

STUBBS MAKES FIERY ATTACK ON RAILROADS

Governor of Kansas Enlivens a Banquet of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association at Chicago With a Savage Denunciation of "Robbers of the People."

He Assails Wall Street, Charges a Gigantic Conspiracy to Raise Freight Rates Already Too High and Condemns the Course of the Government.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Governor W. R. Stubbs, of Kansas, made a sensational attack upon railroads and trusts, at a banquet of the Illinois Manufacturers' association, to-night. He declared that the advances in freight rates demanded by the railroads were agreed to by the combined railroads and are therefore clearly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and were unjustifiable.

The speaker condemned the judge who fines corporations for violations of law and "discharges the officers who get the money and are the real criminals in the case." He asserted that "the relation of the federal government to unlawful commercial institutions organized for spoils and plunder is one of the most humiliating and disgraceful chapters in American history." Governor Stubbs said, in part:

"It is common on occasions of this character to sugar-coat words and round out sentences to please the audience. The question of entertainment is not a matter of deep concern to me at this time. It is my purpose and hope to present in this businesslike way facts and conditions that may be worthy of your careful consideration and serious consideration."

Monopolies Have Iron Grip.

"In the evolution of government, every generation has had its own responsibilities to bear, its own work to do, its own problems to solve, its own battles to fight. This generation must meet the problems of today like men who are conscious of their power and ability to meet every emergency, and determine every question of government in a broad, liberal spirit for the benefit, and in the interest of a majority of our citizens."

"Let us have the courage to tell the exact truth, about unwholesome commercial conditions that have grown up during the last score of years. Anything short of a plain, accurate statement of facts concerning the iron grip which monopolies, trusts and illegal combinations now hold on the commerce of our country means either moral prostitution or personal cowardice."

"Every student of public affairs and every public official charged with the enforcement of law, knows that the al-

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HELPS PROSECUTIONS BY THE GOVERNMENT

High Tribunal Rules on an Important Point Involving the Anti-Trust Law.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Announcing the broad rule that a conspiracy under the Sherman anti-trust law may be a "continuing offense," instead of an offense limited to the formation of the conspiracy and possibly over acts thereunder which would revive the conspiracy, the supreme court of the United States today went a long way toward dispelling the doubts as to the meaning of the law.

The direct result of the decision is that Gustav E. Kissel of New York and Thomas L. Harned of Philadelphia must answer further to an indictment, brought in 1909 in New York, charging them with a conspiracy with the American Sugar Refining company to drive the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining company out of business.

The indirect result will be that the government will find it easier to prosecute conspiracies under the Sherman law. Instead of being required to show in the indictment a conspiracy or an overt act in furtherance thereof within three years' time of the indictment, it is said that the accused will be required to show that the conspiracy has been ended by abandonment or success more than three years before the indictment.

WHALE'S WHISKERS ARE CITED AS PROOF THEY ONCE ROAMED LAND

New York, Dec. 12.—Whales with whiskers are not at all numerous in this part of the world. In fact, it is more than likely that any of the old whalers along the New England coast would laugh at the suggestion that a whale with whiskers ever had been seen. Several sets of whale whiskers form a part of a collection on view at the American Museum of Natural History. They are part of the material obtained by Prof. W. C. Andrews of the museum staff on his recent 38,000-mile trip through unfrequented parts of the Pacific ocean. The discovery of these patches of hair growing in heavy tufts beneath the jaw of the huge animals is considered by Prof. Andrews as proof that whales at one time were hair-covered animals which lived upon the land and propelled themselves on legs instead of flippers and tail, as they do at present.

NEW APPOINTMENTS CREATE A PERPLEXING SITUATION AFFECTING THE RATE CASES.

Washington, Dec. 12.—A perplexing situation appears to have arisen as a result of the change in the personnel of the interstate commerce commission made by President Taft's appointments today. The two new commissioners proposed—C. C. McChord of Kentucky and B. H. Meyer of Wisconsin, named in succession to Messrs. Knapp and Cockrell—have heard none of the testimony in the important rate cases recently heard by the commission. The cases have been set for argument Jan. 9. By that time the court of commerce will be in process of organization and Mr. Knapp, if confirmed by the senate, will have retired from the commission, while Mr. Cockrell's term, presumably, will expire the 31st instant. Thus two of the commissioners who have studied the rate cases will have retired from the commission before the arguments are completed. It is believed probable that it will be necessary further to postpone the effective date of the commission's order in the rate cases.

ENORMOUS SUMS PAID IN PENSIONS

Disbursements to Date by the Government More Than Four Billion Dollars.

Washington, Dec. 12.—In the house today, the pension appropriation measure was reported. It comes up tomorrow, it carries \$153,688,000. The bill probably will be passed tomorrow. The committee's report shows that since the foundation of the government, the amount of the pensions paid aggregate \$4,073,056,570. The day was devoted to debate on a bill imposing a graduated tax on inheritance in the District of Columbia. It was passed.

The confirmation of the nomination of Associate Justice White to be chief justice of the United States overshadowed all else in the senate today. The omnibus claims bill, carrying more than two million dollars, was reported, but final action was not taken.

Service pay for members of the National Guard is provided in a bill introduced by Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania. All men who attend forty-eight drills during the year, or equivalent duty, as prescribed, are to be entitled to 25 per cent of the pay of a man in the regular army. The officers also are provided for.

NATIONS TO STRIKE AT OPIUM TRAFFIC

Worldwide Conference Proposed by Uncle Sam Will Meet at The Hague in May.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The state department today announced the successful completion of the long continued negotiations looking to the gathering of an international conference with the object of suppressing the opium traffic. With one exception, all nations addressed have agreed to the conference and word has come from The Hague that May 30 next, has been unanimously accepted as the date and The Hague as the place for the conference. The nations which accepted the invitation, besides the United States, are China, Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, the Netherlands, Persia, Portugal, Russia and Siam. Austria-Hungary declined for lack of commercial interest in the opium traffic, but expressed her willingness to abide by any reasonable regulations adopted by the conference. Great Britain proposes to include morphine and cocaine with opium in the prohibition. America will support this proposition, it is said.

SMUGGLED \$8,000 NECKLACE COSTS NEW YORK WOMAN THREE TIMES ITS VALUE.

New York, Dec. 12.—A pearl necklace worth \$8,000 has cost Mrs. Ada F. Adriance, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., more than \$25,000 because she attempted to smuggle it into the country on her return from Europe last August. The terms of the settlement of the case were announced today by William Loeb, Jr., collector of the port. To regain the necklace, Mrs. Adriance was compelled to pay the full foreign value of the jewels, about \$8,000, besides the duty, which was about \$4,000 more. These amounts, with the \$8,000 originally paid for the necklace, a \$5,000 fine and the counsel fees make the total cost of the necklace more than \$25,000.

CHICAGO BANKER OFFERS AN ANNUAL PRIZE OF \$500 TO COLLEGE UNDERGRADUATES.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—N. W. Harris, a Chicago banker, announced tonight an annual prize fund of \$500 to encourage college undergraduates and to be awarded annually to the writer of the best essay on political science. The subject for 1910-11 is on the prevalence of crime in the United States; its extent compared with leading European states; its causes, and the best means of remedy. The judges are to be chosen from the following committee of university professors: Charles E. Merriam, University of Chicago; John A. Fairlie, Illinois; N. Dwight Harris, Northwestern; John H. Gray, Minnesota; Paul S. Reusch, Wisconsin; Benjamin F. Shambaugh, Iowa; and Thomas F. Moran, Purdue.

DULUTH HOCKEY SEVEN AGAIN WINS AT DETROIT.

Detroit, Dec. 12.—The hockey team of Duluth, Minn., defeated Detroit again tonight, 3 to 2. Last night's score was 1 to 0.

TAFT NAMES MEN TO FILL HIGH POSTS

Supreme Court Nominations Are Sent to the Senate, as Are Those Affecting the New Tribunal of Commerce and the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Mr. White's Selection as Chief Justice Is Promptly Confirmed, While the Others Go Over—Judge Denison of Michigan Not Among the Appointees.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The president today sent to the senate these nominations: Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—Associate Justice Edward Douglas White, Louisiana. Associate Justices—Judge Willis Vandevanter, Wyoming; Joseph Rucker Lamar, Georgia.

Judges of the Court of Commerce—Martin A. Knapp, now chairman of the interstate commerce commission, for five years; Robert W. Archbold, now United States judge for the Middle district of Pennsylvania, four years; Wm. H. Hunt, now judge of the court of customs appeals, formerly United States district judge for Montana, three years; John Emmett Garland, South Dakota, two years; Julian W. Mack, now judge of the appellate court for the First Illinois district, one year.

Members of the Interstate Commerce Commission—B. H. Meyer, Wisconsin; C. C. McChord, Kentucky. These two appointments are to fill vacancies caused by the elevation of Mr. Knapp to the commerce court and the retirement of Mr. Cockrell of Missouri.

Judge Denison Not Appointed. The senate confirmed the nomination of Justice White to be chief justice. No action was taken regarding the appointment of Judges Vandevanter and Lamar, although there was no apparent opposition, nor was an attempt made to confirm the judges named for the court of commerce. All were referred to the judiciary committee. The nomination of Mr. Garland to the court of commerce was a change from the original slate, Arthur G. Denison, United States district judge for the Western district of Michigan, having been first selected for this place.

The senate committee on interstate commerce will meet tomorrow to consider the nominations of Messrs. McChord and Meyer, for membership on the commerce commission. It is said there will be no serious opposition to either, but as the senate has no first-hand knowledge that Chairman Knapp, named as presiding judge of the court of commerce, intends to retire, the nominations will go over until another meeting. The chances are that no action will be taken until after Mr. Knapp has been confirmed for the position to which he was appointed today.

Justice White Much Affected. The senate disposed of the nomination of Justice White in less than an hour. Senator Hale spoke fifteen minutes, dealing with the appointee's demonstrated fitness. The only voice raised in opposition to immediate confirmation was that of Senator Christopher, who declared himself opposed to the selection of any one of the associate justices to the chief justiceship as contrary both to precedent and policy. When the vote was taken, he joined all the others in the affirmative.

Justice White was visibly affected when he learned of the senate's prompt action. He was on the bench when a group of senators called to congratulate him. His eyes were brimming with tears. He disclosed further emotion when the entire Louisiana delegation called to congratulate him. Late today Justice White called on the president to thank him.

CHARGE AGAINST DEWODY NOT SUSTAINED, DECIDES FEDERAL JUDGE LANDIS.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Judge Landis, of the United States district court, today held that the charges that Charles S. Dewody, division superintendent of the department of justice had "tipped off" grand jury secrets were not sustained. The court ordered Mrs. Aileen Christopher, the government witness who made the charges, and her attorney, John A. Brown, committed to jail until they produced documents needed in the trial and which they had withheld. Tomorrow Judge Landis will announce the sentences in the contempt case. Soon after the commitment the two witnesses, part of the needed evidence reached the court through the hands of Mrs. Anna Roth, who declared that they had been handed her by Mrs. Christopher.

A. T. POST, BALLOONIST, BRINGS SUIT TO HAVE HIS MARRIAGE ANNULLED.

New York, Dec. 12.—Augustus T. Post, the balloonist, today brought suit for the annulment of his marriage, on the ground that his wife was never separated legally from her first husband. Mr. and Mrs. Post have been living apart for two years. Her second husband died three times. Her post husband died.

BOY TOTALLY BLIND FOOLS TEACHER YEAR AND A HALF.

Richmond, Ind., Dec. 12.—Totally blind and able to keep up in his studies in school only through a most remarkable memory, today brought suit for Ralph Bales, ten-year-old son of John Bales, was found by Dr. J. E. King, county health officer, in his inspection of

WM. LORIMER'S TOGA WILL BE KEPT BY HIM

Sub-Committee of the Senate Which Has Investigated the Election of the Illinois Statesman Is Stated to Have Ruled Wholly in His Favor.

By Unanimous Vote, It Is Reported, Chairman Burrows and His Fellow Probers Have Decided That the Testimony Does Not Prove Any of the Charges.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The sub-committee of the senate which has been investigating the charges of bribery in connection with the selection of Senator Wm. Lorimer of Illinois decided unanimously today that the testimony does not prove the charges made. A motion was offered to report to the full committee of the senate that the charges had not been proved. On the motion, there was not a dissenting vote. The sub-committee's report will be prepared for the full committee at once and the report will be sent to the senate soon.

STOCKS LEAVE OFF AT LOWEST LEVEL

Closing of the Wall Street Market Is Weak—Wheat at Chicago Advances.

New York, Dec. 12.—Apart from a fairly firm undertone during the greater part of the session, the course of today's stock market was unimportant. The trading was light and again confined to the better known speculative leaders, although an isolated movement in some of the more obscure specialties indicated a mild resumption of operations by dormant pools. The market opened irregular, with a pronounced weakness in the Harriman issues, United States Steel and other metal issues. Following its general recovery in a movement led by the coal stocks, the list held fairly well until the final hour, when reports of another meeting of the steel and iron interests and advices from Chicago stating that a large majority of the engineers employed on the Western roads had voted to strike sent the price of the active issues to the lowest level of the day and caused a weak closing.

Wheat a Little Higher.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Reports that the prospects were decidedly unfavorable for an average crop in Oklahoma or the southwest parts of Kansas tended today to advance the price of wheat. A speculative advance in Liverpool had also considerable effect. The close here was a net gain of 1/4 to 3/4. The rising quotations were in the face of an unusual array of bearish news. The world's shipments were larger than a year ago, and there was said to be an increase of 84,554,000 bushels in the Russian yield, as compared with the previous twelve months. The wheat in the Argentine, were greatly in excess of those of a year back. On the other hand, rain in northern Argentina, a drought in the Punjab and floods in France and Italy, as well as crop conditions in the American Southwest, received greater attention.

According to the authority, 50 per cent of the wheat in four and a half million acres in Kansas and Oklahoma has not germinated and of the plants that have sprouted 15 to 20 per cent are dead. Largely because of this alleged handicap the May opened at 95% to 95 1/2% and closed at 95%.

Corn started strong on active buying, but sagged the remainder of the day. The consignments were large, both from Illinois and Iowa. The close was 1/4 to 1/2% lower, the May at 47 1/2%. In the pit, December receipts, the prices early, but the market weakened on the primary receipts being more than double last year. The close was 1/2% to 3/4% lower, the May at 33 3/4% to 34%.

ANSWER NOT YET MADE TO ENGINEERS

Brotherhood Men Will Not Know Until Today Whether There Will Be a Strike.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—No news had been returned late today to the Brotherhood of Railway and Shipbuilding Engineers, which sent today to the Railway Managers' association of the brotherhood's ultimatum of higher wages or a strike. President Stone, of the engineers, announced that no action would be taken before tomorrow. He advised the employers that the recent vote had been 97.5 per cent in favor of a strike.

HADLEY GETS BIG TURKEY.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 12.—A monster turkey, said to be the largest in Missouri, was the chief attraction today at the state poultry show at Kansas City for size and breeding, reached Governor Hadley today. This valuable fowl was presented to Governor Hadley by Mrs. H. R. Schlotzauer of Pilot Grove, Copper County, Mo. When the crate in which the fowl was shipped was dumped off in the yard of the executive mansion, the governor concluded that State Dairy Commissioner Cutler, who is always making "finds," had shipped him a cow.

CHILDRENS HOME BURNS AND ONE LIFE IS LOST.

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 12.—While forty-three children, inmates of a children's home here, were saying their prayers before retiring tonight, fire broke out. Ralph Barnes, aged seven, was burned

THE WEATHER

Washington, Dec. 12.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Generally fair, Tuesday and Wednesday.

C. & N. W. FIREMAN IS VICTIM OF AN ODD FATALITY. Milwaukee, Dec. 12.—Fred Dessatcher, a fireman on the Northwestern, was killed near South Milwaukee today. He looked out of the cab window, when the hook of a mail train caught him by the neck and dragged him from the cab. His neck was broken.

