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GIVES BIG TRUST A RAKING-OVER

Attorney General Wickersham Uses Vigorous Language in Condemning Alleged Illegal Methods of the Tobacco Combination.

Asking a Decree, the Effect of Which Would Be to Squelch the Monopoly, He Files in the Supreme Court of the United States a 268-Page Brief Teeming With Denunciation of the Oppression He Charges Has Been Practiced.

Washington, Dec. 30.—In a printed brief of 268 pages, Attorney General Wickersham today presented to the supreme court of the United States the government's case in the famous tobacco trust suits, which will be argued next week.

The federal court of New York dismissed the petition as to the foreign-tobacco companies and some subordinate American companies and adjudge the others to be parties to an unlawful conspiracy, enjoining them from continuing their operations and engaging in interstate commerce. The attorney general asks the supreme court to extend these findings so as to take in the foreign companies, and some individuals. Many other extensions of the judgment are also requested.

The various coalitions are traced in the brief, which states that the combination's assets now amount to \$400,000,000; that it manufactures all the cigars for export, almost three-fourths of the plug, twist and insect tobacco, almost all the snuff and much of the cigars. It is declared that "the defendants have persistently exercised duress, practiced wicked and unfair methods and used their great power in oppressive ways," all this actuated by a fixed purpose to destroy competition and obtain monopolies.

Putting aside for the time the effect of the Sherman anti-trust law, under which the suit was brought, Mr. Wickersham lays down the proposition that "the right freely to buy, sell and transfer property is not a fundamental right to be exercised without limitation, but is subordinate to public policy and the lawfully expressed will of congress." He declares that substantially all the jobs in New England were induced to do those of Philadelphia and New York and other cities.

"Competition has been persistently destroyed; skilled men have been driven from the trade, and many long followed have been to give the defendants power to exclude others and exercise monopoly," Mr. Wickersham holds that a receiver should be appointed for the combination, and adds: "The very existence of certain of the defendants is criminal; they cannot rightfully complain because restrained from carrying out the unlawful purposes of their creation; they wilfully are in a position where their every act is a transgression."

LIPPELLED JOHN D. R.
\$500 Fine Against Hearst Paper Is Upheld by Appellate Court.

New York, Dec. 30.—The appellate division of the supreme court today upheld the \$500 fine imposed against the publishers of the New York American for libeling John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

In defending the suit, Clarence J. Shearn argued that a corporation, "having neither soul, conscience, mind or feeling, is incapable of entertaining malicious intent, which is the essential element in criminal libel."

The court held that while it was one thing to say that a corporation could not commit a crime following upon the extension of the practice of organizing corporations for the purpose of avoiding the penalties of alleged acts, the courts have reached a different conclusion.

The libel thus reaffirmed states that Mr. Rockefeller had originated a system of penance in a stockade at the Corn Products Refining company's plant at Summit, Ill.

JUDGE ORDERS ITS DISSOLUTION.
Kansas City Livestock Exchange Association Is Declared a Trust.

Kansas City, Dec. 30.—Judge Tracy, of the district court, today declared the Traders' Livestock Exchange association a trust whose methods violate the Kansas anti-trust law, and ordered the association dissolved.

NEW TRIAL FOR GENERAL BOOTH
New York, Dec. 30.—General Wm Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, was granted a new trial today in his effort to oust the American Salvation Army.

The original suit brought in 1907, was against General Booth, who had asked a permanent injunction for ousting the American army of the use of the annual and ritual of the Salvation Army and directing the members of the army army to surrender their uniforms.

BAD BOATING ACCIDENT.
London, Dec. 30.—A Vienna special dispatch says: "Twenty-three Croatian peasants, including seventeen young women, were drowned in a boating accident near Karlowitz, Austria-Hungary, on Christmas."

If you want a thing well done, hire some one to do it who knows how.

WILL BOYCOTT WHEN PRICES GET TOO HIGH.

With Congressmen Taking Prominent Part in the Proceedings, the National Anti-Trust League Is Launched at a Mass Meeting at Washington D. C.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Plans for a national boycott of those combinations that increase the cost of living were laid tonight when the National Anti-Trust League was launched.

Steps will be taken toward perfecting state organizations. Then when prices soar the league members, by stopping the use of articles which rise above the local level, will refuse to furnish a market. No organization was effected, but it was agreed that the crusade be non-political. As soon as congress reconvenes a permanent organization will be effected.

Among the speakers were Representatives Champ Clark, Alexander and Murphy, of Missouri; Martin, of South Dakota; Kirkland, of Nebraska; McKinley, of California; and Morgan, of Oklahoma. A letter of regret was received from Mr. Bartholdt, of Missouri.

Women will be members and will have equal voice in the organization. "We furnish the purses," said one of the speakers, "but our wives and sisters and mothers make the disbursements. We have got to have the women with us."

The league will endeavor to have the congressmen and senators interest themselves in the organization of state branches. A nominal fee will be charged, probably twenty-five cents a year, to cover the cost of mailing proclamations against articles of food that are pushed too high.

BIG FUND IN SIGHT FOR CHERRY PEOPLE.

Aside from \$200,000 Already Received from Insurance Companies and Other Sources, It Is Expected That Some \$500,000 Will Be Available for Distribution.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Ernst P. Bicknell, national director of the Red Cross society, who was here today, enroute to Chicago, announced his intention to call a conference of the foreign consuls in Chicago, preliminary to the final disbursement of the fund to the widows and children of the mine disaster victims. The society is now awaiting the sanction of the Illinois United Mine Workers and the legislature to its joint permanent relief plan.

"According to my figures," said Mr. Bicknell, "the sum of \$194,000 has been paid to the families. About \$100,000 of this came from life insurance, \$25,000 from the United Mine Workers and \$40,000 from the coal company in two payments. There is now \$150,000 awaiting distribution. The Red Cross has \$300,000. If all this is paid, the fund is \$222,000 held in Illinois cities awaiting the adoption of the distribution plan. It is estimated that the St. Paul Coal company will give \$200,000, the state will appropriate \$100,000 and the Carnegie fund is expected to donate about \$50,000. Out of this, 185 widows and 453 children will be cared for."

IT AMUSES MR. CARNEGIE.

Nicaraguan Congress Takes a Jocular Offer of \$20,000,000 Seriously.

Managua, Dec. 30.—A vote of thanks was voted Andrew Carnegie in the congress today on the strength of a dispatch published here, quoting him as ready to donate \$20,000,000 to assure peace in Central America.

The congress authorized the abolition of the tobacco and alcohol monopolies, which now become government property. The sitting was interrupted by Gomez, Zelaya's lieutenant, who hooted vehemently and was told to "disgorge" when he opposed the authorization of further war taxes. Gomez finally lost his temper and hurled a glass of water in the face of a tormentor in the public gallery. Guards then ejected all but the deputies.

New York, Dec. 30.—The seriousness with which Nicaragua has taken Andrew Carnegie's reputed offer of a \$20,000,000 endowment to insure peace in Central America has greatly amused Mr. Carnegie. The offer was reported jocularly from Pittsburgh when Mr. Carnegie was supposed to be dining there with Secretary Knox. Mr. Carnegie has since denied it.

Gay Is Administered to Zelaya.
Mexico City, Dec. 30.—Former President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, called upon President Diaz today. Zelaya said the object of his visit was to express his thanks for the courtesies he has received. That President Diaz whispered to Zelaya that it would be wise for him to refrain from too freely expressing opinions was admitted by Zelaya's secretary tonight. Zelaya's visit to the national palace lasted half an hour. The meeting was devoid of official character.

A friend today Zelaya said that after two or three months he would go to Brussels, where he personally would supervise the education of his child, Zelaya himself attended school in Belgium and France.

TAKEN TO NEW JERSEY FOR TRIAL.
Oey Sneed's Mother and Aunt Must Answer for Her Death.

New York, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Carolina Martin, mother of Oey Sneed, the bathtub victim, and Mrs. Mary Sneed were taken to Newark, N. J., to answer to charges of having caused the woman's death.

BOSTONIAN APPOINTED COACH.
Boston, Dec. 30.—Jeremiah D. Delaney, of this city, widely known in athletic circles, received word tonight that he has been appointed coach of the track team of Iowa State University.

Another love affair is the best cement for a broken heart.

"SMOKES" ENOUGH FOR A LIFE-TIME

Laden With a Few Barrels of Cigars, 'Uncle Joe' Cannon Returns to the Capital from His Home in Illinois.

Every One Who Remembered Him at Christmas Time Appears to Have Been Inspired With One Idea, for Practically All of His Gifts Are Boxes of Choice "Cheroots"—He Is in the Best of Health and Is Ready for the Coming Fray.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Congressman Cannon, laden with a few barrels of Christmas cigars, returned to Washington tonight. The speaker spent Christmas at his home in Danville, where he acted the role of Santa Claus for his grandchildren. Apparently there was a unanimity of judgment in the bestowal of holiday remembrances, for his gifts were practically all cigars.

"Uncle Joe" declared that he was in the best of health, and he certainly looked it. His cheeks were ruddy and he was brimming with energy when he swung off the steps of the Pullman and helped his daughter to the platform. He spent the evening before his library fire, chatting with friends. He received no talk politics, and when asked about his prescriptions to meet the advertised onslaught of the house "insurgents," he merely smiled. He smiled more broadly when asked about his reported decision to relinquish the speakership. The sarcastic manner in which his lip curled, however, convinced his friends that the rumors may not be taken seriously.

PRESIDENT IN ATTENDANCE.

Miss Louise Taft, His Niece, Becomes Bride of Seattle Man.

New York, Dec. 30.—Miss Louise Walbridge Taft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft and niece of the president, was married this afternoon in the home of her parents to George W. Snowden of Seattle. The invitations were limited on account of the recent death of Mrs. House D. Taft, aunt of the bride. The president came from Washington, but Mrs. Taft's health did not permit her to make the journey. The president was accompanied by his daughter Helen and his sons Robert and Charles. Rev. Dr. Bacon, pastor of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, performed the ceremony. Mr. Snowden and his bride have been acquainted since childhood.

President Taft occupied a box at a theater tonight, and his brother Henry one adjoining. The president started for Washington at midnight. Police lined the streets in the neighborhood of the theater and a large escort of mounted men accompanied the party to the ferry.

LABOR CASES CARRIED UP.

Bucks Company Affair Reaches the United States Supreme Court.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The cross appeal of the American Federation of Labor in the case of the Bucks Store & Range company, which has sought to enjoin the federation from boycotting the company's goods, was docketed today in the supreme court of the United States. The contempt proceedings against President Gompers, Director Mitchell and Secretary Morrison in connection with the same case, and which resulted in a sentence of imprisonment for all three, has been brought to the highest court by the certiorari process. Both branches of the case probably will be heard about the same time.

CONFER WITH PINCHOT.

Professors of Forestry from Many Schools Meet in Washington.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Professors of forestry representative of practically all the forestry schools in the country met today with Chief Forester Pinchot and discussed plans to further forestry education. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson welcomed the conferees. The conferees represent the Universities of Yale, Harvard, Michigan, Columbia, Lehigh, Maine, Minnesota, Nebraska, Washington, Iowa, Pennsylvania, Toronto and New Brunswick.

NOT A CENT FOUND MISSING.

Counting of the Treasury Cash a Work Requiring Almost Two Months.

Washington, Dec. 30.—Counting the coins and securities in the United States treasury has taken a committee of four supervisors and thirty to forty counting experts almost two months. It was the quickest count on record. Upon the retirement of Treasurer Treat it became necessary to count the contents of the vaults. Treasurer Lee McClung will give a receipt Monday to Mr. Treat for \$1,250,000,737.23. Not a cent was found missing.

BURIED TWENTY-EIGHT HOURS.

Superintendent of an Oklahoma Coal Mine Is Rescued Alive.

McAlester, Okla., Dec. 30.—After having been entombed twenty-eight hours in a smoke-filled out of the Bolen-Durand company's coal mine, near here, where an explosion occurred Tuesday, Superintendent John Brown was rescued alive, but unconscious, this morning. He may recover.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Partly cloudy, Friday and Saturday; warmer, Sunday.

RAILROAD IS BUNKOED OUT OF MUCH MONEY.

Through the Fraudulent Disposal of Trip Passes, the Great Northern Is Said to Have Lost \$125,000 to \$150,000 per Annum for Several Years.

St. Paul, Dec. 30.—A fraudulent disposal of trip passes, whereby the Great Northern railroad, it is said, has lost \$125,000 to \$150,000 a year for several years, developed today in connection with the arrest of Paul Carlson, a saloon keeper on the charge of illegally disposing of some of the passes. The police say that several employes of the railroad will be arrested, and that one has confessed his connection with the matter.

CHICAGO MAN'S WILL DISPOSES OF \$4,000,000.

Of the Fortune Left by the Late Thos. Murdock, Wholesale Grocer, More Than One-Half Goes to Religious, Educational and Charitable Institutions.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—The will of Thomas Murdock, former president of Reid, Murdoch & Co., wholesale grocers, who died Christmas day, disposes of an estate valued at approximately \$4,000,000, of which more than \$2,000,000 is bequeathed to religious, educational and charitable institutions.

The principal beneficiaries are the Presbyterian hospital of Chicago, the American Sunday School union and the Y. M. C. A. of Chicago. Each of these will receive one-third of the residue of the estate, outside of other specified bequests, or nearly two-thirds of the whole.

The bequests to relatives, friends, employes, churches and other charitable institutions aggregate less than \$2,000,000. To churches and charitable institutions, other than the three principal beneficiaries, is given \$300,000.

Mr. Murdock, who was a bachelor, left \$900,000 to the widow and children of James Murdock, and \$400,000 to the children of John Murdock, the deceased's brothers.

The deceased in 1855 engaged in the wholesale provision trade at Buffalo, N. Y. He moved the business to Dubuque, Ia., in 1856, and in 1864 he organized Reid, Murdoch & Co.

NO NAVIGATION FOR WEEKS.

Ohio River Is Frozen Solidly from Pittsburgh to Cincinnati.

Pittsburg, Dec. 30.—Zero weather tonight effectively checked the flood which inundated Pittsburg and points below on the Ohio river. The river is frozen solidly from Pittsburg to Cincinnati. Navigation will be suspended for weeks. The loss to shippers and river operators will total close to half a million dollars.

