

HEED IS PAID TO MR. TAFT'S ADVICE

His Admonition That the Republicans Would Do Well to Stop Their Quarreling Is Productive of a Spirit of Conciliation.

There Are Evidences of a Definite Attempt to Bring the Warring Factions Together, at Least Upon a Temporary Understanding, and at the White House There Is Confidence That a Reconciliation of Some Kind Will Be Brought About Shortly.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Following President Taft's advice to the Republicans in congress yesterday to stop quarreling and get down to the party legislative program as quickly as possible, there were evidences today of a definite attempt to bring the warring factions together, at least upon a temporary understanding.

A spirit of conciliation is in the air. Mr. Taft still considers all the "insurgents" Republicans. Speaker Cannon announced that all the Republicans would be invited to the caucus on the naming of the Ballinger-Pinchot committee, and he hoped that all would attend. Mr. Hayes, of California, one of the leading insurgents, made two trips to the White House today and announced that attempts to adjust matters were under way. He consulted with his brethren and reported back to the president.

Mr. Taft's Position.

Mr. Taft declared again that his test of Republicanism would come when action was taken upon the legislative recommendations he has made in compliance with the party platform. He said that he was not withholding patronage from any Republican senator or member on account of votes against Speaker Cannon, against the rules of the house or against the tariff bill. If, however, any of the insurgents carry the fight against the speaker and the rules to the extent of opposing purely administrative and party measures to which the party is pledged, the president will no longer regard them as Republicans but as opponents of the party. Under the circumstances, he declares that he is not justified in recognizing any claims for patronage from senators or representatives who would use the very patronage given them as ammunition against the party. Mr. Taft said he was satisfied with the way he has made in pressing and had received many assurances that most of the so-called insurgents will support the administration measures.

Speaker Cannon says that the caucus will be held next week. It is understood that it will be made the basis for the contemplated reconciliation between the insurgents and the regulars. How this will be brought about is not apparent tonight. The majority of the insurgents are chary of walking up to something they might "be loaded," as one expressed it. Speaker Cannon said that every Republican should attend the caucus and take pot luck on the result.

The insurgents reiterate that all they desire in the Ballinger-Pinchot matter is the naming of a fair committee which will go to the bottom of the whole business and return an honest verdict. The insurgents are making no effort to place any of their number upon this committee.

LIVELY DEBATE IN THE SENATE.

Salary Claims of Former Postmasters Meet Strong Opposition.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Two hours were devoted by the senate today to a discussion of claims for additional salary allowances filed in behalf of postmasters who held office between the years 1864 and 1874. The whole subject was referred to the committee on post-offices. The supporters of the claims objected to the reference to the committee, whereupon Chairman Penrose attacked the whole scheme. He declared that an appropriation of four million dollars would be necessary if the claims were allowed, and quoted numerous letters to show that the present effort was the result of the activity of claim agents who, he said, had contracts for 25 to 50 per cent of the amounts allowed in all cases. He mentioned as the chief of these agents Major E. G. Rathbone, who was fourth assistant postmaster general under President McKinley and who as director of posts in Cuba became involved with the department. Senator Dick defended Rathbone, expressing the opinion that he had been a "capable, honest, misjudged public official." The senate adjourned at 2:30 o'clock until Monday.

CAPITOL TO BE REMODELED.

House of Representatives Will Practically Be Reconstructed.

New York, Jan. 13.—Elliott Woods, superintendent of the Capitol at Washington, is in New York to discuss with architects the remodeling of the hall of representatives.

It has been determined to decrease the size of the hall about a third, said Mr. Woods. "This will involve practically the reconstruction of the house wing of the Capitol."

Under the present arrangements, the congressmen are so far from the speaker and from one another that the house is unwieldy, Mr. Woods added.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The president today nominated Wm. F. Warner United States marshal of Nebraska.

GIFFORD PINCHOT ISSUES A STATEMENT.

Conservation of the Natural Resources and Conservation of Popular Government Are Both at Stake, He Says, and He Proposes to Stay in the Fight.

Washington, Jan. 13.—"Conservation of the natural resources and conservation of popular government are both at stake. The one needs conservation no less than the other." This epitomizes a statement issued tonight by Gifford Pinchot, recently removed as chief forester. The statement in part is as follows:

"At this time I have no comment to make on the recent events. Whether in or out of the government service, I propose to stay in the fight for conservation and equal opportunity. Every governmental measure, from whatever source that tends to advance conservation and promote government by men and for human welfare, I will try to help. Every movement and measure that hinders conservation and promotes government by money for profit and ill-gotten gains, I will oppose. The supreme test of movements and measures is the welfare of the plain people. I am ready to support the administration when it moves toward this paramount purpose and to oppose it when it moves away."

Mr. Pinchot expresses regret at leaving the service and pays a tribute to the faithfulness and the high quality of the service of the men with whom he has worked. Out of the forest service work, he proceeds, greets the conservation movement. He adds: "Today that movement expresses one of our deepest national convictions, and the principles for which it stands are axiomatic. It is only the execution of them which remains in doubt. The conference of the governors at the White House in 1908 led to the appointment of the national conservation commission, whose report gave us a new conception of the value of the natural resources and what was needed for their orderly development, and their safety and perpetuation. With Mr. Roosevelt's message transmitting its report, the commission's recommendations furnished a complete statement of a conservation policy which met our needs and squarely prescribed the remedy."

Foes of Conservation Score.

Mr. Pinchot traces the commission's recommendations, applauding them, and proceeds: "At this critical period, when the goal was in sight, the enemies of conservation in congress not only succeeded in preventing an appropriation to pursue the work, but attempted to forbid its progress by the Tawney amendment to the last sundry bill. Thereupon the work of the national conservation commission was stopped. The commission's recommendations still await action. All wise men will agree that the situation is serious. The Tawney amendment was a deliberate betrayal of the future."

"The dangers which confront the conservation movement must be met by the action of congress. No action will be equivalent to bad action and will have the same results. Unless congress acts the waterpowers will pass into the hands of the special interests, without charge, without limit of time. So with the coal lands, the enormous and economically valuable coal deposits in Alaska, which the present law would sell for ten dollars an acre."

"The danger of bad legislation is no less serious. The special interests must no longer be allowed to take what they choose out of the great property of the people. Those who steal public lands and steal homes from men and women who need them. Congress can stop the pillage or let it go on."

Two Great Plans Menaced.

"In the absence of proper action, two great conservation plans for the public welfare may fail. First is the control of the waterpowers on navigable streams; second, the construction of a deep waterway from the Great Lakes to the Gulf."

"The unanimous opinion of the Mississippi valley recognizes this waterway as a commercial necessity. It believes with reason that the cost, which already is officially known, would be trivial when compared with the benefits conferred. Transportation facilities create traffic. The failure to develop the waterways leaves to the railroads a complete monopoly of the transportation of the Mississippi valley."

Mr. Pinchot calls upon every man of good will to make it clear to his congressmen his firm intention to hold him personally responsible for safeguarding the "rights and property of the people." In such action, says Mr. Pinchot, lies the remedy.

"The first great and immediate danger is that the waterpower will be lost; second, that the coal lands will be lost. But these specific dangers are merely parts of the great issue between the special interests and the rest of us—the issue whether the country is to be managed by men for human welfare or by money for profit."

Progress Versus Reaction.

"This tremendous moral issue is far greater than any man's feelings or fortune. It lies between the people and their representatives on one side and the special interests and their representatives on the other; between progress and reaction; between special privilege and the square deal. The supreme test is the welfare of the plain people. It is time to apply it."

The officials tonight had no time to examine the statement. It is not believed that any formal reply will be made as Mr. Pinchot is no longer a public official.

RAILROAD TO PASS INTO NEW HANDS

That D. G. Reid Will Be Eliminated as a Factor in the Control of Rock Island Is Indicated by Important Developments.

Foreign Financiers Headed by F. S. Pearson of London Have Acquired Large Blocks of the Stock and in Conjunction With the Moore and New York First National Bank Interests, It Is Said, Will Hereafter Have Voice in the Affairs of the Property.

New York, Jan. 13.—S. B. Chapin & Co. have been furnished by D. G. Reid resigned today as chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island company and now out of the mass of rumors which have cropped up since the recent sensational rise and fall of Rock Island common stock comes apparently authentic report that control of the Rock Island company is to change and Reid's influence will be eliminated.

Powerful foreign interests, headed by F. S. Pearson, a London banker, owner of Mexican properties, and with strong Canadian connections, has recently acquired in the open market large blocks of Rock Island common and preferred stock. The amount is not disclosed, but it probably represents about one-fifth of the whole.

The new comers are understood to be working in harmony with Judge Wm. H. Moore and the First National bank interests, who, with Reid, have in recent years dominated the Rock Island properties. Judge Moore issued a statement today saying that he and Mr. Reid were working in perfect harmony, but he declined to discuss other developments.

Some time ago Dr. Pearson attracted the attention of Wall street by organizing a \$40,000,000 syndicate which took over the extensive Mexican properties owned by Colonel Wm. C. Greene and also the completed Chihuahua & Pacific railroad. This railroad, it is said, the Pearson interests will extend not only to the Pacific, but northward to El Paso, where it would make connection with the Rock Island.

Official announcement was made today of the resignation of Richard A. Jackson as president and director of the Rock Island company and of the election of Robert Walker, formerly assistant general counsel, as his successor. Mr. Walker also was elected a member of the board of directors, chairman of the executive committee and general counsel of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company. As chairman of the executive committee, Mr. Walker succeeds Mr. Reid, who resigns. Mr. Reid remains, however, as chairman of the board of directors of this company as well as a director of the Rock Island company and of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad company. Further changes in the official force and directorate of these companies, involving Mr. Reid, are forecast as probable.

Stock Market Improves.

New York, Jan. 13.—There was further intermittent liquidation in stocks today, and some large blocks were thrown on the market. The market rallied, with a good show of resistance to the pressure. Its supporters seemed satisfied to have checked the fall of prices and did not mind the point where the market was. The short interest in the market is the subject of the suspension of the members of a prominent firm from operations on the stock exchange as a result of the Rock Island flurry Dec. 27 was accepted as losing that incident. The outcome of this case and the changes announced today in the officers of the Rock Island company were held to explain some of the recent liquidation in the stock. The assumption seemed warranted that an extensive transfer of stock holdings has been under way in preparation for these changes.

A notable feature of today's financial developments was the general but belated relaxation of the money markets. The call loan market showed growing abundance and the time loan rates were shaded under the offerings of additional supplies. The influence of this on the speculative demand for stocks proved modest today, but the capital resources thus shown caused reassurance. The decrease of \$25,000,000 in the value of the December agricultural exports, compared with December of the previous year, helps to explain the persistent strength of the foreign exchange market.

There was less hesitation in the upward movement of stock prices towards the last. The final prices were higher generally than last night.

WOULD HIT SPECULATORS.

Washington, Jan. 13.—President Taft today conferred on the question of making a fight on gambling in futures with Representatives Scott, of Kansas; Lovinger, of Massachusetts; and Hurlston, of Texas. The discussion was based on Mr. Scott's bill forbidding interstate telegraph and telephone companies and the mails to transmit messages in reference to future contracts for the sale of farm produce where there is no intention to deliver the products. Attorney General Wickham and Commissioner of Corporations Smith were present. The matter was referred to Mr. Wickham as to the form of the Scott bill and to Mr. Smith for recommendation in the light of his previous investigation of the methods of the cotton exchanges.

DICKINSON HOME FROM CUBA.

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 13.—Secretary of War Dickinson and party arrived here today from Cuba.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Snow flurries, Friday and Saturday.

COACHMAN ACCUSES THE JAPANESE BUTLER.

Pretty and Cultured, Sarah O. Brymer, Governess at the Home of Barnes Compton at Millbrook, N. Y., Is Found in Her Bed, Strangled to Death.

A maid employed at housework discovered the tragedy and summoned the coachman, Schermerhorn, who notified the officers of the governess' death. In the course of the investigation the chief of police went to the coachman's home this afternoon to further question him. Not receiving an answer he went to the coachman's bedroom and found him under the bed with his throat cut.

LOYAL TO THE WAITER WITH WHOM SHE ELOPED.

Roberta DeJanon Will Not Promise Future Good Behavior if Cohen Is Sent to the Penitentiary—She Is in a Hospital, and He Is in a Cell.

Philadelphia, Jan. 13.—Roberta DeJanon is now in St. Agnes' hospital here, the man with whom the girl eloped to the point where she is on the charge of abduction. His wife is in a hospital, suffering from nervous collapse but willing to forgive.

Despite a cross-examination to which the young heiress was subjected for nearly five hours, her story was unchanged. She swept on her grandfather's shoulder, but insisted that Cohen had done nothing to merit punishment. A police surgeon examined the girl and reported that no charge more serious than abduction could be substantiated.

Her Loyalty Inexplicable.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—It was accompanied by "cooties," her pet bulldog, and a detective, that Roberta DeJanon, the \$100,000 heiress, went back to Philadelphia. She went back to her father and to her grandfather. She went back, she hoped, to that life of luxury and ease which was hers before she abandoned it all for the sake of a young criminal. With Fred Cohen, a waiter more than twice her age.

On the same train, but in another coach and handcuffed to a detective, was Cohen, the smirking and smiling nearly five-foot, former race track hanger-on. He swept on her grandfather's shoulder, but insisted that Cohen had done nothing to merit punishment. A police surgeon examined the girl and reported that no charge more serious than abduction could be substantiated.

Girl Not Happy.

It was not a happy girl by any means that left for home, which she deserted under such strange circumstances. It cannot be truthfully said it was a repentant girl, either. The little seventeen-year-old heiress evidently could not all brought to the point where she realized that in running away with the married Cohen, in traveling over the country with him and in sharing squalid quarters with him in the various cities she visited, she had done a grievous wrong.

Miss DeJanon and Cohen were allowed a few moments' conversation in the Harrison street station before they started for Philadelphia. It was a strange interview. The little girl was glad to see Cohen and have a chance to talk with him.

Waiter a Craven.

Cohen showed himself the craven by keeping the trend of the conversation turned toward himself and his predicament. He seemed to care nothing for the girl, whose young life he has blighted. He seemed to think only of himself and of the penitentiary looming up the distance. He begged the girl over and over to remain staunch and true to him and to swear that he did not entice her from her home. She promised readily. The loyalty of the child to Cohen is one of the inexplicable things about this strange case.

MEN PERISH MISERABLY.

Caught in a Train Wreck, Five Tramps Burn to Death.

Wister, Okla., Jan. 13.—Five tramps were burned to death in a wreck of a Rock Island train east of here last night. An eighty-foot bridge collapsed and ten cars of freight were thrown into the river. Two contained acid, and three of the acid exploded and set the oil afire. The tramps could not escape.