ROBBERY THE MOTIVE OF A BRUTAL MURDER IN CHICAGO LAST NIGHT.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Nathan B. Hyde, former United States commissioner for the Southern district of Wisconsin and at one time a member of the New York bar, was found dead at his home on the West side tonight. His head was cut open by a blow from a crowbar, which was found near the body. The house was ransacked and the police say that robbery was the motive of the murder.

MEDICO-LEGAL SOCIETY ASKS GOVERNOR TO PARDON ATTORNEY ALBERT PATRICK.

New York, Dec. 12.—Announcement was made tonight that the Medico-Legal society had appealed to Governor White to pardon Albert T. Patrick, who is serving a life sentence at Sing Sing for the murder of William Marsh Rice here some years ago. It is maintained by the petitioners that Patrick was convicted on medical testimony that embalming fluid introduced into the body through the right brachial artery would not enter the lungs, but that it since has been demonstrated that this testimony was wrong.

PASSENGERS ARE SAVED, BUT WRECKED STEAMSHIP IS LIKELY A TOTAL LOSS.

Valdez, Alaska, Dec. 12.—All the passengers on the Alaska Steamship company's steamship Olympia, which went ashore at Big Bend, Prince William sound, Saturday night, were taken off at 4 o'clock this afternoon. It is feared the vessel will be a total loss. There were 123 persons aboard the Olympia. The vessel and cargo are worth \$300,000.

WEALTHY AGED WIDOW BURNS TO DEATH IN ROOM OF A HOTEL IN NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 12.—Mrs. F. A. Hilliard, aged seventy-six, a wealthy widow of Milwaukee, Wis., was burned to death today in her room at a hotel here. She set fire to her clothing in attempting to light a candle. Mrs. Hilliard refused to use either electric lights or gas and insisted on burning candles in her room.

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PAST YEAR A HARD ONE FOR LAW BREAKERS

Attorney General Wickersham's Annual Report Shows That It Has Been the Most Strenuous in the History of the Legal Department of the Government.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The annual report of Attorney General Wickersham, presented to congress today, is one long story of frauds against the government. Trusts, so called and real, their alleged conspiracies to defeat the law; land frauds, customs frauds, frauds on the internal revenue, rebates, bucket shops and fraudulent uses of the mails have made 1910 the most strenuous year in the history of the department of justice.

HUNDREDS OF PROSECUTIONS HAVE BEEN INSTITUTED AND WITH SUCCESS IN A GREAT MANY CASES—BIG FRAUDS FERRETED OUT BY THE BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION.

Mr. Wickersham states that only the earnest and enthusiastic work of the men of his force has made the work successful. "The salaries paid are small," he says, "and the funds available for special cases do not permit the payment of fees which bear any comparison with those offered by private interests. But notwithstanding these obstacles the department is fortunate in having been able to secure the services of earnest and competent lawyers to whose ability and industry are due the very large measure of success that has attended the management of the legal business of the government during the year."

RUSSIA ENLARGES THE JEWISH PALE

City and Province of Moscow Are Opened to All First Guild Merchants.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 12.—An imperial order was published today, confirming the resolution recently adopted by the cabinet permitting all Jewish merchants of the first guild to reside in the city and province of Moscow. The first of November, Emperor Nicholas approved the opening up of new sections for the residence of Jews. Here and there the legal residence of Jews had been restricted to that section of the Polish provinces and Ukraine delimited by the original Jewish segregation law and known as "the pale." The new sections embraced twelve districts in the provinces of Vitebsk, Volhynia, Mohilev, Poltava and Kherson and the town of Yekaterinodar. The action of the government resulted from the petitions of inhabitants of the newly opened localities, who desired the admission of Jewish residents as a means of improving local business conditions.

WIDOW DENOUNCED AS A VAMPIRE

Evidence Is Completed and Defense Makes Opening Plea at Trial of Hattie Le Blanc.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 12.—The evidence upon which the jury will convict or acquit Hattie Le Blanc of the murder of Clarence P. Glover was completed today. Melvin M. Johnson, counsel for the girl, made the opening plea for her life. He said that the girl was brought from the Canadian province solely for the "white slave" traffic, and then, turning to Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, who had induced her to leave home, Mr. Johnson denounced the widow as a vampire.

MRS. SCOTT'S SUPPORTERS LAUNCH A CAMPAIGN IN BEHALF OF HER RELECTION.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The Illinois Daughters of the Revolution today launched a countrywide campaign in the interest of Mrs. M. T. Scott of Bloomington, who is a candidate for reelection to the position of president general of the national organization. A circular has been prepared for general distribution which denounces the methods of Mrs. William Cumming Story and her campaign manager, Miss Florence G. Finch, in assailing Mrs. Scott on the charge that she had broken her promise never to be a candidate for reelection.

LOSERS FROM FLOODS IN ITALY ARE PRINCIPALLY POOR PEOPLE.

Rome, Dec. 12.—Reports from many points in Italy indicate a continuation of the heavy storms, the flooding of towns and villages and the serious damage of crops. The victims are mostly poor people who in many cases have been compelled to abandon their homes.

ELECTIONS IN BRITAIN STILL NIP AND TUCK

Balloting for 518 of the 670 Members Gives Government a Net Gain of One.

London, Dec. 12.—The polling results show monotonous regularity. The returns today leave the government one seat in the good, the Unionists having gained twenty-one seats from the government and the government coalition twenty-two seats from the Unionists in the election of 518 members out of 670. The standing of the parties tonight follows: Government coalition—Liberals, 191; Laborites, 35; Nationalists, 50; Independent Nationalists, 7. Total, 289. Opposition—Unionists, 229.

ALLEGED BRUTALITY IN PRISONS.

All the opposition parties in the duma have united in addressing an interpellation to the minister of justice and justice regarding a reported wholesale flogging of political prisoners in the provinces of Vitebsk, Volhynia, Mohilev, Poltava and Kherson and the town of Yekaterinodar. The action of the government resulted from the petitions of inhabitants of the newly opened localities, who desired the admission of Jewish residents as a means of improving local business conditions.

COURT REFUSES TO SHIFT TRIAL OF DEITZ FAMILY TO ANOTHER WISCONSIN COUNTY.

Hayward, Wis., Dec. 12.—The last chance of John F. Deitz, Hattie Deitz and Leslie Deitz to have their trial for the alleged murder of Deputy Oscar Harp removed to another county flickered out tonight when Circuit Judge A. R. Reid, after lengthy arguments by the opposing counsel, denied an application, supported by numerous affidavits, for a change of venue. The court ruled that inasmuch as he had succeeded Judge Wyeckham in recognition of an affidavit of prejudice, one change of venue and the only change allowable has already been granted. A signed statement from Fred W. Thorburn, chief of the deputies who captured Deitz and his family, stating the opinion that an impartial juror could not be obtained in Sawyer county, caused a stir when read in the court room this afternoon. The trial opens tomorrow.

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MARQUETTE, MICH., DEC. 13.

PICTURESQUE SENATORIAL FIGHTS.

When Governor-elect Dix, of New York, was asked what disposal he thought the Democrats should make of the senatorial office when they got around to naming a successor to Depew he declined to venture any opinion on the subject, taking the ground that the election of a senator is a duty devolving on the legislature and that the governor or governor-elect has no right in any way to concern himself with it.

In Massachusetts Foss is engaged in an active campaign in an effort to encompass the defeat for re-election of Senator Lodge. His program is the more surprising and unusual for the fact that he is in control of the legislature, so that he is not only, according to the Dix theory, butting into a matter with which he can have no proper concern, but he is also trying to inject himself into the management of the affairs of the opposite party.

Governor-elect Foss takes the position that the results of the Massachusetts election last month were much more a repudiation of Senator Lodge than they were of Governor Draper, as the revolt against the Republicans was, more than anything else, a protest against the attitude of Senator Lodge and the other Massachusetts "standpatters" on the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill and other matters of popular legislation.

Wilson has made himself one of the principal figures in the political sensations of the hour by frankly precipitating himself into the senatorial situation in that state, with a warlike declaration in favor of the election of James Martine, "the farmer orator," which he coupled in a formal statement with an assertion that James Smith, Jr., reputed to be the "machine" candidate, is a man whom the Democrats should, under no circumstances, elect.

Martine owes his prominence in the situation to a provision of the primary law that calls for an advisory vote on the candidate for senator. The "big" politicians of the party looked upon this provision as a good deal of a joke, and disregarded it. Martine was a candidate under it, however, and was successful in polling a large majority of the votes cast for the senatorial candidates, which, however, was a small minority of the entire vote polled by the Democrats in the election.

Governor-elect Wilson's attitude on this question, as have his utterances before and since election, marks him out as one of the most liberal and popular of the Democratic leaders before the country today. He has given every evidence of believing that there is no better guide for public men than majority public opinion, when it is fully and fairly expressed. It is this slant of Wilson's political vision that brings him into the fullest sympathy with modern political ideas and that promises to make his leadership of the Democrats potent. He seems to be a "progressive" Democrat,

in the truest sense of the word. His tendencies toward liberalism in his party are apparently much more pronounced than those of Governor Harmon, of Ohio. It will not be surprising if a year hence the Democratic progressives are turning toward him and the conservatives toward Harmon for their candidate for president in the campaign of 1912.

ON RAILROAD FARES.

The Houghton Gazette comments on the change in the attitude of both legislators and the newspaper editors in regard to the railroads. It recalls the time when the legislative delegation from this region and the newspapers were, as a matter of course, steadfastly opposed to all legislation to decrease the earning power of the railroads, whereas now the proposal to end the passenger fare differential in favor of the upper peninsula railroads seems to meet with general approval.

"We cannot help wondering if the fact that members get no more transportation gratis and editors have to pay for their railroad tickets now may not have something to do with the change in sentiment," says the Gazette. "If the severe snow storms and the long continued winter weather and the long hauls through barren country made two cents a mile unjustifiable two years ago why should not these arguments prevent a reduction now?"

They certainly should, if they were valid two years ago. There is much of justice in the Gazette's point. It is to be feared, as it suggests, that the most potent fact with many of the legislators and newspaper men who are now inclined to "whoop'er up" for two cent fares is the disappearance of the railroad pass as an asset of public and publishing life. Under the old conditions there would be far less clamor, we assure.

But the old conditions were none the less wrong. They amounted to little else than continued bribery by the railroads of the entire legislature. Its members could have, for the asking, valuable favors, for themselves, friends or families. All but an inconsequential minority availed themselves to the limit of this respectable near-graft. Naturally the man who had a railroad bill that did not meet with the approval of the railroads did not find his fellow members falling over themselves to advance it to a prominent place in the legislative calendar, or to hurry it on to passage. The average membership of the legislature had been as effectively bribed against consideration of his measure as if a fat "jack pot" had been split.

That the railroad pass had a numbing effect on the newspapers there can be no doubt. In many newspaper offices articles dealing with the railroads were scanned closely to see whether they had in them the essence of offense to the managements. In most cases the service given by the railroads in the "exchange of courtesies" was more valuable than the service returned by the newspapers, so the owners of the latter were the more solicitous of the two to continue the bargain, and therefore were most solicitous not to print anything that would offend the railroads. Thus the effect was practically the same as it was in the legislature, the effective bribing of large numbers of small newspapers into an attitude of, as a matter of course, favoring the things the railroads wanted and opposing the things they didn't want. As far as the railroads were concerned, a large part of the press, just like a large part of every legislature, was effectively stupefied by the pernicious pass, one of the most fruitful sources of bad legislation and gross neglect of duty that this country has ever been cursed with.

But, as the Gazette says, there wouldn't be half the enthusiasm for two cent fares in the upper peninsula as is now shown if the pass was still an honored American institution, and the arguments urged against the two cent fare in this region, if they were valid two and four years ago, are valid now. There can be no doubt that a two cent fare would be much more burdensome for upper peninsula railroads than for lower Michigan railroads, earnings being equal, as this region is not as favorable a one either for earnings or operation as the lower part of the state. The railroads are entitled to a fair deal at all times. There should be no snap legislation on railroad fares for the upper peninsula. The railroads should be given a full and fair hearing and if they can show that the proposed lower fare would be an injustice it should not be made effective by law.

AFTER JACKSON BOARD.

It is reported that Governor-elect Osborn will, soon after his accession to power, ask out the resignations of all the members of the Jackson prison board, on the ground that lack of harmony on the board has prevented a satisfactory ironing out of the disturbing conditions in the Jackson institution. The two members of the board who have extended terms to serve out are Tom Navin, of Detroit, and Judge Adams. Navin has been a particularly close friend of Osborn and was his loyal supporter during the primary campaign. Thus the report of Osborn's intended course with regard to the Jackson board has caused a furor of interest.

The general impression is that neither Navin or Judge Adams will resign. It is not believed that Mr. Osborn would have in mind displacing Navin from the board permanently, in any event, but it is held to be probable that if he resigned the governor would reappoint him, with other

men who would make up a harmonious board. Judge Adams would hardly resign under fire, and he can only be removed on charges, so the general belief is that the board will continue its service until the terms of its members expire.

Mr. Osborn is correct in attributing the prolongation of the disturbing conditions in the Jackson prison to lack of harmony on the board of control. For months when the need of a strong and aggressive warden was a most pressing one Governor Warner and the board members were unable to agree on a man for the office, and the officer in charge of the institution at present, Mr. Stone, formerly clerk of the prison, has only the title of "acting warden," his term of office being indefinite. This is an anomalous condition, one that should not exist in the state's largest prison, where a long series of disturbances has created a particular necessity for the installation as warden of a strong man, with an assured tenure of office and complete power to administer the institution.

Governor-elect Osborn has the right idea in aiming to get the Jackson prison on a definite and permanent basis, and, whether or not the present board members stick or resign, it will be hoped that he will early be able to construct a board all of whose members will have harmonious ideas and willingness to cooperate with one another to the fullest extent to secure the welfare of the institution which they have in charge.

Those Brazilian mutinies are in the worst of bad taste for a republic. We expect such things from time to time in the effete monarchies of the old world, but they are surely out of place in the growing and prospering republics of the new.

A TIMELY MEETING.

There is wisdom in the proposal to hold a meeting of upper peninsula sportsmen in Marquette, to consider changes in the game laws. There have been made of late many conflicting suggestions as to how the laws should be amended. If all these suggestions reached the game law committees of the legislature the result would be not enlightenment, but confusion worse confounded, and the legislators would hardly know where to turn for reliable information to guide them in their work.

The Marquette gathering will afford an opportunity to thresh out the differences between upper peninsula sportsmen as to how the legislature should go about amending the game laws, with the result that a report and series of recommendations can be drawn up that should materially assist the legislature in making wise amendments.

The legislature desires to strengthen and improve the game laws in any way it reasonably can, and will certainly do this, if the sportsmen will only agree on what had best be done. The Marquette meeting will doubtless bring the sportsmen into agreement, and will thus likely have an important bearing on the game law legislation enacted at the forthcoming session. Therefore it is to be hoped that it will be well attended.

Unfortunately there is no fund that can be drawn on to pay the expenses of the delegates and they will either have to come at their own expense or be sent by their local sportsmen's clubs. Similar meetings in the past have been successful, however, and it is believed that there is sufficient interest in the important question at issue to assure a representative gathering here on the 20th.

We are justified in looking forward to an interesting and eventual session of the legislature. Mr. Osborn is referred to as "a man who always does the unexpected." The description seems to fit. His single term pronouncement was unexpected enough, and there is a certain quality of surprise in the news that he will ask for the resignation of the board of control of the Jackson prison. Furthermore, his message will, it is said, and it will be readily believed, furnish food both for thought and animated discussion. Mr. Osborn looks into things on his own account, makes up his mind what he deems is best to do and then heads in to do it, in the meantime keeping his own counsel. We predict that the corps of correspondents on duty at the state capital will find Mr. Osborn most prolific of excellent copy.

