

## HEATED DEBATE MARKS OPENING OF TOLLS FIGHT

**Presentation of a Special Rule to Limit Discussion of Bill to Repeal Panama Canal Act Provisions and Prohibit Amendment Provokes Struggle in the House.**

**As Do Other Democrats, Speaker Champ Clark Vigorously Opposes the Program—He Condemns "This Mad Rush"—Vote Will Be Taken This Afternoon.**

Washington, March 26.—The greatest legislative battle yet undertaken by President Wilson's regime was begun today with the presentation in the house of a special rule to limit debate and prohibit amendment on the administration's proposal to repeal the provisions of the Panama canal act allowing free passage to American coastwise shipping.

For two hours the rule was alternately defended and attacked in heated debate. When adjournment came with an hour of debate on the rule left for tomorrow Speaker Champ Clark, who had not yet announced his position on the repeal policy, issued a statement vigorously opposing the rule.

**Won't Help Ram It Down Throats.**

"Surely there is nothing sacred about this repeal bill, and there is no reason for this mad rush," Speaker Clark said. "I will not be a party to ramming such a rule down the throats of the members. We have a rule reported on a bill of the greatest question presented in my twenty years in the house, beside which tariff bills sink in respectable significance—a bill which, if passed, will change our foreign policy which we have maintained for 125 years—and yet only twenty hours for debate are permitted under this proposed rule, the right to amend is absolutely prohibited and no intervening motion is permitted, except one motion to re-commit. On such an important and far-reaching measure there should have been at least a week for debate, with the unlimited right of amendment."

**President's Supporters Aroused.**

The speaker's statement aroused widespread discussion. The president's supporters at once issued statements in reply.

Representative Sherry, of Kentucky, said: "There is nothing in the rule that is unusual. It provides for three hours of debate on the rule, and, after the discussion of the bill, in a body the size of the house, with the many things coming before it, it is absolutely essential to have a rule of closure."

"The nature of the rule has been known for days," continued Mr. Sherry. "It is surprising to say the least, that the speaker should have seen fit to attack the rule only after it was offered and the lines of battle drawn. We, who are supporting a Democratic president and a Democratic administration in upholding the nation's honor, will not be deterred by any one-hour assault by the speaker, particularly when for the first time he has seen fit to show his true colors in opposition to the measure and to the Democratic party."

**Chairman Henry Speaks Bitterly.**

Chairman Henry of the rules committee issued a statement in which he bitterly attacked the speaker for opposing the rule at this late hour, and said: "Of course, any sensible man knows that he is now fixing to jump squarely into the camp of the president's enemies. Instead of displaying great activity in this great conflict, he should reveal his real sympathies and march boldly over to the standard of the railroad and ship monopoly."

Representative Henry had presented the rule, the aim of which is to limit debate on the Sims bill to twenty hours and preclude amendment, except for a single motion to recommit.

There followed an argument in which the rule received little attention as compared with the merits of the measure. Both sides displayed great activity throughout this evening, preparing for the reopening of the struggle tomorrow.

**Discussion Is Spirited.**

Opening the argument for the rule, Representative Henry, of Texas, declared that the free tolls plank of the Baltimore form did not represent Democratic sentiment and pointed out that when the Panama canal act was passed only seventy-two Democrats in the house voted for free tolls, while ninety-four voted against the provision.

"I propose," Mr. Henry said, "to aid in the correction of a blunder that has been committed by the American congress. This free tolls provision violates a treaty and contract we have with England and other nations. The president of the United States has come to the house and has summoned us to his aid in this great crisis and I propose to follow him."

Mr. Henry paid a tribute to the president as having the "Jacksonian courage to call upon congress to aid in correcting this colossal blunder."

**"Lion's Mane Lines Eagle's Nest."**

Representative Campbell, Republican of Kansas, opened the argument for the opponents of the rule.

"The president told us a few days ago," said Mr. Campbell, "that, right or wrong, we must repeal this provision, and in a mysterious fashion he refers to the 'foreign policy' of the administration. He told us that if we do not grant him this request in ungrudging measure, he will not know what to do in other very important matters. What is the foreign policy of the administration?"

Does the president know? Nobody else does," Mr. Campbell concluded with the question.

"The old American eagle lined its nest with the mane of the British lion; does the young American eagle tremble with fear when the British lion only growls?"

