for a merry Christmas, with rosy prospects for a happy new year.

For instance, a friend at Negaunee wishes to send a Marquette resident a package of dress goods, weighing eight pounds. The postmaster at Negaunee will drop it like a piece of molten metal because it exceeds the regulation weight. It must be sent by express. Yet philanthropic Uncle Sam will carry the same weight—and three pounds more—to the Atlantic seaboard, pay its passage on the Lusitania, Mauretania, or whatever the boat may be, and engage a Swiss mountain climber to drop it in the cabin door of the Alp-side dweller.

### AMERICAN GIRL GETS THE WORST OF IT

IS CHEAPER TO SEND A BOX OF BON BONS TO HONG KONG BY MAIL THAN TO YOUR SWEETHEART NEXT DOOR.

If you were to send a Christmas two-pound box of bon bons to a best girl in London, Copenhagen or Hong Kong by mail it would cost you twenty-four cents, while if you wished to get the same sized gift to a sweetheart in Negaunee or Ishpeming, or even next door, you would pay Uncle Sam thirty-two cents or call yourself. It may be a business paradox, but the postoffice department will charge more to shoot a package out of the back door into the city hall, than it will to send the same parcel to any point in Europe or Asia.

Your Uncle Sam discriminates against the American girl in another way, too. For instance, referring again to the box of candy, he will good-naturedly tote four pounds, six ounces, to France or Sweden, or eleven pounds to almost any other part of the world, including Australia, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Hong Kong, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Great Britain and Ireland. But offer him a heart-shaped box, weighing, including the wrapping, just a hair more than four pounds, with a request to take it to Birch, he will scowl and say, "Send her something lighter. We don't accept anything over four pounds." What applies to candy and Christmas gifts applies to other bundles of merchandise and stands the year round.

Merchandise going by mail to any destination in the United States is charged sixteen cents a pound. For twelve cents, the same merchandise can be sent to almost any point in the world, no matter how inaccessible. This differential is the concession which the United States has been forced to make to those nations that have adopted the parcel post. Wherefore, a goatherd dwelling in a Swiss village half way up the Alps is nearer the Marquette postoffice and some of the advantages of civilization than the most favored residents of this city.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. The American District Telegraph company is prepared to furnish Messenger Boys for the delivery of Christmas or other packages. Offices with the Western Union. Both telephones. (12-24-11)

ELI QUIGNON, TRUCKER. Removes ashes and garbage. Order by phone, Bell 458-J. (6-7-11)

### Jacob Rose SMOKING JACKETS



The Solid Comfort

and luxury that any man can derive from a Smoking Jacket makes it the happiest gift selection that can be chosen. Our holiday exhibit is of interest to all from its variety in rich designs, fabrics and price range.


\$5 to \$12.

THE STORE OF QUALITY

### SPECIAL RATES FOR THE HOLIDAYS

The Marquette & Southeastern railway will have on sale excursion tickets between all points on the line at the rate of a fare and one-third for the round trip. Tickets will be sold on Dec. 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31, 1909, and Jan. 1, 1910. Good for return until Jan. 4, 1910. (12-17-51)

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.



**To Open an Account by Mail**

with the First National Bank of Marquette is so easy and convenient that you should avail yourself of the opportunities it affords you.

You will be pleased to know how much time it will save you to make your deposits with this Strong and Obliging Banking Institution by Mail.

You can remit by postoffice or express money order, bank draft or registered letter.

Write us for further particulars.

**3 PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS.**

Send for our booklet entitled "Modern Banking."

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MARQUETTE, MICH.

**Designated United States Depository.**

CAPITAL, SURPLUS AND PROFITS . . . . . \$250,000.00

**Plenty of Goods for the Late Gift Buyers**

We bought our holiday stock with the idea of having enough of everything to last until Christmas eve. Although our sales already have far exceeded our expectations we still have plenty of desirable gift goods. But don't fail to get here at your earliest opportunity—the last days before Christmas are rush days and somebody else may pick off just what you wanted to give. If you've been puzzled about your giving you'll quickly decide what to give when you see our stock. It includes:

- Fancy Staples, Cigars, Candy, Stationery, Toilet Articles, Hair Brushes, Combs, Perfumes, Nail Clippers, etc.

**Desjardins' Pharmacy**  
417 North Third Street.

**Tetter, Salt Rheum and Eczema**  
Are cured by Chamberlain's Salve. One application relieves the itching and burning sensation.

**FLOWERS FOR CHRISTMAS**

—FROM—

**SORENSEN'S GREENHOUSES**  
MARQUETTE.

Give plants and flowers your consideration for Christmas Gifts. Such gifts are always most acceptable. You cannot make a mistake because everyone loves beautiful plants and flowers.

This year we have many varieties, such as POINSETTIAS, HYACINTHS, AZALEAS, CYCIAMEN and others for Christmas.

Telephone, telegraph or write us—we get many out-of-town orders. Our customers know we give good value and we wouldn't jeopardize this confidence by sending anything but what was fully worth the price.

**Plants, Cut Flowers, Ferns, Palms, Holly Wreaths, Mistletoe and Flowers for Decorating Purposes,**

**T. M. SORENSON**

Greenhouses, Down town store,  
N. Third Street. Washington St.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A Prosperous New Year**

We are grateful for your patronage in the past and with a continuance of the same we will endeavor to please you. Our aim, always, is to please our customers. When we have done that to the best of our ability, then we are both satisfied.

**The Hub Clothing Store is where people save money. We sell on a close margin. We have dependable Clothing at reasonable prices; also a line of Gift Goods as follows:**

- Fur Collars,
- Fur Overcoats,
- Fur Caps,
- Fur Lined Gloves,
- Wool Sweaters,
- Hats and Caps,
- Knitted Neck Scarfs,
- Fur Lined Mittens,
- Fancy Night Robes,
- Silk Mufflers,
- Valises.

**REMEMBER THE PLACE TO SAVE MONEY IS AT**

**THE HUB**  
MARQUETTE, MICH.

Washington St., Near Corner Front.

- Silk Suspenders,
- Fancy Neckwear,
- Silk Handkerchiefs,
- Knit Vests,
- Fine Shoes,
- Trunks,
- A Suit of Clothes,
- Full Dress Shirts,
- Fancy Hose,
- Fancy Shirts,
- Traveling Bags.