The movement for the Sunday closing of postoffices is gaining momentum. Wherever it is tried it is taken to kindly. Ninety per cent of the people find that there was no particularly good reason for their solicitude about getting their mail on Sunday, that its delivery can just as well go over a day. The other small per cent that really finds it necessary to scan the Sunday mail comprises the box rent-

ing contingent, anyway, and it is put to no inconvenience. The abolition of Sunday mail distribution means a great saving of labor, and a great saving of time and bother for the general public, which has come to make its Sunday pilgrimage to the postoffice largely as a matter of habit and not because there is any particularly good reason for it.

Mr. Hitchcock will not be out of a job when he has wiped out the postal deficit, however. He will then be able to apply himself to the task of making the postal service a revenue earner for the government. There'll be plenty for Mr. Hitchcock to do when he will have the "annual deficit" killed and stuffed, ready for exhibition in the department museum.

Senator Smith, Representative Townsend, Governor-elect Chase S. Osborn and State Chairman Knox have been dining and conferring together at Washington, but no definite word has been given out as to how far ahead the destinies of Michigan have been disposed of.

Those who have had a peep at Governor-elect Osborn's forthcoming message won't talk about it, but they go as far as to predict that the state will find it most interesting reading.

Former Senator W. A. Clark has just paid \$100,000 for a dinner set for his new Fifth avenue palace. And he's got money left to decorate it with bacon and pork chops, too.—Detroit Free Press.

What is to be the title of "Dick" Fletcher's book—"Loyal and Loving. But Turned Adrift" or "The Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow"?—Detroit Journal.

Russia cables that "the czar's throne is facing a crisis." The same old crisis?—Detroit Journal.

If Secretary Knox isn't careful that new republic he hasn't yet been able to see will bite him.—Saginaw News.

Does Governor-elect Osborn realize that in doing away with military fess and feathers and other duds, he is going to abolish his own W. Frank Knox who holds the title of colonel by the grace of Governor Warner?—Pontiac Press Gazette.

The recall is bound to prove popular. Look at the success it has had in the divorce courts.—Jackson Citizen-Press.

A male member of the Thaw family kept sober six months and a bride, of which there were eight in Michigan alone during the open season of twenty days. In any event, the requirements for hunters' licenses should be made more severe.—New York World.

A St. Louis woman chased a man who had smiled at her and slapped him. Some day it won't be safe for a man to venture on the street without an escort.—Flint Journal.

The hunting season is reported to have cost the lives of 113 persons, of whom twenty-seven were slain in Michigan, fifteen in New York and fourteen in Wisconsin. This is worse than the Fourth of July record of firearm fatalities. It is a heavy price to pay for the pleasure of a few weeks' sport. Perhaps a few indictments for criminal carelessness would help decrease the number of deaths due to mistaking other sportsmen for deer, of which there were eight in Michigan alone during the open season of twenty days. In any event, the requirements for hunters' licenses should be made more severe.—New York World.

It is pointed out as an interesting and somewhat notable fact that Arizona's constitution is the shortest yet made by our newer states. Thus, while that of New Mexico contains 25,000 words and that of Oklahoma 104,000, Arizona seems to have followed the suggestion of President Taft, to make its constitution as brief as possible and free from legislative details. It therefore, contains less than 16,000 words.

The phenomenal growth of the jewelry industry, as well as that of diamond-cutting and setting, is shown in recent figures of the year's importations in these lines. In round figures, during 1910 there were imported into this country diamonds and other precious stones to the value of \$48,000,000. Under this general group diamonds formed a very large proportion of the total, a part of them coming in in the natural form, to be cut and set in the United States, another part cut, but not set, the proportion set before being sent to the United States being extremely small and included under the general head "jewelry." The value of uncut diamonds entering the country in 1910 was \$10,250,000; of diamonds cut, but not set, \$29,500,000; of other precious stones, cut but not set, \$7,750,000 and of jewelry and other manufactures of gold and silver \$2,500,000. Taking the entire group of diamonds and other precious stones the total for 1910 is \$47,750,000, against \$42,500,000 in 1907 and \$14,500,000 in 1900.

The private fortune of Abdul Hamid must be turned over to the government of Turkey according to a decision of the imperial supreme court at Leipzig in the suit brought by the government against the reichsbank where the money had been deposited by the deposed sultan. After Abdul Hamid was driven from the throne the new government presented to the bankers what purported to be a letter

from the ex-sultan authorizing the withdrawal of the funds. The bank refused to surrender the money. Suit was then brought against the bank in the provincial court which dismissed the complaint. The supreme court decision reverses the provincial court on the ground that Hamid did not sign the order for the funds under duress.

This year's gross receipts of the Passion play at Oberammergau are officially reported to have been \$426,000. After deducting expenses the sum of \$324,000 remains to be distributed, of which \$195,000 will be divided among 860 performers, the principals receiving \$625 apiece and the others in proportion. Then a liberal sum will be given to the poor and a balance of \$108,750 will remain in the village treasury for communal purposes.

A Laugh or Two.

Varied Entertainment.

Strickland W. Gilliland, the humorist, goes about the country entertaining audiences. In one town Gilliland was met by the lyceum committee and asked what further arrangements he desired. "Nothing but a glass of water on the table," said the humorist. "To drink?" asked one of the committee. "Oh, no," said the funny man, "I do a high dive in the second act."—Human Life.

Disabled.

In a certain camp a battalion was being instructed on "How to take a conveyance through open country." One company was told off to represent a conveyance, the men being instructed that they were to represent horses, cows, and wagons.

After being halted a short time the advance signal was given and the conveyance moved on, but the major noticed that one man continued to lie down, and galloping up to him in a rage said: "Man why don't you advance?" The soldier replied: "I can't, sir." Major: "You can't? What do you mean?" "I'm a wagon," said the soldier, "and I've got a wheel off."—Tit-Bits.

His Souvenir.

The only story Charlie Gibson could think of when tactfully approached on the subject yesterday was of a man who had just returned from a trip to the Brussels exposition.

"Take it from me," said this traveller to Mr. Gibson, "they've invented some new way of separating you from your money over there. When I was about to leave Brussels I was held up by a persistent salesman who wanted me to buy a little green wooden dog. 'Only a franc, monsieur,' he insisted, 'just one little franc.'"

"But what do I want of it?" I asked. "Monsieur can take it back to America as a souvenir."

"No, I told him, 'I think I'll keep the frame as a souvenir. It'll be the only one I have left.'—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

All Right Otherwise.

A Missouri dorky was endeavoring to sell a mule to a Jefferson City man, who, however, was in doubt as to the animal's age.

"If," said he, "this mule is as young as you claim, why is it that he bends so at the knees?"

"Oh, don't let that little fact worry you, boss," the negro hastened to say. "Dat mule bends at de laigs, but it ain't no age dat he does. De bones' truth, boss, is dat I ain't had de money to look after dat mule de way he oughter been. My stable is kinder low an' dat mule he been 'bliged to stoop a little, dat's all."—Harper's Magazine.

Marked the Spot.

It was in the Burnet Woods park last summer that a man hired a boat. For almost the entire hour that he was allowed he cruised around on the little lake and then suddenly pulled for shore.

"I lost my watch overboard!" he shouted as he neared the landing stage. "Where?" asked the watchman.

"Right here," returned the one in the boat. And, pointing to a deep cut in the side of his craft, "I cut a notch right where she went over."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Mothers if you love your son come in and see Geill at his store, you will not regret it. 12-7-tf

Remarkable Offer to Local People: A 10c Cake of Palmolive Soap Absolutely Free!

A few days ago, the B. J. Johnson Soap Co., of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, made a startling offer in the columns of this paper. It was this: With every 25-cent purchase of Galvanol—the famous white laundry soap—they would give a ten-cent cake of Palmolive Toilet Soap. This offer is good during all of this week, and judging from the reports of local grocers, large numbers of enterprising people here are taking advantage of this unprecedented offer.

It is costing the B. J. Johnson Soap Co. a small fortune to introduce into their brands of soap into local homes, but they say they can afford to do this for the reason that once these soaps are taken into the home, it means that all other brands of soap will be discarded.

In the large advertisement which appeared last Monday a list of grocers was published who were free Palmolive Soap can be obtained during this week—"Free Soap Week." Unless you have already taken advantage of this offer we urge you to do so as the offer will not appear again and is good only during this week—"Free Soap Week."

General Reduction Sale

THE Marquette Millinery Co.

Offer their line of Corsets at reduced prices.

The Henderson Corset Regular \$1.50 Corsets now 75c Regular \$1.25 Corsets now 50c

New line of Hair Goods, Puffs, Switches, etc.

Special prices on all our Trimmed Hats.

Nester Block, Marquette.

Christmas Announcement!

Our store is full of new Christmas articles and we would like our customers and friends to give us a call.

Christmas Postal Cards and Booklets.

Fine Line of Candy in packages; all sizes.

Tree Ornaments Pipes and Smokers' Articles.

Cigars in Boxes. All sizes.

Nuts and Figs. FRED DONCKERS 12-8-tf

Classified Want Directory

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A male stenographer. Must be experienced and be able to furnish good recommendations. Address "Stenographer," care Mining Journal, 12-12-tf.

WANTED—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. 12-10-10.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply at 442 East Michigan street. 12-5-tf.

WANTED—Your tuning business. We have an expert tuner and repair man connected with our branch. Terms reasonable. Call of phone. The Cable Piano Co. 7-11-10d.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Five and six octave high grade organs; almost good as new. Amos Saladin, 9 Harlow Block, Marquette, Mich. 12-12-tf.

FOR SALE—Work horses, wagon, buggy, sleighs, cutter, street sprinkler, law mowers, ploughs, scrapers, one wheel scraper, sowing machine, new cement block press, horse clippers. For Rent—Barn, store, houses, wood yard. An established business for the taking. Apply to Mrs. Ellen French, or W. A. French, Brunswick. 11-15-tf.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Large barn at 146 W. Hewitt avenue, 42 feet long wide. 12-13-10.

FOR RENT—Barn, on Ohio street, near corner Third. Apply 116 Fisher street. 12-12-tf.

FOR RENT—Office room, in Nester block. J. L. Heffernan, Agent. 12-9-20.

LAKE SUPERIOR & ISHERING RAILWAY CO.

MUNISING RAILWAY CO. MARQUETTE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY CO.

TIME TABLE In Effect Nov. 6, 1910.

TRAINS LEAVE MARQUETTE.

For Picket Lake, Buckroe, Birch, Antlers and Big Bay. On Saturdays additional train to Birch and Big Bay leaves at 8:15 a.m. 2:00 p.m. For Negaunee and Ishpeming. For Harvey, Mangum, Valmer, New Dalton, Skandia, Selma, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Rumely, Chatham, Munising 6:45 a.m. 5:15 p.m.

For Marquette, Harvey, Mangum, Valmer, New Dalton, Skandia, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Rumely, Chatham and Munising 6:10 p.m. 4:20 p.m.

TRAINS LEAVE MUNISING.

For Chatham, Rumely, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Skandia, New Dalton, Valmer, Mangum, Harvey, Marquette, Switches, Ishpeming, Birch and Big Bay 6:15 a.m. 6:00 a.m.

For stations on East Branch. For Chatham, Rumely, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Skandia, New Dalton, Valmer, Mangum, Harvey, Marquette, Switches, Ishpeming, Birch and Big Bay 6:15 p.m. 6:00 p.m.

TRAINS LEAVE ISHERING.

For Marquette, Harvey, Mangum, Valmer, New Dalton, Skandia, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Rumely, Chatham and Munising 6:45 a.m. 5:15 p.m.

TRAINS LEAVE MUNISING JCT.

For Marquette, Harvey, Mangum, Valmer, New Dalton, Skandia, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Rumely, Chatham and Munising 6:45 p.m. 5:15 p.m.

TRAINS LEAVE BIG BAY.

For Birch, Marquette, M. & S. E. Ry. stations and Munising. Ry. stations and Munising. Train leaves Birch 11:50 a.m. 1:00 p.m. On Saturdays additional train to Marquette leaves Big Bay 6:15 p.m. Leaves Birch 6:45 p.m.

TRAINS LEAVE PISCICOTON.

For Little Lake, Carlsbad, Marquette, Negaunee, Ishpeming, Big Bay, Birch, Rumely, Chatham, Munising and East Branch stations. Leaves Gwinn 6:10 a.m. 6:15 a.m. For Munising Ry. stations to Munising, M. & S. E. Ry. stations to Marquette 4:50 p.m. Leaves Gwinn 4:35 p.m. For Marquette, Harvey, Mangum, Valmer, New Dalton, Skandia, Carlsbad, Little Lake, Gwinn, Princeton, Rumely, Chatham and Munising 9:15 a.m. 2:30 p.m.

Gift Perfumes

should be the choicest procurable. Don't make the common mistake of buying cheap perfumes decked out in handsome shape simply to deceive unwary gift seekers. You make sure of choice perfumes if you select from our stock. Our goods are all of standard make and we have the most exquisite odors in dainty fancy packages for Christmas giving. All prices.

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Cigars by the box, Perfumes in any size package, Shaving Outfits, Safety Razors, Traveling Sets, Hand Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Military Sets, Fancy Stationery, and many other useful Holiday Gifts. We have a nice line of Skis.

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Sunny Monday Laundry Soap will cost you but 5 cents. You may get six or seven bars of the ordinary yellow rosin soap for a quarter, but when you think that it represents the saving of clothes, the real economy lies in buying Sunny Monday.

It is a white Soap—contains no rosin—and one bar will go as far as two bars of ordinary laundry soap.

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Copper Country

WORTHY MISSION TAKEN UP BY LADIES

Portage Lake Women to Raise Funds for the Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital.

A meeting of the ladies of Houghton and Hancock will be called for next Saturday at a place to be determined upon to discuss plans for relieving conditions at St. Joseph's hospital, Hancock. Mrs. Joseph H. Hodgson of Houghton is at the head of the movement.

St. Joseph's hospital is the only one in Houghton and Hancock and the surrounding mining locations. It is conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph, and is intended to be self-supporting.

The Sisters of St. Joseph have had few contributions to their funds and the hospital is a monument to their untiring labor, self sacrifice and their confidence in God.

RESIGNS THE MANAGEMENT. A. H. Meuche Will Sever Connection With Longyear & Hodge.

A. H. Meuche, copper country manager for Longyear & Hodge, the Marquette diamond drill contractors, announced yesterday that he would sever his connections with the firm the first of the year.

Dr. Roy T. Banks of Hancock Succeeds to Father's Practice.

Dr. Roy H. Banks of Hancock has announced that after two weeks he will close his dental office in that city to move to Escanaba, where he will succeed to the practice of his father, who died in that city recently.

SHIPPING IN FIR TIMBER. The mining companies are receiving large shipments of timber from the belt of Washington.

CHILDREN'S DAY SERVICES. Sunday Cwars children's day at the Sacred Heart church, Calumet, and there were special services for the young people, both morning and evening.

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FIRE FIGHTERS WILL FEAST ON ROAST PIG

Annual Banquet of the Houghton Department at the Village Hall Tonight.

The annual banquet of the Houghton fire department, usually called "the big feed" by the members in informal discussion, will be given tonight in the village hall.

The annual banquet is largely owing to Michael Messner of Atlantic, who raises many pigs at his palatial stables at his Portage Entry farm.

NEW ONTAGON RINK. Ladies' Day Opening Yesterday of the New Wha-Wha-Tay.

The Ontagon skating rink, owned by a company of which John Hawley is the head, opened yesterday afternoon with a ladies' day.

CALUMET TRAINMEN'S BALL. Annual Social Affair of Railroaders to Be Held December 30.

The annual ball of the Calumet lodge of Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will be held in the Light Guard Armory the night of Dec. 30.

GUN CLUB SCORES ARE HIGH. Paul Swift Breaks Eighty-Five Out of 100 in Sunday's Shoot.

Paul D. Swift, president of the Houghton Gun club, was the winner in Sunday morning's shoot. He broke eighty-five out of a possible 100, which is excellent shooting in any company.

HE IS A GOOD LOSER. Dr. R. T. Farrand Not Discouraged in His Boys' Club Efforts.