Sudden Rise in Temperature Alarms.

Cincinnati, Friday, Dec. 31.—With a sudden change of direction, the thermometer at 1 o'clock this morning rose to twenty-two degrees above zero, a rise of twenty-five degrees in eighteen hours.

With a rapid rise in temperature, it is reported that the ice in the Ohio river is breaking in places. The temperature is expected to drop to a freeze like the one in 1895, when the mercury dropped to five below zero, but the lowest temperature recorded at Tamiami this morning was two degrees below zero in Cincinnati, and everywhere the cold wave has left evidence of its visit.

Tonight east of the Mississippi valley the temperatures are fifteen to twenty-six degrees below the seasonal average. In the northern region the mercury is below twenty below the seasonal average. General moderation is predicted many of the residents of the city to tomorrow.

WOUNDED IN A DUEL.

Earl Percy, Prominent British Politician, Succumbs at Paris.

London, Dec. 30.—Word was received here tonight of the death at Paris today of Earl Percy (Algernon George), formerly under secretary of state for foreign affairs. The death was the result, it is intimated, of a wound received in a recent duel.

A Similar Affair in Cuba.

Havana, Dec. 30.—The Cuban minister, Sr. Soler, is confined to his home with a wounded hand which, according to general rumor, he received in a duel with a Cuban who is alleged to have insulted the minister's wife. The Cuban is reported to have been killed. Every effort has been made to suppress the publication of the details.

RAY LAMPHERE DEAD.

Laporte, Ind., Dec. 30.—Ray Lamphere, the slayer of Belle Guinness and her children, died tonight of tuberculosis. His demise took place at the Michigan City penitentiary, where he was serving a sentence for arson. Lamphere set fire to the Guinness home and incinerated the family. He was attended at death by the prison chaplain, but made no statement about the Guinness case so far as known.

FRENCH PRESIDENT NOT ILL.

Paris, Dec. 30.—The reports that President Fallieres is ill are officially declared false. The president spent the day hunting.

ATHLETIC WORLD MUCH PERTURBED

Not in Several Years Has There Been as Much Dissension as Has Broken Out During the Present Winter.

Jealousy of the East at the Growing Prominence of the West in Various Departments of Sport Appears to Be the Root of the Trouble, and the Breach Is Growing Wider—Golfing, Tennis and Skating Situations All Badly Muddled.

New York, Dec. 30.—"All of these controversies," said James E. Sullivan, former president of the American Athletic union, today, referring to the breach between the East and the West in golfing, tennis, skating and some lesser departments of national sport, "are much to be regretted; but mark this: They will all result in a cleaner and broader basis for athletics in this country."

Although the present winter has seen already more dissension than in several years, it is Mr. Sullivan's belief that the present sectional division of sports will constantly broaden toward the national ideal. And one necessity to that end, he holds, is a supreme court of appeals in all sports.

Tide Constantly Moving Westward.
"There are three or four million people in organized athletic of all sorts in this country," said Mr. Sullivan, "and the center of that athletic population is constantly moving westward. Thirty years ago it was concentrated in and around New York, but we have been around time after time to acknowledge that the West is rapidly effecting a balance in the country's athletic interests."

"The American Athletic union this year held its national championships at Seattle; next year they will be held at New Orleans, and a Chicago man is now president of the union. These moves show the tide naturally and have resulted in general benefit to sports."

Mr. Sullivan is not only optimistic for American sports, but is confident that an international idea will develop. "We must have," he says, "and we shall have some day an international board of control with international rules and regulations."

Of skating, Mr. Sullivan said: "Our organization has an alliance with the International Skating union whereby it is required that we sanction its decisions. The situation brought up by the present breach between the East and the West is complicated. I don't know what stand our organization will take."

"The Eastern Amateur Skating association, with which the Western association has broken off relations, has just applied to the American Athletic union for articles of alliance obligating us to recognize the Eastern association as in supreme control of amateur skating in the East. I have forwarded the application to Mr. Frown, the new president of the American Athletic union, in Chicago."

Easterners Much Nettled.

At the headquarters of the Eastern Amateur Skating association there is much indignation over the report from Chicago that the International Skating union has eliminated it from the governing body of skating. "That announcement is premature," said President Hemment, of the Eastern association.

New York has been notified tonight by the secretary of the International Skating union that the Eastern Amateur Skating association had forfeited its membership in the union for failure to comply with the orders of the parent body. Mr. Hemment asserted that the whole dispute originated in the alleged failure of Edmund Lamy, national skating champion, to pay twenty-five cents registration fee in the Eastern Skating association.

The fact that the Western association has broken off relations with the Eastern body is completely ignored here. "We shall continue to send our skaters," he said, "and we will continue to recognize Westerners here. But in the matter of the National Union's rights in this case of Lamy, we shall fight to a finish."

Though the tennis and golf situations have developed no new phases the last few days, it is evident, the leaders say that the breach between the East and the West is wide. Especially it would appear that if the National Lawn Tennis association, which meets here soon, does not recognize the Western demand for a clay court national tournament, the Westerners will withdraw.

Annual Ranking of the Players.

The annual ranking of the tennis players was issued today. Wm. A. Larned, national champion, is again at the top, and in a class by himself, W. J. Cloutier, who ranked second, is alone in class two. The ranking committee consisted of Dr. P. B. Hawk, of the University of Wisconsin, chairman; Beals C. Wright, of Boston, and C. E. Watson, Jr., of Orange, N. J.

The unexpected happened when Wallace F. Johnson, of the University of Pennsylvania, was given third place. That he richly deserved the station was the opinion of the experts, yet two Californians—M. E. McLoughlin and M. H. Long—on account of their positions on the Davis international cup team, were regarded as being sure of a rating with in the first five. Instead, N. W. Nile, of Harvard, and R. D. Little complete the small but honored group at the top. McLoughlin and Long being rated sixth and seventh, respectively. Others, in their order, are: Karl H. Behr, E. P. Larned, Robert Leroy, R. H. Palmer, T. C. Bundy, F. C. Colston, C. E. Tullah, W. T. R. Pell, P. C. Inman and Nat Emerson.

A total of ninety-three players were ranked in the singles. H. H. Hackett and F. B. Alexander, national champions, lead in the doubles. As the challenges, M. E. McLoughlin and G. J. James follow, with the Harvard pair, N. W. Nile and A. S. Dabney, next.

LAST TRIALS AT PARIS TODAY.
Aeroplanists Are Desperately Striving to Lower the Year's Aviation Records.

Paris, Dec. 30.—Crack aeroplanists are desperately trying to lower the 1909 records for distance and height before Saturday. Latham and LeGagneux will tomorrow make their last try to beat Farman's record for the Michelin cup, which stands at 144 miles in 4 hours, 17 minutes and 35 seconds. Farman, however, is ready to defend his title if necessary.

ASKS MR. TAFT TO LEAD A HAND

Mayor Haynes of Minneapolis Wires the President Requesting His Assistance in Adjusting the Strike of the Switchmen.

Not Only Is There Much Suffering Among the Idle Men, He Declares, but the Public in General Has Been Put to Great Inconvenience—This Letter Is Denied by the Railroad—They Have Heard of No Complaint, They Say.

Minneapolis, Dec. 30.—Mayor Haynes today sent President Taft the following message: "The continuation of the switchmen's strike is highly injurious, not only to the interested parties, but to the general public. Much loss and suffering have already occurred, and this will be greatly increased unless an early settlement is effected. I trust that you will lend your official influence toward such settlement."

Similar telegrams were sent to Chairman Knapp, of the interstate commerce commission, and Labor Commissioner Neill. The mayor said the messages after a conference with the officers of the freight handlers, railway clerks and machinists' unions. Mr. Taft will meet Chairman Perham tomorrow.

MRS. CHARLES P. TAFT BUYS BASEBALL PARK.

For a Consideration of \$250,000, the Sister-in-Law of the President Becomes the Owner of the Grounds of the Philadelphia National League Club.

Philadelphia, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Chas. P. Taft of Cincinnati, sister-in-law of the president, is the new owner of the Philadelphia National League baseball grounds. She deed and lease for the property, filed this afternoon, show that she and her husband have the title. President Murphy, of the Chicago National club, represented the purchaser. The price given is \$250,000. The Philadelphia club is giving a lease on the grounds for fifty-two years, with the privilege of buying the plot at the expiration of twenty years.

Concentrated Ownership Resented.

Cincinnati, Dec. 30.—Assuming that Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Taft and Chas. W. Murphy are interested in more than one club in the National league, it is announced that it will be expected by at least one faction in the league that they dispose of their holdings in either the Chicago or Philadelphia club prior to the opening of the baseball season.

President Hemment, of the national baseball commission, said tonight: "There is at present no rule in the league preventing any one owning the stock of two clubs, but I think that if Taft and Murphy don't sell the Philadelphia club before the beginning of the season of 1910 there will be asked to do so. I believe that Mr. Taft purchased the Philadelphia park as an investment and intends to lease the grounds to the parties to whom the club is sold."

SCHEDULE COMMITTEE NAMED.

American Baseball League Will Fight for a 154-Game Agreement.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—President Johnson of the American Baseball league announced the names of his committee on today. It consists of Comiskey, of Chicago; Farrell, of New York, and Johnson. Mr. Johnson said the committee would fight for a 154-game schedule. The schedule committees of the two major leagues will meet at Pittsburgh late in January. Mr. Comiskey, following his appointment on the American league committee, asked that Hugh Duffy, the new manager of the Chicago Americans, be permitted to serve in his place. This request will probably result in a gathering of all the managers and umpires of the American league here some time in February for the purpose of discussing proposed changes of the rules.

GAS STOVE LEAKED.

Iowa Architect and Banker's Son Are Dead from Asphyxiation.

Des Moines, Dec. 30.—William Foster, a prominent architect and theatrical man, owner of Foster's Opera House, and Louis Bemis, aged seventeen, son of a banker at Spencer, Ia., who was a guest at the Foster home, were found dead from asphyxiation in adjoining rooms at the Foster residence today. A leaking gas stove in a bathroom into which both bedrooms opened was the cause of the tragedy.

Like Fatality in Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Augusta Feltner, who was preparing to celebrate her seventy-fifth New Year's Day, and her son John were found asphyxiated in their home tonight. A gas stove jet was found open.

CHRISTMAS CANDY POISONED.

One Illinois Child Is Dead and Two Are in Critical Condition.

Vanalia, Ill., Dec. 30.—One child of Charles Wasser, living northeast of here, is dead and two others are in critical condition, the result, it is believed, of poisoning. The children became ill soon after eating home-made Christmas candy.

MOTHER AWAY FROM HOME.

Children's Clothing Catches Fire and They Burn to Death.

Indianapolis, Dec. 30.—In the village of Santaclaus, an Indiana town of a few hundred population, two children were burned to death last night. During the temporary absence of the mother the children's clothes caught fire from a stove.

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Associated Press dispatches and is especially devoted to the Upper Peninsula interests.

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

Fine little explainer, Zelaya. President Taft is now busy on those special messages.

The dictum that Marquette has the best sidewalks in the U. P., does not hold for the winter season.

"Little Tim" Sullivan left an estate valued at \$500,000. Obviously he was a much better business man than the late Senator McCarren.

Whether his personal inclination may be, when it comes to the showdown Dawson T. Demans will undoubtedly heed "the demands of my party." They always do.

How about those invaluable "reforms" in the law affecting parolee convicts, secured by the police commission from the legislature early this year. Are they working? If so, how and why?

Judging from the fact that all but one of the dairymen remained away from the council committee's public hearing Wednesday evening, they don't particularly care what sort of a milk ordinance the council passes. In that event the aldermen might as well make it stiff enough.

The manner in which Gifford Pinchot has kicked up his heels this week has given rise to a report that he is to retire from the headship of the forestry service. But this is denied from Washington, on seemingly good authority, and the statement is made that the ideas of President Taft and the chief forester on the questions under discussion are one.

Auditor General Fuller has required the county treasurers to file larger bonds, because of the unusually large state tax to be collected this year. About half of them have already responded.

Census Director Durand is said to be considerably concerned because applications for appointment as census enumerators are not coming in as rapidly as he would like. The services of 68,000 of these officials is required, and applications are slow in the west and south especially, and particularly in the cities.

The Escanaba milk ordinance is one of the most advanced to be found anywhere in the country, and if it rigidly enforced the people of Escanaba need be in no doubt about the purity of their milk supply. It requires the testing of all cattle in public dairies for disease, and prohibits the sale of milk from infected animals.

Governor Warner's letter calling on the sheriffs of the state to enforce, without exceptions, the state law against prize fights has given rise to the question whether it is possible to prevent moving pictures of prize fights. The attorney general's department has given an opinion that there is no law in the statute books that puts these pictures under the ban. The difference between witnessing

a prize fight and the moving pictures of the same fight is not a material one. The same desire attracts the audience in both cases. The pictures are now so realistic that the spectator may almost as well be at the ringside. If the prize fight is demoralizing the pictures must be much more so, as for every person who witnesses the fight there are perhaps a hundred or more who see the pictures.

The traditions that college professors are wholly ineffective in public affairs is being given a shock by Alderman Merriam, of Chicago, the instigator and moving spirit in the searching investigation into the management of Chicago's business affairs that has been in progress the past several weeks and that still appears to be far from completion.

It is now nearly twenty years since Justice Grant left this circuit, to take office as one of the members of the supreme court, and in the intervening time he has rounded out a public career that has been full of credit and usefulness. He has well earned a rest, but in answer to felicitations that he would now be able to enjoy one, he informed the banqueters that it was his expectation to continue to busy himself with both public and private affairs.

By means of misrepresentation, exaggeration and false implication the administration press may be counted upon to continue its use of Pinchot as a catspaw against the president but the informed and judicial citizen will keep his bearings and continue to distinguish between essentials and non-essentials, between agitation and practical remedy.

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In compiling a list of the Hundred Worst Books one should carefully consider the necessary limitations of the inquiry, says a critic in the Atlantic. In the first place, it should be remembered that the word worst is used, not in the moral, but in the strictly literary sense.