SHOT BY UNKNOWN MANIAC.

One New York School Boy Is Dead and One Is Dying.

New York, Jan. 13.—Arthur Shibley, the six-year-old school boy who was shot at while playing yesterday by a black-bearded maniac, is barely alive tonight. His playmate, Robert Lomas, who was shot at the same time, was instantly killed. There is no clue to the murderer.

RAY LAMPHERE'S ALLEGED STORY

Mrs. Belle Guinness' Former Employee Said to Have Made a Confession Shortly Before His Death in Indiana's Prison.

How the Victims of Crimes Met Their Doom at the Laporte "Murder Farm" Is Related in the Statement Credited to Him, and It Is Declared That This Can Be Verified by the Clergyman Who Attended Him—Confirmation Is Refused, However.

St. Louis, Jan. 13.—In a copyrighted story today the Post-Dispatch published what it claims was the confession of Ray Lamphere, who died recently in the penitentiary at Michigan City, Ind., while serving a sentence for setting fire to the home of Mrs. Belle Guinness near Laporte. It is known that Rev. Dr. E. A. Schell, formerly of Laporte and now president of Wesleyan University at Mt. Pleasant, la., heard Lamphere's confession.

The confession shows that Mrs. Guinness and her three children were chloroformed by Lamphere, who was robbing the house, and the woman accompanied, that Jennie Olson was not killed by Mrs. Guinness; that the chloroform used by Lamphere was part of that he had bought for Mrs. Guinness to kill three men, one of whom was Andrew Hegelein and the others probably Ole Budsberg and Tommas Peterson Lien, and that one of these men, probably Lien, was the third husband of Mrs. Guinness.

The Post-Dispatch says that if Dr. Schell would consent to talk he would verify the confession it publishes. It, according to the paper, was obtained from a man of unassailable character and truthfulness, whose standing in the community where he lives is such that his word is accepted without question. Dr. Schell, interviewed at Burlington, Ia., today, said he had not divulged any such confession. A staff correspondent of the Post-Dispatch saw Dr. Schell at Adair, Ia., last Sunday. He refused then to give public the confession that Lamphere made.

Death of the Woman and Children.

The confession establishes the fact that Mrs. Guinness is dead; that the adult body found in the ruins of the Guinness farm house was hers. She was in the deep sleep that chloroform induces when the smoke crept up through the crevices and smothered her. She died as she lay, with the head of her little boy pillowed on her breast. He, too, died without waking. Neither of them knew aught of it when the two little girls, Myrtle and Lucy, not so thoroughly chloroformed as the woman and the boy, awoke to their peril, ran into the mother's room and threw themselves upon the woman, beseeching help that she could not give. They perished miserably suffocated before the flames burned them.

Another also was chloroformed and perished like the rest, Jennie Olson, niece and adopted daughter of Mrs. Guinness, who it was believed was murdered by the woman a year before the house was burned, and whose body was believed to have been buried in the farm yard, was not murdered by Mrs. Guinness, according to Lamphere's confession, but was in the house the night it burned and was burned to death. There was no convincing partial identification by relatives of Jennie Olson of parts of the girl's body dug up in the yard. The identity of the girl buried in the yard thus becomes another mystery.

Mrs. Guinness made the fatal mistake of believing that she could safely break into the Guinness home, the mistaken belief that Lamphere's complicity in her crimes would keep him silent.

Found Only \$70 in the House.

Lamphere said that he left himself into the house the night of the burning of the Guinness home. Chloroform was administered and a search was made, but less than \$70 was found. Then he and the woman who he says accompanied him went away, and as dawn was breaking he looked back and saw flames bursting from the Guinness house. As he hurried forward the voices of the morning were to him the shrieks of the burning children. When the officers came to arrest him there was only one question he could ask, that about the children, and it brought the dreaded answer.

According to the confession, Lamphere knew of the murder of three men—Andrew Hegelein and probably Ole Budsberg and Tommas Lien—at the Guinness farm in 1907. The woman's method, it is stated, was to chloroform the victims, but it they survived the drug she killed attending physicians. It was thought that his physique would carry him through. Whitehead was stabbed by Jones in an affray at the Douglas club. Jones used a knife. The men quarreled over a dice game.

SEVERE PUNISHMENT MEANT.

Judge Lets Slayer Live So He Can Hear Victim's Wails.

Bellefonte, Ills., Jan. 13.—Judge G. A. Crow of the circuit court of St. Clair county today sentenced James Pullman, murderer of his six-month-old child, to live rather than die, so that he might for a longer time be haunted by the wails of the dying infant. Pullman pleaded guilty. He killed the child last July after he and the infant's mother failed in finding a home for it.

Tale of Two Missing Men.

An inquiry at Laporte by the Post-Dispatch showed that Ole O. Budsberg, of Iowa, Wis., who sold his farm and

went to Laporte with the money and whose body was found burned in the Guinness farm. Another man, who is believed to have been the sixth victim of the Guinness home Lamphere is stated to have had guilty knowledge. Budsberg, it seems, went to Laporte about the time that Lamphere began to live at the Guinness farm. Another man, who is believed to have been the sixth victim of Mrs. Guinness when Lamphere was there was Tommas Peterson Lien, of Rushford, Minn., whose disappearance and supposed death, the Post-Dispatch says, is now made public for the first time.

A few days ago Lien's brother Samuel went to Laporte, looking for him. He said to H. W. Worden, Lamphere's attorney, that he and Tommas had lived together near Rushford on their farm. Samuel, who has been a sailor and a rover, tired of the life in Minnesota and went West. For two years he heard nothing from his brother. When he returned recently Magnus Anderson, for whom Tommas had worked, told him that Tommas had seen the advertisement of Mrs. Guinness in a Newwegen paper, had corresponded with her and had sold the farm. Anderson had sewed up the money in his coat sleeve for him and he had gone to Laporte to marry the widow Guinness. That was the last ever heard of Samuel said that Tommas had a heavy silver watch, on the case of which he (Samuel) had scratched the initials "T. L." Mr. Worden remembered such a watch as one of those found in the ruins of the Guinness house. He went to Prosecutor Smith and asked to see this watch. It could not be found. The record of the firm of watchmakers who examined all the watches found showed that one was a large silver affair with the initials "T. L." scratched on the case. The body of this man was not found.

A. Schell, of Laporte, said that Lamphere never would tell was that when he was in the cellar of the Guinness house the night that Hegelein was killed he heard him groaning and asking for a doctor.

Laporte People Skeptical.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 13.—There is little faith here in Ray Lamphere's alleged confession, which points in which both Prosecutor Smith and Attorney Worden point out. It is learned that Mr. Smith had an inkling of the alleged confession Tuesday, when a St. Louis newspaperman secured information here from a man to whom Lamphere is alleged to have confessed while in the laporte jail. The identity of the man is unknown. Lamphere had many visitors.

Messrs. Smith and Worden both say that Jennie Olson disappeared long before Lamphere left Mrs. Guinness, that she was missing a year before the fire and that her body was found in the little burying ground. The lawyers assert that Lamphere could not have purchased chloroform for Mrs. Guinness to use in killing the three men, for Lamphere was unacquainted with her at the time that she was murdered. He might have been connected with the death of Andrew Hegelein. The statement that Lien was the woman's third husband is declared incorrect, as there are no records of her having more than two husbands—one, Sereson, who died in Chicago and Peter Guinness, who was killed in an accident.

I. L. Finley, brother-in-law of Lamphere, agrees with Mr. Smith that the only confession was made to Dr. Schell. Warden Reid of the state prison at Michigan City has stated that he is positive that Lamphere made no statement while in prison there which could be construed into a confession.

Dr. Schell Refuses Confirmation.

Burlington, Ia., Jan. 13.—Rev. Dr. E. A. Schell, now president of Iowa Wesleyan university, who is alleged to have received a confession from Ray Lamphere of the secrets of various crimes committed at the Guinness farm at Laporte, Ind., the alleged gist of which confession was published today, refused tonight to make a statement verifying or denying the alleged confession. Dr. Schell said he had never repeated to anybody the admissions made to him by the convicted man.

ONLY ONE SURVIVOR.

Wreck of the Steamer Carina Cost the Lives of Thirty Men.

Marshfield, Ore., Jan. 13.—It was definitely ascertained today that the iron steamer Carina was wrecked yesterday on the Coos Bay bar, with the loss of thirty lives. Harry Kentzell, the assistant engineer, is the only survivor. When the ship struck a rock, with six or seven others he took to the foreering and a tremendous sea swept over the ship and Kentzell, with the loss of a were washed away. Kentzell clung to a piece of timber and was rescued after consciousness had left him. As the Carina was going out yesterday afternoon in the face of the storm, bound for San Francisco, something happened. What it was will never be known, but the vessel drifted rapidly upon the north spit. The life savers tried to shoot life lines over the steamer, but all fell short. When darkness came hope was abandoned and none of the bodies came ashore.

ON THE TRAIL OF GRAFT.

State's Attorney Wayman, at Chicago, Gets Important Evidence.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—After three employees of the city water department had been questioned today by his assistants in connection with the city's relations with the T. A. Cummins Foundry company, State's Attorney Wayman sought and secured all the books and documents in the hands of the Merriam commission, which is investigating the alleged graft upon the city's transactions with the foundry company. Mayor Bussee said that he would accept the resignation of Paul Rutledge, deputy commissioner of public works, which was presented to him today.

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Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 13.—Charges of embezzlement have been preferred against William C. Lilley, the missing church official of Pittsburgh. Askle from being challenged with having taken more than \$40,000 of the funds of the Presbyterian church, Lilley was today publicly accused of having misapplied funds belonging to the estate of the late Mrs. Harriet E. Watson, who, with her husband, in life were the greatest of Lilley's many benefactors.

MAKES FLIGHT WITH TWO PASSENGERS

Ten Thousand Women at Los Angeles Breathe Sighs of Relief When Louis Paulhan Lands His Aeroplane in Safety.

His Feet Is Hailed as an Epoch in Aerial Navigation, but When He Gets in Curtiss' Way While the American Is Trying for a Speed Record His Action Arouses Much Resentment—Five Persons Take Voyage in a Big Balloon.

Los Angeles, Jan. 13.—Louis Paulhan today took up two passengers—M.M. Misarol and Malison, his assistants—and circled the field with them several times, as well as cutting "cross hats," in what was considered an attempt to slow down Curtiss, who was flying the regular course at the same time for the ten-lap record. When the passengers were safely on the ground, thousands of women breathed sighs of relief. Flight with one passenger have become ordinary events.

No speed or altitude or endurance records were broken today, but the trials demonstrated the possibility of the airship as a commercial or at least as a sporting factor. Curtiss' manager protested against Paulhan's getting in the way of Curtiss' machine in the ten-lap trial. His total time was 24 minutes and 54.2-5 seconds. Later Paulhan tried to beat this and failed by five seconds. Earlier, with his wife as a passenger, Paulhan made three laps of the course. On another flight of seven minutes he had Mrs. "Dick" Ferris as his passenger. The following were the chief features of the day:

Paulhan set the mark at 8:16 1/4 in an official trial for three laps in a passenger-carrying contest, with his wife as the passenger. Curtiss failed in an attempt to lower the three-lap record he set yesterday. Hamilton, Paulhan, Curtiss and Willard qualified in the three-lap flights for all events.

Willard duplicated his feat of starting, flying round the course once and landing within a measured space of twenty feet. Hamilton tried for the ten-lap speed record, but landed on the third lap, the result of engine trouble. Paulhan ascended with two passengers and circled the field several times. Curtiss failed to equal the ten-lap record. His time was 24:54 2-5; the mile average, 2:29 2-5.

Paulhan failed to break Curtiss' mark for ten laps. Nothing had been heard this evening from the balloon City of Los Angeles, which ascended at noon with five passengers. The balloon was last seen near Redondo beach, at an altitude of two thousand feet. In the basket were J. C. Mars, of Oakland, the pilot; Mrs. Ida M. Gregory, of Chicago; Miss Bertha Freund, of Cincinnati; Miss May Myers, of San Bernardino, and K. L. Bernard, of New York city.

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Candidates Osborn and Montgomery appear to have dropped the question, for the time being at least.

There's no denying that Senator Smith took that Bacon incident as pleasantly as anyone could ask.

There would be a more general appreciation of the fireworks in the Boston copper market, if they were not so strictly localized.

Now it's the pardons board that is getting tanned for the alleged offense of issuing too many paroles. The ball must be kept rolling.

While a few Lake Superior specialties have been doing skyrocket stunts, it cannot be claimed that the general run of coppers show anything to brag about.

More than one long patient creditor is looking forward with pleasure to the early date when the great state of Michigan is going to be able to pay its bills.

The farmers are to get their binder twine at a cheaper rate than last year. If they are only allowed to hit the mines hard enough they may still get it price free.

Representative Hamilton is the new Michigan member of the congressional committee. Representative Fordney, whom he succeeds, was not a candidate for re-election.

Senators Burrows and Smith have agreed on the re-appointment of Milo B. Campbell as marshal for the eastern district of Michigan. They are getting together, it seems.

There is no good reason appearing on the face of the returns why Chief Forester Graves should not make as effective and enthusiastic an official as his predecessor in the office.

Unless reports about the attitude of the home folks are sadly misleading, the insurgents will be able to get along very nicely in their campaigns for re-election even without the postoffices.

The corner grocery strategists feel certain that they could handle recent happenings with more discretion than the Republican congressional committee has done, and we shouldn't wonder if they are right.

Governor Warner says that he expects to retire from politics at the conclusion of his present term. Really there's little else for a man who has been three terms governor and shows no disposition to try and be a United States senator to do.

At that, however, the local opinion law is as clear as most laws framed by our Michigan legislatures. It is an exceptional case when it is possible to know anything definite about them until the supreme court has exercised its powers of interpretation.

Arthur Alexander, a negro charged with guilt in connection with the murder of Annie Pelley at Cairo, Ill. last November, and who was eagerly sought by the mob that set that town ablaze with the double lynching shortly after the crime, has been discharged from the county jail, for the reason that there was no evidence which would warrant holding him. The assumption is, plainly, that Alexander was guilt free, but had been within reach of the mob he would have had shared the fate of its other victims. One great fault with mob justice is its uncertainty; too often it is mob injustice. When a mob's appetite for blood is whetted its procedure is in no manner judicial, and well-defined suspicion of guilt is deemed sufficient grounds for summary conviction and execution.