The failure of the military and athletic tournament of the Portage Lake Athletic club at the Kerredge theater Saturday night to attract funds for the benefit of the Houghton boys' club rooms has not daunted Dr. R. T. Farrand, the promoter of the club.

FORM A HOCKEY LEAGUE. The students of the manual training department of the Calumet High school are sufficiently numerous to afford a hockey league of their own.

The students of the manual training department of the Calumet High school are sufficiently numerous to afford a hockey league of their own, consisting of three teams. The seven represent the blacksmiths, machinists and wood mechanical department.

Dry Your Clothes on a Wet Washday With a New Perfection Oil Heater



When clothes can't be hung outside, and must be dried in a room or cellar, the New Perfection Oil Heater quickly does the work of sun and air.

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Jan. 6, and the last one March 24. Twelve games in all will be played.

AT ST. IGNATIUS' CHURCH. Young Ladies Will Give Entertainment on Opening of Bazar.

The annual bazar of the young ladies of St. Ignatius' church of Houghton will be held tonight and tomorrow night. For the opening tonight there will be a program of a literary and musical nature, including a comedy.

WATCH FOR THE MORELAND. Capt. James Reid May Bring the Big Steamer in at Any Time.

Captain James Reid, the Sarnia wreckmaster, may make marine history, as far as the season of 1910 is concerned, any day now, by bringing into Portage Lake the stranded steamer Moreland.

CALUMET ELKS' MINSTRELS. Program for the Entertainment Announced by Director Grubbs.

Director Grubbs of the Calumet Elks' minstrels yesterday afternoon announced the program of the production to be given next Thursday and Friday nights.

YOU MUST READ THIS IF YOU WANT THE BENEFIT. J. W. Greer, Greenwood, La., suffered with a severe case of lumbago.

Do You Feel This Way? Do you feel all tired out? Do you sometimes think you just can't work any of your professional or trade any longer?

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WILL HAVE GLAD CHRISTMAS.

Good Will Farm Children to Be Guests of Calumet Women.

The children who make their home at the Good Will Farm will be entertained like little kings and queens by the charitable inclined women of Calumet and vicinity at the home of Mrs. William H. Minnear, Florida street, Laurium, the afternoon of Saturday, Dec. 31, the day before New Year's.

The task of preparing a Christmas good time, including a big dinner of the sort to delight little boys and girls, providing a Christmas tree and presents for all, is a large one but the ladies of Calumet are going about it in the right manner.

Markets. WALL STREET STOCKS. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Advantage was taken of somewhat more favorable news from Washington, particularly with regard to the president's selection of two supreme court associate justices and the confirmation by the senate of the appointment of Chief Justice White.

Developments at the Anaconda properties the past few months have opened up very good looking ore bodies. The deepest mining is being done at 2,500 feet in the High Ore and Diamond mines where the best ore now being found on the Anaconda hill is being mined.

ANACONDA. Monthly Payroll of the Company Is More Than \$800,000. Developments at the Anaconda properties the past few months have opened up very good looking ore bodies.

Boston Coppers. Boston, Dec. 12.—The market acted better today than it has on any Monday for a long time. Although London prices were lower, there was no liquidation here and the few orders that came in were mostly on the buying side.

BUITE COALITION. There has probably never been a time in the history of Butte Coalition when the mines have looked as well as at present. This is especially true of the Tramway and Minnie Healey. Practically the only work that is being done in the Rarus is in opening up ore bodies preparatory to mining when conditions warrant a greater output.

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### City Brevities

Today's weather: Snow flurries and continued cold.  
 Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 23 degrees; noon, 23; 7 p. m., 21. Maximum, 24 degrees; minimum, 19.

Marquette news will be found on pages 4, 8, 10 and 12 this morning.

Tom Clancy, of Ishpeming, was in the city on business yesterday.

The boys of Baraga High school have organized a basketball team.

A. H. Palmer returned home yesterday from a short business trip to Chicago.

There will be a meeting of the D. A. R. this afternoon at 3 o'clock at Brooks' hall.

Ole Peterson left Saturday for Denmark, where he will spend two months with relatives. On his return, he will go to Virginia, Minn.

Marquette council, Knights of Columbus, will hold a regular meeting in their club rooms at 8 o'clock this evening, at which officers will be elected.

Miss Louise Hogan, until recently stenographer for Justice Byrne, has taken a position in the South Shore railroad office, and Miss Ethel Hambly is now employed in Justice Byrne's office.

Mrs. M. E. Asire has gone to Minneapolis to join her husband, who has been in that city for two weeks. They expect to return to Marquette about Dec. 22.

A sale will be held in the parlors of the Methodist church, beginning at 2:30 this afternoon. Useful and fancy articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be offered.

"Baby Mine," which was looked at the opera house for Dec. 29, has been cancelled, leaving the only show booked for this month "Seven Days," which will be presented the night of Dec. 19.

Mrs. E. F. Marr arrived in the city last night from Bear Lake, Mich., to attend the wedding of her son O. L. Marr. Mr. Marr will be united in marriage to Miss Olga A. Hanson Dec. 15.

Mayor Dan Vaughan, representing the Order of Railway Conductors, and Thomas Pigott, representing the Trainmen, have returned to the conference between the railway employes and employers, now in progress in Chicago, after having spent Sunday and Monday at home.

Sale Will Close Today—The Christmas sale of the ladies of St. Peter's parish, which has been conducted at Baraga Hall since Saturday afternoon, will close today. It has been very successful, although there still remain useful and fancy articles in sufficient quantity to insure a good selection.

Baseball Meeting Tonight—A meeting of all interested in baseball in Marquette next year will be held at the city hall at 8 o'clock this evening, at which it is hoped there will be a large attendance. There are many reasons for believing that it is none too early to make plans for the coming season and every loyal fan should make it a point to be at the meeting.

Visiting Nurse Report—At the meeting of the Visiting Nurse association held yesterday, Miss Bronson reported that she had cared for seventeen patients and had made 161 visits during November. A doctor was called in one instance, employment was found for two persons, immediate relief was given in six instances and 160 garments were distributed. The relief committee expended \$30.99 for supplies during the month and the total disbursements of the association were \$170.52.

Basketball Games—The fourth games of the interclass series of high school basketball contests was played last night and resulted in victories for the Seniors and Sophomores. The first game, between the Seniors and Juniors, while a little one-sided, was fast and furious. The superior team work of the Seniors figured in the victory. Driver was the best point winner for the Seniors. The final score was 14 to 3. The second game between the Sophomores and Freshmen was an easy victory for the second year team, 26 to 5.

Salvation Army Request—Gifts of all kinds will be thankfully received at the Salvation Army headquarters, 306 West Washington street. Clothes, furniture, groceries and money are needed. On Christmas eve there will be a tree for the poor children of the city, and baskets will be given to the poor. Anyone knowing of poor families in need is asked to telephone No. 717-J, and a ticket will be supplied. The Salvation Army League of Mercy sisters will investigate cases of need. Public money will be spent to good advantage.

Will Close This Week—All jury work for the December term of circuit court was discharged last week and the jury men discharged. As the St. Paul train was three hours late yesterday, Judge Flannigan did not reach Marquette until 2:30 p. m. During the late afternoon, several matters in chancery were disposed of. Mrs. Anna Hanson was granted a divorce from Ole Hanson on

the grounds of drunkenness and non-support. Mrs. Hanson and four children have been living with her father at Yalmar for several months. The work of the term will be completed some time this week.

Hotel Business Light—From now until after New Year's the hotels of Marquette and all other small cities will be dreary and lonesome places. About the middle of December most of the traveling men go into their headquarters and do not start out on their trips again until about Jan. 10. During this period, many of the drummers are supplied with new lines of goods, designed for spring and summer trade. Just now the traveling men are keeping close watch of the railroad men's strike proceedings in Chicago, in order that they may get home before a tie-up comes, in case a strike is declared.

Article by Local Man—The November number of the Western Journal of Education contains an interesting article, written by Professor J. E. Lautner of the Normal school, on the "Industrial Continuation Schools of Munich." Dr. Lautner contends, first, that Germany outclasses this country in the manufacture of products requiring highly technical and industrial skill, notwithstanding that by nature the United States is much the more lavishly endowed with raw material; second, that this condition is due to the superior instruction of the German youth in the industrial schools. That the boy of fourteen to eighteen or nineteen is now largely wasting his time is a conviction that generally underlies the whole movement for more efficient industrial training.

Women's Labor Law Upheld—By the unanimous decision of five justices of the supreme court, the Michigan law which limits the hours of work of women not to exceed ten hours in one day and fifty-four hours in one week, is declared constitutional. The statute was attacked in the case of the International Seal & Lock Co. of Hastings vs. the state labor department, on the ground that it was class legislation, women employed in certain industries being exempt from its provisions, and further that the legislature exceeded its powers in passing legislation of this character. The opinion, which is a lengthy one, sets aside these arguments and fully sustains the law. The case was a most important one, many manufacturing institutions and other establishments employing women being interested in the case which the lock company brought.

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Express Companies' Directions for Safe Delivery of Packages.

The express companies are sending out a list of suggestions to shippers of Christmas packages with the comment that if the suggestions are observed, prompt delivery of gifts in good condition will be assured. The suggestions follow:

"Ship your package early, by Dec. 15, if possible. The express company will give you a small label to paste on the package, reading 'Do not open until Christmas.' This will give opportunity for the packages to reach its destination before Christmas and give the additional pleasure to the recipient of the gift of having it on Christmas morning.

"Use wooden boxes for packing, especially for glass and other fragile articles, which should be well protected. It may cost a few cents more, but the danger of damage will be very much reduced, and you should do your part to make the transportation of your gift safe.

"Write the address in full—state, county, city, street and number—on the box or package, with ink or crayon. Tags are frequently torn off and lost.

"If you want to repay the charges, write the word 'Paid' in large, plain letters on the package.

"Insist upon a receipt and see that the amount paid and the value is marked on the receipt and on the package.

"Write your own address in full somewhere on the package, following the prefix 'From'

"Enclose a card in each box or package reading:

From \_\_\_\_\_ (Your address.)

To \_\_\_\_\_ (Consignee's address.)

"This in order that, should the outer markings be destroyed, the inner mark will insure prompt forwarding and delivery.

"If not convenient to ship in wooden boxes, use strong wrapping paper (not newspapers) and tie with strong cord.

"If packages contain anything of perishable nature, write the word 'Perishable' in large plain letters on the box or package, which will call for special attention and delivery."

### THRILLING ADVENTURE.

How E. C. Hungerford and Others Came Near Losing Lives in '50's.

The death of E. C. Hungerford, which was announced in The Mining Journal yesterday, recalled to the mind of an associate of his in the early days a thrilling escapade in which Mr. Hunger-

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ford was a participant. In the late '50's Mr. Hungerford, Chas. F. Harvey and others started to walk from Ontonagon to Marquette in mid-winter. After many privations they reached Keewenaw bay and in order to shorten their trip, if possible, they decided to cross the bay in a small boat, as no ice had formed and the sea appeared to be fairly calm. On the way across, however, a blow came up, and soon the waves were dashing high and the little skiff was being tossed about like a plaything. When the men in the boat were completely exhausted pulling at the oars, and night having fallen, they decided to take a long chance of saving themselves by making a dash for the shore, which was known to be rocky and dangerous. As they approached the shore and rode in on a breaker, one of the party said, "We'll be on land or in heaven in five minutes," and in that spirit they threw themselves into the hands of fate. To the surprise of all, they landed on a sandy beach in a little cove. With the dawn the next morning, they discovered

that their boat had landed on the only sandy beach for miles in either direction, and had they landed a few feet on either side of the spot where they did land their boat would have been dashed to pieces and they would have been drowned.

### CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted and sympathized with us in the death of our father and mother. We especially wish to thank the Knights of Columbus, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, the employes at the South Shore freight office, and all who sent floral tributes.

(Signed) Mrs. Silas Robinson, Mrs. James H. Bishop, Mrs. H. Tapson, Wm. O'Neill, John O'Neill, Raymond O'Neill, Owen O'Neill, Jr., Thomas O'Neill and Ed. O'Neill.

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STUBBS MAKES FIERY ATTACK ON RAILROADS

Governor of Kansas Enlivens a Banquet of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association at Chicago With a Savage Denunciation of "Robbers of the People."

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iance between professional politicians, corporation lawyers and the financial and commercial interests which are concerned in shaping state and federal legislation to serve their own special interests, is a menace to the welfare and life of our republic.

"It is well known for instance that within reasonable limits the packing house trust exercises arbitrary power to fix the purchase price of cattle, hogs and other livestock, and determine with accuracy the amount of profit which they will take as their share of the transaction. It is well known that the packing house trust was formed and is being operated in open and flagrant violation of moral and statutory laws."

Wall Street Rings Denounced.

The speaker said that the methods employed by the giant masters of finance who have destroyed the natural laws of supply and demand throughout the nation are in open and flagrant violation of the Sherman anti-trust laws, the plain provisions of our federal constitution, the common laws of our land, and all moral obligations imposed upon respectable citizens.

"In this connection, the transportation question is perhaps the most important issue before the American people today. The Wall Street financiers, through a 'community of interest' scheme, have by indirect methods forced what practically amounts to a gigantic railroad trust,

which controls the rates and policies of the most important railroad systems in the United States. "There is a well established principle of law which prohibits a man from doing indirectly that which the law forbids him to do directly. If penalties are provided by law for doing an act, the same penalties should attach when that act is accomplished by indirect means. "The Northern Securities company, which was organized to consolidate the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington railways, all competing lines, was declared illegal by the federal supreme court. James J. Hill, J. Pierpont Morgan and their associates proved

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themselves to be above the law and higher than the courts by proceeding immediately to destroy competition in railroad rates throughout the North-western states by indirectly doing what the supreme court had decided was unlawful for the Northern Securities company to do. "The railroad is a government agency, and is therefore, supposed to be subject to law. It is a creature of government, but the creature has grown to such proportions of wealth and political power that provisions of law and decrees of courts have proven ineffective in so far as they were intended to exercise direct control over the operation of these commercial giants.

Rates Already Too High. "In 1898 the dividends paid by the railroads of the United States amounted to ninety-seven million dollars. In 1908 these dividends amounted to three hundred and eighty million dollars, an increase of four hundred per cent in ten years.

"In 1909 the railroads earned ninety-three million dollars more net revenue than they did in 1908, and for the first five months of 1910 have earned thirty-three million dollars more net revenue than they did in the five corresponding months of the previous year.

"These figures prove that there is no reasonable basis upon which the railroads can demand an advance in freight rates. Upon the contrary, they prove conclusively that the railroad rates are already too high. And yet, practically all the railroads in the United States have formed a gigantic combination to increase freight rates, which the shippers who have investigated the matter claim will ultimately enormously increase the cost of freighting transportation.

"The advanced freight rates demanded by the railroads, and now being considered by the interstate commerce commission were agreed to by the combined railroads of the United States, and are, therefore, clearly in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. I submit to you, gentlemen, the proposition that it is unwise and contrary to sound public policy for the federal government to permit these railroads openly and flagrantly to violate the anti-trust law by combining for the purpose of advancing their freight rates, and through their unlawful acts enormously to increase the cost of transportation to the American people. If the railroads are thus permitted to violate the federal laws with impunity, in broad day light, and thereby increase their profits millions of dollars per annum, what incentive has any citizen to respect the law, when he can increase his income by breaking it?"

Attacks Policy of Government. "The amount of tax money collected by the British empire from the American colonies, without representation, probably would not amount to one per cent of the tribute and extortion which the consuming American public are now compelled to pay to illegal combinations, trusts and monopolies every year. The honor, manhood and moral character of our republic are involved in the relation of the federal government to this monstrous trust, which offends every sense of justice, decency and morality.

"We have passed beyond the stage where self-respecting public officials can barter and dicker and compromise with law breakers rich or poor, high or low, great or small, on the theory that the rigid enforcement of law, without fear or favor, will injure business.