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Monday evening of this week his colleagues on the supreme court, various circuit judges and the members of the Ingham county bar, tendered Justice Claudius B. Grant a banquet, in recognition of his long and honorable service on the supreme bench. It was notable for many heartfelt tributes to Justice Grant, because of his sterling characteristics as a man, his excellent legal attainments and his unimpeachable record on the bench.

That was good, and as oratory the effort was admirable. To all of it every right-thinking American, from President Taft down, will fervently say "Amen." It contained nothing which by the wild stretch of the imagination could be construed as a gauge of battle to the administration, for it is with the enactment of laws to secure those very benefits which Mr. Pinchot so earnestly desires that President Taft is deeply concerned.

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MORE BUNCOMBE

The Washington correspondents of the "restless" anti-administration press are trying their best to make a sensation of Chief Forester Pinchot's recent New York addresses on "Conservation and Equal Opportunity."

They declare that these addresses have proved "a bomb in the administration camp" and that the president will "answer" them in his forthcoming message on conservation.

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A LAUGH OR TWO

Tough Turkey. Mark Twain, when he worked in Nevada on the Virginia City Enterprise, inserted in the News a good many boarding-house jokes.

YOUNG MEN WANTED

Government Pays Railway Mail Clerks \$800 to \$1,400 a Year. Free Scholarships Are Offered. Uncle Sam holds spring examinations for railway mail clerks in this vicinity.

ANNUAL MEETING

Marquette National Bank of Marquette, Michigan. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Marquette National Bank for the purpose of electing directors and transacting any other business which may properly come before said meeting, will be held on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1910, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 o'clock, noon of said day.

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Classified Want Directory

HELP WANTED. CUSTOM CLERKS WANTED.—The recent custom frauds mean many appointments. Excellent salaries paid. Examinations in Marquette coming. Preparation free. Write immediately for schedule showing dates. Franklin Institute, Dept. CU, 30, Rochester, N. Y. 12-24-12

LOST AND FOUND. LOST—A lady's small gold watch in a black leather bracelet. Finder will please return to 113 W. Ohio, and receive as reward the value of the watch. 12-31-tf

FOR RENT.—Room house, on East Crescent, No. 128, Inquire of John Robertson, 620 High street. 12-14-tf

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

LAKE SUPERIOR & ISHPEMING RAILWAY CO. MUNISING RAILWAY CO. MARQUETTE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY CO.

WEEK DAYS. In Effect Nov. 1st, 1909. TRAINS LEAVE MARQUETTE. For Picket Lake, Buckton, Birch, Anders and Big Bay 9:25 a. m.

MICHIGAN COLLEGE OF MINES. F. W. McNAIR, PRESIDENT. Located in the Lake Superior district. Mines and Mills accessible for College work. For Year Book and Record of Graduates apply to PRESIDENT or SECRETARY, Houghton, Mich.

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Copper Country

FATALITY AT THE CHAMPION.

John Ranta killed by Fall of Rock at Painesdale Yesterday.

TEACHES FANCY SKATING.

Professor James Burke of Montreal arrives at the Amphidrome.

CENTRAL HOTEL CHANGES.

Popular Calumet Inn Keeper Back in the Harness Again.

S. F. Loch, for a number of years proprietor of the Central Hotel, Red Jacket, yesterday assumed control of the hostelry again.

THAT CASE OF LEPROSY.

Dr. Shumway Will Bring an Expert to Examine Maurelius Jensen.

STUDENT CONCERT PLEASSED.

University of Michigan Glee Clubs at Keredge Wednesday.

FIREMEN DISAPPOINTED.

Copper Country Members of Association Want to Go to the Soo.

EXHIBITION HOCKEY GAME.

An exhibition game of hockey between the Houghton team of the amateur league and the Stars, a volunteer aggregation, was played Wednesday afternoon at the Amphidrome as a portion of the entertainment arranged for the visiting students.

PROSPECTS FOR THE ANNUAL TOURNA-MENT OF THE UPPER PENINSULA FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

The annual show of the Copper Country Firemen's association will be held at the Soo this year because that city will no longer have a volunteer fire department not pleasing to copper country members of the association.

ANOTHER MIGHTY KILLER.

Peter Bielman Takes Sparrow Honors Away from Robert Rickard.

CONCERN BUILDING UP WEST HANCOCK ELECTS OFFICERS FOR NEXT YEAR.

The following officers for the ensuing year have been elected by the Hancock Lake Superior Produce company.

MORE "CHINKS" IN TROUBLE.

Three Laundrymen of Laurium Arrested and Released Temporarily.

APPLY FOR NATURALIZATION.

Three Aliens Added to Growing List for May Term of Court.

TRAINMEN'S ANNUAL BALL.

The annual ball of Red Jacket Lodge, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, will be given this evening at the Calumet Light Guard Armory.

DEEDS ARE FILED.

Deeds for the lands acquired by the New Baltic Copper company from the Edwards estate and the New Arcadian Copper company were filed yesterday.

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NOW FOR THE CHICKEN SHOW.

Secretary McNamara Prepares His Preliminary List for Annual Exhibit.

The annual show of the Copper Country Poultry association will be given in the hall of the Amphidrome the latter part of January.

Chief Consolidated. Issues Its First Annual Report—Cash on Hand \$108,788. The Chief Consolidated Mining company, of which Walter Fitch is president and general manager, presents its first annual report covering the period from Feb. 16 to Nov. 30, 1909.

FOR CRUELTY TO HORSE.

Matti Loagala Arrested in Houghton On Serious Charge.

Matti Loagala of Chassell was arrested yesterday morning by Chief Voetsch of Houghton and was taken to the county jail to await examination on a charge of cruelty to animals and destruction of property.

GO RIGHT AT IT.

Friends and Neighbors in Marquette Will Show You How. Getting at the root of the trouble. Robbing an aching back may relieve it.

But it won't cure it. You must reach the root of it—the kidneys.

WHEN DINNER IS OVER LA VERDAD. Cigars compose the smoker's next course. They are a fitting climax to an elaborate banquet or a simple home meal.

rights beneath the city to the Chief Consolidated, the consideration being in the vicinity of \$160,000.

The declaration last week of a semi-annual dividend of 86 per cent by the directors of the Oseola Consolidated Mining company brings the total dividends chargeable to the income of the current calendar year, which is also the fiscal year, up to 810 per cent.

Earnings for 1910 are Estimated at \$1,231,446, or \$10.70 Per Share.

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The Lake property is now actively engaged in crosscutting and drifting at the sixth level.

The Engineering & Mining Journal says: We are inclined to think that the much-discussed copper consolidation—meaning the combination of the Ely, Ivan, Amalgamated, and Guggenheims—interests will fail of consummation.

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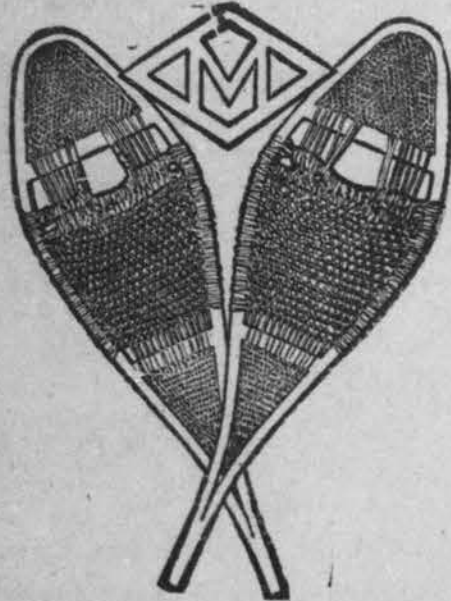
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Thanking you all for your liberal patronage and support,
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City Brevities

Today's weather: Partly cloudy and warmer.
Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 7 degrees; noon, 10; 7 p. m., 12. Maximum, 12 degrees; minimum, 5.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Kaufman left for Chicago last evening.

There will be no issue of The Mining Journal tomorrow, New Year's day.

Because of the New Year's holiday, on Saturday, the stores will be open this evening.

Frank Payne was called to Traverse City yesterday by the death of his sister's husband.

George P. McCallum, deputy collector of customs at the Soo, was in the city yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Parker, 430 East Michigan street, yesterday afternoon, a daughter.

F. H. Vandenberg left last night for Duluth to spend New Year's with his mother, Mrs. H. Vandenberg.

The City basketball team will go to L'Ansee Saturday night to play a game with the fast team of that city.

A regular meeting of Charter Oak camp, No. 29, W. O. W., will be held Saturday night, Jan. 1, at Siegel's Hall.

The Woman's society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the parsonage, with Mrs. Rogers, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. E. N. Breitung, following her usual custom on New Year's day, will be at home to her friends from 4 to 7 o'clock. No invitations will be issued.

Will A. Reynolds of Gurney, Wis., a former student at the Marquette High school, left the city this morning for Big Rapids to enter the Ferris Institute Jan. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seifert and son who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Primeost, will leave for their home in Duluth this morning.

St. Mary's hospital was the recipient of many useful and valuable Christmas gifts, and Mother Superior wishes to thank all the donors for their kindness and liberality.

The Marquette County Savings bank is distributing an edition of practical "every day in the year" calendars, similar in form to the ones that it issued last year.

There will be a ladies' class at the Guild Hall this evening.

Guild Hall will be open for the use of the members New Year's and New Year's evening.

Watch Night Service—There will be a "watch night" service at St. Paul's cathedral this evening. The pastor will give a New Year's eve sermon and holy communion will be celebrated at 11:30 o'clock.

Back from Cincinnati—Wm. J. Clendenning returned a few days ago from Cincinnati, where he attended a meeting of the American association of painters and decorators. He reports a most enjoyable time, though the weather was unpropitious. About 1,000 delegates were present and the people of Cincinnati entertained them with true southern hospitality.

Banner day for Sparrows—Yesterday was a banner day for sparrows, 134 being brought to the city recorder with a claim for the bounty of two cents each paid by the state. Boys who brought them in stated they had been killed in the railroad yards, where several cars of hay and grain were being unloaded. Since Dec. 1, Recorder Donovan has issued orders for the payment of a bounty on 541 sparrows.

Death of Mrs. Crothers—Mrs. D. C. Crothers, wife of the well-known Yalmar lumberman, passed away at her home Wednesday, after an illness extending over four years. Mrs. Crothers was sixty-six years of age. The body was shipped to East Jordan, Mich., last evening for funeral and interment, that city having formerly been her home. She leaves a husband, three sons and a daughter.

Special to Ishpeming—On account of the dedication of the Odd Fellows new hall at Ishpeming tonight, there will be a special train to that city from Marquette which will leave at 7:15 p. m. over the South Shore road. Everyone, whether a member of the order or not, is invited to accompany the party and attend the exercises. Returning, the train will leave Ishpeming about 1:30 a. m. Round trip tickets will be sold for fifty cents, which will also be good on train No. 8 Saturday morning.

Marshal Manning Returns—Marshal Manning has returned from Chicago with R. W. Blackwell, the colored Pullman porter who is accused of stealing a \$800 jeweled card case, owned by Mrs. E. N. Breitung, from a sleeping car in Marquette. Blackwell was run down and apprehended by a Pullman company detective. The prisoner persists that he is innocent of the theft, though another porter says that Blackwell showed him the case in this city on the day it was stolen. Owing to the indisposition of Justice Byrne, the time for Blackwell's preliminary hearing has not been set.

Supervisors to Answer—The board of supervisors has received the formal notice from the supreme court that proceedings have been started to compel them to recieve and rescind their action relative to the petitions for a local option election in Marquette county, and requiring the board to make answer to the complaint by Jan. 4. Prosecuting Attorney F. A. Bell is now preparing a brief setting forth the reasons for the action of the board, which will be presented to the supreme court within the time specified.

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The aspiring author should remember there is always room at the top—of the waste basket.
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(12-27-2w)

FACIAL TREATMENT.
Miss Hollie Oster, Werner block, removes superfluous hair, moles and warts by electric needle. Ladies and gentlemen's manicuring. Bell phone 61.
(9-6-ef)

Upper Peninsula

A "Blazed Trail" Character—Jackson Hines, aged fifty-nine years, who was killed by a Soo line train at a point near Engadine, Mackinac county, was walking along the track and evidently did not hear the warning sounded by the engineer. For many years Hines was in the employ of the Chicago Lumbering company, and when Stewart White, the novelist, tarried in camp to get an insight into camp life prior to writing the "Blazed Trail," he studied the idiosyncrasies of Hines, and as a result he appears in the story as the model barn boss. In 1909 Hines was an inmate of the Schoolcraft county house, but during the past year he had been in the employ of the Escanaba Lumber company at Bryan. He was addicted to the immoderate use of intoxicants and liquor is held responsible for his death.

Escanaba's Milk Ordinance—Escanaba's new milk ordinance has gone into effect and hereafter the sale of milk will be carried on under the direction of the city milk inspector and veterinarian. By the provisions of the ordinance no persons can dispose of milk in the city in any quantity without having first secured a license from the city clerk and by those who will agree that their business at all times shall be carried on under the direction of the officers named by the city for that purpose. Although the license is issued without any fee, procuring it will make known to the officers the name of every person engaged in the sale of milk. The places of each will be visited and inspected, cows will be examined for symptoms of tuberculosis and every precaution will be taken to provide Escanaba with a milk supply that is absolutely pure. Application for milk licenses must be made in writing and filed with the city clerk, who on receiving the application to the milk inspector will issue the permit as soon as permission to do so is granted. It is the intention of the officers to enforce to the letter every provision of the ordinance and any infractions of the rule will result in arrest, as provided in the penalty clause of the bill.