The feat of Louis Paulhan, the French aviator, in soaring in a Farman bi-plane to an altitude of nearly 5,000 feet is one of the most wonderful accomplishments yet credited to the group of daring aviators who have been astounding the world during the past several months. Aloft for fifty minutes, he gradually navigated his frail bi-plane to the height of nearly a mile, with rare skill in handling and a full confidence in the delicate mechanism of the contrivance, and far surpassed all previous records. The rapidity with which the aviators are setting new marks for speed, distance, height and length of flight shows that they are making important strides in the development of their machines. The motors have been so perfected as to be almost absolutely dependable. The percentage of accidents due to them is small, and, indeed, the percentage of accidents due to all causes is by no means large, considering the number of flights that are made. The flying machines are now highly developed playthings; the next question is whether they can be made to serve any useful purpose.

Mayor Gaynor's appointments in New York continue to be received with almost unqualified endorsement by both press and public. "Mayor Gaynor has

chosen his path," says the New York Globe. "The doubts aroused during his campaign and re-aroused when it was revealed that Charles F. Murphy was his visitor and correspondent are allayed. There is no proscribing of Tammany men as such; they are still eligible if they measure up to the standards of the administration, but unfortunately when their fitness is inquired into there are few of them who measure up."

Truly, from a Tammany standpoint, this has become a topsy-turvy world, and heavy is the Tammany sorrow. Of what good is it to tug and sweat for the organization if the candidate, when successful, is to insist on considering what the aspirant is able to do for the city rather than what he has done for his party? With Mayor Gaynor, the only candidate Tammany elected, so plainly disposed to carry out plans for a businesslike administration, and with the offices of borough presidents and other important elective posts filled by independent Democrats and Republicans, who have never had any truck with Tammany, there is indeed warrant for New York to look forward to its municipal affairs it has ever enjoyed.

Speaker Cannon has made clear his position with regard to retirement. Taking cognizance of the reports that he would simplify matters for some of his friends by voluntarily withdrawing from his present office, he says that it has ever been his ambition to die with his boots on, and that he has no intention of taking himself out of public life. He will be a candidate for re-election to congress, and will, it is inferred, also be a candidate for re-election to the speakership. His district will doubtless rally to his standard again; an aggressive fight against him in 1908 had but little effect on his customary majority. There will, however, be a larger element of doubt about his selection in another congress as speaker, if he persists in becoming a candidate. The anti-Cannon wave is reaching more impressive proportions month by month, and it now looks as if many representatives who will be candidates for re-election will have to pledge themselves to vote against him, unless they want to jeopardize their success at the polls. They would be vastly pleased if Speaker Cannon would relieve the situation by announcing that hereafter he would be content to be only a plain representative, but the old warhorse evidently has no purpose of stepping down under fire. To that he would, it seems, prefer the disagreeable alternative of being ousted bodily. It is the one, unless all signs are at fault, that he will be compelled to accept.

By the appointment of a Pinchot man to succeed Chief Forester Pinchot President Taft emphasizes the fact that there was no difference between him and Pinchot about the essentials of the conservation program, and shows that the country can look with confidence to a continued advocacy by him of the principles to which Pinchot was devoted. The president's choice as Pinchot's successor is Henry S. Graves, director of the Yale forestry school, a man who served under Pinchot and who is thoroughly in sympathy with the ideals and plans cherished by the latter. Under the existing circumstances the appointment is one that will be highly gratifying to the country, and one that will be received with widespread approval. It will not be without an important effect in relieving the tension that grew out of Pinchot's removal. We have no doubt that the issue will justify beyond any question of doubt the president's attitude in regard to conservation, and if the congressional investigation reveals facts indicating culpability of any sort on the part of Secretary Ballinger, we believe that no pride of former opinion will stand in the way of the president's acting according as the revelations show he should act. His heart is in the carrying out of an adequate conservation policy in no less a degree than is Pinchot's, a thing that will be abundantly proved in time. And if conditions arose that prevented him and Pinchot from proceeding together in this important work, it would appear that Pinchot, rather than he, is the one who has been to blame.

An extended editorial leader in the staid and conservative Boston Transcript on the subject "Blundering in Washington" indicates that eastern papers on the subject of the Transcript's class and the more radical of the western journals are not far apart in the way in which they view recent happenings at the Capitol. One of the conclusions reached by the Tribune is that Speaker Cannon should step out. "He might say," it remarks, "that his speakership had been extended in length in the history of the country only by that of Henry Clay; and he had thus been greatly honored by his party and the country. His advanced years afford another reason for his not again being a candidate. It has long been clear that he cannot be re-elected. If the Democrats do not carry the house the insurgents will hold the balance of power there. But such an announcement from him would help elect scores of other Republican members whose seats are now endangered by the situation in which they find themselves. Some of these, who are standing by Cannon, acknowledge that they are doing it at the serious risk of defeat at home. Others, who have gone into the insurgent ranks horse, foot and dragon, find their effectiveness in getting those favors which the home

constituents want—seriously lessened. Particularly will this be so if the attempt to strike their names off the party's caucus roll is renewed.

"Control of the Republican party should be liberalized," is the conclusion reached by the Transcript. "This could be brought about, as already suggested, by the retirement of Speaker Cannon, followed by some modification of the house rules, and by the election as speaker, if the Republicans again have that opportunity, of some man in touch with the ideals of the modern world. In the senate, while some dissent should be made for the political ambitions of the La Folletteites, it would be well for the old Republican guard to recognize that they have not that hold on the country which they enjoyed ten years ago. 'Rooseveltism' has intervened, and with it a distinctly more radical attitude on the part of the people in the great Mississippi Valley. They are electing a different type of senators, their new method of doing it is having its influence, and it is not strange that the old watchfulness for the special interests of the senators of a decade or two ago now finds itself at a discount. The Republican party, in fine, is going through a stage of transition. It is becoming at many points a liberal party, but with enough representatives of its other spirit still on guard, conspicuously in the speakership, to give occasion for the break in the party ranks which now seems impending."

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WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for position as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you expert in ten weeks. Write for particulars and sample lesson. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y. 1-8-11

WANTED—Good lady agents to sell two first-class articles. Can make easily from \$2 to \$5 per day. Write Home Treatment Remedy Co., Box 41, 800, Mich. 12-18-10

WANTED—50 woodchoppers to cut chemical wood. The F. Stephenson Co., Wells, Mich. 9-2-11

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FOR RENT—O'Hagan building, cheap, part or whole, corner Lake street and Burtch avenue. Inquire of Alderman Hennessey. 12-14-11

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TRAINS LEAVE MARQUETTE WEEK DAYS.

For Pickering Lake, Buckroe, Birch, Antlers and Big Bay..... 9:25 a. m.
 For Negaunee and Ishpeiming..... 9:30 a. m.
 For Harvey, Manigum, Miner, New Dalton, Skandia, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Ironsby, Chatham and Munising..... 7:00 a. m.
TRAINS LEAVE ISHPEMING.

For Marquette, Harvey, Manigum, Yalmar, New Dalton, Skandia, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Ironsby, Chatham and Munising..... 4:10 p. m.
 Train leaves Negaunee..... 4:20 p. m.
TRAINS LEAVE MUNISING.

For Chatham, Ironsby, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Skandia, New Dalton, Yalmar, Manigum, Harvey, Marquette, Negaunee, Ishpeiming, Birch and Big Bay..... 7:00 a. m.
 For stations on East Branch..... 8:10 a. m.
 For Chatham, Ironsby, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, M & S. E. Ry. stations to Marquette..... 4:45 p. m.
 For Munising Jct..... 4:55 p. m. 3:45 p. m.
TRAINS LEAVE MUNISING JCT.

For Munising..... 1:40 p. m.
TRAIN LEAVES BIG BAY.

For Birch, Marquette, M & S. E. Ry. stations, Munising..... 11:15 a. m.
 Train leaves Birch..... 1:00 p. m.
TRAINS LEAVE PRINCETON.

For Little Lake, Carlsbad, Marquette, Negaunee, Ishpeiming, Big Bay, Birch, Ironsby, Chatham, Munising and East Branch stations..... 6:15 a. m.
 Leaves Gwinn..... 6:20 a. m.
 For Munising Jct. stations..... 4:50 p. m.
 Leaves Gwinn..... 4:38 p. m.
 For Little Lake..... 8:10 a. m. 2:30 p. m.
 Leaves Gwinn..... 8:10 a. m. 2:30 p. m.

ANNUAL MEETING.
 Marquette, Mich., Dec. 28, 1909.
 Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lake Shore Engine Works, for the election of directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the secretary, in the city of Marquette, in the state of Michigan, on the third Monday (the 17th) of January, A. D. 1910, at two o'clock p. m.
 J. E. HALL, Secretary.
 (1-3-17)

ANNUAL MEETING.
 Notice is hereby given that the annual stockholders' meeting of the Marquette City & Presque Isle Railway company, for the election of directors and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the president, Albert F. Koepcke, 121 Washington street, in the city of Marquette, Michigan, on Tuesday, the 18th day of January, 1910, at ten o'clock a. m.
 Dated, December 29th, 1909.
 CHARLES RETALLIC,
 (12-21-10) Secretary.

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 Dwyer, complainants, vs. Harry R. Edwards, Joseph W. Ross, 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, therefore on motion of J. L. Heffernan, 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 complainant 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. HEFFERNAN,
 Solicitor for Complainants,
 Business Address: Marquette, Mich.
 (12-31-79)

THE STATE PRESS.

Everything seems to have enjoyed a business revival but the buying value of a dollar.—Jackson Citizen-Press.

If it will only reduce the number of ginhouse politicians, Michigan people generally will forgive the rubber trust for the rise in prices.—Grand Rapids Press.

Anyway, it's easier to settle the question of liquor at the state fair before the summer sun makes the foaming schenker look too desirable.—Detroit News.

The rumor that Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson have been engaged as managing editors of the rival Battle Creek papers has not been confirmed.—Kalamazoo Press.

As nearly as can be discovered at this distance, San Francisco is torn between the question of providing more political patronage and getting better police protection. No use in giving advice to that city.—Detroit Free Press.

Some of the people who have heard about the merger of power companies in Michigan and see no reason for any suspicion of danger of watered stocks ahead, are cordially invited to read the message of President Taft.—Bay City Times.

Dr. Cook has shown such great ability in dropping entirely out of sight that one might almost begin to think that he really might have been at the pole and had gone to bring a piece of it home with him.—Hillsdale Standard-Herald.

Chase Osborn wants Justice Montgomery to quit the supreme bench, as he has entered the gubernatorial contest. Now Chase, laying all jokes aside, would you give a certainty with \$10,000 salary for an uncertainty with but \$4,000 emolument?—Jackson Citizen-Press.

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A LAUGH OR TWO.

He Stubbed the Emperor.
 It is not stated that the German Emperor allows himself to be snubbed by one of his own subjects, but an actual instance occurred last summer. His majesty was on board the Hohenzollern and, approaching a certain German port on the North sea, the imperial yacht took on a pilot, and this authority posted himself at the wheel.

The emperor, who regards himself as a perfect master of steering, stationed himself in the vicinity of the pilot, and suggested giving him a hand at the wheel.

The rough sea dog, not recognizing the emperor, turned round with a snarl. "Are you pilot, or am I?" he growled.

Amazed, Wilhelm II retired crestfallen to his stateroom. But he thought better of it and in a few minutes returned to the bridge and in great hostility laid a box of cigars beside the pilot, with the remark: "Thou art the pilot!"—London Globe.

Half a Halo.
 According to the Hartford Times, a group of others much interested in the progress of the Trinity endorsement fund found, the other day, the following story to amuse them: A certain well known philanthropist, it seems, went up to the golden gates. He was cordially received by the guardian angel, given a white robe and a halo, and directed with a pair of wings which seemed to become him. He was then given half a halo, which occasioned him to remark in surprise, "Ah," replied the angel, "we will give you half a halo, but you will have to raise the other half yourself."

It Held Him for Awkward.
 The dapper little traveling man glanced at the menu and then looked up at the pretty waitress. "Nice day, little one," he began.

"Yes, it is," she answered, "and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I'm a little peach, and have pretty blue eyes, and I've been here quite a while and like the place, and don't think I'm too nice a girl to be working in a hotel; if I did I'd quit my job; and my wages are satisfactory; and I don't know if there is a show or dance in town tonight, and if there is I shall not go with you, and I'm from the country, and I'm a respectable girl, and my brother is cook in this hotel and he weighs 250 pounds and last week he wiped up this dining room floor with a fresh fifty-dollar note."

The dapper little traveling man said he was not very hungry and a cup of coffee and some hot cakes would do.—Helioth Sunday Herald.

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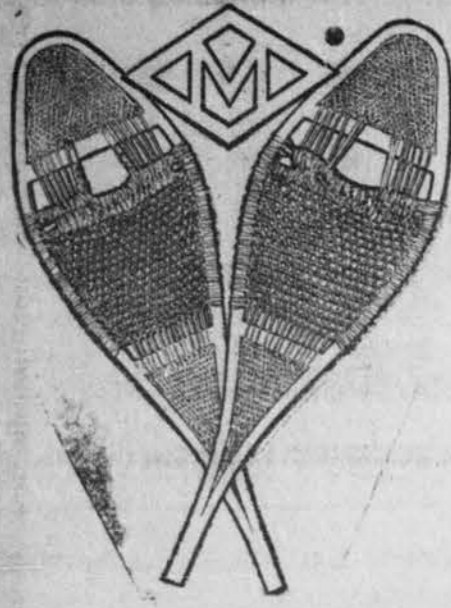
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Mrs. A. E. Archambault and daughter, Florence, left last evening for Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Harry Nelson, 416 North Third street, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

The Baptist Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. A. S. Westlake at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Miss Phyllis Delf, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Delf of Calumet, is here to spend the winter with relatives.

The Teachers' have issued a challenge to the rivals for a game of indoor baseball to be played at any time or place.

The Ladies' society of the Methodist church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Barry, at the Normal dormitory.

The Woman's society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. H. A. St. John, East Hewitt avenue, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Woman's and Young Woman's Guilds of St. Paul's church will hold a joint meeting at the Guild Hall this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The board of school trustees this week received a statement for \$1,910.30, the state's share of the cost of maintenance of the school for the deaf for a year.

No. 2 in the vocal contest at the Bijou Saturday evening is requested by a Mining Journal reader to sing "Past Memories," words and music by Mrs. George Shaw.

Mrs. Sarah Frazier of South Marquette was pleasantly surprised at her home Wednesday night by ten members of the W. R. C. A musical program was rendered by Mrs. Wills, Mrs. Barry and Miss Dowrick, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Frazier is past senior vice of the W. R. C.

Leg Broken Skiing—Arthur, Johnson, aged ten years, son of W. D. Johnson, 250 Harrison street, is confined to the house with a broken leg, as the result of an accident while skiing. The bone is fractured above the knee.

Accident While Toploading—William Liberty was brought to St. Luke's hospital from New Dalton yesterday, with his leg broken just above the knee. Liberty was toploading in the employ of a lumbering company, when in some way, he fell under a rolling log.