"The relation of the federal government to these unlawful commercial institutions organized for purposes of spoils and plunder is one of the most humiliating and disgraceful chapters in American history. The plain duty and task set for this generation is to establish once and forever the supremacy of law and its power to control organized corporations, firms or individuals who directly or indirectly form combinations in restraint of trade, and thereby destroy free competition and equal opportunity in the commerce of the nation.

Courts Given a Severe Lashing. "The Sherman anti-trust law provides that a combination in restraint of trade is a crime punishable by fine or imprisonment or both. The judge on the bench who indulges in the plea of corporation responsible for violation of law, and, not being able to send the corporation to prison, assesses a fine against it as punishment for robbing the public of thousands of millions of dollars through illegal combinations in restraint of trade, and discharges the officers who get the money and send the real criminals in the case, is wholly unfit to occupy so responsible a public office.

"I do not in any sense share the opinion sometimes expressed that the office of a judge is too sacred to be criticized. No man who occupies a responsible position that a just judge who honors his office. But there is no more disreputable citizen than the unjust judge who brings discredit and disgrace to the office that should be held sacred and used solely for the purpose of meting out justice to all kinds and classes of persons.

"A judge belonging to the last named class is and ought to be a proper subject of criticism, and he ought to be publicly branded, so that he could be forever after identified."

Proposes Drastic Remedies. Governor Stubbs strongly opposed appointment of or election of judges for a life term; urged an income tax law; a mandatory law providing a prison sentence for persons or officers of corporations who are responsible for unlawful combinations in restraint of trade and also providing that a receiver shall operate such corporations until insurance is given they will obey the law. "When congress enacts these laws and they are rigidly enforced, extortion, injustice and commercial cruelty of monopolies will be placed on the same basis as other crimes and will be no more respectable in the community," said Governor Stubbs.

The speaker favored the development of the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio rivers, and declared that "the American people are being robbed every year of enough money by unlawful combinations, trusts and monopolies to build this entire work."

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aces of land in this state that are lying idle and could be made to produce a good revenue if planted to evergreen saplings," it says. "As a rule, a Christmas tree about ten feet high costs in Albany from \$1 to \$1.50, while even a little one about six feet high fetches fifty cents. Our farmers lack enterprise and the ingenuity to utilize their waste land."

BANKING BUSINESS VERY PROSPEROUS

Annual Summary of Comptroller Murray an Exceedingly Gratifying Showing.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Another year of prosperity and solid growth for American banks is recorded in the annual report of the comptroller of the currency presented to congress today. Not only the national banks which come directly under the control and supervision of the currency bureau are included in the comprehensive review of banking conditions, but state banks, savings banks, trust companies and other financial institutions—some 15,950 others—are represented.

During the fiscal year of 1910 the combined resources of the 7,000 national banks of the United States grew to approximately 10,000,000,000. Sept. 1, last, their loans and discounts had reached the immense sum of \$5,400,000,000—an amount never before equaled in the history of the national banking system since its creation in 1864. At the same time they were counting nearly \$30,000,000 of overdrafts in their assets, a practice which there is no law to stop.

Now More Than 27,000 Banks. Combining all other banks in the United States and its island possessions with those of the national system and allowing an estimate for those not reported, it is evident from the comptroller's report that the banking power of the nation has grown in the last ten years from 13.4 of all sorts of banks, with capital of \$4,150,000,000 and individual deposits of \$7,988,000,000 to more than 27,000 banks, with combined capital close to \$2,000,000,000 and individual deposits of nearly \$16,000,000,000. The report shows that in 1909, the year which has just closed, the volume of business transacted. The New York Clearing House association represented 60 per cent of the clearings of all associations of the country and during the current year has reached \$102,000,000,000, some \$3,000,000,000 greater than in 1909. For these enormous transactions balances of only little more than \$4,000,000,000 were used.

Large Dividends Paid. Four actual national bank failures marked the year. Final settlement of the affairs of eighteen insolvent banks was made in which depositors received nearly 80 per cent. These administrations were made at an average cost of about five per cent on the collections. From the date of the first failure in 1865, 514 national banks have been placed in the hands of receivers and twenty-five of them have been restored to solvency. More than \$3,300,000 in dividends was paid to depositors of insolvent banks during the year.

On the whole, it appears from the report that national banking conservatively conducted is a profitable enterprise. The net earnings of the 7,000 national banks during the year were more than \$134,000,000, from which dividends of \$103,000,000 were paid, at the rate of more than 10 per cent on their capital. The government, too, has profited from the existence of the national associations, for since their beginning it has received more than \$202,000,000, of which more than 92 per cent has been for circulation tax on the bank notes they issue.

With the exception of banks which have become insolvent as a result of defalcations or other dishonesty, failures have been almost wholly due to incompetent or reckless management, the report says, and persistent violations of the national banking laws and the practices governing conservative banking. "A large percentage of the banks that have failed should have gone into voluntary liquidation before they reached the condition which precipitated the failure," says Comptroller Murray.

Weak Concerns Being Weeded Out. The report leaves no room to doubt that it is the intention of the present administration to rid the national banking system of weak banks by guiding them into voluntary liquidation, a combination with stronger institutions wherever possible, or to discontinue

business as a last resort where there is no probability other than failure. In this way the comptroller believes depositors can be paid in full and shareholders can save some or their investments and escape the double liability. During the year, 115 national banks went into voluntary liquidation, many of them yielding to that policy, some were absorbed, others consolidated; many left the national banking field and continued as state organizations and some discontinued business altogether.

"It is the purpose," the report says, "to get out of the national banking system every bank which is managed in such a careless, reckless and speculative or incompetent manner as to endanger the safety of its depositors."

National banks, of course, provide the principal market for United States bonds. Their investments in those securities have increased \$10,000,000 in the last year and they now hold \$730,000,000 in those bonds of which approximately \$700,000,000 are 2 per cents. Clearly, it is evident that the national banking system has experienced its greatest growth in the last ten years. More than half the national banks now in existence have begun business within that time and have a combined capital of \$280,000,000. During the last ten years the number of banks in operation has increased by 3,533 and the authorized capital has increased \$383,000,000.

The bank note circulation of the country increased at the same time from \$254,000,000 to \$713,000,000, and reached the maximum in the history of the institutions in April of this year.

PAST YEAR A HARD ONE FOR LAWBREAKERS

Attorney General Wickersham's Annual Report Shows That It Has Been the Most Strenuous in the History of the Legal Department of the Government.

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reover \$700,000 of which the customs revenue is said to have been defrauded in imports of cheese and figs from Mediterranean ports, indictments are pending and some convictions have been secured. A high grade fraud system to defraud the government has been disclosed.

More than thirty individual indictments are pending against persons charged with smuggling with "sleeper trunks." Offers of compromise and offers for immunity are in the hands of the attorney general from several firms of importers who have confessed to frauds in undervaluations. "The condition disclosed seem to indicate a very general practice of undervaluations," says the attorney general, "and a very lax administration of the customs laws in the past, which has subjected the government to a very material loss of revenue. A general investigation into the subject of frauds by undervaluation has only commenced, and this branch of the subject will now be pressed vigorously."

Proposes New Immunity Statute. The attorney general recommends that a general immunity statute, such as exists under the interstate commerce laws, should be enacted to apply to criminal prosecutions generally, but says such a statute should only protect a witness from the consequence of the testimony he is obliged to give. There are twenty-five criminal indictments charging rebating and other illegal discriminations are pending against railroads, private corporations and individuals. Two convictions with fines were secured during the year.

Land Frauds are Probably Entitled to place with the customs frauds and violations of the anti-trust law. The department won signal victories during the year against unlawful fencing of the public domain. In ninety-eight civil suits and twenty-eight criminal prosecutions more than 400,000 acres of land illegally fenced were restored to the government.

Prosecutions against the Oregon and California Railroad company and forty-five other defendants to recover 2,300,000 acres of lands valued at \$50,000,000, against the government claims are illegally held are now pending. There are also under way twenty-four suits against the Central Pacific Railway company and others to recover thousands of acres of valuable lands, which the government contends were illegally fenced, probably with the private knowledge that they were valuable for the mineral and oils underneath.

Bucket Shops Closed Up. In the department's campaign against bucket shops, 350 such places were closed, while others voluntarily closed as a result of the crusade, and indictments are pending against men and corporations and the telegraph company which allowed the use of its wires. The bureau of investigation, which has built up an efficient secret police, began raids on firms charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes. The attorney general recommends legislation to permit the agents of that bureau to administer oaths and serve processes.

During the year there were 15,371 criminal cases of all sorts in the United States courts which produced fines, forfeitures and penalties aggregating \$1,083,974. Mr. Wickersham recommends legislation to give the right of appeal in Indian cases, a law for the issue of search warrants for property stolen from the government; that federal judges be allowed travelling expenses within their circuits and that the salaries of all federal justices be increased. He also recommends that the statute of limitations in customs frauds be extended from three to five years. The attorney general also recommends legislation to permit the United States to sue and prosecute an offending corporation wherever that corporation may do business.

As a result of the attorney general's recent trip to Alaska he presents some recommendations for the relief of that territory. Some law should be enacted to help the needy and deserving poor in that clime, he says. Under the present law, when a person is found with legs or arms frozen off or starved nearly to death, it is necessary to charge the invalid with vagrancy and have his complaint in order to get treatment in a government hospital.

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You Get the Benefit Don't overlook the fact that this move of ours is going to greatly benefit every one who buys of us during the next two weeks. There pianos are the very finest of our whole line and there are no better pianos made than those made by the Cable Co.

Get This and Understand It Just think what we are offering you. Our pianos are standard and of the very finest type and our regular prices are lower than the retail dealers because we are manufacturers and can afford to sell closer. But, for this next two weeks—we are going to cut these same prices twenty-five per cent, or more. Can you afford to miss this opportunity?

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Visitors Welcome There will be music and a cordial welcome for everybody every day whether you are buyers or not. Every evening we will give a Talking Machine and Inner Players' concert and we want you all to come. In case you do want a piano you will never find so profitable a time to buy one.

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### FOREIGN LABOR ENTERS CORNWALL

A POWERFUL ORATOR.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church who are managing a course of entertainments, the third of which will be a lecture by Dr. Andrew Gillies, of Minneapolis, at the Ishpeming theater next Friday evening, have decided to charge fifty cents for the entire lower floor, thirty-five for the balcony and twenty-five for gallery seats for this number. Students' tickets for unreserved seats will also be sold at twenty-five cents.

Dr. Gillies will lecture on 'Jean Valjean,' the same lecture that he gave at the Guild hall, Marquette, the evening of Feb. 23, this year. The Mining Journal of the 24th said of his lecture: "Dr. Andrew Gillies, of Minneapolis, who lectured at the Guild Hall last night on 'Jean Valjean,' the hero of Victor Hugo's masterpiece, 'Les Miserables,' was greeted by a capacity house. This was the noted divine's first appearance in this city and he made a profound impression upon his hearers. While his lecture was rather more serious than the average popular lecture, it was not so scholarly as to be beyond the grasp of anyone, and he held the close interest and attention of his audience from beginning to end. His language is graphic and picturesque; his sentences are terse and crisp, and he is witty and at the same time fascinatingly entertaining. The strongest part of his lecture was his graphic portrayal of the struggle between the forces of good and evil for the soul of Jean Valjean. Many of those present declared Dr. Gillies to be the best lecturer they had ever heard."

Mine Owners Were Compelled to Bring in Workmen or Abandon Operations.

Recent advices from Cornwall, Eng., are to the effect that Italian and Polish miners are entering that field, for the first time in the memory of the oldest Cornish miners here that it has been necessary to import labor into Cornwall. Some of the Cornish mines have been running short-handed for weeks past. The management of the Lavant mine, at St. Just, was the first to import foreign workmen. At the annual meeting of the stockholders of this company a few weeks ago, the labor problem was fully discussed. The officials reported that the mine could not be operated successfully unless the force was considerably increased. They had been trying for months to build up their working forces with native labor, but without success. The Lavant mine lost money last year because of the shortage of labor, and the officers reported that it was impossible to make a profit for the stockholders under the existing conditions.

The Lavant interests feared that the importing of miners from other countries would cause dissatisfaction in Cornwall, but when it appeared that the company either had to bring in men or close down the mines there was no fault found with the former course.

Many Italian miners have already taken up residence in Cornwall. Most of the newcomers have found conditions to their liking and it is said that others will follow them. The prediction that Cornwall may soon become thoroughly cosmopolitan is freely made by those who are familiar with labor conditions there.

The Cornish miners in the upper peninsula are deeply interested in the situation at their old home. They say that other mining camps of the world have drained Cornwall of its best miners in recent years. Fully 100 Cornish miners who came direct from their native land, have located in Marquette county during the past three or four months. Many have also located in the copper country.

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### PYTHIAN SOCIETY'S ELECTION.

Zenith lodge, No. 33, Knights of Pythias, has elected the following officers:

Chancellor—Commander—Harry S. Peterson.  
Vice Chancellor—James B. Rogers.  
Prelate—Charles Thomas.  
Master of Work—Francis Medlyn.  
Keeper of Records and Seal—J. A. Blackney.  
Master of Finance—John A. Olson.  
Master of Exchequer—John S. Olson.  
Master at Arms—Thomas Gordon.  
Inside Guard—E. O. Bengry.  
Outer Guard—Arthur Anderson.  
Trustee for three years—James Brydon.  
Captain of Degree team—E. A. Ludlow.  
Musical Director—E. E. Reidinger.  
The installation will take place on the first Wednesday evening in January. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the session.

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LOST—A small pocketbook, containing \$1.71, between Braastad's and Henrikson's stores. Finder please return to Agnes Swanson, 702 Empire street.  
12-13-10

## L. O. T. M. M.

### ATTENTION!

Officers of the local hive have received most gratifying news from the Great Hive Officers. Call at once and see us. DON'T DELAY. IT MEANS MONEY FOR ALL.

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### AUCTION SALE.

Auction sale of eighty acres of good farming land at North Greenwood; one team of heavy horses, large lot of farming implements, cedar poles, etc., will take place in front of August Jacobs' blacksmith shop Thursday afternoon, Dec. 15, 1910, at 1 o'clock.

AUGUST JACOB,  
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A most extensive variety of novelties suitable for Xmas gifts.

Ladies and Children's Hand Bags, ranging in price from ..... 25c. to \$8.00

Ladies Mesh Bags... \$3.50 to \$7.00

Children's Mesh Bags .50 to 1.25

Plain Back Combs and Barrettes in Shell and Amber at .10c to 25c

Fancy Back Combs and Barrettes put up in Xmas boxes ..... 50c to \$1.50

Fancy gold inlaid Back Combs, in Xmas boxes... 50c, 75c, \$1.00

### HOSIERY



The widest range of styles and prices.

Silk and Lisle thread Hosiery, all colors, at..... 25c to \$1.50

Ladies' and Children's Cashmere and Home Knit Hosiery ..... 25c to 75c

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All the popular shades, cardinal blue, Gray, olive, white, hunter's green, etc., made with shawl, storm and rolled collars at ..... \$2.75 to \$7.50

### Art Goods

A Fund of Practical Unusual Gifts.

So many are the purchases being made from our present extensive display of gift articles for home ornamentation that the Art Goods section is now undoubtedly more than ever a center of interest to Holiday shoppers.

Embroidered Dresser Scarfs, and Centerpieces to match at..... 50c 60c and 75c

Handmade Cluny Dresser Scarfs and Table Cover at... \$2.25 to \$7.00

Cluny Lace Pieces round square or oblong shapes at..... 29c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, 89c, 98c

Hand Crochet Doilies and Mats, 12 to 15 inches at..... 45c to 75c

### Dress Goods



We've made some enviable records in Dress Goods selling this season, and it's all due to our carrying the right kind of goods—the kind wanted.

We are showing many new novelties, specially suited for the Holiday trade.