Music Course Eliminated—The regular course in music which has been one of the branches of study in the Escanaba public schools for several years has been suspended. At a meeting this week the board of education passed a resolution condemning the action of Miss Minerva Hall, who left the city without notice while serving as instructor in music. At the same time the opportunity that was offered to suspend the course in the schools was accepted as a matter of congratulation. The action was taken on motion of Trustee J. L. MacRae, who presented a statement, in part, as follows:
"The action that Miss Hall has taken at this time, in the very middle of the school year, because of the fact that the board did not see fit to grant her request regarding certain books which she recommended for use in her department, is deserving of condemnation. However, she thought of me as Miss Hall, instead of working an injury, may have taken the very step that was to the best interest of all concerned. It is generally conceded by those who are active in the world of music, and who therefore are in a position to best judge of the matter, that individual instruction, where music is concerned, is not only preferable but absolutely essential, in order that the best possible results be obtained. This being true, how can we expect our pupils in the public schools to derive any real benefit from semi-monthly or weekly half-hour sessions with a teacher of music, when the children are instructed collectively? I believe I speak advisedly when I state that not to exceed 5 per cent of those taking the course ever put to practical use the knowledge thus obtained. My observation of the matter has also taught me that but a small per cent of the 5 per cent mentioned who leave our schools and take up music as a life work make a success in their profession, financially speaking."
"In my opinion, public school instruction in music is an utter loss of time and should be abolished and that the time heretofore given to this branch should be given to mathematics, languages and other important branches as yet in a competitive age and the pupil or girl who goes out in the world for existence with expectation of being among the victors must have a good working knowledge of the branches I mention. I am convinced that music is not practical—at least not where the pupils in our schools are considered as a body. I believe that if it is right to continue the study of music it is proper that we add courses in theology, law, medicine, pharmacy, etc."

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.
City Treasurer's Office.
Marquette, Mich., Dec. 1, 1909.
Notice is hereby given, that the general tax roll of the city of Marquette, with all regular taxes, state, county and municipal, for the year 1909, spread thereon has been deposited with me and is now in my office in the city hall, and that the amount of taxes thereon assessed and specified are due, and may be paid to me at any time up to and including the 28th day of February, 1910.
On all state and county taxes paid to me on or before January 8th, 1910, a collection fee of one per centum will be charged, and on all such taxes paid to me on and after January 10th, 1910, a collection fee of four per centum will be charged. On all municipal taxes paid on or after this date, a collection fee of three per centum will be charged.

ARE YOU GOING SOUTH FOR THE WINTER?
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New Year's Offerings

You will doubtless wish to send some friend a return Gift for New Year's. Possibly you overlooked some one at Christmas. From the following list you can doubtless choose an acceptable New Year Gift.

- STEIN-BLOCH SUITS and OVERCOATS,
- FUR-LINED OVERCOATS,
- RAIN COATS,
- HOUSE COATS,
- BATH ROBES,
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- FUR COLLARS,
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- HALF HOSE and HAND-KERCHIEF TO MATCH,
- SILK SUSPENDERS,
- SILK and LINEN HAND-KERCHIEFS,
- INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS,
- SILK MUFFLERS,
- BRADLEY KNIT MUFFLERS,
- HOLEPROOF HOSIERY,
- SILK LISLE HOSIERY,
- CASHMERE HALF HOSE,
- FANCY VESTS,
- SEAL SKIN CAPS,
- KNOX or STETSON HATS,
- DRESS SUIT CASES,
- TRUNKS and BAGS,
- SHOES, SLIPPERS OR MOCCASINS.

Notwithstanding our heavy Christmas trade our stock is still replete with many pretty and useful holiday Gifts. We are prepared to serve you promptly.

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LEONARD WISEMAN.
A Former Student of the Ferguson Business College.

Leonard Wiseman, after attending the Ferguson Business College about five months, was placed by the college in a position as bookkeeper for N. M. DeHaas at Skane, Mich.

At the beginning of the fall term the Business College published an article showing sixteen students who had taken positions since Jan. 1 1909.

On Dec. 23, the Business College sent out a letter giving the names of eight students who have taken positions since the above article was published, and they are: Chester Kranz, stenographer for Charles F. Elmes Engineering Works, Chicago.

Leonard Wiseman, bookkeeper for N. M. DeHaas, Skane, Mich. Fred Frei, with the Gannon Grocery Co., Marquette.

Wesley Brooks, with D. S. S. & A. offices.

Elva Rivers, stenographer for the Northwestern Collection Agency.

Elizabeth Otterson, stenographer for F. Charlton.

Ora Paquette, with the Michigan State Telephone Co.

Eva Reany, stenographer for A. Mathews & Sons.

Another of our students will start work next Monday and we expect to place one or two more within the next ten days. Announcements will be made in the paper.

Our winter term will start Monday, January 3. We are making a special rate to the first ten who enroll for a course in either stenography or bookkeeping.

Last year was a poor year for most lines of business, yet every competent student of this school secured a position. Times are getting better and next year will be one of great prosperity. Enter January 3 and be ready for your opportunity in 1910.

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MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

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

"The list today was quite irregular, there being signs of liquidation on a good scale in various quarters, but the selling was not urgent and the declines not material. The advance in the price of call money to a new high record for the year was responsible for some selling, but as a general rule for the close, 3 1/2 rates was considered natural for this time of the year, and it is thought that after the arrangements for the January 1 disbursements have been completed money will become much easier. The strength of the copper metal is being reflected in the copper shares, but the higher priced rails continue to be offered for sale in good quantities on the advances, and the existing activity, for the most part, is confined to the medium priced specialties. A great many look for higher prices in the new year, but would not neglect profits on advances."

Table listing various stock prices including Amalgamated, Anaconda, Am. Smelting, etc.

ther excuse for advancing, a large element in the local trade switched to the selling side, headed by a group of the largest commission houses in the trade. Then came the bull news of the day and the bull market. We had a report from Duluth that the Durum and Manitoba wheat held in Port was about all sold, and that the situation suggests rail shipments from Chicago to meet the eastern and foreign demand early next month. We continue to favor the buying side of May wheat on breaks, and believe the Argentine crop outcome will be a bullish influence for weeks to come, both here and abroad."

WALL STREET'S VIEW IS CHEERY.

Even the Further Tightening of Money Rates is Interpreted Favorably.

New York, Dec. 30.—With the close of the year at hand, there were characteristic developments in the financial markets today. The preparations for the unprecedented disbursements of interest and dividend payments in January went forward actively and the restriction of the money supplies kept the stock market operations under restraint. There was enough desire manifest to break through this restraint to depict a recovery of hopefulness and satisfaction on the part of security holders and to color the tone of the whole market. Today's 7 per cent call loan rate was the highest for the present year. A maximum of 6 per cent was touched on several former occasions. Comparison, however, showed a moderate degree of stringency for the season, which has had a higher rate every year but two in at least a decade. The present condition is one of comparative ease and a marked relaxation is expected after the turn of the year.

The cheerful spirit of the stock market was disposed to favorably interpret even the activity of the money market. The heavy disbursements were pointed to as evidence of large profits and the large prospective bond issues were considered signs of opportunity for productive enterprise. The suggestions of dividend increases were sufficiently numerous to keep alive this confidence.

Further returns of railroad earnings for November continued the former favorable showing. There was special demand for the Wabash group, which carried the impression of a determined accumulation and kept alive the conjectures of special developments regarding those properties. There was a certain amount of realizing in stocks where in past speculation had been active, and this kept the price movement irregular. The governors of the Stock exchange this afternoon received the report of the committee which investigated the transactions in Rock Island common last Monday. The report will be acted on Jan. 12. Although the strictest reserve is maintained, it is believed that the closing of the Rock Island incident will be accompanied by disciplinary measures.

New York Cotton Market.

Paine, Webber & Co, had this to say of yesterday's cotton market: "The slow steady upward movement of prices, which has characterized the market this week, developed into an excited runaway affair today, carrying values 20 points above yesterday's close an hour before the close today. Liverpool led off with the cables better than expected, under the influence of the European market running to cover. After the opening the usual profit-taking was in evidence, hurting the market for a few points only, there seeming to come a steady flow of buying orders which absorbed all offerings and finally reached a volume that excited the market with a rush from its meetings. This demand is largely from sold-out bulls, who released their cotton previous to the holidays, and, seeing no evidence of an important decline, are getting nervous and buying it back. The enthusiasts at this level mark the greatest success to date in our history. Good business judgment suggests accepting profits when the market is willing to take all offerings."

DOLLAR-A-DAY PENSION.

Plan to Go Before Congress—Ranks of the Vets. are Thinning Rapidly.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The members of the house are being implored to join in working for a one-dollar-a-day pension bill at this session of congress. It has been arranged that a number of members will go before the house committee on invalid pensions soon after the reopening of congress for a hearing on the subject. It is said that strong pressure will be brought to bear on the situation and a determined effort made to put through such a measure. One member who has been working on the scheme and pushing it with all his might calls attention to the fact that according to the records 48,000 of the veterans will pass away this year. This enormous death rate will decrease the pensions about \$10,000,000 a year and it is declared that this can be raised to one dollar a day for the remaining veterans without imposing any heavier burdens on the appropriations of the country.

MIGHT HAVE DONE BETTER.

A certain retired coal dealer of Pittsburgh is, in the old phrase, at tight as wax, but has a passion to be considered a "spender" and good liver, never neglecting an opportunity to refer to his "wine cellar," etc. A short while ago he snared a well known clubman and had him at the house for supper. A bottle of sherry was produced with considerable ostentation and the glasses filled. The host held his to the light, then drank, and smacked his lips. "What do you think of that? Hey?" he suggested. "Why—very good," the guest commented, setting his glass upon the table. "But, I say, old man," he added in a confidential tone, "I know a place where you can get wine even cheaper than this!"

WHERE WOMEN DO WORK.

There is talk of equal suffrage in Munich, but the women there compete with men in almost all lines of work, says the Philadelphia Telegraph. Munich has women vegetable dealers who more than hold their own in business against men. Women may be seen in Munich carrying mortar in a hod up the scaffolding of new buildings. The city has women street sweepers and women switch tenders, and there are women ready to challenge any man to a match at saving or splitting wood. Women work even harder than men in Munich, and, strange as our American ideas are, they thrive physically and are happy.

Boston Stock Quotations.

Writing from Boston yesterday's Paine, Webber & Co, had this to say of the copper stock market:

"The market today consisted entirely in coming up contracts for the close of the year. None of the stocks showed any fluctuation worthy of mention, but they were all steady and strong with plenty of buying orders under the market. Reports from the metal market are coming better every day, and copper should sell at fifteen cents for the close of January. We will believe in buying the copper on all reactions and favor especially Copper Range, East Butte, Oseola, Butte Coalition, Greene-Canaan and Giroux."

The closing prices at Boston were:

Table listing various Boston stock prices including Adv., All., Al., Am. & M., etc.

Copper Metal Prices.

New York, Dec. 30.—Copper on the New York Metal exchange was firm today, with spot and the December and January quoted at 13.40@13.70, the February at 13.40@13.75, the March at 13.50@13.80 and the April at 13.60@13.85. The London market closed steady with spot quoted at 2.01, 10s and futures at 1.82, 10s. The sales there were 400 tons of spot and 1,300 tons of futures. Local dealers quoted Lake copper at 13.75@14, electrolytic at 13.50@13.75 and casting at 13.25@13.50.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—A further reduction in the estimate of the amount of wheat in Argentina which will be available for export from that country caused considerable bullish sentiment in the wheat market here today. At the close the prices showed net gains of 1/8 to 3/8. Although the market manifested some uncertainty at times, owing to selling based on the prospects of greatly increased receipts in that country, the sentiment in the pit the greater part of the day was bullish. One dispatch claimed that the exportable surplus of wheat in Argentina would not exceed 72,000,000 bushels, which is a much smaller amount than any previous estimate. Only a report of a good quality of the newly harvested grain. The trading in the December was light. The close was strong, at about the high point. The December opened at 118 1/4; highest, 119; lowest, 117 1/4; closing, 118 1/2.

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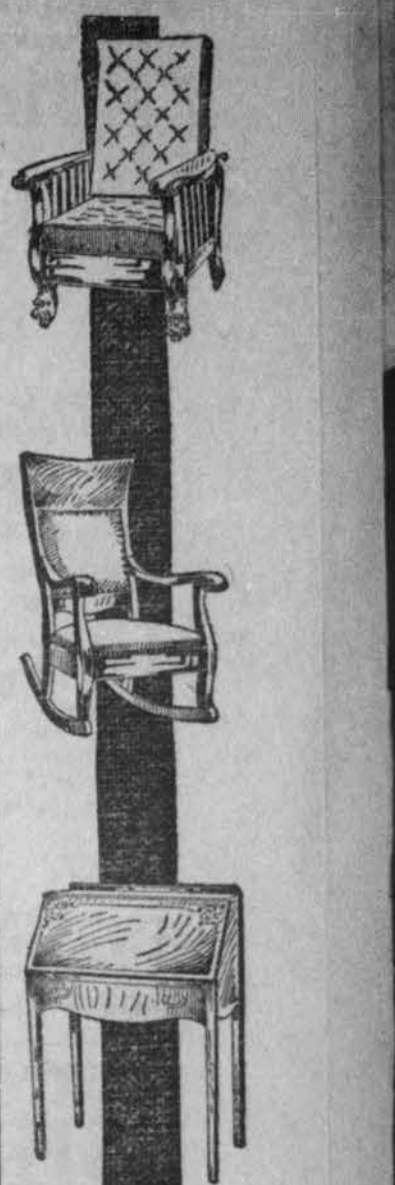
A slight cough, a "hacking" or clearing of the throat, may lead to chronic throat trouble. Many have what is called "winter cough" that lasts during cold weather. It is largely of nervous origin. Any irritation of this kind, if neglected, is apt to become firmly seated and may lead to serious troubles. Better use

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CHRISTENING THE TWINS.

In an English village a miner's wife presented him with twins. At the usual time the twins had to be christened, and George, his wife and his friends proceeded to the church to fix the names of the children. The minister asked the father the names of the twins, and he quite proudly replied: "Steak and Kidney, sir!" "Come, come!" replied the minister. "These are odd names for your children!" "What d'ye mean, George?" cried his wife. "It's Kate and Sidney." "Aye, it is, sor. An' thout it was like summit to cat!" shouted George.

MANUFACTURED SEEDS.

New industries or industries that seem to be new because their existence has not been suspected, crop up every day, says the New York Tribune. Now it is a factory where artificial seeds for candied fruits are made. It appears that in a good many of these confections—plums and peaches and the other varieties—the original fruit does not enter at all, sugar and glucose and flavoring and coloring extracts being the substitutes. So, to lend verisimilitude to the finished product, stones or pits have to be introduced, and a confectioner said the other day that a factory gives its owners in France a neat income every year from the manufacture of these evidences of the "genuineness" of the fruits.