Grand March at 10:30—The Old-Time dance to be given this evening at Fraternity Hall by Our Boys' band will have as a special feature a grand march, to start at 10:30 o'clock, to be led and played by the band. For the other numbers Trombly's full orchestra will furnish the music.

First K. of C. Dance—The first dance that the Marquette Council, Knights of Columbus, has ever given in Ishpeming, will be held tonight in Anderson's Hall. The dance will follow a basketball game at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium between the Marquette K. of C. and the Ishpeming Y. M. C. A. team. A special train will leave from the South Shore station in Marquette at 7:15 p. m., and returning, will leave Ishpeming at 1:15 p. m. Fare, fifty cents, round trip.

Rivals Won Indoor Game—The indoor baseball game at Armory Hall last night between the Rivals and the Grocers and Butchers teams was won by the Rivals by the score of 25 to 11. The battery for the Rivals was Frei and Neault; for the Grocers and Butchers, Miller and Miller five. It is expected to form an indoor league this week, comprising the Rivals, Ferguson Business college, Butchers and Grocers and Guild Hall teams.

City Team Victors—The City team won a decisive victory over the Guild Hall five at basketball at Legion Hall last night, the score being 30 to 17. The game was well played and the large crowd in attendance followed the game with intense interest. A dance followed the game in which about forty couples participated. A meeting of basketball managers will be called Monday, at which it is expected that a six-team league will be formed, composed of the City team, the Guild Halls, Ferguson Business college, Knights of Columbus, G. Catlin's team and sixth yet to be formed.

Hats Complained Of—The two Marquette moving picture theaters are now being favored with an unusually large patronage, the theaters being filled to overflowing at nearly every evening performance. Some complaint is being made because many of the ladies fail to remove their hats while the shows are in progress, and one "mere man" ventured to suggest yesterday that if the women could only see some of the hats in the way he saw them, they would hereafter remove the panoramas of loveliness. It is said that the view of many of those sitting near the rear of the theater is almost entirely obscured by the wealth of plumes, ribbons, fur, and what not else, characteristic of twentieth century women's headgear.

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Advice from the Michigan Medical association is don't feed your children on questionable milk from questionable cows that are kept in questionable stables to save a cent or two. (1-14-10)

DANCING SCHOOL

Miss Regina Smith of Milwaukee will organize her dancing classes Saturday, Jan. 15th, 1910, at Legion Hall. Juvenile classes at 2:30 p. m.; adult classes at 8:00 p. m. Dancing after the lesson. Private lesson by appointment. (1-10-12-14)

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When doctors and trained nurses insist that infants and patients under their charge must have hot milk from the Marquette City Dairy there is a reason for it. (1-14-10)

VOCAL CULTURE

Mrs. Louis Vierling, studio 114 West Hewitt avenue. Primary and advanced pupils accepted. Hours, 9 to 11 and 2 to 4 every afternoon. (1-11-14)

Upper Peninsula

Postoffice Does Record Business—During the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1909, the Escanaba postoffice did by just \$610.01 a larger business than during the same period of the year previous, which was a record up to that time. The receipts for the quarter were \$7,343.81, compared with \$6,733.80 for the last month of 1909.

Buys Lost Steamer's Cargo—The cargo of flaxseed on the steamer W. C. Richardson which foundered off Buffalo harbor Dec. 8, is a total loss. The cargo was insured for about \$372,000 and it is understood that the underwriters have settled with the owners of the flaxseed. The cargo was recently sold to representatives of the North-Western Co-operative & Lumber company of Gladstone and will be dried by that concern when recovered, and placed on the market.

Kills Many Sparrows—Louis Larson of Gladstone is the champion sparrow killer of Delta county. With 314 sparrow heads to his credit Larson went to Escanaba this week and cashed an order for \$8.28 at the county treasurer's office. Gladstone is said to be an excellent field for the sparrow hunter, as about the Soo Line's big grain elevators there hundreds of the birds are to be found, and the batch to Larson's credit is said to have represented but one day's work.

Upper Peninsula Pythian Reunion—The Manistique lodge, Knights of Pythias, is commencing the preliminary work necessary for the entertainment of the annual meeting of the Upper Peninsula Pythian league, which will be held in that city during the month of June. As the attendance at these meetings is in the neighborhood of 400 the task of entertaining the visitors is no easy one, but that it will be done to the entire satisfaction of the visitors is expected. The Manistique Pythians are an enterprising lot of citizens and the business men outside of the order will materially assist from a monetary standpoint.

AN ORDINANCE.

An Ordinance proposing the amendment of Section 7 of Act 243 of the local act of the legislature of the year 1899, entitled "An act to create a board of water commissioners in the village of Marquette, and to define its powers and duties."

The City of Marquette ordains:—

Section 1. The common council of the city of Marquette hereby proposes that section seven of act 243 of the local act of the legislature of the year 1899, entitled "An act to create a board of water commissioners in the village of Marquette, and to define its powers and duties," be amended to read as follows:—

Sec. 7. For fire department or water works purposes, or to refund or renew bonds issued for such purposes, or for the renewal of such refunding or renewal of bonds, the said commissioners shall have power to borrow upon the credit of the city of Marquette, from time to time, upon the best terms they deem expedient and at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent per annum, a sum of money which shall not cause the aggregate bonded indebtedness of the city for fire department and water works purposes, including bonds then outstanding issued for fire department or water works purposes and for refunding or renewal of bonds issued for such purposes, to exceed the sum of one-half (3/2) per cent of the assessed value of the property of said city, as shown by the last preceding assessment roll; and they shall have authority to issue bonds pledging the faith and credit of said city for the payment of the principal and interest on said bonds, which bonds shall issue under the seal of said board of commissioners and shall be signed by them or a majority of them. And said commissioners shall have power to refund or renew any bonds issued for fire department or water works purposes and outstanding at any time, by the issue of new bonds in their stead. And it shall be the duty of said commissioners to cause to be kept an accurate register of all the bonds issued by them, showing the number, date and amount of each bond, and to whom issued, and when payable, and it shall also be their duty to present said bonds to the controller of said city for countersigning and to the recorder of said city for endorsement upon the records of said city, who shall certify on each bond that said record has been made. Provided, that no such bond, other than refunding or renewal bonds, shall be issued, nor new bonded indebtedness be incurred, until the amount proposed to be raised shall have been submitted to the legal voters of said city and been approved by a majority vote by ballot of all the electors voting thereon at an annual election therein, notice of which submission shall be published two weeks prior to such election in a public newspaper published in said city, copies of which notice shall also be posted in each ward of said city at least ten days prior to such election; or at a special election therein, called by said commissioners to be held at such time and place in said city and in such manner that they shall determine, like notice of which shall be given.

Sec. 2. That, upon the approval by the mayor of this ordinance, or upon its becoming effective without such approval, the recorder shall prepare an engrossed copy of said proposed amendment and forthwith transmit the same to the governor of this state for his approval, together with a certified copy of this ordinance.

Sec. 3. That, upon the approval by the governor of said amendment, the same shall be submitted for approval to the qualified voters of the city in the manner required by law, at the next general or special election thereafter to be held in the city. Provided, there be sufficient time, after such approval by the governor, in which to give and publish the notice of such election upon such amendment required by law; otherwise such amendment shall be submitted for such approval at the next general or special election subsequent thereto.

Adopted January 10th, 1910.
DANIEL S. DONOVAN,
Recorder.

By SHIELDS MCARTHY,
Deputy Recorder.

Approved January 11th, 1910.
DANIEL VAUGHAN,
Mayor.

Semi-Annual Clothing Sale

Following our usual custom, we place on sale today all our Overcoats, Stein-Bloch, Kuppenheimer and Ederheim-Stein Suits (blacks and blues excepted) at

20 Per Cent Discount for Cash

XTRAGOOD Suits (blue serges excepted), and Overcoats for Children 20 per cent off.

Boys' Long Pant Suits (blacks and blues excepted) and Overcoats 20 per cent discount.

25 D. B. Suits, worth \$15, \$18, \$20 up to \$22, all go at \$10.00.

Fancy Vests--All our fine C. & H. Fancy Vests at attractive Blue Pencil prices.

We close our Annual Inventory Jan. 31 and want to turn all our stock possible into cash, as we commence each season with new fresh stock. The more you buy the more money you make.

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Marquette's Largest Clothiers and Haberdashers.
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RARE RUG FOR WHITE HOUSE.

Persian Consul General Makes Costly Gift to President Taft.

New York, Jan. 13.—A rare Persian rug has just been added to the White House collection. It is the gift of H. H. Topkyan, the Persian Consul General in this city, presented to the nation through President Taft.

It is the same sort of a rug as the Persian Consul General presented to the White House during the administration of President Roosevelt, except that it is not jeweled. The size of the rug is 6 1/2 by 4 1/2 feet, the background is a rich tan, and the pattern is a floral one of unusual beauty and color. The inner and outer borders are of tan and light crimson.

The rug is one which has long been admired and sought for by collectors.

HOLDS AUDIENCE LIBELLED.

English Manager Sues Critic Who Spoke of Character of House.

London, Jan. 13.—It is not only in America that differences of opinion between critics and actors and managers are attracting public attention. The English stage of late furnishes several instances of the kind.

First, George Edwards got into a quarrel with the Westminster Gazette, which gave rise to a general discussion of the relations between the advertiser and the newspaper; then Kennerley Runford, husband of Mme. Clara Butt, and himself a singer, boxed the ears of the London Times' musical critic and received a police court summons for assault, and now William Archer, the dramatic critic, has been served with a writ of libel by the manager of the Palace Theatre, Alfred Butt.

Mr. Archer recently went to see a playlet which is being given at the Palace by Arthur Boucher, the actor and manager of the Garrick Theatre, who is one of the latest exponents of "legitimate drama" to succumb to the

monetary attractions of vaudeville houses.

Mr. Archer wrote in the Weekly Nation a criticism which Mr. Butt considers distinctly libellous, in so far as it stated that the Palace audience was composed of "bookmakers and candidates for the divorce court," not to mention other more or less interesting categories of men and women.

Mr. Butt asserts that his audiences are as representative as those of any theatre in London and that Mr. Archer's general description is not only untrue, but distinctly damaging to his business.

HOUSEHOLD CARES.

Tax the Women of Marquette the Same as Elsewhere.

Hard to attend to household duties. With a constantly aching back. A woman should not have a bad back, and she wouldn't if the kidneys were well.

Doan's Kidney Pills make well Kidneys.

Here is a Marquette woman who endorses this claim:

Mrs. Hattie Parker, 175 W. Crescent St., Marquette, Mich., says: "For several years I was a sufferer from kidney trouble. I had a severe pain in the small of my back and was also subject to headaches. I had but little strength or energy and could hardly attend to my work. I tried a number of remedies but did not succeed in finding relief until I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at the Stafford Drug Co. They helped me from the first and I continued taking them until I felt better in every way. I do not hesitate to recommend this valuable remedy to anyone suffering from kidney trouble."

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Your year's salary represents a profit only as you are able to save some part of it. If, at the end of the year you have spent it all you have merely earned your board and rent.

Many men and women bank their salaries here every month. They pay all necessary expenses by check and let the balance accumulate.

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FOSTER'S AFTER-INVENTORY SALE

10 DAYS **=====** 10 DAYS

Begins Saturday, Jan. 15, and Closes Tuesday, Jan. 25

\$20,000 Worth of DRY GOODS, CARPETS, CLOAKS and SHOES,

Offered in this sale to the people of Marquette and vicinity at a saving of from 25 to 50 cents on the dollar.

We have just finished our Inventory, and must now close out all surplus stock at prices that will move them quick from our shelves. Foster's cut the prices. Foster's sell for cash. Foster's give coupons. Come early and stay late. Come to the greatest bargain sale of 1910.

WOOLTEX TAILORED SUITS

- \$22.50 Suits now for..... **\$15.00**
- 25.00 Suits now for..... **17.50**
- 30.00 Suits now for..... **21.00**
- 35.00 Suits now for..... **24.00**
- 37.50 Suits now for..... **25.00**

Prince Wolf and Empress Suits

- \$15.00 Suits now for..... **\$ 7.50**
- 17.50 Suits now for..... **10.00**
- 20.00 Suits now for..... **12.50**
- 25.00 Suits now for..... **15.00**

A few Suits bought at salvage sale at 25c on the dollar.

- \$15.00 Suit for..... **\$5.00**
- All in good condition.

Wooltex Tailored Coats

- Ladies' \$15.00 Coats for..... **\$10.00**
- Ladies' 20.00 Coats for..... **13.50**
- Ladies' 25.00 Coats for..... **16.50**
- Misses' 5.00 Coats for..... **3.50**
- Misses' 8.00 Coats for..... **5.00**
- Misses' 10.00 Coats for..... **6.50**
- Misses' 12.00 Coats for..... **8.00**
- Child's 3.50 Coats for..... **2.25**
- Child's 5.00 Coats for..... **3.50**
- Child's 7.00 Coats for..... **4.50**

Dress Skirts at Slaughter Sale Prices.

25 Skirts, ranging in price from \$4.50 up to \$7.50; choice out of this lot, extra special, at, each..... **\$2.75**

Sleighs and Coasters at 1-3 Off

LADIES' SHIRT - WAISTS

A big slaughter in prices.

One lot 3 dozen Waists, in Silk, Linen and Lawn, White and colors; Waists that sold from \$3.00 up to \$5.00 each; Foster's closing out price on these, each... **\$1.98**

Every Shirt Waist in our store at reduced prices.

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters

All new stock; some are slightly soiled from handling; 1-3 off to close out our entire stock.

Gloves and Mittens

5,000 pairs to select from.

The largest stock in Marquette county. A large portion of these were bought at 50c on the dollar. We can save you half.

Gloves and Mittens for men, boys, ladies, misses and children. Foster's will sell you 10c Gloves for..... **5c**
 25c Gloves for..... **12c**
 50c Gloves for..... **25c**
 75c Gloves for..... **35c**
 \$1.00 Gloves for..... **50c**

Men's Wool Underwear

A line to close out. \$1 and \$1.25 quality, take your pick for, each..... **75c**

SHIRTS

Men's White Shirts, pleated bosom, cuff attached; a \$1.50 Shirt for..... **69c**

WOOLEN DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

Foster's cuts prices for ten days.

- 15 pieces 36-inch Suitings, formerly priced at 25c yard, now for yard..... **15c**
- All Wool Trico Flannel, now at yard..... **18c**
- 50c Suiting, now for yard..... **29c**
- 54-inch black Wool Suiting, worth 75c, Foster's price now yard..... **39c**
- \$1.50 Broadcloth, now for yard... **\$1.05**
- 10 pieces fancy Waist Silks, our \$1.50 quality, now for yard..... **\$1.00**
- 12 pieces fancy Waist Silks, our \$1.00 quality, Foster's price now yard... **75c**

BARGAINS IN STAPLE DRY GOODS

- 1,000 yards best Calico for yard..... **5c**
- 1,000 yards best Lonsdale Muslin for yard..... **10c**
- 500 yards Fleece Dress goods, 10c and 12c quality, Foster's price now yard..... **8c**

Odds and Ends at sensational prices for a clean sweep.