A magnificent exhibition of Fancy Waist Patterns, put up in Xmas boxes, 3 and 3½ yard lengths in Merceized Stripes and Checks, also in Embroidered Swiss at..... \$1.00 to \$1.50 each

Fancy Linen Sets, round and square shapes, per set... \$4.50 to \$9.00

Lunch Cloths, 45 in. square, at..... \$2.00 to \$3.50

Lunch Cloths, 36-in. square, at..... 1.25 to .2.00

Lunch Cloths, 34-in. square, at..... .60 to 1.00

Fancy Table Linen, per yard..... .50 to 1.75

### Merry Xmas patterns—the gay Yuletide sort.

Here you will find the Merry Xmas patterns—the gay Yuletide sort.

Fancy Flowered Ribbons, 7 and 8 in. wide, per yard ..... 35c

Fancy Persians, all colors, 4 to 6 in. wide. .25c to 35c

Fancy striped Ribbons, 4½ wide, for pillow ruffling per yard ..... 25c

Holly Ribbons, No. 1 and 1½, per bolt..... 25c

Plain Ribbons, ¼ in. to 6 in wide, per yd. .3c to 15c

### Dainty Aprons



Here's a display you'll enjoy.

It is our purpose to be the first to show the new styles in Aprons, and our showing of the out-of-the-ordinary kinds is on a much greater scale this season than ever before. So many styles we cannot begin to tell you about them.

We are featuring a line of Persian lawns and fancy striped and checked dimities, very prettily trimmed with lace and embroidery made after the very newest designs—something new and original in Aprons, each ..... 50c to \$2.75

Gloves make excellent gifts, but it is important that they be reliable quality. You are assured of that here.

Ladies' black, white and colored Kid Gloves, in suede and glace. \$1 to \$2.25

Ladies Cashmere Gloves in brown, tan, navy, gray and black, all sizes..... 25c and 50c

Children's Gloves in colors..... 25c to 40c

Ladies' and Children's Woven Mittens..... 10c to 50c

Ladies' black Silk Mittens. \$1.15 to \$1.25

Ladies' Chamousette Gloves at 25c and 50c

### Gift Handkerchiefs Galore



There is a marked preference for the exquisite novelties we show in Handkerchiefs, supplying as they do the demand for gifts that are distinctive, always highly acceptable and comparatively inexpensive.

Our displays are proving especially interesting in the charming embroidered and Madeira lace Handkerchiefs, selling up to ..... \$1.25 each

Children's plain and colored borders, put up in neat Xmas boxes..... 15c

Greatest variety and best values here. Many specials.

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### Ishpeming

## PATRON OF STEAM BATH HOUSE ROBBED

Recent Arrival from Canada Claims to Have Been "Touched" for \$185.

Gust Rantala, who recently returned from a several months' stay in Canada, claims to have had a rather expensive steam bath in John Kunnari's place on Fourth street. He says that while he was in the bathroom someone went through the pockets of his clothes in the changing room and robbed him of \$185.

some five or six others, were in the changing room when Rantala and his brother entered it. Rantala says he missed the money as soon as he left the steam room.

It developed at the hearing that Rantala had no particular reason to suspect Kappela or Korpele, any more than any of the other men in the changing room at the time. They had left the changing room when he returned to it from the bathroom and he got the idea that they had taken the money and left hurriedly. The other men in the room testified that they had not seen either Kappela or Korpele meddling with Rantala's clothing.

As Rantala could furnish no proof that either of the two men arrested, or any of the others in the room at the time, were guilty, the case was dismissed.

Rantala says that the money was Canadian currency, which he brought back from Canada with him. The officers doubt that Rantala lost the amount he names, as it is said that he had been around town spending money freely for some time before he went to the bath house.

### SANTA CLAUS ATTRACTS CROWD.

Some 1,000 children and many adults congregated on Main street in front of the N. E. Skud estate's store yesterday

afternoon, to greet Santa Claus on his first appearance. The window had been appropriately decorated and it was announced that Santa would appear at 4 o'clock. The children came running in all directions from the schools and the street was blocked with boys and girls. Santa appeared at the appointed time and he greatly amused the little folks for a half hour or more. Santa will appear in the window each afternoon between now and Christmas.

\$425 new upright piano reduced to \$287. Easy terms. Grinnell Bros. Christmas Sale. 12-13-3d

### AN APPEAL FOR AID.

Salvation Army Will Provide Christmas Dinners for Poor People.

Charles J. Staiger, the officer in charge of the Ishpeming corps of the Salvation Army, is making up a list of the poor families in the city, with a view to providing them with Christmas dinners. Within a few days he will place tracts on some of the street corners to receive cash donations. He will also mail the following appeal to Ishpeming people:

"In accordance with what has now become our custom throughout this country the Ishpeming corps of the Salvation Army proposes to provide Christmas dinners for the needy families of our city. 'I am sure we shall all enjoy our Christmas the better if we feel assured that no one is going hungry or lacking the good things that go to make up a merry Christmas. The Salvation Army is prepared to do the work if the good people of our city will provide the money. Last year approximately two hundred were provided for by the Ishpeming corps and the number this year will probably be about the same. If you help us in this effort by sending a donation? If any money remains over after providing the dinners, it will be used in the local work of the Army. 'All donations of one dollar and over will be acknowledged by receipt. 'Make checks payable to the Salvation Army or to Charles J. Staiger.'

Ladies' Suits, Coats and trimmed hats at half price. (12-10-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO.

### PRESENTS FOR MAIL CARRIERS.

Movement Started to Show Appreciation of Good Service Here.

A movement has been started for the raising of a fund to be divided among the Ishpeming mail carriers Christmas eve. Those who first conceived the plan canvassed the situation thoroughly before deciding to go ahead with it, and they found sentiment unanimously in their favor. Those who feel disposed to aid in the movement are asked to leave their contributions at either the Miners' or Peninsula bank. The money will be divided equally among the carriers, and the presentation will be made by the cashiers of the banks.

One of the men interested yesterday said he did not think it would be necessary to solicit subscriptions, as he thought that all business men and other leading citizens would desire to reward the mail carriers for the splendid service given us by the carriers of the city of Ishpeming, and believing they are deserving of some substantial recognition of their services which have been conducted through many years, and often in the face of considerable hardship, we the undersigned do hereby subscribe the same amounts following our names, the same to be presented, when all collected, and divided equally among the carriers of the Ishpeming postoffice.

\$300 upright piano now \$165. Grinnell Bros' Christmas Sale. 12-13-3d

### WILL SEAT 400.

Large Attendance Expected at Gymnastic Exhibition Tomorrow Evening.

The officers of the Young Men's Christian association expect a record breaking attendance at the exhibition, to be given tomorrow evening in the gymnasium. Many tickets have already been sold and much interest is manifested. There will be seats for 400 and at least 100 will be able to find desirable standing room either on the gymnasium floor or the race track above.

The first number of the program will be given promptly at 8 o'clock. One hundred or more boys and young men will take part in the exercises. In addition to the acrobatic features, there will be a larger number of clowns than have ever before taken part at a Y. M. C. A. entertainment.

### GOOD FELLOWSHIP MEETING.

The good fellowship meeting, held Sunday afternoon in the Young Men's Christian association building, was largely attended. The association orchestra gave several pleasing numbers and refreshments were served by the social committee. There will be a complete change of program for these meetings every Sunday and new features will be added from time to time.

The Senior League baseball games of the Young Men's Christian association, which are scheduled for tomorrow evening, will be played Friday evening instead, because of the gymnastic entertainment. The Rose and Erickson teams will play at 7:45 and the Martin and Nicholls nine will meet at 8:45.

"I have been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by The People's Drug Store, S. B. Jones, prop.

Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats for Men. (12-10-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO.

### ANNUAL MEETING.

Gwinn, Mich., Dec. 10, 1910. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The Gwinn State Savings bank will be held at its banking room in the Village of Gwinn, Michigan, on Tuesday, the tenth day of January, 1911, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

### SULLIVAN TRIAL TODAY.

The hearing in the case brought against C. S. Sullivan, proprietor of the Royal moving picture theater, on the charge of violating the state law by opening for business on Sunday, will take place this morning in Judge Andrews' court. P. H. O'Brien, the well-known attorney of Calumet, and T. Dandou will conduct Mr. Sullivan's case and the prosecution will be conducted by F. A. Bell, the prosecuting attorney.

2000 yards Calico on sale today at per yard, 5 cents. (12-10-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO. ERECTING TRESTLES.

The steel trestles at the Cleveland-Cliffs iron company's Cliff shafts property are now being erected. They will extend from the new crusher building to both shafts. As the tram cars from the mine enter the crusher building near the top the trestles are over eighty feet high at the highest point. They will extend on an incline to a point near the cages, where the cars will be removed from the trestles. It will be several months before the crusher and new trestles will be in use.

### A LAUGH PROVOKER.

"Seven Days," the comedy by Mary Rinehart and Avery Hopwood that the Wagenhals & Kemper company will present at Ishpeming theater next Thursday evening, has been generally commended for the twofold merit of cleverness and cleanliness. The authors have made an extremely funny and amusing play and have kept it free from the least suspicion of indecency, a gratifying achievement and one that many another dramatist will do well to imitate. There was an excellent summary of "Seven Days" in Life. This publication said of the play:

"Fun and nothing but fun are to be found in 'Seven Days.' It is farce absolutely, but it is farce of clever lines and unusual ingenuity. Better than all, it is a clean farce, and gives the lie to a belief prevalent in some managerial quarters that to please the big American public fun must be risky. 'Seven Days' certainly is laugh provoking almost to excess. The authors have achieved a rare accomplishment. To construct three acts of purely dramatic farce and have the fun absolutely continuous is no mean task."

### CURB STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes items like A. M., B. E., C. M., D. S., E. W., F. G., G. H., H. I., I. J., J. K., K. L., L. M., M. N., N. O., O. P., P. Q., Q. R., R. S., S. T., T. U., U. V., V. W., W. X., X. Y., Y. Z.

### Geo. E. Buce's Review.

The action of the New York market today was much better than it has been on a Monday for some time past. There was excellent buying on all declines. There was a good demand for the Boston copper all day. East Butte was taken under 13, North Butte under 30, Superior & Arizona around 14 and Calumet & Arizona under 32. The New York copper stocks, especially the better grades, and buying orders are more plentiful. Stocks weakened near the close in sympathy with improvement in the local industry.

### D. T. Morgan & Co's Letter.

The New York market opened lower and was rather narrow, with little change during the greater part of the session. Near the close the list sold off and closed from one-half to a point lower. Europe sold about 10,000 shares on balance. News was somewhat in sympathy with the market in tone, but there is little interest manifested in the market as yet by the larger investors. Our New York correspondents believe the market will be higher and advise buying Reading. The Boston market was considerably broader today, with the trading very good in Calumet & Arizona, East Butte, Lake, North Butte, Superior & Pittsburg, Hancock, Superior Copper and Shattuck. There was also a fair demand for Butte Coalition, Gwinn, Greene Cananea and Shannon. Nipissing was higher on the declaration of a 37 1/2 cent dividend. There is a decided improvement in the local industry. Buying orders are more plentiful. Stocks weakened near the close in sympathy with improvement from new stocks, especially the better grades, and buying orders are more plentiful. Stocks weakened near the close in sympathy with improvement from new stocks, especially the better grades, and buying orders are more plentiful.

### ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

Roy. H. Heppie was tendered a birthday surprise by about thirty of his Ishpeming and Negannee friends Saturday

evening, at his home on Johnson street. Games were played and a lunch was served.

The city employees were paid yesterday.

The public toilets in the city building have been completed.

D. D. Randall left Sunday night for Seattle, Wash., to be absent two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kangas, 212 Second street, are the parents of a daughter.

City taxes, also those for Ishpeming township, are payable at the Miners' National bank.

I. L. Butterfield, who visited Tom Clancey, for a few days, has left for his home in Grand Rapids.

D. E. Rice, proprietor of the Lyric theater, in 1911 for a family reunion.

The schools will close for the holiday vacation a week from Thursday, the 22nd, and will open on Tuesday morning, Jan. 3.

R. J. Wise, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, left yesterday for Detroit on business. He will be home Friday or Saturday.

Organs, \$10 up, \$2 per month. Grinnell Bros' Christmas Sale. 12-13-3d

### BROWNS IN U. S. WILL VISIT SCOTLAND FOR BIG REUNION IN 1911.

New York, Dec. 8.—The Browns of America, at least a fair-sized representation of them, are going to Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1911 for a family reunion. D. Campbell Brown, general manager of the David MacBrayne Steamship company, limited, which operates the steamers between Glasgow, Scotland, and the West Highlands, is at the Bellevue-Stratford today, arranging for the gathering of the Browns.

Mr. Brown, who in addition to being the manager of the steamship company is the representative in Scotland of Brown Brothers & Co., of this city and New York, is completing extensive plans for the entertainment of the descendants of the Scottish clan of Browns who are now in America.

Three thousand bearing the name, it is expected, will make the pilgrimage back to the old country. Mr. Brown has chartered two steamships to convey them to Edinburgh, and it is expected that it will be necessary to increase the transportation facilities.

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"I have been troubled with constipation for two years and tried all of the best physicians in Bristol, Tenn., and they could do nothing for me," writes Thos. E. Williams, Middleboro, Ky. "Two packages of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cured me." For sale by The People's Drug Store, S. B. Jones, prop. Kuppenheimer Suits and Overcoats for Men. (12-10-11) F. BRAASTAD & CO. ANNUAL MEETING. Gwinn, Mich., Dec. 10, 1910. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of The Gwinn State Savings bank will be held at its banking room in the Village of Gwinn, Michigan, on Tuesday, the tenth day of January, 1911, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 a. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. CHESTER D. MASTERS, Cashier.

PRIMARY SCHOOL LAW NEEDS AMENDMENT

State Superintendent Wright Offers Suggestions for Its Material Betterment.

Legislation looking toward the equitable distribution of the primary money will be asked of the coming session of the Michigan legislature...

Under the existing laws the money can be used only for the paying of teachers' salaries and for the payment of tuition.

Another thing that the department wants is legislation to simplify the keeping of district accounts.

The tuition law ought to be amended so that it will define a high school and so that somebody will be authorized to say whether or not a pupil has completed the eighth grade.

BURROWS KEEPING FRIENDS IN OFFICE

Senator Smith Not Yet Given Chance to Pay Off Old Obligations.

By declining to do anything Senator Burrows may lengthen the lease of life of his federal obligations in Michigan.

Since the primaries Mr. Burrows has had an opportunity to let it be known that he would stand aside, but he has not yet done so.

Accordingly, Samuel M. Lemon remains as internal revenue collector in Grand Rapids, John B. Whelan as collector of customs in Detroit.

The terms of all these have expired, and they are hanging on because their successors have not been appointed.

Mr. Smith is said to feel that he has waited about four years for a chance to reward his friends, and that he would be glad to have a chance without further delay.

will wait a while longer with such patience as he can muster. Harmony in patronage is anticipated between Mr. Smith and Senator-elect Townsend.

Upper Peninsula

State Law Violated—In Justice Meeker's court at Muskegon last week R. J. Fleming pleaded guilty to violating Section 5 of Act No. 244 of the Public Acts of 1909.

One Woman Who Got a Deer—In the upper peninsula the past season the number of deer actually killed by women can probably be counted on the fingers of one's hand.

Game Warden Resigns—W. H. Masters, of Munising, who a few weeks ago was appointed a deputy state game and fire warden, has forwarded his resignation to State Game Warden Pierce.

Charged With Forgery—Gus Carlson is confined at the county jail at Escanaba facing a term of ninety days or paying a fine and costs amounting to \$100 as security for payment of a time check belonging to Morris Kennedy.

Killed by a Train—The remains of a man dressed as a woodman were found in a rock-cut on the St. Paul road about eight miles south of Iron Mountain last week.

The Tale of a Chicago Sport—Tom Hanna publishes the following in the Iron Mountain Press: When Axel Huseby, of Chicago, made application to the county clerk at Escanaba to a non-resident hunter's license, paying \$25 for the document, he informed that official that he "wanted to enjoy himself at least one day during his stay in the upper peninsula, no matter what the cost."