USES FOR ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS.

The use of artificial flowers has increased amazingly according to a New York florist. Nowadays when persons find it necessary to decorate their houses with flowers for weddings, receptions, dances, even funerals, they take a tip from the experienced florist. He explains that it is just as nice and much cheaper to use artificial flowers for three-fourths of the decoration required. The artificial flowers are made so convincingly that it is extremely difficult to detect the imposture. The artifice is strengthened by performing the artificial flowers delicately. Florists keep on hand four or five complete sets of artificial flowers for house decoration.

Germany's four super-dreadnoughts will each have a crew of 1,000 men.

It takes a clever oculist to cure an egotist of his "I" trouble.

A FOREIGNER'S OBSERVATION.

An Englishman who has spent considerable time lately in visiting and inspecting various Philadelphia industries found that what has impressed him is the general care which workmen take of themselves. "At home," he said, "I have never seen an eyesnatch. My first view of it was in America and in a workshop. I have noticed that wherever there is danger of injury to the workman's eyes, either from glaring light or flying sparks, safetyglasses are employed, and by the men themselves. In England one never sees anything like that. Another care to show what I mean is the use of gloves. In Philadelphia I have found that the men who handle pig iron or other like rough heavy objects protect their hands with gloves. I have even seen the negro drivers of brick wagons handling their wares with gloves on. Such personal care is a thing no foreign workman would think of in his native land. It may be one of the things which is bringing America onward among the nations. The further expression of this idea of personal care seems to be shown in the many factories I have visited, where in the wash rooms individual towels and individual pieces of soap are prominent features."

A TREE THAT GROWS BREAD.

In the South Sea islands there is a tree called the breadfruit tree. This tree is very like our horse chestnut to look at, and grows to forty or fifty feet high. Its leaves are a very dark green, and many of them are three or four feet long. I have even seen the negro drivers of brick wagons handling their wares with gloves on. Such personal care is a thing no foreign workman would think of in his native land. It may be one of the things which is bringing America onward among the nations. The further expression of this idea of personal care seems to be shown in the many factories I have visited, where in the wash rooms individual towels and individual pieces of soap are prominent features."

TEMPERAMENT DOESN'T COUNT.

They hadn't seen each other for several years, the two women. They looked at each other, afraid to ask after their husbands. Finally one spoke. "You know," she said, "that my husband and I are no longer living together. He left me that on my back in a hospital. He wrote me that he thought all artists should have their freedom."

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- New Dill Pickles, per dozen, 10c
Lemon, Orange and Citrus Peel, per pound, 18c
Good Standard Pumpkin, three-pound cans, 8c
Runkel Bros' or Baker's Cocoa, 5-pound can, 22c
Runkel Bros' or Baker's Baking Chocolate, per pound, 38c
Bell Coffee, per pound, 18c
Uncolored Japan, Gunpowder, Oolong and English Breakfast Tea, per pound, 39c

49-lb. Sack Best Flour, \$1.60

- Graham Flour, 35c
Yellow Corn Meal, five pounds, 13c
Quaker Oats, large package, 23c
Rice, full head Japan, four pound, 25c
Beans, best hand picked, per pound, 5c
Best Lima Beans, 2 pounds, 15c
Pure Buckwheat Flour, 10-pound sack, 5c, per pound, 5c
Prepared Pancake or Buckwheat Flour, two-pound package, 10c
Sutter's Catsup, per bottle, 20c
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TURKEY SHOOT TOMORROW.

Members of Marquette County Gun & Rod Club Will Have Contest.

A trap shooting contest for turkeys will be held tomorrow morning, commencing at 9 o'clock, at the Marquette County Gun & Rod club's range in the Union Park. The contest will be open for all members of the organization, and it is expected that there will be a number of entries. Last New Year's day the club held a tournament, which was not concluded until the following day, but tomorrow's shoot will not be on such a pretentious scale. The contestants will shoot at clay pigeons and the winners will receive turkeys weighing not less than ten pounds. The club has a membership of forty, most of whom are Ishpeming and Negaunee men. The officers of the club will be pleased to have the members from Marquette and other places in the county attend.

Don't overlook the one-half off sale at the Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur Co., in front of the Nelson House. (12-29-31)

WILL TRAMP SUNDAY.

The members of the Ishpeming Ski club invite all of the skiers of the city to take a tramp with them Sunday afternoon, leaving the First street cut at 2 o'clock. The tramp will be made to a point beyond Deer Lake. On the return trip the party will stop at the club house for coffee and other refreshments, which will be served at the club's expense. Those who do not care to make the complete trip can remain at the club house until the others return.

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

Ishpeming Department

(Additional Ishpeming on Page Seven.)

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TO BEGIN WORK MONDAY.

J. Wahlman & Son to Start Building at Dexter Mine Location.

The members of the boys' department of the Young Men's Christian association conducted their first social Wednesday afternoon and evening, and it was so successful that they plan to arrange another entertainment for some date within the next month.

The contests in the gymnasium were spirited and interesting. In the Indian club relay race the Intermediates took first place and the Juniors second. The Intermediates also won the potato and the wheelbarrow races. The Business boys' baseball team defeated the nine composed of Juniors and Intermediates by a score of 10 to 9. Eger won the rooster fight and the three-legged race won by the Juniors. The Business boys' baseball team defeated the Intermediates with a score of 31 to 4, and the "Reds" won the tug-of-war.

At the conclusion of the afternoon's sports the boys partook of a lunch served on the second floor.

Watch Night Party

There will be a watch night party in the Young Men's Christian association lobby tonight, from 10 to 12 o'clock. There will be singing by individual members and a quartet, and an orchestra will play several selections. Apples and roasted marshmallows will be served. The event will be for the senior members only.

On Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the choir of the First Methodist Episcopal church will give a program of Christmas carols in the gymnasium. It will be in the nature of a union service and both gentlemen and ladies are invited. The exercises will be open to the public.

Contests Tonight.

There will be a basketball contest, also a baseball game, in the gymnasium this evening. The basketball contest will start at 7:30 o'clock. The admission will be ten cents. One of the basketball teams will be composed of high school recruits and the other of senior members of the association, namely, Charles Johnson, center; Ed. Johnson, left forward; Arthur Erickson, right forward; Fred Hauglund, left guard; Edgar Swanson, right guard.

The line-up of the baseball teams will be as follows:

"Gazettes"—Joe Martin, catcher; Arvid Hendrickson, pitcher; Phil Hauglund, first base; Jack Nichols, second base; Howard Beaglehole, third base; Julius Johnson, left short; Henry Girzi, right short; Ed. Johnson, right field; Ted Butler, left field.

"Gobbos"—Will Quinlan, catcher; J. McDougal, pitcher; Al Rickstad, first base; Jack Martin, second base; John Snaal, third base; Harold Schudick, left

short; W. Ross, right short; Walter Johnson, right field; George Jacobson, left field.

The members of all of the teams are requested to report at the gymnasium at 7 o'clock.

Live lobsters and blue points on the half shell at Prince's restaurant. (12-31-21)

TO BEGIN WORK MONDAY.

J. Wahlman & Son to Start Building at Dexter Mine Location.

Four teams have been employed this week hauling lumber from this city to the Dexter mine location, where the Cleveland-Clift Iron company is to erect a boarding house, several double dwellings for its employees, a captain's dwelling, also mining buildings, and where a shaft is soon to be started. In addition to the material that has been sent out this week, several carloads have been ordered and will be unloaded from the Northwestern track near the Dexter mine.

J. Wahlman & Son, who have the contract for the erection of the boarding house and two double dwellings as well as all of the fine buildings, will start twelve carpenters to work next Monday on the boarding house. This will be rushed to as early completion as only a small number of workmen can now be accommodated at the location. All of the carpenters have secured places at the old boarding house near the mine. Wahlman & Son's force will be increased as soon as the work on the mining buildings is started.

Contractor Chaussee of Negaunee, who will erect the captain's dwelling, also three double houses, expects to start his crew to work within a week or ten days, or as soon as the lumber and other material which he has ordered are delivered. By the time the building operations are in full swing from thirty to fifty men will be employed by the two contractors. Most of the workmen will be from Ishpeming and Negaunee.

If you fail to attend the greatest sale ever held on ladies' wearing apparel it is your own fault—one-half price sale on everything in the house. Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur Co., in front of Nelson House. (12-29-31)

WILL REPEAT PROGRAM.

The program of English carols and anthems rendered by the choir of the Salisbury Methodist church at the Christmas service is to be repeated next Sunday evening, commencing at 7:30 at the Sunday morning service a New Year's sermon will be preached, but owing to the length of the musical program at the evening service it will be brief. A watch night service will be held at the church tonight, commencing at 10 o'clock, and continuing until midnight. A special musical program will be given.

Business is grand; fine goods and low prices the reason. One-half off sale on everything. Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur Co., in front of the Nelson House. (12-29-31)

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NEW YEAR'S PROGRAM.

There will be services at the Norwegian Lutheran church tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock. At 1 o'clock the annual business meeting of the congregation will be held and from 5 to 8 the ladies will serve supper in the basement. At 8 o'clock there will be services in the church. The program will consist of special songs by the choir and Rev. J. August Lillehei will preach on the "Choice of Wisdom." At the conclusion of the evening service lunch will be served in the basement.

TO THE MERCHANTS.

I desire to warn the businessmen of Marquette county, and particularly the Ishpeming merchants, that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Isabelle Graham, who has departed from my home, leaving me with three small children in care for.

JOSIE H. GRAHAM,
165 E. Terrace St., Ishpeming.
(12-31-31)

Why not get fresh and fine suits, furs and coats at one-half price. Lots of ladies have gotten wise; why not you? Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur Co., in front of Nelson House. (12-29-31)

Square piano to be had at a bargain. Grinnell Bros., Ishpeming. (12-7-tf)

WANTED—Second cook at Urban House, Ishpeming. 12-31-tf

FOR SALE—Ten-room dwelling, two stories, modern conveniences, at 321 Jasper street. Apply to Jacob Kamman, at premises, or at Peter Koski & Co.'s store, Ishpeming. 12-28-1w

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(NEW YEAR'S NIGHT)

Ishpeming Band's Annual Concert

GREAT PROGRAM.

SEAT SALE OPENS THIS MORNING.

PRICES:

Lower Floor 50c
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NOW IN PROGRESS.

Thousands of Dollars Worth of Merchandise Has Been Assembled and Re-Priced to Sell at from 10c to 50c on the Dollar.

All goods included in this sale will positively be sold at some price, as it is our fixed policy to carry no goods over from one season to another. This is an excellent opportunity to secure at big savings such seasonable merchandise as

Ladies' Coats, Suits, Furs, Sweater Coats, Trimmed Hats, Dress Goods, etc., Men's Overcoats, Sweaters, Shoes, Toques, Caps, Mitts, etc.

See Our Display Windows "PRICES TALK."

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ISHPEMING LOCOMOTIVES UNFIT FOR WINTER WORK

**WORN OUT ENGINES ARE BEING
HAULED INTO THE SHOPS OF
THE RAILWAYS OPERATING IN
WISCONSIN AND ILLINOIS.**

Veteran engineers and other railroad men operating in Wisconsin and other places where the storms have recently affected railway traffic report that never before in their memory have "dead" and "crippled" engines been so numerous on the roads throughout the middle west as they are this winter.

Many freight trains coming into terminals bring dead locomotives, picked up at some siding out in the country. The engineers report that they have never worked so hard in their efforts to keep their engines in operation, but so many of them are in such bad conditions that they many times are obliged to give up in despair.

The failure of locomotives operated during cold and storms is frequent every winter, but the railroad men report that they have never before been as numerous as this season.

The frost has already penetrated from three to four feet into the ground in the northern part of Wisconsin, making the roadbed as hard and rigid as rock. When a great engine crashes over this unyielding surface at high speed the tremendous increased strain upon the metal is apparent. Then, too, the cold makes the steel more brittle and the frost weakens the flues in the boiler. The result is leakage, breakdowns, delays and congestion.

In the northern parts of Wisconsin nearly every train, passenger as well as freight, is pulled "double-headed," but it has been almost impossible to keep on schedule time. Many north and south-bound trains reach their destinations three, four and five hours late.

WOODMEN'S HALL TONIGHT.

Degree Team of Hematite Camp Will Conduct Its Ninth Annual Party.

The committees in charge of the ninth annual ball to be given tonight at Braastad's Hall, under auspices of the degree team of Hematite camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, have been working energetically the past few days. More than 500 invitations have been sent out and a large attendance is expected. The hall will be prettily decorated, and members of the team will serve a lunch. Dancing will start at 9, continuing until 2 o'clock or later. The committees are as follows:

Arrangements—C. E. Swanson, S. H. Collick, W. H. Baldwin, J. T. W. Lutley and August Carlson.

Reception—C. J. Byrns, John A. Olson, J. T. W. Lutley, August Carlson, W. H. Baldwin and James H. Allen.

Floor—Arvid Swanson, Richard Cole, Harry Carlyn, Bart Northey and Wilfred Cole.

Lundahl's orchestra will furnish the music.

"THE CLIMAX" TONIGHT.

Delightful Entertainment Promised at Ishpeming Theater.

The Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin said, in part, of "The Climax," which will be the offering at the Ishpeming theater tonight.

"Quiet and dainty, filled with delicate appeal, and, through its very novelty, proving itself well deserving the success which has attended its presentation in the east. 'The Climax,' Edward Locke's drama with music, opened a half week's engagement at the Davidson theater Sunday night.

"The story itself is a simple one. It concerns four people. There is Adeline von Hagen, who has sought New York to study voice culture with Luigi Goffanini. There is John Raymond, physician, in love with the girl, and there is Pietro, son of Goffanini, who completes the triangle. The girl is possessed of a voice that promises to prove wonderful, if only a slight unevenness in its quality can be rectified. She hopes for the stage, and a great career. Raymond seeks to discourage her.

"Nevertheless, prompted by his love, he offers to perform a slight operation on the vocal cords to rectify the defect. There is a possible chance that by this operation Adeline may lose her voice entirely. When the time comes for the physician to make the final test as to the success of the operation, he tells the girl that she has lost her voice; for only then does he learn that, if successful, she intends to take a tour of South America.