- Satin back colored Velvet Ribbons, No. 1, 2 and 3, at yard..... **1c**

- One lot Fur Trimming at yard..... **2c**

- Wool Tam Shanters at each..... **10c**
- Wool Toques for cold weather at each..... **15c**

- 500 dozen Pearl Buttons at per doz... **3c**
- 100 Pillow Cords at each..... **10c**

- 2 dozen Men's gold-plated, 20 year guarantee Chains at each..... **\$1.25**

- 50 dozen Spool Cotton at per spool... **3c**
- 5,000 skeins Filo and Twisted Embroidery Silk; Foster's price 2 skeins for.... **5c**

Holiday Novelties at **1-3** off.

Hundreds of Remnants

from 1 yard up to 7 yards in piece, marked down to about **One-Half price.**

MEN'S SHOES AT HALF PRICE

How can we do it? Come and see.

- Men's \$5 Walkover Shoes at pair..... **\$2.50**
- Men's \$6 Walkover Shoes: for pair..... **\$3.00**

Ladies' Shoes at Half Value

- Dorothy Dodd \$3 Shoes for..... **\$1.50**
- " " \$3.50 Shoes for.... **1.75**
- Edwin C. Burt \$4.50 Shoes for... **2.25**
- \$1 Slippers at pair..... **50c**
- 50c Child's Shoes at pair..... **25c**

One lot of Youths' and Boys' Rubbers, 75c kind, for pair..... **50c**

Men's 4-buckle Arctics, in sizes 6, 10, 11 and 12 only; closing out price, pair..... **\$1.75**

Salvage stock Misses' and Children's Hose, all perfect; 25c quality for, pair... **18c**

Bargains in Carpets and Curtains

15 pieces best 10-wire Tapestry Brussel Carpet, Foster's price, yard..... **69c**
 It is worth \$1.15 per yard.

25 pieces best quality Body Brussel and Wilton Carpets, priced by competitors at \$1.50 and \$1.65 per yard; Foster's price for 10 days, yard..... **98c**

15 per cent discount on all Rugs at Foster's for 10 days.

20 per cent discount on all Lace Curtains at Foster's for ten days.

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(Additional Ishpeming on Page Seven.)

BASKETBALL TONIGHT.

Interest Manifested in Contest to Take Place at Y. M. C. A. Gymnasium.

ORE SHIPPERS PERFECTING PLANS

IT IS EXPECTED THAT IT WILL BE POSSIBLE TO ESTABLISH THE COMING SEASON'S CARRYING CHARGES THIS WEEK.

A dispatch from Cleveland states that some of the ore shippers have their business pretty well lined up for the coming season, and are now in a position to know how much outside vessel capacity they will require. With these matters well in hand the question of freight contracts will be the next thing to be taken up.

Although the capacity of the vessels operated by the ore shippers has increased considerably during the past four or five years more with tonnage will be wanted this season than ever before. The general opinion is that the total movement for the season will reach 50,000,000 tons. That will be an increase of something more than 8,000,000 tons over 1909, which was the banner year of the trade.

BOWLING CONTEST.

In the five-men handicap bowling match at the Bank street alleys Wednesday evening the Roberts team won two games from the Blameys. The scores were as follows:

Roberts' Team—		Tot.	
Roberts	182 167 186 535		
Curtis	152 173 146 471		
Andrews	157 151 149 457		
Sahine (sub)	167		167
Gray (sub)	139		139
Watters	143 130 273		
Maddock	149 163 312		
Totals	757 783 774 2314		
Blamey's Team—		Tot.	
J. N. Olson	173 176 146 495		
Lind	158 150 132 440		
Blamey	167 125 145 437		
Mugfur	137 129 155 421		
Schilling	145 163 190 498		
Totals	780 743 768 2291		

The outlook in the coal trade is getting better every day and at the rate shipments are being made there will be less coal on dock at the opening of the season than there has been for a number of years. That a record will be made in lake shipments is certain. No chartering has been done for the coal trade.

COOKS TAKE NOTICE.

Something new in earthenware cooking utensils. Warranted to stand cooking on top of the stove or in the oven. See our window display for assortment of these goods. Prices from five to forty cents. Inexpensive, but sanitary. J. Sellwood & Co., Postoffice block. (1-13-1f)

PETITIONS FORWARDED TO YOUNG

F. J. Eggen, who is a candidate for the postmastership in this city, and who, together with friends, has secured endorsements on petitions circulated among the voters, yesterday forwarded them to Congressman H. O. Young. The lists contained 325 signatures. In his letter to Mr. Young, Mr. Eggen wrote that if he desired any additional endorsements of the same character he could procure them, as the lists had not been generally circulated.

An inner-player to be had at a rare bargain. Come in and hear it. Terms (12-7-1f) GRINNELL BROS.

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MAY VISIT THIS COUNTY.

Member of Royal Italian Commission Making Tour of the States.

Miss Amy A. Bernardy, representative of the Royal Italian Commission on Immigration, who is making a tour of the Italian districts of the United States, and is now investigating conditions in Detroit, is expected to spend a few days in the upper peninsula, and she will likely visit Ishpeming and Negaunee. There are perhaps 50 per cent more natives of Italy living in Negaunee than in Ishpeming, and the combined number in the two cities is nearly 2,000. A Detroit paper credits Miss Bernardy with the following interesting statements concerning the Italian people:

"What is needed to make the Italian an ideal American citizen is an intelligent and cordial understanding between the best part of the American nation and the honest, solid, sterling type of Italian immigrant. As yet such an understanding has been reached only in part. When it becomes complete, the Americanized Italian will be the leaven of this nation."

"The average Italian is sober, thrifty and loyal," she said. "He has three qualities that contain the germ of human greatness: A sensitive honor, power of intuition and gentleness of mind—and yet his instincts are primal. He comes to this country uncertain of his social footing, anxious, pitifully anxious, to make good. If he is treated as less than a man, say, as a pauper, the effect upon his peculiar cast of mind is terrible."

He grows surly, discouraged with himself, and gives up the game. The vaunted popular freedom of America looks to me like a fallacy.

"What the Italian must learn is this: That his code of honor is as necessary to him on American soil as it ever was at home, but that he must combine with it the finest code of every nation represented in the United States.

"Many Italians make the mistake of supposing that to become Americans they must forsake their native ideals. Their ideals are as necessary to America as America is to them."

Miss Bernardy has small faith in the "Black Hand."

"No doubt there are sporadic instances where a band of crooks conspires to make capital of the universal 'Mafia' fear," she said. "But in many cases I believe recipients of 'black hand' letters are also their authors, for advertising motives or through hysteria. The marvel to me is that the police of this land cannot break up such plots. The 'black hand' fear is like a fear of ghosts.

"The impression which seems to be general in Detroit just now that young Italians are troubling women on the streets, casts them in a new role to me. I have been over Italy at all hours, motoring, in a cab, on foot, as a journalist and as a simple woman, but I have yet to see any flagrant instances where Italians have persistently molested women, unless encouraged by them."

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Rev. J. Sallstrom, pastor of the Mission church, will preach next Sunday morning on a text taken from the second chapter of St. John, which refers to how Jesus made wine of water. He will discuss the difference between the wines referred to in the Bible and the beverages of the present day.

M. J. Olson, the piano tuner, can now be reached by County telephone No. 520, or by mail, at 400 East Ridge street, Ishpeming. First-class work guaranteed. (1-12-1f)

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THE BIG SALE TOMORROW BRAASTAD'S

ISHPEMING

DEMISE OF SEYMOUR SEWELL.

Mining Man Who Graduated from Michigan College of Mines Died This Week.

Seymour Sewell, son-in-law of Dr. A. E. Gourdeau of this city, passed away this week at the home of his parents at Hinsdale, Ills. Mr. Sewell, who had been engaged in mining work in Mexico the greater part of the time since he was graduated from the Michigan College of Mines some six years ago, was taken ill last summer, and returned to his former home at Hinsdale in September. He was financially interested in some Mexican properties, and had supervision of several mines there for the company of which he was one of the promoters. His widow was formerly Miss Grace Gourdeau, to whom he was married five years ago. The deceased had many friends in the upper peninsula, who will learn with regret of his demise.

MARKED IMPROVEMENTS.

Lars Hoyseth Has Doubled the Capacity of His Store and Meat Market.

The addition that Lars Hoyseth has erected to his business block on North Sixth street is about completed, and the floor space has been increased 100 per cent. Practically the entire lower floor will be used as display and sales rooms for the grocery department and meat market, while the space in the second story will be used for storage purposes.

Mr. Hoyseth's business has been growing steadily. Last year was the best that he has had during the twelve years he has occupied his present stand. The interior of the store will be greatly improved in appearance, as new furniture and fixtures are to be installed, and a hardwood floor is to be put in. The refrigerator at the rear of the meat market will hold fifty tons of ice. It is now being filled by William Trehcock.

FROM MORGAN'S CURB LETTER.

The New York market was dull and weak today on a report of disturbing news from Washington. Such reports are to be expected for some time to come and will have a bearish effect on this market. After the noon hour some strength was shown, and the close resulted in little net change. Boston today witnessed the most active market since the panic. The quantity of these Lake stocks wanted seems to have no limit. While nearly all

these stocks will ultimately sell higher, they are almost certain to have decided set-backs, and buyers should be prepared for this. North Lake furnished the greatest sensation today, opening at 12 1/2 and on tremendous trading advancing to 17 1/2, reacting at the close to 16 1/2. Adventure, Hancock, South Lake, Mass and Winona well all very active and higher. Indiana was very strong near the opening, advancing to 21, but profit-taking quickly forced it down to 18, from which it recovered fractionally near the close. Houghton says Indiana will sell much higher. Onco opened at 7, declined to 5 1/2, and recovered to 6 1/2. We are advised this is a good purchase. The Cole-Ryan stocks are yet weak, though Greer, Cananea and Giroux were active. North Butte sold down to 41. Butte reports that a crosscut will be run from the 2800-foot level of the Diamond (Anaconda) mine to intersect the North Butte veins and prove values at greater depth.

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, and various stock names like Ahmeek, American Saginaw, Arizona, Black Mountain, etc.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is not a common, every-day cough mixture. It is a meritorious remedy for all the troublesome and dangerous complications resulting from cold in the head, throat, chest or lungs. Sold by The People's Drug Store.

ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

Miss Stella Lavigne entertained a number of her young friends with a slight ride last evening. Patrick Hayes, who has charge of the Gately Co.'s branch store at Escanaba, was in the city yesterday. Alderman Patrick Cronin is suffering from a severe cold and has been confined to his home the past few days. Mr. and Mrs. Bert P. McKinnie, who have been in the city for several days, left yesterday for Newberry, where they will give a concert. The ladies of Calvary Baptist church will conduct an entertainment and social this evening in the basement of the church. The admission will be ten cents. A. S. Bandler of Bernal Bandler & Sons, importers of black diamonds, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by Harry Soody, the concern's upper peninsula representative.

Mrs. J. Neimi will re-engage in the restaurant business in the Voelker building on Main street and will open up tomorrow. The restaurant will be open both day and night and regular meals also will be served.

The newly elected officers of the Ishpeming lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America were installed Wednesday evening at the society's regular meeting place in the Mildon block. A very interesting musical program was rendered and a fine lunch was served.

A number of indoor baseball fans will accompany the Ishpeming City team to Ypsilanti tonight. The series of games is to be played on the two nines and as the Braastad Hall is not procurable this season for baseball contests, all of them will be played at the Adelphi rink, Ne-gaunee.

Miss Hollie Oster, who has conducted a massage and manicuring business in Marquette the past two years, has opened a branch office at the Robinson block, in this city, and will be here three days a week, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, from 9:15 a. m. until 6:45 p. m. Miss Oster is a graduate of Mme. Qui Vive's beauty shop.

The Finnish Lutheran church society is remodeling the living rooms at the rear of the church. The minister and his family vacated the rooms some time ago and they are now occupying the dwelling on Maple street that the society purchased some months ago. All former parsonage will be used for meetings of church societies, etc. A new entrance is being put in on the Third street side.

Miss Margaret Cox of Negaunee is preparing to engage in the manicuring and hair dressing business here. She will have quarters in the Ishpeming Cloak, Suit & Fur company's store in the Mortley block, opposite the Nelson House, and will be opened, it is expected, early part of next week. She will handle a line of toilet articles. Miss Cox has been engaged in this work for several years and she has many customers here that she is to establish permanent rooms here.

IRISH HOME-COMING.

Sons of Erin Planning Big Migration to Their Native Land.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The Irish Home Going association is completing the details for the great migration of the sons of Erin to their native land next summer. From Ireland there are hundreds of questions coming as to the numbers to be expected, the shipping arrangements can be made for accommodations. From every part of the United States many other inquiries are being made as to the details of the pilgrimage. To all these queries the association is as yet unable to furnish definite facts. The details are yet to be worked out.

In the matter of special rates, for instance, the figures are not to be laid at this time. The White Star Steamship company has authorized the association to announce that members of the association booking their passage through the association will be especially well cared for at low rates in first and second class before May 20 and after July 10 eastward, and returning before Aug. 1 and after Oct. 7, and also, that during the rush season between May 20 and July 10, eastward, and Aug. 1 and Oct. 7 for the return passage superior accommodations will be afforded to members if bookings will permit. To obtain advantage of these concessions members must make their bookings through the secretary of the association.

The idea has somehow got abroad that there will be a special round-trip rate of \$50 to Ireland. One man in Denver has written to know if this includes the railroad-fare from that point and both ways. Others are inquiring about their baggage and some have thought it wise to get an assurance beforehand that they will be allowed to return to America. Still more people have the impression that the association will give an excursion or a personally conducted tour through Ireland. All this is an error. The association will not give an excursion, but will confine its efforts to inducing Americans to make the trip, regardless of the route they take or the arrange the details for themselves out-time they may go. The individuals must make all their arrangements, outside of what general information the association may be able to give. The home-going of 1910 is to be conducted along the lines followed by successful home-comings that have been held by many of our large cities in the past few years.

Again, many inquiries show that the writers have the impression that the privilege of making the trip is limited to people of direct or recent Irish extraction, and some have gone so far as to give a pedigree showing descent from Irish stock. This is of course wholly unnecessary as anybody may join the association and become entitled to its advantages in making the trip. The matter of lineage does not enter.