HE "TOOK AN ASSISTANT"—Marshall Traveling Man Elopes With Society Belle. Marshall, Dec. 12.—Miss Delta Lois Seeger, daughter of Joseph Seeger, and Charles W. Dobbins, son of former Mayor Samuel F. Dobbins, eloped to Kalamazoo, where they were married, after which they took a train for Chicago.

City Pays for the Stone—Mayor Solomon Greenhoof of Escanaba will not be forced to pay for crushed stone ordered by him without the consent of the aldermen and a portion of which was used in paving parts of Michigan avenue.

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ing the action on the stone bills. Alderman Johnson announced that he wished to change his vote on the former motion.

WHITE LIGHTS BURN HIS MONEY

Thomas H. Wilkins, Automobile Tire Manager, the Moth Whose Wings Are Singed.

New York, Dec. 12.—Thomas H. Wilkins, thirty years old, and thrifty, as his wife and child were accustomed to believe, brought his career as manager of a Broadway automobile tire concern to a close in the West Forty-seventh street police station, where he surrendered himself after his employers had begun an investigation of his books.

When they asked Wilkins, after finding what seemed to be a shortage, approximately \$5000, on the first day's audit, what he had done with the money, he pointed down Broadway with a dramatic pose, in the gathering dusk, the "white lights" were just beginning to blink in the theatrical stretches that lie in the tiers of blocks just below those given over to automobiles and automobile fixtures.

"They got it," he said. "The White Light district got every cent of it. It started with him taking out of the sale of a pair of tires for \$110 and it ended—well, that stack of orders in my desk aren't real orders. They are fictitious orders made to cover real orders a year and maybe two years back."

The man was asked about his wife and child, but he had tried to live beyond his means. That broke him down, and he declared, between sobs, that he had always lived on the square as to his family, paying them over regularly the larger part of his salary and conducting his Broadway conquests entirely out of the money taken from the company's treasury.

After hearing the details, Magistrate Breen held Wilkins in \$5000 bail on a charge of grand larceny amounting to \$110. This was the first transaction traced on the general manager's books.

Some time ago the firm noticed a falling off in their receipts from the New York branch, and Lawyer Sidney S. Meyers started an investigation. An inventory of the tires on hand showed a shortage, with a rush of orders suddenly appearing from the manager's desk, partially filled by the deficiencies.

Then it was found that patrons who had paid their bills had not been credited with the amounts turned in, and that sales had been made to persons who were not on the company's books.

Mr. Meyers said that Wilkins had made and signed a complete confession, in obtaining his consent, as Magistrate Breen put it, a very heavy bond.

Marshall Traveling Man Elopes With Society Belle. Marshall, Dec. 12.—Miss Delta Lois Seeger, daughter of Joseph Seeger, and Charles W. Dobbins, son of former Mayor Samuel F. Dobbins, eloped to Kalamazoo, where they were married, after which they took a train for Chicago.

Dobbins is salesman for the Marshall Furniture company and also operates the Princeton amusements in this city.

He first met Miss Seeger when he employed her as pianist in the Temple theater five months ago. Her parents opposed their marriage and recently she entered Albion college.

At Kalamazoo the knot was tied.

Webster, Dec. 9.—George Latrener was painfully burned when potato tablets in his face he was smoking blazed up in his face. The tablets were placed in the pipe by acquaintances as a joke, and the joke took a serious turn when an examination of Latrener's face showed the eyebrows and eyelashes burned off, and his nose fried.

HEARST DEMANDS BOY SCOUT PROBE. He Charges Mismanagement of the Part of Directors. Whitman today began an investigation into the charges filed by William Randolph Hearst against the management of what is known as the American Boy Scout movement, which was organized by Hearst, but from which he recently resigned.

Whitman invited J. F. McGrath, managing director of the scouts; Charles P. Devere, vice president, and General James R. O'Brien to appear before him and tell him something of the movement.

Whitman made it specific that these gentlemen were under no charges whatever and that they were simply invited to call so that he might get an outline of the case.

The investigation was instituted upon the receipt of a letter from Mr. Hearst, the ex-president of the organization, who charged that there had been "irregular proceedings on the part of a clique of directors."

Dobbins telegraphed his employers that he had "taken an assistant and would be off for a week," and the bride notified her parents that she had changed her name to Mrs. Charles W. Dobbins.

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GOOD ADVICE TO ALL PRESENT DAY LAWYERS

Judge C. R. Brown Wrote Article Forty Years Ago That Is Timely Even Today.

In the current number of Law Notes, a legal publication of national reputation among all attorneys, is re-published an article written in 1871 by Judge C. R. Brown, of this city, which first appeared in the Michigan Nisi Prius reports of that year.

Read no authority from reports, without first having examined the case so as to be able to state the main facts.

Read only so much as bears directly upon the point. If the judge comprehends readily, nothing more is required.

Never read an authority to support your position when the court concurs with you. It is proper to ask, whenever a question arises, if the court entertains doubts, and upon what particular points; and when the judge, in doubtful cases, should not decide without a full hearing, it is considered to be no compromise of that dignity which pertains to the bench, for the judge to intimate to counsel the points upon which he desires arguments and authorities.

Don't expect rulings which you know are purely discretionary. It is difficult for the judge, in such case, to determine what motive dictates the exception—whether it is from force of habit, ignorance of the law, or to annoy the court and cumber up the record.

One exception upon the same point, and involving the same principle, is just as effectual as a dozen. Hence, when a ruling has been made upon a question deemed to be vital, it is difficult to conceive what is to be gained by interposing objection after objection upon the same point.

Never ask the same question more than twice to the same witness. If he tries to evade your question, the jury and court can hardly fail to discover it, and will weigh the testimony according to its merits.

The cross-examination of an honest witness should be conducted with candor, and the questions put should be directly to the point in issue. A different course of examination is almost sure to prejudice a jury against the attorney, and too often, it is feared, against his innocent client.

In the cross-examination of a witness whom you believe to be dishonest, it is well to measure his mental caliber before opening your broadside upon him. Too many attorneys take it for granted that the witness they will have no difficulty in exposing his falsehood; when, in fact, it often happens that the questions put out on the stand, and the witness may have appeared in his testimony in chief, and thus enable him so to speak as to cover his tracks, with fresh falsehoods.

It is unfortunate for the client when his counsel, forgetting his duty as an officer of the court, seeks a petty quarrel with a witness, and when he conceives he has said a sharp thing, of has cornered the witness, to appeal to the jury with a broad triumphant grin, indicative of a degree of self-satisfaction, seeming to say: "I've got him now. Didn't I do that nice?"

In nine cases out of ten, of this character, the jury, if allowed to answer, would say: "Yes, you have bullied an honest witness into a falsehood. It is unfortunate for the cause of truth that you have not less cheek and more brains."

Some lawyers, if permitted, indulge in cross-examination, and seem to relish it. It is hardly necessary to remark that such a habit should be avoided.

The habit of making constant objections to the introduction of evidence, without being able to assign any reason for such objections, indicates a desire to suppress the truth, and a jury are not slow in discovering that fact.

In almost every cause there are many facts important to the issue known to both parties. In such cases it is believed that honest attorneys will not hesitate to admit such facts at the commencement of the trial, and thus save much valuable time and expense.

The rules of practice, and the rules of evidence, are designed to develop the truth as to matters in controversy between the parties, and when these rules are urged and their operation invoked to suppress the truth, and to bring about a verdict, it is like stealing the "lively of heaven to serve the devil in."

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LOWER PENINSULA MAN ON DEER LAWS

E. C. Larsen, of Bay City, Holds That Benefits of Sport Outweigh Its Dangers.

E. C. Larsen, of Bay City, has added his contribution to the much discussed question of game law revision by the next legislature, which, coming from a lower peninsula man, is worthy of the careful attention of every upper peninsula sportsman.

"I am disappointed in reading the various editorials in the daily press of late concerning fatalities and accidents of the past deer hunting season. I wish to protest against the many unfair insinuations and measures suggested for adoption by the coming legislature, made in most instances by persons not interested in the sport and totally ignorant of the use of firearms and conditions prevailing in the field today.

"Practically the only recreation I have had the past twenty years has been in fishing and hunting in Michigan and northern states, and I can testify that it has been the principal means of overcoming the depressing effects of sustained application in my labors, and in renewing the strength and elasticity of muscle and restoring the responsiveness of my faculties.

"I shall not try to mention the many unfair statements and unreasonable measures suggested, as above referred to, but I am sorry to see that the deer hunter has been burdened with all the deaths and accidents occurring whether the party injured was engaged in hunting or in some other way being connected with some sort of a hunting expedition and handling of firearms.

Some Put Premium on Life. "The measures suggested range from entire prohibition of the sport to methods that would put a premium upon the destruction of a human life and extinction of game.

"That present regulations are deficient in my opinion, is debatable, but if changes are to be made, they should be reasonable to all concerned, and not discouraging to a form of sport and recreation very beneficial to participants.

"A prohibitive fee of \$25 to residents and non-residents entirely barred, has been suggested. The sportsman who is interested enough to leave his business to partake in the sport. Such a fee would be prohibitive to the farmer, and the average hunter who gained his desire in former years as a settler or trapper, and it would encourage law breaking by that class.

"Most accidents result from unfamiliarity with firearms, mostly in the hands of young boys and persons of poor judgment, in some instances persons whose eyesight and judgment have been affected by too much alcohol before leaving camp.

"Anxiety getting the game is the principal motive for hasty action, and to remedy that fault the Oregon law, providing for the shooting of bucks with horns only, might be applied. That would also reduce the number of deer killed and leave fewer wounded deer to be lost.

"I firmly believe that the shooting of a human being by mistake is the gravest criminal negligence and should be punished accordingly, and not be regarded in the light of an accident.

"By making the season November 15 to December 1 would insure snow in Michigan and aid the hunter in following the wounded deer as well as hunting down the criminal wretch who would leave his human victim without aid."

MISTLETOE A MENACE TO TREES. Few people who know mistletoe only as a desirable feature of Christmas decorations understand that the plant is a parasite dangerous to the life of trees in the regions in which it grows.

STOMACH TROUBLES. Cured by Vinol—Here is Proof: Seymour, Ind., "I was troubled with a chronic stomach trouble and five weeks ago it got so bad I had to give up work.

WILL ASK JACKSON BOARD TO QUIT Governor-elect Osborn Springs Surprise at Detroit—Message Said to Be "Corker."

It turns out that Governor-elect Osborn spent two very busy days in Detroit last week and started some things which promise to be exceedingly interesting, says the Free Press.

Among other things the governor submitted a draft of his message to some of his friends, and to put it mildly, some of the paragraphs made their hair stand on end, with the result that they have been begging him to tone it down.

the tree itself will be killed. The parasite saps the life of the infected branches. Fortunately it is of slow growth, taking years to develop, and large proportions, but when neglected it invariably ruins all trees it reaches. The only method of extermination is the cutting down of diseased trees.—Youth's Companion.

by Alderman Donovan, and carried unanimously, that said matter be referred to the committee on purchases, salaries and wages with power to act.

CHINESE EMPEROR'S TOMB. The Pall Mall Gazette states that a magnificent mausoleum is to be built to mark the resting place of the late Son of Heaven—the Chinese emperor, Kwang Hsu.

SAVED FROM AWFUL DEATH. How an appalling calamity in his family was prevented is told by A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C. R. E. D. No. 8. "My sister had consumption," he writes, "she was very thin and pale, had no appetite and seemed to grow weaker every day, as all remedies failed, until Dr. King's New Discovery was tried, and so completely cured her, that she has not been troubled with a cough since. It's the best medicine I ever saw or heard of."

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## Negaunee Department

### GREENE TALKS ON THEATRICAL SITUATION

Many of Leading Theater Managers in Northwest in a Bad Way for Attractions.

"I do not remember a time in the many years that I have been engaged in the theatrical business when there have been so few attractions on the road as at present," said Francis Greene, whose company is filling a two weeks' engagement at McDonald's Opera House. "From the many letters I am receiving from house managers in Wisconsin, Michigan and other western states, asking me to fill open time, I am of the opinion that most of the theaters in the Northwest have been dark for weeks past. I am being offered time in some of the best houses in the Northwest, but I have found that a stock company like mine can do better in the smaller towns, where they do not get the high priced attractions, than in the larger places. "Some of the managers in the larger Wisconsin towns write me that they have not had an attraction in nearly a month and that they have very few booked for the remainder of the season. I have been offered time in the theaters of Fond du Lac, Green Bay and Oshkosh and other Wisconsin cities. In October we played four Sunday nights in Oshkosh to capacity business. Manager Haber, of the Fond du Lac theater, informs me that his house was dark for the first time in its history on Thanksgiving night. "The managers in Wisconsin have a better opportunity to get shows than the managers of the iron and copper districts, as they secure many attractions that are going to Milwaukee, but in spite of this fact all of the Wisconsin managers complain of lack of bookings. They have expensive houses and in order to make them pay must have them open nearly every night in the week. Fond du Lac, Oshkosh and Green Bay are great Sunday night towns, but for three months past the managers have had difficulty filling even their Sunday night time. "There are few stock companies now on the road. Most of them ran into bad business early in the season and were closed. Some of the best attractions that were sent out of New York and Chicago this season have also been withdrawn because of poor business. The trouble is mostly due to the disorganization of the one-night stand bookings. Some of the companies do not know from one week to another where they are going to Milwaukee. "I will be able during the remainder of the season to pick my time, but I will keep away from the larger cities, except on Sunday nights. I will probably go from here to Iron River. "The bad conditions in the theatrical world cannot be charged wholly to the moving picture theaters, as many of these houses are also going out of business, and some of those remaining open are having a hard time to meet their obligations. Many picture houses have closed during the past few months. Many actors who have been thrown out of work have gone into the moving picture business, either conducting houses, singing, or posing for picture productions."

### MANY FRATERNAL SOCIETIES.

Representatives of Lodge Working Here Says Calumet Has About Eighty.

Mrs. Cora Sunday, deputy for the Lady Maccabees of the World, who has been working in Negaunee the past few days, has completed her class of twenty-five for the Negaunee branch and the initiation will take place Friday evening. In the meanwhile Mrs. Sunday will endeavor to increase the class to thirty or more. "In spite of the fact that there are many fraternal societies in the upper peninsula, it seems that there is always room for a few more," said Mrs. Sunday, yesterday. "When I was working in Calumet for the Lady Maccabees of the World a few months ago, I was told that there are no less than eighty branches of fraternal organizations there. You may think there are a good many in Negaunee and Ispening, but when you consider the number that exist in Calumet, you will admit that there is still an opening for fraternal work in these two cities. I have had little trouble securing our class of twenty-five, and I believe that as many more applications can be secured in a comparatively short time. When I was in Calumet there were no less than six representatives of fraternal societies, besides myself, working in the field. We were all successful and it is surprising the number of people we found who did not belong to any society and who did not carry any insurance. "I met many women in the copper country who belong to six or seven lodges. Neither fraternal or old line life insurance is overdone in the upper peninsula, though many people who are unfamiliar with the facts tell me that there are already too many societies and that too much insurance is being carried. "The Lady Maccabees of the World are making good headway in both the lower and upper peninsula, as are also the Knights of the Maccabees of the World. The latter has grown more rapidly during the past two or three years than the women's branch, simply because they have had a greater number of workers in the field and are covering the ground more rapidly than we are."

### TAXES COMING IN.

Negaunee property owners have started to pay their taxes, which are being collected through the State bank, and it is expected that there will be a rush next week. After Jan. 9, three percent extra will be charged for collections. As a rule, Negaunee's list of delinquent taxpayers is smaller proportionately than in any other city or town in the upper peninsula. It is seldom that the total amount of unpaid taxes turned over the county treasurer reaches \$500.

### OPENING OF LABOR TEMPLE.

Entertainments Will Be Held Sunday Afternoon and Evening.