**Bull Moose Opposition Voiced.**

Progressive opposition to the rule and to the repeal bill was voiced by Representative Kelly, of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Kelly declared that the three political parties had all pledged themselves to the free tolls provision in their 1912 platform, and said that the people had expressed their approval of the provision in the election.

While declaring himself in favor of repealing the free tolls provision, Representative Lenroot, of Wisconsin, vigorously opposed the rule because it cut off amendments.

Mr. Lenroot read to the Democrats a speech delivered by Speaker Clark when the Payne tariff law was in the house, in which the speaker declared that the right of amendment and debate could not be curtailed.

**Murdock Against Surrender.**

Progressive Leader Murdock opposed the rule, saying:

"I am not willing to surrender by my vote in any spirit of easy accommodation to Great Britain this nation's sovereignty over the canal."

"I will not surrender our sovereignty in the canal," continued Mr. Murdock. "Before the surrender the act seems of little moment to many. But after the surrender each year will emphasize the error that we committed here."

"Before the surrender, considerations of political and diplomatic expediency may becloud the issue. After the surrender will come clarity and national dignity and national humiliation."

Minority Leader Mann said that the importance of the measure merited a more complete deliberation and more thorough consideration than could be given under the proposed rule.

"I see no reason," Mr. Mann said, "why we should surrender our rights in this matter on a fancied plea of honor. Honor is involved on both sides. If there is a real question of honor here it is that of Great Britain seeking to drive a hard bargain with this administration. Our honor in this matter is above suspicion. Great Britain is open to attack."

**Mr. Wilson Wants Patriotic Vote.**

In talks with callers today, President Wilson argued that the members of congress were not being asked to change their personal opinions on the tolls exemption, but to vote patriotically for its repeal in order to correct a serious international situation which threatens to embarrass the United States at every turn in future negotiations of treaties and trade agreements.

The president has been informed that the press of South America, speaking, he thinks, also for their governments, have joined the press and governments of the rest of the world in the view that the United States is interpreting treaties to suit itself regardless of obligations.

"There was deep feeling in the president's voice as he explained the situation to one group of callers. He referred to the American nation as too big and powerful to be ungenerous or captious in its construction of treaties."

**OWNERS OF MOTORCARS  
WILL GET MONEY BACK**

**Michigan Law Taxing Horsepower of Autos Is Nullified by Supreme Court.**

Lansing, Mich., March 26.—The state motor car tax law, passed by the last session of the legislature, providing a tax of fifty cents per horsepower on motor vehicles, was today declared unconstitutional by the state supreme court.

It was said in the secretary of state's office that approximately \$226,000 has been collected under the new law, and that the amount will be returned, with the exception of \$3, which was the tax under the provisions of the old law. The court held that the act was unconstitutional in that the "title of law was not sufficiently broad to cover the body of the bill and that it was a license title on a tax law."

**THEATRICAL MAN  
CLOSES BIG DEAL**

**Marcus Loew Pays More Than \$6,000,000 for Sullivan-Considine Vaudeville Interests.**

Kansas City, Mo., March 26.—Marcus Loew, of New York city, representing interests which he is principal stockholder, tonight signed a contract to purchase the Sullivan-Considine vaudeville circuit and properties for an amount that will exceed six million. Mr. Loew will take over the properties Aug. 1, next.

Thirty-seven theaters, owned outright by the Sullivan-Considine interests, and one hundred theaters which the circuit books and in which it has interests, were involved in the deal. Mr. Loew announced he would combine the theaters involved in tonight's deal with the houses he now owns. This will bring the number of theaters now controlled by him up to two hundred.

**CAPTAIN JOHN BARRY IS DEAD.**

Chicago, March 26.—John Barry, for many years identified with transportation on the Great Lakes, is dead in Pomona, Calif., according to news received here today by his son, Charles Barry, of Chicago, general commercial agent of the Goodrich Transit company.

There are approximately 4,000,000 acres of timber land in New Hampshire, of which half is in farmers' woodlots.