There is much enthusiasm in Ireland, as is shown by the letters received. Boards of trade, municipal bodies, and prominent men are taking an active interest in the movement with that end. The secretary of the association, Joseph D. Sullivan, Columbia building, Washington, D. C., is furnishing all inquirers with information and amassing additional facts, so that the matter may be well in hand before the season of actual travel begins.

Have you a weak throat? If so, you cannot be too careful. You cannot begin treatment too early. Each cold makes you more liable to another and the last is always the harder to cure. If you will take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy at the outset you will be saved much trouble. Sold by The People's Drug Store.



Mining News

NORTH BUTTE.

A former resident of Butte and one who is thoroughly familiar with the conditions in that district, as well as being the former owner and operator of a large copper property there, stated when interviewed today that, in his opinion, North Butte has been maligned, says the Boston Financial News. According to recent private dispatches from Butte people personally familiar with the underground workings he knows that the mine is by no means played out, notwithstanding various reports to the contrary that are being circulated.

"I have heard," he said, "that they are in a low grade ore in the lower level, but that it is improving over what it was six months or a year ago and is much better now than then; that they can continue to produce for a great many years the same amount and quality of ore that is now being taken out." He went on to say that he did not think it possible that all the high grade ore could have been taken from this mine through the one shaft they have been operating. They opened the North Butte, Edith May, Miners' Union, and Jessie at the 1600-foot level by a drift from the old Speculator, therefore having what is known as a "back" of 1,000 feet to the surface. The North Butte have in their ground several veins—the Speculator, Edith May, Miners' Union, the Jessie, the Gem, half interest in the Croesus, the Berlin and Marguerite. All of these have not been opened and developed, but the first four veins have all been opened and have proved to have quantities of high grade ore in them. The Jessie vein was cut at the 2,200-foot level over a month ago and showed thirty feet of ore at the point where cut. The drift on the Jessie vein shows good bodies of first-class ore from three to six feet in width.

The statement that has been made that the North Butte is played out seems absurd to any person familiar with Butte mines. The fact that they have been working the North Butte for a little over three years and only through one single shaft should convince any one that they could not have taken from all these various veins the amount of ore that was known to be there when they opened it. The adjoining properties are the Anaconda, Neversett, Granite Mountain and Berlin. The deepest shaft on any of these properties, the Anaconda, is down 2,800 feet, while the North Butte is now but 2,200 feet deep; therefore it is not reasonable to suppose that they could have mined all of

ore in three years through one shaft while the Anaconda has lasted for twenty-eight years with all their numerous shafts. Moreover, there is no copper mine in Butte that has been worked out, and better ore may be expected to be encountered in the lower levels of North Butte as Anaconda found better ore when they struck the 2,400 and 2,800-foot levels.

Regarding the claim of the Tuolumne people, it is understood that it is but a fraction of 200 feet on the last of the Jessie vein that would be affected, even if their claim was just. He further stated: "I do not believe that the present price of the stock represents its true value by any means. Not having been in the mine recently, I cannot say as to the quality of the ore, but the last monthly report, as published in the Boston newspapers, gives the production, I think, close to 3,000,000 pounds and an average of about eighty-three pounds to the ton, which is within twelve pounds to the ton as high as the highest in the Bonanza ore dips. If they have been able in the last three years to pay dividends of \$1 each quarter of legitimately earned profits, with the price of copper metal at twelve and thirteen cents then at fourteen cents and prospect of fifteen cents, they certainly ought to be able to offset any decrease in the value of the ore, and it would seem that the stockholders here in Boston are entitled to a report from the directors."

The North Butte is considered one of the very best mines in the district and there is no reason to believe that the property is any less valuable now than a year ago. The report has been circulated and appears in print several times that the management is making an up-rush through the Granite Mountain that would increase the hoisting capacity and enable them to raise double the amount of ore. If the mine is played out, as rumored, what reason have they for wasting money by having a shaft sunk in a piece of ground that is without ore.

GUGGENHEIM ON COPPER.

President Guggenheim of American Smelting & Refining company, says: "It cannot yet be said that copper is the barometer of the business world. Nevertheless, the most interesting developments are along lines that will require additional consumption of copper. Copper is selling at virtually panic prices. A considerable proportion of production is being hoarded as much as market price. Stocks on hand cannot be considered excessive, when we consider the enormous increase in consumption since 1908. Nevertheless, the time has arrived when there should not be forced on the world a production in excess of actual needs. Excessive fluctuation results in loss to the whole community. During five months between mining ore and consumer's purchase banks advance enormous sums against warehouse receipts covering copper. Value of production at present prices is \$90,000,000, but at 1907 the price was double that. This enormous shrinkage was at risk of the loaners and cut no small figure in aggravating the panic. The economic situation demands a material increase in present price of copper, and developments of commerce in near future will require all copper that can be produced from mines now working and being developed."

CLIFF PROPERTY.

With the organization of a new company to take over the Cliff tract of Tamarack perfected, the early resumption of

S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

Every old sore is an external symptom of a depraved or polluted condition of the blood. These festering places on the flesh are kept open and in a state of irritation because the circulation is continually discharging into them the impurities and morbid matters with which it is filled. This polluted condition of the blood may be the remains of some constitutional trouble; the effect of a long spell of sickness, which has left the blood stream weak and germ-infected, or because the natural refuse of the body, which should pass off through the proper avenues, has not all been eliminated and has been absorbed into the circulation. External treatment may cause the sores to scab over temporarily, but the blood is not made any purer by such treatment, and soon the sores will return or break out at another place and be as bad or worse than before. S.S.S. heals old sores by removing every particle of impurity from the circulation. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and so completely changes the circulation that there is no longer any impurity to drain through the sores, but the place is once more nourished with rich, healthful blood. S.S.S. heals the sore from the bottom, the skin regains its natural color, and when S.S.S. has thoroughly cleansed and purified the blood the place is permanently healed. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

exploration work on that tract is promised. The Cliff is an extensive property and carries nearly the known lodes of the Lake district including the Keamsarge which all has received the least attention. A cross-section of the property was made several years ago by diamond drilling and in more recent years underground exploration work was in progress in the dozen or so levels lying immediately next to the old Cliff workings. This work proved rather discouraging. Early in the past year the exploration campaign was extended into the Keamsarge horizon and drilling there resulted in disclosure of commercial progress in the dozen or so levels lying immediately next to the old Cliff workings and Hecla and further work temporarily ceased owing to the low condition of the Tamarack treasury. The Keamsarge lode is apparently the most valuable bed carried by the Cliff lands. It has yet to record a failure and the present good showings in both Ojibway and Keweenaw on either side of Cliff are indicative of what may reasonably be looked for in the development of this formation which traverses the Cliff property for more than 11,000 feet and in which it can be mined to almost unlimited depths.

NOTES OF COPPER NEWS.

Developments on the 1500-foot level of the Colorado mine of the Davis-Daly company are satisfactory and on the new 1800-foot level a vein 2 1/2 feet wide has been cut on which drifting is now being carried on. Ore from this level assays 3 per cent to 4 1/2 per cent copper. Sinking has been stopped at 1,850 feet. No mining is being done at present.

During the past year the Copper Range Consolidated company has increased its holdings in the Trimountain Mining company to the extent of 150 shares, making its total holdings in that company 99,335 shares out of 100,000 shares issued. The purchase was effected on a share-for-share basis, which increased the outstanding capital of the Copper Range Consolidated to 381,335 shares. By making this exchange, the minority stockholders of the Trimountain Mining company received a \$4 dividend-paying stock for a non-dividend security.

The mining representative of Gay & Sturges visited the underground workings of Winona a few days ago and makes the following observations: "I

estimate that Winona has 10,725 lineal feet of drifts in payable copper ground, and that the lode will yield a recovery of fifteen pounds of fine copper per ton for a width averaging twenty-five feet. Levels are 100 feet apart. This aggregates 26,812,500 cubic feet or 2,234,375 tons of copper ground in sight, which is expected to yield 33,315,615 pounds of refined copper. The Winona and King Philip joint stamp mill will probably be ready for service by August, 1910. It is planned to treat 1,000 tons daily from the Winona mine. Twenty-five cents per ton on a fourteen-cent copper market would indicate earnings of \$75,000 per year and forty cents per ton on a fifteen-cent copper market would represent profits of \$120,000 per year."

The United Copper company, by F. A. Heinze, president, gives notice to the bondholders of La France Copper company that owing to continued unsatisfactory business conditions, La France is unable to meet the coupons due on its first mortgage bonds Jan. 1, 1910. The following offer, therefore, is made to bondholders: For all unpaid coupons due Jan. 1, 1909, and July 1, 1909, the United Copper company will give its note payable July 1, 1910 for the face value of the coupons with interest at 6 per cent; for all unpaid coupons due Jan. 1, 1910 and July 1, 1910, the United Copper company will give its note payable Jan. 1, 1910 for the face value of the coupons with interest at 6 per cent. Mr. Heinze further says that zinc will constitute the main value of La France company's output, the price of which has advanced to a point where profitable mining operations can be undertaken. The product of La France will be treated at the Basin Reduction works, the opening of which was arranged for during Mr. Heinze's recent visit to the West.

Many requests from Catarrh sufferers who use atomizers have caused us to put up Liquid Cream Balm, a new and convenient form of Ely's Cream Balm, the only remedy for Catarrh which can always be depended on. In power to allay inflammation, to cleanse the clogged passages, to promote free, natural breathing, the two forms of Cream Balm are alike. Liquid Cream Balm is sold by all druggists for 75 cents, including spraying tube. Mailed by Ely Bros, 50 Warren street, New York.

Any Article in Our Store for \$1.00 Down

What \$1.00 Down Means. You can buy any article in our store, either in Clothing or Furniture, by paying \$1.00 down. The goods are delivered to you on the payment of \$1.00 and the balance in small monthly payments.

Where is there another company in Marquette county who will make such a grand and generous offer to the people?

This offer makes an opening for EVERYBODY to wear the best clothing made in the UNITED STATES at lowest prices.

This Sale Lasts for a Limited Time Only.

Advertisement for Gately's store, featuring an illustration of a woman in a long coat and hat, with text: '\$1.00 Down Buys Any Article in Our Store \$1.00 a Week'.

Think What it Means to You to be able to buy a new Suit of Clothing or Overcoat, a set of Furs or a beautiful piece of Furniture by paying \$1.00 down and then pay the balance in small monthly payments.

Advertisement for Gately's store, featuring the Gately's logo and address: 'Bell Phone, 101. County Phone, 484. Main and Bank Sts. ISHPEMING, MICHIGAN.'

THIRTIETH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANKERS' LIFE ASSOCIATION OF DES MOINES.

Financial statement table with columns: Assets, December 31, 1909; Funds and Increases, 1909; Liabilities, December 31, 1909. Includes items like First Mortgage Loans, Bonds and Other Securities, Total Ledger Assets, etc.

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JANUARY Clearance Sale

THE SAVINGS BANK

LEVINE BROS., Props., Negaunee, Michigan.

It will require only one week's selling at these slashing prices to accomplish our purpose.
SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, the 15th, to the 22nd.

This is the greatest January Clearance Sale that has ever been held in this county. Our liberality in price-making has excelled any of our previous January sales. Thousands of dollars' worth of high-class merchandise in broken lots and odds and ends from the biggest year's business we have ever enjoyed is much told in a few words. **SALE the 15th to the 22nd.**

January Clearance Dress Goods and Remnants.

75c Serge Dress Goods, yard	\$ 48
\$1.00 Panama Dress Goods, yard	78
\$1.50 Albatross Dress Goods, yard	1.15
\$1.75 Broadcloth, yard	1.20
\$2.00 Broadcloth, yard	1.45
\$2.40 Satin Solle	1.60
Dress Goods, Remnants, all-wool, short lengths from 2 1/2 to 5 yards to the piece at 1/2 OFF.	

CLEARANCE OF LADIES' SWEATERS

\$2.75 Ladies' all-wool Sweaters	\$1.85
\$3.75 Ladies' all-wool Sweaters	2.85
\$5.00 Ladies' all-wool Sweaters	3.85
\$8.50 Ladies' all-wool Sweaters	6.25
\$10.00 Ladies' all-wool Sweaters	7.25

\$2.40 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	\$1.60
\$2.75 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	1.85
\$4.00 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	2.65
\$5.00 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	3.00
\$6.00 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	3.50
\$6.75 Ladies' Lingerie Waists	4.00

\$1.40 Ladies' Flannel Kimonos	\$.98
\$2.75 Ladies' Flannel Kimonos	1.98
\$6.00 Ladies' Silk Kimonos	4.00
\$7.00 Ladies' Silk Kimonos	4.90
\$1.50 Child's Flannel Kimonos (age 4 to 16)	1.10

Children's Tams

50c all-wool Tams	22c
\$1.00 all-wool Tams	44c

January Clearance Silks and Satins

\$1.00 27 inch Silk, yard	\$ 75
\$1.25 36-inch Silk, yard	95
\$1.50 36-inch Silk, yard	1.10

CLEARANCE OF FANCY RIBBONS

22c Fancy Ribbons	16c
30c Fancy Ribbons	23c
50c Fancy Ribbons	37c
65c Fancy Ribbons	42c
70c Fancy Ribbons	48c
95c Fancy Ribbons	65c

Clearance Ladies' Princess Dresses

\$12.75 all-wool Serge Princess Dresses	\$ 8.75
\$18.00 all-wool Serge Princess Dresses	12.50
\$20.00 all-wool Serge Princess Dresses	14.00

Clearance Choice Fur Sets

Sensational reductions in price of Gordon & Ferguson Furs, within the reach of the most modest purse.

\$3.00 Fur Scarf or Muff	\$ 1.98
\$6.00 Fur Scarf or Muff	3.75
\$7.50 Fur Scarf or Muff	4.50
\$9.50 Fur Scarf or Muff	5.75
\$13.75 Fur Scarf or Muff	8.50
\$18.00 Fur Scarf or Muff	11.00
\$22.50 Fur Scarf or Muff	14.00
\$25.00 Fur Scarf or Muff	16.50
\$27.50 Fur Scarf or Muff	18.50

Child's Fur Sets at 33 1/3 off

\$3.50 to \$5.00 Ladies' Trimmed Hats	\$1.95
\$6.00 to \$12.00 Trimmed Hats	3.95
LADIES' FUR HATS AT 33 1/3 OFF.	

January Clearance Ladies' Tailored Two-Piece Suits.