"Power of suggestion is brought into play here. Adeline finds herself unable to employ her voice. She promises to marry the physician. On their wedding day, before the ceremony has been performed, Raymond weakens. He acknowledges his lie. Adeline sends him from her, singing 'The Song of the Soul,' which Pietro has composed for her. But old Goffanini discovers a new quality in the voice—a quality brought through a deep born love—and he promises that Adeline will again call Raymond to her, and forgive all."

A new line of ladies' party dresses just received and will be sold at half price. Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur Co., opposite Nelson House. (12-30-21)

An elegant organ nearly new—a rare bargain. Terms to suit. Grinnell Bros., Ishpeming. (12-7-11)

ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

W. H. Galbraith of Calumet was in the city yesterday.

The barber shops of the city will remain open tonight until 12 o'clock.

Ed. Tipping, formerly of the Winthrop, is here from Coleraine, Minn.

Ed. Paul, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company's agent at Beacon, was in the city yesterday.

"The Climax" company, appearing tonight at the Ishpeming theater, will arrive in the city this evening at 6:30 by special train. The curtain will ring up at 8:30 o'clock.

Miss Klara Farm, who will assist the Ishpeming band at its annual concert at the Ishpeming theater tomorrow night, is expected to arrive in the city today from Sault Ste. Marie.

Will St. Clair and wife will leave tonight for the Vermilion range, where he is to take a position with his uncle,

George A. St. Clair, who is operating mines in that district.

A watch night service will be conducted tonight at the Salvation Army barracks. It will be preceded by a musical program after which the ladies will serve coffee and other refreshments.

The sale of seats for the Ishpeming band's annual concert at the Ishpeming theater tomorrow evening will open this morning at the box office. Tickets sold by the members can be exchanged for seat tickets without extra charge.

Miss Adrian Thisault of Escanaba is assisting J. Silverman at the Fashion Suit company's store, on Cleveland avenue, during the sacrifice sale, started Wednesday. Miss Thisault is employed in Mr. Silverman's Star Savings Bank store at Escanaba.

The D. F. B. C. will give its dancing party this afternoon in the Anderson hall, instead of tomorrow afternoon, as formerly announced. All those who usually receive invitations to the Knights of Pythias and high school parties will be welcome.

The committee in charge of the dedication of the Odd Fellows block, which is to take place tonight, extends an invitation to all visiting Odd Fellows in the city, as well as to all members of the other Odd Fellows' lodges in the county, together with their families, to attend.

Eddie Bard and Willie Fox are presenting a twenty-minute skit, entitled "His Pal," at the Bijou theater. Their act tells a Christmas story, dealing with the adventures of a newsboy. One of the youngsters is only twelve years of age and the other fourteen. They both sing well. On account of their act appealing to the children the management has decided to give special matinees this afternoon and tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The reception and dancing party given Wednesday night at Braastad's Hall by Mrs. T. A. Ludlow and her sisters, the Misses Braastad, was a delightful function. About 100 couples were present. The reception lasted until 9:30 o'clock when coffee and other refreshments were served. Dancing continued until after midnight. The hall was prettily decorated. Trombly's orchestra furnished the music, and was seated on a decorated platform in the center of the hall.

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)

Sufferers who say they have tried everything without benefit are the people we are looking for. We want them to know from glad experience that Ely's Cream Balm will conquer Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, and obstinate forms of Nasal Catarrh. This remedy acts directly on the inflamed, sensitive membranes. Cleansing, soothing and healing. One trial will convince you of its healing power. Price 50c. All druggists, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.

Mrs. S. Joyce, Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." Sold by all druggists.

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Ladies' and Misses' Cloaks, Suits, Fur Coats, Fur Muffs, Neck Pieces, Dresses, etc.

That the women of Marquette county appreciate real values is evident from the continuous rush we have had since this big sale opened Monday morning. We are receiving **new, up-to-date goods every day** and our stock is now larger than at any previous time since we opened our store a few weeks ago. We have an enormous assortment to clean from our

Big Fond du Lac House

Don't miss this, the greatest winter goods sale ever held in the Upper Peninsula. The sale continues until Jan. 15.

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Big Clearing Sale Lasting 8 Days More

Those who haven't taken advantage of this big sacrifice sale on **Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Furs, Fur Coats, Waists and Petticoats** we guarantee to each and every woman in this section of the county a big saving of from 50 to 75 per cent on every purchase made from us during this 10-day clearing sale.

Extra Special for Today

- \$1.25 and \$1.50 black embroidered Petticoats, clearing sale price.....**69c**
- \$1.50 and \$2 white linen tailored Shirt Waists, clearing sale price.....**98c**
- #6 and \$6.50 oil-boiled black and colored silk taffeta Petticoats; clearing sale price.....**\$3.95**
- \$2 Kimonos, clearing sale price.....**\$1.25**
- \$2 Wrappers, clearing sale price....**\$1.25**
- \$1.50 Wrappers, clearing sale price....**98c**
- \$35 Suits, clearing sale price.....**\$17.95**
- \$15 Suits, clearing sale price.....**\$7.50**
- \$25 Suits, clearing sale price.....**\$15.00**
- \$10 Voile Skirts, highly trimmed, clearing sale price.....**\$5.95**
- \$12.50 Voile Skirts, highly trimmed, clearing sale price.....**\$6.95 and \$7.50**

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- \$150 Beaver Coat.....**85.00**
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- 45 Near Seal Coat.....**25.00**
- 65 River Mink Coat, the best Furs in the market to wear.....**37.50**
- 75 River Mink Coat.....**45.00**
- 65 Astracan Coat.....**38.00**

These Fur Coats above mentioned are actually the best values that have ever been offered to the public. You must come and take advantage of this big sacrifice on high grade Furs. You must come today. Don't wait.

Dresses

Our one price Dresses are the talk of the country. The most durable serviceable Dresses ever been shown to the public in this section of the country.

- \$40 Dresses, in silk, black and colors...**\$20**
- \$50 Gowns, black and colors.....**\$25**

We have many broadcloth and worsted Dresses, plain and braided, that we are selling from \$9.95 to \$16.50 that are worth from \$3.50 to \$7.50 more than we ask for.

Extra Special for Today

- \$7.50 black Panama Skirts, clearing sale price.....**\$4.95**
- One assorted lot of Skirts, ranging in price from \$5 to \$6.50, your choice.....**2.95**

COATS

In this line we are showing a large collection of the latest styles with lapel or military collars.

- Lot No. 1.—\$10 and \$12.50 Coats....**5.95**
- Lot No. 2.—\$18 and \$20.00 Coats....**9.95**

One of the finest Coats that the market can afford ranging in prices from \$22 to \$25 for this big clearing sale.....**14.95**

CAPES

Opera and Street Capes.

- 15.00 Street or Opera Capes, lined throughout, military effect, on sale today..**9.95**
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BOYNE CITY SCANDAL
CAME LIKE THUNDERBOLT.

Accused of Cruelty to Boys,
Beulah Home Superintendent
Is Out on Bail.

BOND OF \$12,000 IS GIVEN.

Herman Swift, the Man Against
Whom the Charges Are Made,
a Marvel to Raise Money
and Conduct the Institution.

Charlevoix, Mich., Dec. 30.—Herman L. Swift, superintendent of the Beulah home at Boyne City, who has been in jail here on the charge of cruelty to inmates of the institution, has secured the required \$12,000 bail. The bond has been signed by W. H. White and P. F. McIntyre of Boyne City, and two of the trustees of the institution.

Swift is held to answer to three charges preferred by boys and it is understood that other charges will be made if the officials deem it necessary. Mr. Swift declares his innocence and states that when the case comes to trial he will have no trouble in freeing himself.

At the present time about \$8,000 of the funds of the Beulah home are tied up in a Boyne City bank by an injunction secured by the trustees of the institution against Swift, who claimed that he had a right to the use of the funds, if he saw fit, to put up as a bond.

The controversy over his right to use the money brought out the fact that the institution is not a corporate body at all as some supposed and that it is quite probable that Swift can claim the cash and some of the property as his own, if he wishes.

The board of trustees of the home are wealthy business men and the scandal in connection with the institution came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky. Swift's wife of two years is a refined young woman, and is said to possess a quarter of a million in her own right.

Story of the Home.

The site of the home is on a high elevation overlooking Pine lake and the country for several miles on the other side of the lake. The main building, designed for a resort hotel, was built twenty-five years ago by a lumberman, H. B. Chapman, now dead.

Mr. Swift came to Boyne City from Jackson, where he had a Beulah boys home, and immediately interested some of the capitalists of the city in his scheme to buy the hotel property and 260 acres of land and turn it into a home and farm for boys.

The property was bought almost at once. The board of trustees then named has had but one or two changes since, the present members being: W. H. White, head of the extensive lumber mills which bear his name; W. S. Shaw, owner of the Boyne City Lumber Co.; C. Swift, cashier of the Boyne City National Bank; E. S. McIntyre, retired merchant and capitalist, and Probate Judge J. M. Harris.

The capacity of the home is close to eighty. It is usually filled. The foundation has recently been completed for an additional building to cost \$100,000 and all the money for it has been either raised or pledged. Also within the past year additional land has been acquired down to the edge of the lake. The intention has been to make it into a park.

Swift doesn't look like the common idea of a manager of a home for the destitute. He is a handsome, well-dressed man who is strong in talking in church pulpits for contributions for Beulah home. They call him here a magnetic talker, one of the sort who can enthuse more or less members of the congregation into making liberal contributions on the spot.

It is said that he has a record of gathering in \$800 at a one-night church meeting in a large city.

Then there are other ways that he secures the cash. He publishes a monthly paper called the "Youth's Outlook," which has a circulation of 20,000, and the subscription price is fifty cents. He also takes in advertising and praiseworthy in Detroit and the yearly cost of this work is said by a man who has looked into it to be about \$2,000. If this is so then the "Youth's Outlook" nets the home \$8,000 a year. The boys do the mucking. Then he has what he calls "rubber hands." There are said to be more than a few churches through the state who know of his rubber hands. Wherever he goes when rubber shoes are in season he asks that all worn-out rubbers be sent to the home. They are sent by the carrier to freight prepaid. Swift sells this old rubber to junk dealers for around ten cents a pound. And he has other equally original schemes for raising the wherewithal.

Resorters in the Boyne City district have also been a source of prosperity to the home. One old gentleman who lives in Toledo and was a Boyne City resorter was so impressed with what he saw of the home that he last summer built at a cost of \$1,500 one of the tubular seat fire escape like they have for the home for feeble minded at Lapeer and at insane asylums where it is fire breaks out the inmates can be put into the tube from any floor and they then slide down a spiral to the ground. Another

LARGE SHIPS MAY RESULT.

Big 14-Inch Rifle Likely to Change Naval Construction.

TESTS BEING CONDUCTED.

New Gun Throws Heavier Projectile Than 12-Inch Weapon, but With Smaller Initial Velocity.

Washington, Dec. 30.—The tests of the great fourteen-inch naval gun recently completed for experimental purposes by the ordnance authorities of the navy have already gone far enough to assure discussion in naval circles of both this and other services.

Will the new gun render obsolete the ships and guns now in service, provided it is declared a success?

And will it necessitate the building of still larger battleships to carry it?

These two questions have been asked, and they must be answered. One of the greatest naval admirals explained the points involved in this debate of the fourteen and the twelve-inch guns.

"General Crozier, head of the ordnance bureau, United States army," he said, "has believed that a fourteen-inch gun might make it possible to throw a heavier projectile than with a smaller initial velocity. That would have the effect of greatly reducing the wear on the guns. The additional weight of the projectile would give it just as great penetrating power as the lighter projectile could have with greater velocity."

"Admiral Mason interested Roosevelt in the matter and the admiral was giving an order. 'Go and build a fourteen-inch gun and try it; that's the way to settle the matter,' he declared. And so the gun has been built.

The naval people are not by any means certain about the results. The danger is that the fourteen-inch gun, by reason of its lower initial velocity, will require a higher trajectory. That is because the projectile does not start at such a high speed, the gun will have to be pointed higher in the air and the projectile given a curve with a wistly more difficult to hit the mark.

"If the fourteen-inch gun must be used with the lower initial velocity then it must be aimed higher in the air and its chance of hitting the mark is reduced far below that of the twelve-inch gun. The problem is to figure out the relative importance to be given to the advantages and disadvantages of that condition. If the effective hitting range is reduced with the lower initial velocity, the larger gun it will not be really better, and bigger gun it will not be really better."

"Of course its hitting range could be made as great and greater than that of the twelve-inch gun, if as heavy a charge of powder, in proportion, were used. But to do that would make the gun so small a gun just as great as the smaller gun with a very heavy charge of powder, in proportion, would be used."

"It is not true that to use these fourteen-inch rifles would require to build ships of greater tonnage. We are building battleships of 20,000 tons now and they will be of the same tonnage as the fourteen-inch guns in perfect security and satisfaction. The larger gun will not necessitate heavier battleships, though, without much doubt, we will, for other reasons, presently go up to the 30,000-ton ships."

GIRL STUDENTS BUILD A TOWN.

Soap Boxes and Tomato Cans Used to Make Stores and Churches.

Columbia, Mo., Dec. 30.—Santa Claus is a done. A town, complete in the residence section of the city, with stumps, but unpeopled and silent; it is what girls in the home economics department of the University of Missouri have built with hammers and other feminine tools, using soap boxes and tin cans for building materials.

The girls like materials, the roof of a church building having tin cans in Kookok, la., as a tomato can.

Meat markets, grocery stores and department stores, all have their place in the model town. The town is to teach the girls how to conduct manual training work to interest children. It also gives them an opportunity to practice (not the fingerlings) in hitting the nail on the head.

Everything is planned before the work starts. The doors and windows are measured off on the box and holes exactly cut. White paper napkins are used for curtains and green paper for the shades. The furniture is made from wood and is hand carved in every detail. The cook stove is a fireless cooker, for it, too, is made of wood. The rugs are hand woven on frames and are like grandmother used to make. Stairways are of cardboard.