The committee in charge of the dedicatory exercises to be held next Sunday at the new labor temple, being erected on Tobin street, has arranged programs for both the afternoon and evening. The first program will begin at 1 o'clock, and the exercises in the evening at 7:30. At the close of the afternoon program a dinner will be served. Emil Seidel, the socialist mayor of Milwaukee, will speak in the afternoon, and in the evening a historical drama in five acts, entitled "Daniel Hjort," will be presented. In addition to Mr. Seidel's address in the afternoon, a musical program will be given by the Negaunee Italian band and a Negaunee choir. Mayor Seidel will speak at 2 o'clock. The admission for the entertainment will be fifty cents. In addition to the drama in the evening there will be several musical numbers, including selections by a large orchestra. Tickets for the evening program are selling at from \$1 to \$10. The \$5 and \$10 tickets will include the dinner. The members of the Negaunee Socialist Finnish society have been selling tickets for the evening entertainment for several weeks past and the receipts will be large.

### HAD CLOSE CALL.

Captain J. P. Edwards drove to Crystal Falls on business Monday. Jim Davsey accompanied him, the two of them returning during the afternoon. The horse that they were driving was a rather plightly animal and on the way home became frightened at an automobile that was passing. The animal jumped into the ditch and another quick severe on to the road left both Captain and Jim behind. The pair started to hike it for home when they met a third party coming along with their horse.—Crystal Falls Diamond Drill.

### ART NEEDLEWORK.

Santa Claus will be looking down your chimneys one week from Saturday night. Don't disappoint the old fellow—be ready for his coming—let me help you.

I shall be at the Hotel Breitung, Negaunee, Monday morning, Dec. 12, until Thursday evening, Dec. 15, with a complete line of needlework.

If you haven't time in which to work something nice before Christmas I have dainty hand embroidered articles which will make handsome gifts, to be disposed of at real bargain prices, as Negaunee is the last city in which I shall open my goods this season. Yours in needlecraft, MRS. C. A. GOLDSBOROUGH, 12-13-3d

### LOCAL LACONICS.

S. H. Salade and wife of Hibbing, Minn., are in the city.

H. H. Schmidt of Ironwood looked after business here yesterday.

Levine Bros. store will be open every evening from now until Christmas.

D. E. Rice, proprietor of the Bijou theatre, in the Sunberg block, was in the city Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Drake and her niece, Miss Pauline Adams, have been in Chicago the past few days.

A. P. Crocker, state deputy of the Knights of the Maccabees of the World, was in the city yesterday.

The Negaunee State bank will begin distributing calendars tomorrow. The picture is a pretty landscape.

S. H. Hawke is a new arrival in Negaunee from Cornwall, Eng. He reached here yesterday morning.

Mrs. J. H. Andrus has returned from Mount Clemens, where she spent some time taking bath treatment for rheumatism.

Miss Julia O'Leary opened her five and ten-cent store yesterday in the Rice building, where she has heretofore conducted her millinery shop.

Mrs. C. A. Goldsborough announces in the issue that she will be at the Breitung house until Thursday evening, showing a line of art needle work, suitable for holiday gifts.

The Negaunee division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will elect officers at the regular meeting to be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Shea's hall. The officers desire a large attendance.

John Rudness, who had the contract for the remodeling of Samuel Collins' warehouse building, in the Collins tract, will complete the carpenter work tomorrow. The building has been arranged for two families. Mr. Rudness is also winding up his work at Felix Delaria's house, on Lincoln street.

The Francis Greene Stock company presented "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at McDonald's opera house Sunday night. The audience was one of the largest of the week. Tonight's bill will be "Lady Audley's Secret," one of the company's feature plays.

A black fox muf was taken in place of another muf at the party given Friday night by the Negaunee seniors in the gymnasium of the high school. The person who has it is asked to send it to the high school office. The muf had a door key attached to it.

Clark Kirkpatrick, who has been here the past month, visiting relatives, has taken a position as superintendent of the National Pole company's operations at Park Falls, Wis. Mrs. Kirkpatrick, who is visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. J. H. Rough, will join her husband after the holidays.

The Buffalo baseball team of this city gave a good account of itself in the contest with the Y. M. C. A. nine at Ishpeming Saturday night, winning by a score of 13 to 12. Indoor baseball has been held up here because of the inability of the players to secure the Adelphi rink. J. M. Wilson, who leases the rink, has found that there is no profit in renting the rink for ball games. The Buffalo team has a number of fast indoor players.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

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Roses, Carnations, Hyacinths, Narcissus and Violets.

## CHRISTMAS GREENS

Holly, Holly Wreathing, Evergreen Wreathing, Mistletoe.

## Palms and Ferns

Potted Plants in Great Variety.

Mail and telegraph orders given prompt attention.

Both 'Phones.

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NEGAUNEE, MICH.



To search high and low for the present for "him" or "her" can be ended now. Just call here and you'll see many suitable presents. Here are a few suggestions:

Cut Links, Rings, Watches, Watch Chains, Fancy Hair Brushes and other Toilet Articles, Fobs, Charms, Stick Pins, Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Silverware, and everything you'd expect to find in an up-to-date jewelry store.

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NEGAUNEE

Is full of Articles especially suited to this Gift-Giving Time.

If we can be of any assistance to you in making your selections, it would be a great pleasure. This list of Articles may suggest to you just what you want.

- Suspenders in Gift Boxes
- Neckwear in Gift Boxes
- Laundry Bags
- Metal Initials for Hand Bags
- Fancy House Slippers
- Silk Handkerchiefs
- Fine Kid Gloves
- Traveling Bags
- Valises and Trunks
- Silk Work Bags
- Fancy Belts

- Silk Lined Gloves
- Fine Kid Gloves
- Silk Umbrellas
- Fancy Aprons
- Dresser Scarfs
- Pillow Covers
- Ladies' Hand Bags
- Fancy Hat Pins
- Embroidered and Linen Jabots
- Embroidered Center Pieces
- Silk Hosiery

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## McDonald's Opera House

2 WEEKS Starting Monday, Dec. 5

THE POPULAR FRANCIS GREENE STOCK COMPANY

Prices: 10c, 20c, 30c

TONIGHT: "The Black Flag"

### NEGAUNEE CEMETERY REMOVAL NOTICE.

The contractor engaged in removing the bodies from the old Catholic and City Cemeteries to the new Cemetery has found a large number of unmarked graves, and is having difficulty in such cases in giving notice to relatives.

To facilitate this work it is desired that all persons having friends or relatives buried in unmarked graves should immediately furnish to Mr. Charles O. Stensrud, contractor, or to Mr. Thomas M. Wells, and Mr. Dan Shea, superintendents, information as to the names of persons buried, and the location of their graves, particularly within the following described portion of the Roman Catholic Cemetery, to-wit: A strip One Hundred Fifty (150) feet in width across the extreme Western portion of same.

On account of the difficulty also in finding relatives in many instances where the graves are marked, all persons having any information that will assist the contractor or superintendents are earnestly urged to communicate with them at once.

Similar notices will be published from time to time as the work progresses to other portions of the cemeteries. CITY OF NEGAUNEE. By JOHN W. ELLIOT, Mayor. 12-5-tf-o

## Gold Fish

All sizes and in any quantity from

5c to 10c each

Also Gold Fish Jars, all sizes from

35c to 50c

Fish food, sea plant and directions FREE

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THE NEGAUNEE PHARMACY Negaunee, Michigan.

## Holiday Gifts

Quite an assortment of Smokers' Articles, Pipes, Cigars, etc.

Articles in this line always make an acceptable present.

Don't forget the lady; buy her a box of our Fine Candy, Bon Bons or Chocolates.

## SAM STEPHENS

Sundberg Block, Negaunee. 11-29-6w

## "Drei Kaiser"

Is the name of our well known

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In every glass is health and happiness. The little alcohol in it promotes cheerfulness of mind—which is the best of all medicines.

U. P. BREWING CO. MARQUETTE, MICHIGAN.

# SUNDAY CLOSING OF POSTOFFICE

Agitation Which Is Now Going on in Many Cities of the Country Causing Some Discussion in Marquette—Number of Sabbath Mail Getters Here Large.

Nevertheless, There Are Citizens Who Believe Practice Is an Unnecessary Habit and That the Carriers Are Entitled to Rest One Day in the Week.

During the past few weeks there has been agitation in many cities of this country, the object of which is to close the postoffices on Sunday. Supporters of this movement claim that the Sunday delivery and collection of mail, as now in operation in Marquette and most other cities of the country, works a hardship on the carriers, while it is in no way a necessity to the public. It is significant that, in most instances, the movement for Sunday closing has started with the patrons of the office, not among the employees.

While there has been no definite movement in Marquette in favor of Sunday closing, what is being done elsewhere has caused the subject to be considerably discussed by local citizens. Postmaster Mangum declares that more people call at the postoffice for their mail on Sundays in Marquette than in any other city of its size in the United States. Summer and winter, there is a long line waiting in front of the carriers' windows from 11:30 to 12:30 Sunday morning, the hour when patrons may get their mail. It is estimated that nearly 50 per cent of the patrons of the Marquette postoffice get their mail on Sunday. Nearly every business house gets its mail on Sunday regularly, and in many instances much of it is answered at the postoffice early Monday morning. Such being the case, it is probable that any suggestion to close the postoffice on Sunday would not be favorably received by many people.

### It's Only a Habit.

However, one of the regular Sunday visitors to the postoffice, while standing in the line before the carrier's window yesterday, said: "This practice of calling at the postoffice for the mail on Sunday has become a deep-set habit with Marquette people, yet I do not believe the public is any better off than if the postoffice were closed all day. I do not get a letter once a year that could not lay in the postoffice until Monday, yet every Sunday noon I am one of those in the line. I believe the same is true of nearly everyone else in the city, and that Marquette would be just as well off if the carriers were given Sunday off and the postoffice closed.

"As it is now, the mail carriers never have any time to themselves. While they only work two or three hours on

Sunday, their working hours are in the middle of the day, and as far as going anywhere, they might as well be working all day long. The carriers are entitled to rest one day in the week and I believe the time is not far distant when the practice of Sunday delivery of mail will be discontinued all over the country.

"Idle curiosity draws most people to the carriers' windows every Sunday and the inconvenience that would come to them required to wait until Monday morning would be slight. The business houses that must have their mail on Sunday usually have private lock boxes, anyway, and it makes no difference to them whether the windows are open or not. Much of the business mail that is gotten on Sunday is never looked at until Monday. Mail collection on Sunday is also unnecessary, since few letters require being sent off at once, and such as do could be placed in certain centrally located boxes, from which collections could be made. By such an arrangement, each carrier could have four or five Sundays out of every six to himself, and the public would be just as well off as under the present system."

The movement for a day of rest for the mail carriers was started by Rev. Dr. Graniss of the Lord's Day Alliance, and has now spread to many of the largest cities. At St. Paul, where it was put to a vote, 5,934 people voted to close and only seventeen against. At Detroit, out of 25,000 cards distributed, 23,000 came back favoring the closing and twenty-five against. Other cities where it is inaugurated are Milwaukee, Los Angeles, Kansas City, Mo., Pittsburgh, Pa., and scores of smaller towns. The scheme meets with the approval of the postoffice department since it is believed to conduce to better service during the week, and it is not thought proper that the government should force its own employees to break the Sunday laws which it has drawn.

### LARSON-GOULD NUPTIALS.

Vessel Captain and Well Known Nurse Wedded in Marquette Yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Helen Marie Larson and Captain Francis E. Gould, son of Captain Samuel W. Gould, of Cleveland, took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's brother, Ed. Larson, 730 Washington street. Miss Larson is a graduate and past graduate nurse of a Chicago hospital and three years ago she went to Cleveland to take charge and help organize a hospital and training school for nurses there. She held a position as superintendent of the hospital and principal of the school until a short time ago. She is an active member of the Nurse Superintendents' association of the United States.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. A. Carlson, of Ishpeming, the bride's former pastor. The bride was gowned in white mull, hand embroidered, trimmed with Irish lace, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The house ranged, white and green being the decorations were most tastefully arranged. Shortly after the ceremony, a dinner was served, to which only the near relatives of the two families were invited. Captain and Mrs. Gould will live in Cleveland.

Just received, Rembrandt's famous tube colors, also water colors for artist at Geil's wall paper store. 12-7-tf.

### GROCERY CHANGES HANDS.

Con Wellman Buys Lowney & Madigan Store on Champion Street.

Con Wellman, who has been employed as a traveling salesman for about a year past, has purchased the grocery store at the south end of Champion street, recently conducted by Lowney & Madigan, and took possession yesterday. Mr. Wellman has had wide experience both in the selling and buying ends of the grocery business and should make a success of his newly acquired business. He has not only been employed as salesman in several groceries of this city, but he has also sold grocery supplies on the road, giving him a peculiar advantage in buying stock. He states that the present stock, which he has just taken over, will be considerably increased and that he expects to maintain a first class, well stocked establishment. As Mr. Wellman is widely known as a prominent labor man and a Democrat, and is well liked by all who know him, it may be safely predicted that he will make a success of his new venture.

### Bowling Scores

Allen and Miller won four out of the last five games in the series of fifteen cup games, and thereby won the series by ninety-six pins, though at the end of the tenth game their opponents, Manes and Bell, led by ninety-seven pins. The series was concluded yesterday.

In the five-men handicap match, the Pilgrims took two out of three from the Guild Halls last night, the scores being as follows:

Stafford, sub	173	128	143	444
Lowe, sub	167	188	147	502
Cunningham	171	155	131	457
Spear	153	164	202	519
Miller	165	148	171	484
Totals	829	783	794	2406
Pilgrims—				
Davis	162	200	132	494
Riopelle	177	153	151	481
Kolka	198	176	152	526
Waterbury	130	126	123	379
Foard	164	161	165	490
Totals	831	816	723	2370

Tonight the Canucks and Guild Hall will bowl.

Much interest is manifested in the big turkey that is coming and several 200 scores were rolled yesterday.

### WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

At a meeting of Albert Jackson corps, W. R. C. No. 188, department of Michigan, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Past President—May V. Willis.  
President—Philonene Jellison.  
Senior Vice President—Ellen Mullyaly.  
Junior Vice President—Mary A. McNamara.  
Treasurer—May V. Willis.  
Chaplain—Stella Patrick.  
Conductor—Margaret Hogan.  
Guard—Mary Brennan.  
Delegate to the department convention—Mary Brennan.  
Alternate—Mary A. McNamara.  
The appointive officers will be announced later.



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Men's at \$1.50 to \$3.00 box.  
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When your feet are wet and cold, and your body chilled through and through from exposure, take a big dose of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, bathe your feet in hot water before going to bed, and you are almost certain to ward off a severe cold. For sale by The People's Drug Store, S. B. Jones, prop.



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Neck Chains with handsome pendants in solid gold, gold filled and sterling at 2.50, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00 up to 20.00.

Neck Chains in solid gold, gold filled and sterling at 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 to 8.00.

Gold Locketts, an elegant assortment at 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.50 to 20.00.

Bohemian Garnet Neck Chains set in solid gold, 10.00.

Real Coral, Pearl and Amber Neck Chains from 1.50 to 3.00.

See our beautiful sections at 75c. 1.00 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 8.00 and 10.00.

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- CAKE PLATES
- CHOP PLATES
- CRACKER JARS
- HAVILAND DINNERWARE
- AUSTRIAN DINNERWARE
- ENGLISH DINNERWARE
- JARDINIERS
- TOYS
- DOLLS
- DOLL GABS
- HOBBY HORSES
- SLEDS
- FOOTBALLS
- AIR GUNS
- DRUMS
- CHAIRS
- TOOL CHESTS
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- LUNCH CLOTHS
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- TABLE COVERS
- RUGS
- SHIRT WAISTS
- UMBRELLAS
- HANDKERCHIEFS
- RIBBONS
- LACES
- FANCY NECKWEAR
- SHAWLS
- PETTICOATS
- MITTENS
- GLOVES
- SUSPENDERS
- MEN'S NECK TIES