Our January Sale on Ladies' Winter Suits merits your attention. We brush aside cost. The Skirts alone from the Suits could not ordinarily be bought for the prices named for the entire suit. The styles are absolutely the best:

\$14.50 Tailored Suits	\$ 7.25
\$18.50 Tailored Suits	9.25
\$25.00 Tailored Suits	12.50
\$28.50 Tailored Suits	14.25
\$35.00 Tailored Suits	18.50

Clearance Ladies' and Children's Winter Coats

\$8.50 Ladies' Full Length Coats	\$ 4.95
\$10.00 Ladies' Full Length Coats	6.50
\$12.00 Ladies' Full Length Coats	7.00
\$14.00 Ladies' Full Length Coats	8.50
\$16.00 Ladies' Full Length Coats	10.00
\$20.00 Ladies' Full Length Coats	12.75

Clearance Children's Coats

\$4.00 Child's Bear Skin Coats	\$2.85
\$5.00 Child's Cloth Coats	3.75
\$6.00 Child's Cloth Coats	4.00
\$7.00 Child's Cloth Coats	4.85
\$8.00 Child's Cloth Coats	5.00
\$10.00 Child's Cloth Coats	6.75
\$12.00 Child's Cloth Coats	7.50
\$14.00 Child's Cloth Coats	8.75

From \$4 to \$8 Ladies' all-wool Dress Skirts, last season's styles at

\$1.75	
\$7.00 Ladies' Skirts, serge and panamas	4.95
\$8.50 Ladies' Skirts, serge and panamas	5.95
\$9.00 Ladies' Skirts, serge and panamas	6.45
\$10 and \$11 Ladies' Skirts, serge and panamas	7.00

Clearance Cotton and Wool Blankets.

\$ 1.40 11-4 White Cotton Blankets	\$.98
1.75 White Cotton Blankets	1.20
2.00 11-4 White or Gray	1.40
2.25 White or Gray Blankets	1.55
2.75 White or Gray Blankets	1.90
4.00 White or Gray Blankets	2.89
5.00 All Wool Blankets	3.60
6.00 All Wool Blankets	4.25
7.00 All Wool Blankets	4.98
8.00 All Wool Blankets	5.95
9.00 All Wool Blankets	6.50
10.00 All Wool Blankets	7.75

Clearance Corsets.

\$1.00 Kabo Corsets	\$.73
1.50 Kabo and American Beauty Corsets	.98
3.00 Nemo Corsets	2.35

Ladies' Underwear.

Egyptian Fleece Yarn, Shirts or Drawers, sizes 5 to 9, special	39c
Ladies' Fleece Underwear, Shirts or Drawers, each	22c
Ladies' Puritan Underwear, nonshrinkable, price	85c
Child's Underwear, Fleece Lined; extra good quality, each	23c

Clearance White Bed Spreads

\$1.40 Spreads	\$.98
2.25 Spreads	1.55
2.40 Spreads	1.60
2.90 Spreads	1.89
4.00 Spreads	2.75

72x90 Sheets, white plain stitched	43c
\$1x90 Sheets, hemstitched	98c

\$.65 Table Damask	\$.48
1.00 Table Damask	.80
1.30 Table Damask	1.00
1.50 Table Damask	1.10

\$.85 Lace Curtains, pair	\$.59
1.00 Lace Curtains, pair	.75
1.75 Lace Curtains, pair	1.10
2.75 Lace Curtains, pair	1.69
4.00 Lace Curtains, pair	2.45
5.50 Lace Curtains, pair	3.85
6.50 Lace Curtains, pair	4.35
7.50 Lace Curtains, pair	5.25
10.00 Lace Curtains, pair	6.75

24c yard Curtain Net	18c
29c yard Curtain Net	21c
50c yard Curtain Net	38c
75c yard Curtain Net	48c

12 1/2c and 15c Silkoline	8 1/2c
15c yard Bleached Towling	10c

Clearance of Holiday China, Dinnerware, Lamps and Glassware

Some very handsome China is left over from the holiday stock which we are offering at a reduction of 25 and 33 1/3 per cent. This also includes Lamps and Glassware.

Our Men's section offers startling values. Compare our prices with others and see how they stack up. Perhaps you are already convinced that the Savings Bank gives better values for even less money.

CLEARANCE MEN'S FUR COATS.

\$30.00 Men's Black Dog-skin Fur Coat	\$19.00
\$40.00 Bulgarian Lamb Fur Coats	28.00
\$65.00 Muskrat Lined Coat and Collar	44.00
\$85.00 Muskrat Lined Coat and Collar	67.00
\$100.00 Muskrat Lined Coat; Persian Lamb collar	73.00
\$20.00 Kersey Overcoat, with fur collar	14.00
\$30.00 Wash Lined Coat; fur collar	21.00
\$2.50 Men's Fur Collars	\$1.90
\$4.00 Men's Fur Collars	3.15
\$6.00 Men's Fur Collars	4.25
\$1.00 and \$1.50 Men's Caps, fur lined, sale price	65c

Men's Collegian Automobile Overcoats for \$10.00.

The best value we ever offered. They are made as good as any \$20.00 Overcoat, and the material equally as good.

Better Coats at \$15.00 and \$20.00

In Automobile and regular box back and semi-fitting. Our line of Overcoats, 'tis true, is badly broken, but if we have your size—better size it up before its sold.

\$10.00 and \$12.00 black Kersey Overcoats for men, 46-inch length	\$6.25
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Boys' Overcoats

\$9.00 Boys' Overcoats of fine mixture, heavy weight, size 15 to 8; special price	\$4.95
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MEN'S COLLEGIAN SUITS.

We induce no man nor do we recommend the purchase of a Suit at the present time—between seasons—but we would like to see the man that could be induced to keep away from these values.

\$13.50 and \$15.00 Men's Collegian Suits, Fall and Winter weight, as well as a few of the best last season's selling, going at	\$8.90
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BOYS' BEST EVER SUITS REDUCED.

\$6.50 Boys' Best Ever Suits	\$4.95
\$7.50 Boys' Best Ever Suits	6.00
\$8.50 Boys' Best Ever Suits	6.90

\$3.00 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	\$2.15
\$3.50 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	2.70
\$4.00 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	3.00
\$4.50 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	3.60
\$5.00 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	3.90
\$6.00 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	4.90
\$6.50 and \$7.00 Men's "Nufangel" Trousers	4.95

CLEARANCE MEN'S SWEATER COATS

75c Men's Sweater Coats	\$.45
\$2.50 Men's Sweater Coats	1.60
\$3 Men's Sweater Coats	2.10
\$3.50 Men's Sweater Coats	2.50
\$4 Men's Sweater Coats	2.95
\$6 Spalding Coats	4.75

CLEARANCE MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS

\$1.00 Shirts	\$.80
\$1.50 Shirts	1.15
\$2.00 Shirts	1.50
\$3.00 Shirts	2.15

75c Men's German Sox	45c
\$1.00 Men's German Sox	75c
\$1.25 Men's German Sox	85c
25c Men's heavy Mining Sox, 2 pair for	25c

Men's Rubbers and Mining Rubber Boots. "Ball Band."

We wish to warn the users of Rubber Boots which at the present time is selling at \$3.75 pair, that the price is advancing, but our price will not advance until the present stock on hand is exhausted.

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NEGAUNEE, MICHIGAN.

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

LOWER STATE NOTES.

LANSING—A warrant has been issued by the state land office for the arrest of Paul Swineheart of Cadillac, for stealing a large number of cedar posts from state lands.

PONTIAC—If John Windlate had merely got drunk and let it go at that he would have faced better before Judge North, Windlate, while suffering from an overdose of forbidden liquor, gadded his horse and sped madly up the street.

CORUNNA—The ewes are puzzling Cornua people this year. After they have come back to McCordy park either they never find history, or else they did not go south at all.

POIT HERON—County Trust Officer Such has completed an investigation relative to three neglected children in Columbus township, and as a result an application has been made in probate court that Asa R. Stowell of St. Clair be appointed guardian of Clarence Lindsay, aged thirteen; Leonard Lindsay, aged ten; and Milton Lindsay, aged three years.

GRAND RAPIDS—Acting under orders from Superintendent Harvey O. Carr, the police have begun war against druggists about the city who have for years been selling potent poison of all kinds.

they, in turn, have been responsible for a number of minor poisoning cases reported recently.

BATTLE CREEK—To teach him a lesson, wealthy realtor left James T. Thomas, son of a millionaire, in the St. Louis, Mo., jail for three and one-half months. The charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was dismissed with the statement that relatives had settled the matter.

GRAND RAPIDS—The arrival early in the morning of another boarder, who did not room in the house, probably saved the lives of nine persons, five of whom were women and children, in the boarding house conducted by Mrs. A. B. Gifford, at 233 Second avenue.

GRAND RAPIDS—Feeling that Presenting Attorney Joseph Burton is not as diligent as he should be in pushing Mecosta county's water power suit, Supervisor Francis Manahan, of Marling township, introduced before the board of supervisors a resolution providing that the county clerk be authorized to take complete charge of the proceedings and to employ at the expense of the county such competent legal talent as may be necessary.

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Negaunee Department

LAST BODY HAS BEEN RECOVERED

REMAINS OF OSCAR MATTILA, THE LAST OF THE FOUR VICTIMS OF THE NEGAUNEE MINE CAVE-IN FOUND YESTERDAY.

The body of Oscar Mattila, one of the four miners caught by the cave-in at the Negaunee mine four weeks ago last Monday night, was recovered yesterday morning about 1 o'clock. It was found in a small drift in the first sub-level above the six and a half main level.

The men employed in the rescue work lost no time, with the exception of Christmas day, from the time the accident occurred until the last body was recovered yesterday morning. Captain J. H. Rough, the company's general manager, superintendent, Superintendent Elliott and Captain Vane, of the Negaunee mine, personally directed the operations.

Now that the last of the bodies has been recovered the corner's jury appointed to find the cause of the cave-in will hold the inquest at Mattila's home in the afternoon.

Miss M. E. Pellow, pupil of William Rowland and S. A. Sargent, will teach those who wish instruction in vocal work Saturday morning at her home in Negaunee.

IN STREET CAR WRECK. Former Negaunee Man and Three Sons Had a Narrow Escape.

John Shea and his sons, Russell, Clement and Leslie, were injured in a street car wreck at Los Angeles, Cal., on New Year's day. Their escape from instant death was miraculous, as the car in which they were riding was struck by a passenger train.

Mr. Shea was more seriously hurt than either of his sons. He had one rib fractured, both hands and arms were lacerated and he received a bad scalp wound.

TRAILS THAT ARE LOST.

How the Track and Cattle Car Have Displaced Trail and Rustler. The passing of the cowboy has been noted as the loss of a picturesque figure in the earlier life of the West.

Something new in earthenware are cooking kettles, baking dishes, pitchers, etc. All warranted to stand the heat of cooking.

MISS GILBERT WINS RACE.

The ladies' roller skating contest at the Adelphi rink Wednesday night attracted a large crowd, which included over 100 from Ishpeming. The contest was exciting from the start.

NOTICE.

A Democratic convention will be held at the court house in the city of Marquette on Saturday, the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a very valuable medicine for throat and lung troubles, quickly relieves and cures painful breathing and a dangerously sounding cough which indicates congested lungs.

NEGAUNEE CLUB'S ELECTION.

Nearly Fifty Members Attended Annual Meeting Wednesday Evening.

The reports of the officers of the Negaunee club, presented at the annual meeting Wednesday evening in the club's headquarters, in the Neely block, showed the organization to be in fine condition.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Thomas Pascoe, president; Dr. E. J. Miller, vice president; and T. M. Wells, secretary and treasurer.

BASEBALL TONIGHT.

The first indoor baseball contest of a series between the Negaunee Union and the Ishpeming City team will take place tonight at the Adelphi rink.

LOCAL LACONICS.

D. E. Rice, proprietor of the Bijou theater, in the Sunberg block, is in the city.

Robert Thompson and Robert Jackson, Jr., hunted rabbits near Sanis yesterday. They went down one day last week and returned with ten rabbits.

The newly elected officers of Iron Mountain lodge of the Odd Fellows were installed last evening.

Robert G. Jackson will leave next Monday morning for Jackson, Mich., to attend the regular meeting of the board of control of the Odd Fellows home, to be held on the 18th.

Albert Rough, eldest son of Marshall John Rough, has accepted a position on the engineering staff of the New York State Mining company, operating on the Mesaba range.

E. O. Squires, commercial teacher in the Negaunee High school, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at his former home in the lower peninsula before Christmas, has returned to the city, and has resumed charge of his department.

Sandy Johnson took a party of about twenty-five young people for a sleigh ride Tuesday evening in his new sleigh which was built for parties of that kind.

New York, Jan. 13.—Secret service agents have visited jewelry and electroplating shops in the Maiden Lane district in the last few days, seeking information of strippers who remove small quantities of gold or silver from coins which are immersed for the purpose in acid solutions.

When the electric power and the strength of the acids are properly regulated by strippers, according to the weight of each to be treated, the metal is "sweetened" off the surface of the coins so smoothly that they are not changed in appearance.

Coins have also been stripped, it is suspected, by using them for intervals in electroplating tanks, in which case the metal is deposited on the object to be plated.

There is only one drug store in this city where you can get a genuine specific for kidney disease.

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NEGAUNEE GREENHOUSES BOTH PHONES.

SPRUCE RESOURCES ENORMOUS.

More Than a Fourfold Increase in Maine in Thirty Years.

Bangor, Me., Jan. 13.—Nearly thirty years ago the state land agent of Maine estimated the stand of spruce at 5,000,000,000 feet and the stand of pine at 475,000,000 feet.

Hon. Edgar E. Ring, state forestry commissioner, now estimates the stand of spruce in Maine at 21,239,000,000 feet. The St. John watershed alone, he estimates, contains 6,942,000,000 feet of spruce.

A comparison of the estimates made by the state land agents of Maine in 1880 and 1909 shows the absurdity of many of the statements that are being bandied around and which are based on supposition, inaccurate data or imagination.

In less than thirty years the estimated spruce resources of Maine have increased a little over four-fold, and, at the same time, the production of spruce pulp has gained very rapidly.

It doesn't take a man long to become used to making a fool of himself.

ONLY ONE

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For Benefit of Women who Suffer from Female Ills



Minneapolis, Minn.—"I was a great sufferer from female troubles which caused a weakness and broken down condition of the system. I read a much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and have done for other suffering women. I felt sure it would help me, and I must say it did help me wonderfully. My pains all left me, I grew stronger, and within three months I was a perfectly well woman."

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If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. For 20 years she has been helping sick women in this way, free of charge. Don't hesitate—write at once.

APRIL ELECTION WILL BE LIVELY

PRIMARY ELECTION SYSTEM, POSTMASTER AND CIRCUIT JUDGE TO BE VOTED ON.

LAW IS LONG AND INVOLVED

Definite Rules Laid Down Prescribing Manner of Electing Party Candidates by Direct Vote.