The railroad station is the next door to the fire department. The fire engine is of tin, originally a receptacle for prosaic baking powder. The horses are lifelike, and, as a negro janitor expressed it, "they's all drawn back to start to a fire."

An interurban trolley line is labeled "Jefferson, Mexico and Columbia," and results from the interest students have taken in the promotion of several electric lines through Central Missouri, none of which has as yet been built. The cars came from a toy store.

The show windows are the result of much patience on the part of the girls who worked building the town at the last summer session of the university. The hams, sausages and roasts are exhibited in the regular tin cans, the very next floor have plausible looks, especially a bunch of yellow paper bananas.

LOWER STATE NOTES.

TRAVERSE CITY.—Anna Sinton Taft has bought the Saurice cottage and fruit farm of David Miller. Mrs. Taft is the wife of Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, brother of President Taft. The farm is four miles west of Traverse City, on the shores of West Lake, and consists of 16 acres set to small fruits and a seven-room cottage. The consideration was \$4,000. The Tafts will not live on the farm, Mrs. Taft having leased it to George R. Sealey, her brother-in-law, also of Cincinnati, who will use the place as a summer home.

GRAND RAPIDS.—The Michigan Independent Telephone & Traffic Association, with a capital stock of \$100,000, has been incorporated here. This is the company that has served for seven years as a clearing house for the independent telephone business in this state. Before this time it has been a co-operative organization. Nearly 90 per cent of the independent telephone company and toll lines of the state are represented in the company and it is said the rest will come in. The officers are: Charles E. Tarte, Grand Rapids, president; W. J. Melcher, Alma, vice-president; W. S. Vivian, Grand Rapids, secretary-treasurer.

LANSING.—Under general order No. 27, issued by the state military department, all officers of the Michigan National Guard must enter at once upon the study of field survey regulations, military hygiene and military map reading. Books are furnished and the officers are required to take a course in preparation for later instruction by regular army officers, the entire course to be in preparation for the field maneuvers coming summer. Twenty-five problems in minor tactics are sent out which the officers are required to solve and their answers to the army officers on duty as instructors with the state troops.

SAGINAW.—A test case, to determine the constitutionality of the law governing the use of voting machines has been started in the circuit court here by Edwin B. Henderson, an agent for a voting machine company. Thomas G. Bailey of Saginaw and Corporation Council Harry A. Detroit, as a attorney for Henderson, filed a petition with Judge Gage asking that the board of election commissioners of the city be compelled to recompose and order printed ballots for the special election to be held here next spring, to vote on the pending proposition for a water works system. The action is brought by Henderson, because he says, there is a serious question in the minds of some as to whether a vote can be properly challenged when using the machines. Judge Gage will set a date for the appearance of the commission to show cause why the mandamus should not issue.

PONTIAC.—A sudden fancy of Justice North released John Aikens, of Edison street, from a charge of violating the local option law, the specific charge being "boot-legging." Aikens procured a stock of liquors in Detroit and a gold watch for his wife. He presented the watch and the gold watch to a friend to wear on his birthday. The friend is alleged to have become too drunk to navigate at which time the wife asked that he be thrown out. Then she had a battle with Aikens, which resulted in the killing of an officer. The drunken friend was arrested and the officer had choked Aikens into submission. The friend slept off the jag in the hospital and the officer swore out a warrant against Aikens. He was arraigned and arrangements were made to release him on his personal recognizance. Aikens went to his room when the justice unexpectedly declared "You are discharged. There's nothing against you." The objections of the prosecutor were unavailing and Aikens kept on his way.

LANSING.—Elmer Grimmer of the Grimmer Land company of Marinette, Wis., is at the state land department looking for state lands which his company may be able to market under colonization schemes which, he says, the company promotes. At the last session of the legislature, Rep. J. O. Maxey of L'Anse au Loup charged that state officers were favoring this Grimmer Land company, and asking it to secure the choicest lands at low prices, but in the investigation which followed, no record of Grimmer had made application for 10,000 acres of land in Luce county, but on reaching here he was informed that the public domain commission has set aside the lands he desired for reforestation and he was obliged to look for other tracts. Grimmer says his company owns several thousand acres in Michigan and Wisconsin which it is marketing through colonization schemes. He laughed at the idea that any state officer ever aided his concern, but says that he is buying all the lands considered available for the business. He declared that Senator Stephens of Wisconsin, who had been mentioned as a stockholder in his company, does not own any of the stock and added that

MIGRATION OF RATS.

Marches of Rodents That Have Been Observed in Various Countries.

In nearly all countries a seasonal movement of rats from houses and farms to the open fields occurs in spring, and the return movement takes place as cold weather approaches. The movement is noticeable even in large cities.

More general movements of rats often occur according to a geological survey bulletin 33. In 1903 a multitude of migrating rats spread over several counties of Western Illinois. They were noticed especially in Mercer and Rock Island counties. For several years prior to this invasion, no abnormal numbers were seen, and their coming was remarkably sudden. An eye witness to the phenomenon informed the writer as he was returning to his home by moonlight he heard a general rustling in the field near by, and soon a vast army of rats crossed the road in front of him, all going in one direction. The masses stretched away as far as could be seen in the dim light. These animals remained on the farms and in the villages of the surrounding country, and during the winter and summer of 1904 were a veritable plague. A local newspaper stated that between March 30 and April 20, 1904, E. D. Montague of Pre-emption, Mercer county killed 3,455 rats on his farm. He caught most of them in traps.

In 1877 a similar migration occurred into parts of Saline and Lafayette counties, Missouri, and in 1904 another came under the writer's observation in Kansas river valley. This valley for the most part was flooded by the great freshet of June, 1903, and for about ten days was covered with several feet of water. It is certain that most of the rats in the valley perished in this flood. In the fall of '03 much of the district was visited by hordes of rats, which remained during the winter, and by the following spring had so increased in numbers that serious losses of grain and poultry resulted.

No doubt the majority of the so-called migrations of rodents are in reality instances of a general movement of food. In England a general movement of rats inland from the coast occurs every October. This is closely connected with the closing of the herring season. During the fishing the rodents swarm to the coast, attracted by the offal left under the water by the herring, and when this food supply fails they hasten back to the farms and villages.

South America periodic plagues of rats have taken place in Parana, Brazil, at intervals of about thirty years, and in Chili at intervals of from fifteen to twenty-five years. These plagues in the cultivated lands destroy the ripening and decay of the dominant species of bamboo in each country. The ripening of the seed furnishes for two or more years a favorite food for rats in the forests, where the animals multiply great.

An invasion of black rats in the Bermuda islands occurred about the year 1615. In a space of two years they had increased so alarmingly that none of the islands was free from them. The rodents devoured everything which came in their way—fruit, plants and even trees—so that for two years the people were destitute of bread. A law was passed requiring every man in the island to set twelve traps. In spite of all efforts the animals increased until they finally disappeared with a suddenness which could have resulted only from a pestilence.

The more we read advice the less likely we are to appreciate the kind we get.

Sometimes an easy-going person is hard to get rid of.

CURE FOLLOWED YEAR OF AGONY

Intense Itching Eczema Drove Him Nearly to Despair—Chief Surgeon of a London Hospital Called It Worst Case He Had Ever Seen—Got Little or No Relief Until

CUTICURA STOPPED HIS UNBEARABLE TORTURE

"About four years ago, in London, I was troubled by a severe itching and dry, scurfy skin on my ankles and feet. The same, in a few days, was the case with my arms and neck. I could hardly keep on my trousers, and I need hardly say, made it worse. Then I bought a box of Cuticura ointment and patches appeared, with inflammation and soreness. After ten days, thousands of small red pimples formed. On becoming dry, these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for disease of the skin. I did so and was an out-patient for a month more, the chief surgeon saying: 'I never saw such a bad case of eczema. But I got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair. On coming to this country I heard so many accounts of cures by Cuticura Remedies that I resolved, as a last resource, to give them a trial. This was after suffering agonies for twelve months, and right glad am I that I did so. For I was relieved of the most unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combined with a liberal use of Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Resolvent Pills and am more than thankful to say that after using three sets of the Remedies, I was completely cured. I can only say that, should any one be suffering as I did, I hope that they will do as I did, and I am sure of the result. Henry Seale, 2022 Cross St., Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, '07."

MARKED FOR THE REAPER

About three years ago Mrs. L. Hetkes of 319 Kirkham street, Oakland, Cal., called at our office with a girl thirteen years old, the latter weak and listless. She stated that she had lost a daughter through kidney disease and the doctors now told her this one was in the same fix and that she could live but a short while.

The mother was nearly distracted. We told her that kidney disease was really inflammation of the kidneys and that it was in fact incurable under the old remedies, all of which were kidney excitants, but that an emollient for kidney inflammation had been discovered and that the child would probably recover. The mother took the treatment with her.

We skip three years. A few months ago Mrs. Hetkes called with a beautiful young girl who was the very picture of health. She introduced her as the dying patient of three years ago, and told us to refer anybody in the world to her. She stated the recovery was complete about the eleventh week.

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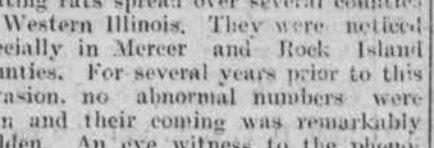
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Danderine GROWS HAIR and we can PROVE IT! A lady from Minnesota writes: "As a result of using Danderine, my hair is close to five feet in length." Beautiful Hair At Small Cost. Danderine troubles, like many other diseases, have been wrongly diagnosed and altogether misunderstood. The hair itself is not the thing to be treated, for the reason that it is simply a product of the scalp and wholly dependent upon its action. The scalp is the very soil in which the hair is produced, nurtured and grown, and it alone should receive the attention it merits. It would do no earthly good to treat the stem of a plant with a view of making it grow and become more beautiful—the soil in which the plant grows must be attended to. Therefore, the scalp in which the hair grows must receive the attention if you are to expect it to grow and become more beautiful. Loss of hair is caused by the scalp drying up, or losing its supply of moisture or nutrient, when baldness occurs the scalp has simply lost all its nourishment, leaving nothing for the hair to feed upon in plant or even a tree would die under similar conditions. The natural thing to do in either case, is to feed and replenish the soil or scalp as the case may be, and your crop will grow and multiply as nature intended. Knowlton's Danderine has a most wonderful effect upon the hair glands and tissues of the scalp. It penetrates the pores quickly and the hair soon shows the effects of its wonderfully exhilarating and life-producing qualities. One 25-cent bottle is enough to convince you of its great worth as a hair growing and hair beautifying remedy—try it and see for yourself. NOW at all druggists in three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. FREE to show how quickly Danderine acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this free coupon to the KNOWLTON DRUGGING CO., CHICAGO, ILL., with their name and address and 10c in silver or stamps to pay postage.

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Upper Peninsula

Menominee Girl to Wed—

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Edna Wells, daughter of J. W. Wells of Menominee, to Arthur Walsh of Chicago.

Youthful Murderer in Jail—

August Swartz, the Cedar River young man who shot and instantly killed Antonio Braderski, is now in the Menominee jail.

Busy Logging Railroad—

The Pequaing logging road, which was put in operation Oct. 12, has been exceedingly busy during its existence.

used on the cars and the logs are beginning to come in so fast that another leg loader and another engine may have to be purchased in the near future.

High Water Helps the Soo— An almost unprecedented condition prevails relative to the mean stage of the water in Lake Superior during the month of December.

President Has Responsibility. The bill as now drawn does not provide for this. It gives the president the responsibility to decide whether the constitutions are satisfactory before he issues a proclamation declaring them admitted.

THE AMERICAN WOMAN. The American woman is not quite like other women. She has the same heart, the same emotions as most of the daughters of Eve.

Negaunee Department

UNION WORKMEN STANDING FIRM

LITTLE PROSPECT OF AN EARLY RESUMPTION OF MINING OPERATIONS AT THE HOMESTAKE PROPERTY AT LEAD, S. D.

Negaunee men located at Lead, S. D., where the employees of the Homestake Mining company have been out of work for more than a month, on account of the management having decided to protect non-union workmen, advise relatives here that there is practically no change in the situation.

It is reported from Lead that many of the unions in other parts of the country are sending in funds to aid in caring for the union men and their families.

One of the union men who has relatives here writes that he believes the Lead organizations will be able to hold out for a year or longer.

President Tait is deeply interested in the effort to prevent the new states making radical departures in their basic statutes, and the house committee is trying to figure out a way to guarantee anything of the sort.

UNIQUE FEATURE. The members of the committee in charge of the party given Wednesday night at McDonald's Opera House under auspices of the Union Bank, Knights of Pythias of Ishpeming, presented a novel feature.

MIRROR BABY SHEDS TEARS. Reforming Effect Evident on the Flesh and Blood Child. "It cannot be a new way to attempt to quiet a crying baby," said the young man, who couldn't be expected to know a great deal about children.

DEATH TRAP WHICH ANTEDATES ADAM. Near the city of Los Angeles there exists a tale in which animals and birds have been wired and trapped since the dawn of the Quaternary Epoch.

WRONG VIEW OF MARRIAGE. "There would be less divorce," said ex-Governor Pennypacker, at a dinner in Philadelphia, "if there were fewer men like William Winkle."

ANNUAL BAND CONCERT.

Negaunee Band Will Give Entertainment and Hop Tomorrow Night.

The committee in charge of the annual concert of the Negaunee City band, to be given tomorrow night at McDonald's opera house, has prepared a fine program, and the house will be well filled.

LOCAL LACONICS. And Custer, manager of the Bijou theater, arrived yesterday from Chicago, where he spent a week visiting his folks.

A delegation of Negaunee young people plan to attend the ball to be given tonight under auspices of the department of Hennaite camp of the Modern Woodmen of America, at Braasadd's hall, Ishpeming.

T. H. Harris, who came home over a week ago to spend the holidays with his family, will leave Sunday night for Milwaukee, to secure a new lot of samples before starting on his next trip for the American Canopy company.

A large delegation of Negaunee theatergoers will attend the production of "The Cimex" at the Ishpeming theater tonight. As the curtain will not ring up until 8:30, those leaving here on the 8 o'clock car will be in time for the opening.

Turkeys are retailing in Negaunee at twenty-eight cents per pound. This is said to be the highest price that turkeys have ever been sold for in this city.

The members of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company's passenger crew, arriving here yesterday morning from the south, reported that it was twelve below zero at Green Bay when they left there shortly after midnight.

Some near sighted people are very far seeing.

"Ring out the old, ring in the new, Ring, happy bells, across the snow; The year is going, let him go; Ring out the false, ring in the true."

We wish you a Happy and Prosperous New Year

THE NEGAUNEE NATIONAL BANK

Capital, \$100,000.00 Surplus, 20,000.00

FROM MORGAN'S CURB LETTER.

The New York market opened strong and higher all through and for a short time the trading was brisk. The hardening of the money rate put a damper on the trading and the market became dull and sagging.

Yesterday's prevailing prices were:

Table with 3 columns: Commodity, Bid, Asked. Includes items like Amtrak, American Sugar, Arizona & Mich, Black Mountain, Butte & Superior, etc.

ARIZONA COMMERCIAL.

General Manager J. W. Bennie of the Arizona Commercial Copper company says that the new twelve-inch water column will be in use on the 1st of January.

Foley's Honey and Tar is the best and safest cough remedy for children. At the first symptoms of a cold, give as directed, and ward off the danger of croup, bronchitis, sore throat, cold in the head, and stuffy breathing.

Bijou Theatre NEGAUNEE. COMPLETE CHANGE of Moving Pictures EVERY NIGHT. 8-11-11

Cut Flowers Roses, Carnations, Hyacinths, Narcissus, Violets, Lilies and Stevia.

POTTED PLANTS Jerusalem Cherries, Ottaheite Orange, Azaleas, Primroses, Narcissus, Begonias and Air Plants.

NEGAUNEE GREENHOUSES BOTH PHONES.

Reckmeyer's FURS—Milwaukee. If you intend to purchase anything in fur this season, it will pay you to come to Milwaukee and see our splendid assortment of fashionable and attractive furs for the season.

ISHPEMING THEATRE TONIGHT! The Real Success THE CLIMAX Special Street Car Service. CURTAIN WILL RISE AT 8:30.

WALKING HAS BEEN BAD SINCE SNOW

MANY CITIZENS COMPLAIN OF FAILURE OF RESIDENTS TO REMOVE DRIFTS PROMPTLY.

SHOULD ENFORCE ORDINANCE

Council Has Decreed That Everyone Should Clean His Walk by 10 a. m. After Snow Fall.

As is usual following a heavy fall of snow, there is considerable complaint of the bad condition of the sidewalks and the sentiment is frequently expressed that it would be well for the city to strictly enforce the ordinance requiring walks to be kept free of snow. Though the snow plow crew has been putting in long hours the last few days, as there are something like thirty or thirty-five miles of walk in the city, it is impossible for the plow to cover all within twenty-four hours after any heavy storm, and if the snow fall continues for some time, as was the case this week, the walks first cleaned are blocked again before the entire round is made.

This being the case, it falls upon many of the residents of the city to clean the walks in front of their own premises, and as a matter of fact, the city snow plow has no legal status, being simply operated by the street commission as a matter of convenience to the public. The ordinance covering the removal of snow reads as follows:

"The occupant, or owner, if there be no occupant, of each and every tenement, building or lot, fronting upon any street, the sidewalks of which shall be of plank, stone, brick or concrete, shall clear the sidewalks in front of such tenement, building or lot, of snow or ice by 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each day, after the cessation of any storm of snow or sleet, and shall keep same clear of such snow or ice, under a penalty of \$2 for each failure to do so, and a like penalty of \$2 for every twelve hours such sidewalks remain encumbered with ice and snow."

Only a few at fault. While the great majority of citizens comply with the spirit of this ordinance as a matter of personal pride, there are a few who do not, and their negligence makes the walking just about as bad as if none of the walks were cleaned. One can get his feet just about as wet wading through snow drifts for a hundred yards as for a half mile. Another practical objection has been made that of cutting a path through the snow covered sidewalk from the walking leading to a house to the street curb. Some residents have shoveled such a path down to the cement the entire distance, while the rest of the sidewalk is covered with four or five inches of hard packed snow. This leaves a drop of several inches on both sides of the intersection of the two walks, over which pedestrians are likely to stumble and fall, especially at night. Those who have to push baby sleds over the walks in winter object to the practice of shoveling all the snow off the sidewalks, as it is very hard to push the sleds over the bare cement. This class much prefer that several inches of snow should be left on the walks, as is the custom in the down town district.

One citizen and taxpayer stated yesterday that he believed the walks would be kept in much better condition, if the use of the snow plow was discontinued. Then, in his opinion, every resident would be personally responsible for the condition of his walk, and would be more likely to take the responsibility of keeping it free from snow. As it is now, there is reasonable aversion to spending a half hour or more in the frosty early morning air in cleaning off the walk, while a neighbor around the corner sits by a fire and watches the city plow do the work. Furthermore, by doing away with the snow plow, the city would be saving something like \$350 per year. In the copper country, it is said, that the walks are rolled after every snow storm, thus leaving the snow on the walks, but packing it down so that there is no inconvenience for pedestrians. It is said that this system comports with the general approval of copper country people.

CORPORATION TAX.

Government Asking for Information from Incorporated Companies.

With the new year the incorporation income tax, passed at the last session of congress, will become effective and already notices are being sent out by the collectors of internal revenue to the corporations, requiring the latter to furnish information regarding their net receipts in 1909. The information must be submitted by March 1. In addition to the amount of their receipts during the year, each corporation is required to inform the collector of the amount of indebtedness, bonded or otherwise, and to submit the assessment list.

Other information in regard to each has already been secured from the secretary of state. This information includes the corporate name, the place at which it was organized, the kind of business it transacts, where its principal place of business is located, and the amount of its capital stock.

For convenience, the corporations are divided into five classes. Class A includes financial institutions, such as banks and loan associations. Class B includes transportation companies, such as railroads and steamship lines. Industrial concerns make up Class C, mercantile houses Class D and miscellaneous corporations Class E.

Corporations whose annual net income is less than \$5,000 are not assessed, although they have to submit information regarding themselves as well as the larger corporations. All those whose annual income amounts to \$5,000 or more are taxed 1 per cent of the income. It is estimated that Uncle Sam's total income from this source during the year will be \$15,000,000 and that it will be \$25,000,000 in 1911.

HAPPY NEW YEAR. Marquette Enters 1910 Under Most Auspicious Circumstances.

Marquette, in common with the whole country, will start the New Year tomorrow under peculiarly favorable circumstances. Practically all the effects of the business depression from which the country has been suffering for the last two years have worn off and all lines of trade are now more active than usual during the winter months.

THEATRICAL.

"The Climax." One of the wholesome offerings of the season will be "The Climax," a serio-comic drama in three acts by Edward Locke, the young American playwright. The engagement is announced for next Monday night, at the opera house. Joseph M. Weber stands sponsor for the entertainment. The play entered New York under rubber heels but made an uninterrupted leap to success. The theme is that of a young woman gifted with a beautiful voice and her struggles for its final development. She has ambitions for an operatic career and she is encouraged and abetted in her efforts by her musical associates. Her doctor-lover opposes her ambitions, and thereby hangs the tale. An excellent cast will be in evidence here.

"Miss Petticoats." The success of a play is usually gauged upon its reception by the audience of the big cities. "Miss Petticoats" is coming to Marquette Jan. 6, and to all appearances it is a play of worth and success. The Boston Transcript comments on its initial performance at the Boston theater as follows: "Miss Petticoats," a play in five acts and six scenes, dramatized by George F. Richardson from the book of the same name by Mr. Richardson in collaboration with Wilder Dwight Quint, was presented in Boston for the first time, at the Boston theater last evening. A play constructed from a book written by a well-known newspaper man, and appearing during the first week of its dramatic life in a Boston theater, proved a combination that drew a large and distinctly friendly audience last night, and the applause was hearty and frequent. At times it was even enthusiastic, and at the end of the fourth act the actors were given a triple curtain call."

BUSY YEAR FOR CUPID.

Over 400 Marriage Licenses Issued in County Up to Last Night. Cupid has been busy among the Marquette county maidens and swains the past twelve months and his labors have not been for naught, as is apparent from the marriage licenses received by the county clerk's office. Up to last night, with one more day of grace, 401 marriage licenses had been issued in the county within the year, an increase of thirty-one over 1908. This record has been surpassed only in 1906 and 1907 when 432 and 425 licenses, respectively, were issued. In 1905, the number fell to 355. Those who are instrumental in issuing the printed forms that mark the near consummation of Cupid's endeavors state that the marriage license record is a very accurate barometer of financial and financial prosperity or depression. When work is scarce and times are hard, comparatively few young men venture to stick their heads into the matrimonial yoke, but with the return of good times, they hasten to prove the often made assertion that two can live cheaper than one. Figures for the last four years are a forcible illustration of this statement. In 1906 and 1907, when there was plenty of work for everybody, more licenses were issued than at any time in the history of the county. When the period of dullness struck the mining country in 1908, the number of licenses dropped off over one-eighth. With the return of good times this year, Cupid has had better success and his record is nearly up to that of the hazy days of three and four years ago.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Presbyterian church—In the absence of Rev. J. M. Rogers, Dr. Fracker of the Normal faculty will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning. In the evening a union service will be held at the Methodist church, inaugurating the week of prayer.

German Lutheran church—English services will be held New Year's eve at 7:30. Sunday services will be held at 10 a. m.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, 25th Judicial Circuit, in Chancery.

Suit pending in circuit court for county of Marquette, in chancery, at the city of Marquette, on the 27th day of December, 1909. James H. Knowles and Thomas Dreyer, complainants, vs. Harry R. Edwards, Joseph W. Roof, Andrew W. Smith, Charles N. Kirkpatrick and George A. Jones, defendants. In this case it appearing that all the defendants are non residents of this state and reside in the state of Ohio, the court upon motion of J. L. Hefferman, solicitor for said complainants, it is ordered that said defendants enter their appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainants cause this order to be published in The Daily Mining Journal, Marquette, said county, said publication to be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

J. W. STONE, Circuit Judge. J. L. HEFFERMAN, Attorney for Complainants. Business Address: Marquette, Mich. (12-31-7w)

MICH. RAILWAY BOARD IGNORES UNCLE SAM

EXCEPTION TAKEN TO CLAIM OF INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION THAT IT HAS JURISDICTION OVER DEMURRAGE.

Through an opinion which was rendered by the state railroad commission Wednesday, there is a great possibility that the state will become embroiled with the interstate commerce commission, which may have its final hearing in the supreme court of the United States.

The railroad commission has taken exception to the claim of the interstate commerce commission that it has jurisdiction over demurrage. In drafting the rules the railroad commission ignored the rulings of the interstate body and mentioned that demurrage rates in this state must be fixed and approved only by the Michigan railroad commission.

In its opinion the commission holds that demurrage matters are purely local and no part of the rate can be determined because they arise from conditions purely incident to circumstances under which deliveries are made, and those circumstances are under the control of the consignor or consignee.

The railroad commission has received letters from at least 100 shippers in various parts of the state asking that the resolution adopted by the National Association of Railroad Commissioners relative to uniform demurrage be ignored. They also ask the railroad commission to promulgate rules best suited to the Michigan shippers.

"I am inclined to think that the rules we have adopted have paved the way for a long series of litigations in the supreme court of the United States," said Chairman C. I. Glasgow. "The interstate commerce commission is sure to take exception to our action and will contest the matter in court."

MILK EIGHT CENTS.

After careful consideration I have concluded to continue the sale of milk at eight cents per quart.

M. A. QUANDT, Both Telephones. Maple Grove Dairy. (12-31-3t)

SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 3, 1909. Meeting of the trustees of the public schools of the city of Marquette, Michigan, held at Superintendent Gehrman's office at eight o'clock p. m.

Present, President Neidhart, Trustees James O'Reilly and Edw. S. Eice. Absent, Trustees D. H. Ball and H. J. Hornbogen.

Meeting called to order by President Neidhart. Minutes of meeting Oct. 28th, 1909, were read and the same were duly approved.

On motion which was duly seconded, the superintendent was instructed to close the schools at noon on Thursday, Dec. 23rd, 1909, and to open Wednesday a. m., Jan. 5, 1910.

Upon motion which was duly seconded, the bills presented were allowed and ordered paid.

No further business appearing, the meeting was adjourned.

(Signed) EDW. S. EICE, Secretary.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 13, 1909.

Meeting of the trustees of the public schools of the city of Marquette, Michigan, held at Superintendent Gehrman's office at eight o'clock p. m.

Present, President Neidhart, Trustees D. H. Ball, James O'Reilly, H. J. Hornbogen and Edw. S. Eice.

Meeting called to order by President Neidhart. Minutes of meeting Dec. 3rd, 1909, were read and the same were duly approved.

Upon motion, which was duly seconded, the salary of J. B. Wilson, janitor of the Third and Fourth street schools, was increased \$5.00 per month, commencing Dec. 1st, 1909.

Upon motion which was duly seconded, the contract for a euphoric in Superintendent Gehrman's office was awarded to F. W. Sandbrook & Son.

A communication from L. W. LeVeque was read and upon motion, which was duly seconded, the same was placed on file.

Upon motion, which was seconded, the requisitions of Superintendent Gehrman, H. D. Gross and those of the Manual Training and Domestic Science Departments were allowed.

The superintendent's report and those of the Manual Training and Domestic Science departments were read and placed on file.

Upon motion, which was seconded, Miss Henne's request for the use of room adjoining the High School Assembly Room, on Thursday evenings, as a meeting place for the High School Fresh Study club, was allowed.

Superintendent Gehrman was authorized to have properly framed eight pictures which were presented to the school.

Upon motion, which was duly seconded, the superintendent was instructed to introduce in the High School D. D. Mayne's Modern Business Speller.

Upon motion, which was duly seconded, the superintendent was instructed to purchase eighteen clocks at a cost not to exceed \$1.00 each.

Upon motion, which was seconded, the bills presented were allowed and ordered paid.

No further business appearing, the meeting was duly adjourned.

(Signed) EDW. S. EICE, Secretary.

STREET TALK.

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