The coming April had been expected to be an off year, as far as any elections of general interest in this county were concerned, but recent developments indicate that the political pot will be boiling at a lively rate before April rolls around. True, no city or ward officers are to be elected, but there will be the vote on the Marquette postmaster and on a candidate for circuit judge to succeed Judge Stone. Besides, the primary election law, one of the most progressive and best generally understood measures passed by the legislature, provides that in counties where the primary election system is not in force and in cities of less than 70,000 population, the people shall vote on the adoption of the primary system of electing party candidates in nomination. This law also provides that "the question of the nomination of party candidates for the office of circuit judge shall be submitted at the April election, 1910, without petition therefor, to the qualified electors of each judicial district." This is taken to mean that the voters of this city the coming April will vote on postmaster, circuit judge, primary election of candidates for circuit judge, and primary election of county officers.

Vote Is Compulsory.
On this point, the law reads as follows: "In all counties not covered by the above proviso (excepting cities of over 70,000 population and cities and counties where the primary election system is now in force) the question of the nomination of party candidates for county officers by direct vote shall be submitted to the qualified voters of such counties without petition on the first Monday of April, 1910." The law appears to require that all nominations for state, legislative and district officers, and for all officers of cities of over 70,000 population, shall be made by primary vote. In cities under 70,000 population, and counties, it is up to the voters to decide whether they will adopt the primary system for local officers or not.

Another feature of the primary law is that requiring every person who votes at the primary election to have previously enrolled as a member of the political party for whose candidates he expects to cast his primary ballot. If a voter is already so enrolled under former primary laws, he need not enroll again, unless he has moved into another voting precinct. Voters will be given an opportunity, at the April election, to enroll for the primary election to be held next September.

Enrollment and Registration.
Attention should be called to the difference between enrollment and registration. Enrollment is a party matter. You enroll in your party in order to vote at your party primary to nominate a party ticket. If you enroll in the Democratic party, you cannot vote in the Republican primary unless you have changed your party enrollment on some previous enrollment day. If you enroll as an independent, you cannot vote in any primary. An enrollment is necessary to vote in a party primary; registration is necessary to vote at the general election. Previous registration is not necessary to enrollment if one is a legal voter.

Several years ago, many of the Republican voters of Marquette county enrolled in view of the party primary election held for candidate for representative, but inasmuch as the Democrats have never held such a primary, it is not known whether such enrollment will be deemed sufficient under the new law. The primary elections are to be conducted with the same regularity as regular elections, under definite prescribed rules, laid down in the new law. The law also prescribes that the ballots shall be closed on primary election day, the same as on a regular election day. Candidates are bound by very strict rules regarding the manner in which they conduct their campaign. The use of money or other valuable consideration to influence voters shall be deemed a misdemeanor, the penalty for which may be imprisonment. It is unlawful to solicit votes within 100 feet of any polling place; campaign posters of all kinds are tabooed; also campaign cards or handbills larger than two and one-fourth by four inches in size, except postal cards and letters. There are many other restrictions of like character, including advertising in newspapers.

LIFE SAVING SERVICE.

Plans Ate on Foot to Effect Reorganization of Service.
A Portsmouth, N. H., dispatch says: Plans to reorganize the life saving service and increase its efficiency are advocated in a pamphlet which New England coast guards have sent to senators and congressmen representing states bordering on the sea and Great Lakes. The pamphlet states that in the life saving service there are no inducements offered for recruits, no rewards for the veterans and practically no relief provided for those disabled as the result of duty.

The complaint is also made that no increase in pay for long and faithful service is given and that nothing in the shape of retirement or pension exists. These conditions, it is pointed out, force many men out of the service and prevent new men from enlisting so that the whole life saving system is seriously crippled.

Don't risk the lives of your children by feeding them cheap milk from cows that have never stood the tuberculin test. (1-14-2w)

The regular Saturday night hop will be held at Fraternity Hall tomorrow night. Music by the Peerless orchestra.

RAILROADS DOING BETTER.

Freight Congestion Relieved—Passenger Trains Making Better Time.

The congestion on both freight and passenger lines, which has existed throughout the country for the past couple of months, is slowly being relieved. The passenger trains from the south which were the chief offenders, are now but twenty to forty minutes off time, where formerly they came in hours after their scheduled time of arrival.

The freight tie-up which threatened for a while to cause a serious coal famine in the inland cities, has been broken and freight is moving at a fair rate now. The greatest danger has been relieved and cars are being handled just as fast as safety will permit. Eastern lines which were totally demoralized by the severe storms which swept over that section of the country are getting back into shape, and the coal which was headed for the northwest is rapidly being sent over, having right of way over all but perishable freight.

The freight and passenger officials are elated over the improvement in the past three days. They state that if this mild weather will only continue for a while everything will be running in normal condition in a short time. Freight is now being received regularly. In addition many cars are being pushed northward to cities in the copper country.

The crippled passenger service which has been keeping the telegraph operators and station agents awake nights, filled with dread of a collision has gotten into such a shape that they can breathe easy.

CHINESE NEW YEAR CELEBRATED FEB. 9

OFFICIAL BIRTHDAY OF EVERY CELESTIAL, MARKING BEGINNING OF YEAR 2,465 AFTER CONFUCIAN ERA.

Marquette Chinese in common with Chinese all over the world are preparing to celebrate the New Year of the Confucian era, Feb. 9. That is, it is Feb. 9 to those who reckon time by the Julian calendar. To the Mongolian, however, it is the first day of the first month of the year 2,465 after the birth of Confucius. But the occasion is a much more momentous one than the mere beginning of a new year. On that day every almond inhabitant or subject of the celestial kingdom will celebrate the anniversary of his birth.

It is a very ingenious scheme by which the Chinese antiquaries have lumped all birthdays into one national anniversary. Suppose little almond-eyed Ching Sing were born on Feb. 9. From the date of his birth he would be accounted one year old, while his neighbor, Bing Lee, across the street, who was ushered into the world the following day, would be compelled to wait a twelve-month before his first birthday anniversary rolled around. Officially, therefore, every Chinaman is born on the new year. And not one in a hundred can tell you the exact date of his birth. This universal birthday business, however, has another item of convenience about it.

You never can tell how long a Chinese year isn't going to be. It may be twelve or thirteen or fourteen or every hundred years or so even fourteen. At least the calendarers have that many months labelled for any exigency or discrepancy in their method of reckoning time that might occur. If, to comply with the movement of the sun, through the zodiac, only twelve months are necessary, then the year is a short one. The year that is now nearing its end, however, was a thirteen-month affair in order to bridge over a slight hiatus of thirty days that happened somewhere along the line.

Even the new year is not at all constant. Until the calendar is issued, the nearest a Chinaman can come to it is to say that it will come somewhere about the time Old Sol is creeping from frosty Aquarius into colder Pisces. This prospect is also about twenty-six days, however, and on any one of the new year may be ushered in. Local Chinamen patriotically account time for their own private satisfaction by the Confucian calendar. They are adaptable enough to American customs, however, to accept our Julian system in order to facilitate business transactions.

MARY LOVE FIRST.

Peter White Declamatory Contest at High School Last Night.

The Peter White declamatory contest at the high school last evening was attended by a crowd of fair size and was one of the most successful entertainments of the kind ever held at the high school. There were five contestants, Walter Larson, Graes Fletcher, Mary Love, James Beckman and Lyla Hoyt. After due deliberation, the judges awarded first place to Mary Love and second honors to James Beckman. Miss Love's declamatory was entitled, "The Sun and the South Wind," while Mr. Beckman gave "The Unknown Speaker." The judges marked the contestants on five points: Memory, voice, articulation, gestures and general effect. The contestants ranked very close and the percentages obtained were unusually high. Miss Love will represent the Marquette high school in the sub-district declamatory contest, comprising Marquette, Ishpeming, Republic and Escanaba, to be held next March.

W. R. C. INSTALLATION.

The Woman's Relief corps installed officers this week, following which ceremonial lunch was served and all indulged in a pleasant social time. The officers installed were:

Installing Officer—May V. Willis.
Past President—May V. Willis.
President—Philomene Jefferson.
Senior Vice President—Gertrude Kimble.
Junior Vice President—Helen Mullaly.
Treasurer—May V. Willis.
Chaplain—Mary McNamara.
Secretary—Daisy Hollingsworth.
Conductors—Margaret Hogan, Agnes Carlton.

Guard—Jane Bone, Emma Dowrick.
Patrol Instructor—Stella Patrick.
Pipes Correspondent—Augusta Priemeu.
Musical—Ethel Dowrick.
Color Bearers—Augusta Priemeu, Stella Patrick, Carrie Kehoe, Mary Fryfogle.

The choice of the pretty things displayed in West's jewelry store window will be given to some young lady in Marquette. Enquire at the Grand for particulars. (1-14-2d)

AVERAGE TEMPERATURE WITH LIGHT RAINFALL

MARQUETTE CLIMATE, AS SHOWN BY ANNUAL REPORT OF WEATHER BUREAU, LEAVES LITTLE TO BE DESIRED.

Since the new year, the officials of the local weather bureau have been busy compiling the annual report of the weather in Marquette during 1909, which must be sent to Washington some time this month. This work is now practically completed, though no entries will be made in the official records until the report has been approved by the department. The figures show that in respect to temperature, 1909 was an average year in Marquette, but that the rainfall during the twelve months was 3.36 inches below the normal.

The average temperature for the year was 40.7 degrees, compared with 40.5 degrees, which is the average temperature for the last twenty-five years. The highest temperature recorded was 92 degrees, on Aug. 4, and the lowest 15 below zero, on Jan. 7. On 164 different days the thermometer touched the freezing point or went below, and on eighty-eight days the temperature did not rise above 32 degrees. Only on Aug. 6 and June 21 did the temperature rise to 90 or above, and on but six days, all in January, did the mercury fall below zero.

Precipitation occurred on 213 days, and snow fell on 123 days. The total snowfall was 142 inches, or eleven feet and ten inches, a rather small record, compared with the sixty-two feet snowfall, reported from the copper country as having occurred one winter "hefo" the war." In making up the precipitation figures, snow is measured at its equivalent in water, ten inches of snow making about one inch of water. The total precipitation during the year was 29.27 inches, one inch less than 1908, and over three inches less than the normal for this city. Owing to the precipitation being more evenly distributed over the twelve months, however, there was so much suffering from drought as in 1908. The greatest amount of rain fell in July, 4.57 inches, and the least precipitation was in January, 1.07 inches.

Below is given a table showing the total precipitation and the mean temperatures for the last seven years:

Year.	Precip.	Temp.
1909	29.27	40.7
1908	30.29	43.1
1907	31.62	39.2
1906	37.49	42.3
1905	28.18	40.6
1904	33.24	38.8
1903	39.84	41.2

The prevailing winds during the year were from the northwest and average velocity 10.3 miles per hour. During the year, there were eighty-eight clear, 121 partly cloudy and 156 cloudy days. On the basis of the official records, the weather in Marquette in 1909 may be fairly taken as typical of the climate here, which is subject to less variation, either in extreme heat or intense cold, than perhaps any other city in the world in the same latitude.

SUICIDE AT BRUCE'S CROSSING.

C. O. Johnson, Despondent, Takes His Life With Rifle.

Word was received here yesterday that C. O. Johnson, a farmer residing at Bruce's Crossing, near Even, a few days ago committed suicide at his home by shooting himself with his 30-30 rifle, the ball penetrating just below the heart. After firing the shot, Johnson lived fifteen hours and was rational during most of that period. Several months ago, Johnson was a patient at St. Luke's hospital, but of late he had seemed to be in good health. He has been despondent, however, for some time and it was for that reason he decided to take his life. He was a man upward of 50 years of age, and leaves a wife and several grown children.

BOWLING SCORES.

In the five-men handicap contest at the downtown bowling alleys last evening, the Square Deals took three straight games from the Camucks, the scores being as follows:

Camucks	Total
A. Anderson	151 148 170 469
Stafford	133 192 138 463
Lowie	163 150 174 487
Cain (sub)	127 160 187 474
Godwin	130 169 140 439

Totals 704 828 809 2341

Square Deals—
Jerci (sub) 150 138 154 442
Webb (sub) 144 188 181 513
Drumney 150 174 183 507
Coleman 161 180 169 510
S. Rose 145 155 157 457

Totals 750 855 844 2449

In the fifteen-games match for a supper, Van Iderstine and Jenks won from Ford and Godwin, by 247 pins. The scores:

Jenks	138	191	150	191	171	841
Van Iderstine	145	164	147	157	178	791

Totals 1632
Godwin 165 164 164 158 145 796
Ford 170 156 169 157 183 835

Totals 1631
Jenks 1634 2475
Van Iderstine 1730 2521

Sam Lee and Charlie Yim will open their Spring laundry on Monday, Jan. 17, and will continue to do business. (1-14-2d) PONG LEE.

NOTICE.

To the Stockholders of the Old Fellows Building Association of Marquette. The annual Stockholders' meeting of said association will be held at the Fraternity Hall, in the City of Marquette, Michigan, on the 17th day of January, 1910, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the election of a board of directors, and transacting such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting.

F. H. W. BAILEY, Secretary.
Marquette, Mich., Jan. 11th, 1910, (1-14-31)

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REPUBLICAN JUDICIAL CONVENTION.

The governor of the state of Michigan having ordered a special election to be held on Monday, April 4, 1910, for the purpose of electing a circuit judge, for the Twenty-fifth judicial circuit of said state of Michigan, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Hon. John W. Stone, notice is hereby given that a Republican convention for said Twenty-fifth judicial circuit is called to meet at the court house in the city of Marquette, Michigan, on Saturday, the 22nd day of January, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m., to nominate a candidate for circuit judge of said judicial circuit.

The following apportionment of delegates, to which the various counties comprising said judicial circuit will be entitled to at said convention, is based upon the total vote cast for governor at the general election held in said state of Michigan, in November, 1908. Each of said counties will be entitled to one delegate for every 300 votes, or moiety thereof, cast at said election.

No. of Counties	Vote	Delegates
Delta county	3,511	9
Dickinson county	3,394	7
Iron county	2,411	5
Marquette county	7,512	15
Menominee county	4,376	9

Total number of delegates 45
By order of the judicial committee,
F. J. TRUDELL, Secretary.

Dated at Menominee, Mich., January 8, 1910.



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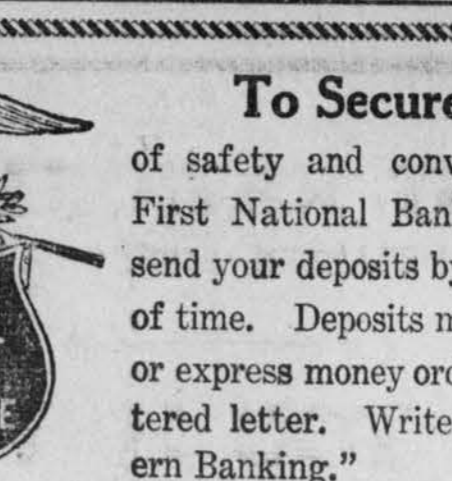
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