## BIG RAILROAD CUTTING DOWN ITS OPERATIONS

**Pennsylvania Company Stops or Reduces Improvement and Extension Work, Takes Off Expensive Through Trains and Discharges Thousands of Employees**

**Working Forces on Lines East of Pittsburgh, Originally 142,000, Are Pared to 125,000 and Will Be Lowered to 117,000—Forty Thousand on Short Time, Also.**

Philadelphia, March 26.—It was stated at the offices of the Pennsylvania Railroad company here today that the policy of retrenchment and economy put in effect in the closing months of last year will be continued until the number of employes on the lines east of Pittsburgh and Erie had been reduced from the original force of 142,000 to 117,000.

The company today confirmed reports that the number of employes had already been lowered in the few months to 125,000. The lines west of Pittsburgh, it was stated, are also affected by the retrenchment policy, but no figures were given.

It is said that about forty thousand of the remaining 125,000 employes have been placed on shorter time.

**Many Clerks Laid Off.**

Two hundred clerks in the general offices in this city have been paid off within a day or two.

Some weeks ago the company took off several expensive through trains, and it was stated today that further curtailment in the passenger train service is being worked out.

According to a report which the company confirms, the orders for retrenchment and economy improvements and extensions, work upon which has been either stopped or reduced. In January, the last month reported, the total operating revenue showed a decrease of \$1,438,282 from last year on the eastern lines and a decrease of \$1,517,885 on the lines west of Pittsburgh. Operating expenses were heavily reduced, but the net operating revenues still show a decrease of \$1,089,257 in the east and \$347,994 in the west, compared with the corresponding month a year ago.

**Buffalo Forces Will Be Cut.**

Buffalo, N. Y., March 26.—At the office of the superintendent of the Pennsylvania railroad here, it was stated today that three hundred men would be laid off April 1, as a result of the policy of retrenchment announced at Philadelphia. The noon train to Pittsburgh will be discontinued April 1.

Chicago, March 26.—G. C. Taylor, vice president and general manager of the American Express company, today issued a statement, denying recently published reports that his company would follow the example of the United States Express company and go out of business.

**STOCK MARKET IS SPIRITLESS; PRICES ARE LITTLE CHANGED.**

New York, March 26.—The slow decline in stocks continued today. It was a dragging, spiritless market. In the late session there was some improvement, and the final changes were unimportant.

Remarks attributed to the attorney general concerning intended action against the American Tobacco company and former subsidiaries and suggesting the possibility of further steps against the companies in the Standard Oil group served to restrict business in the market.

Southern Pacific's February gross earnings fell off \$602,000. Lehigh Valley's gross last month decreased \$758,000. Pennsylvania's reported loss has decided upon extensive economies. Diminished earnings and the unsatisfactory outlook were given as the reasons for the omission of the dividend in Railroad Steel Spring.

**HENRY PHIPPS TO RETIRE; QUILTS STEEL TRUST BOARD.**

New York, March 26.—Another captain of industry—Henry Phipps—has decided to fold his tent and leave the business field. Mr. Phipps has resigned as a director and member of the finance committee of the United States Steel corporation with which he had been identified since its organization. Mr. Phipps' place on the finance committee has been filled by James A. Farrell, president. The eldest son of Mr. Phipps, J. E. Phipps, will succeed him on the board.

Mr. Phipps was one of Andrew Carnegie's partners prior to the formation of the steel trust and is said to rank second in wealth among the Carnegie millionaires.

**RIVERS AND HARBORS BILL IS PASSED BY THE HOUSE**

Washington, March 26.—After many days of debate, the rivers and harbors appropriation bill, carrying an aggregate of \$43,400,000, was passed by the house today, without substantial amendment. The measure now goes to the senate.

**GOVERNOR OF MINNESOTA SEEKER OF RENOMINATION.**

St. Paul, Minn., March 26.—Governor Adolph S. Eberhart today announced his candidacy for renomination on the Republican ticket at the primaries June 16.

Pittsburg officials recently discharged 100 salaried city employes as a measure of economy.

## The Weather

Washington, March 26.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Fair, Friday and Saturday; warmer, Saturday.

**PAPER MILL EMPLOYEES AT MARINETTE-MENOMINEE STRIKE FOR HIGHER PAY.**

Marinette, Wis., March 26.—Three hundred employes of the Marinette-Menominee Paper company walked out this afternoon, after their petition for a twenty-five-cent-a-day increase in wages was denied.

**NEW YORK WINNESSES TESTIFY IN DEFENSE OF LEADER OF CHURCH RAID**

New York, March 26.—Newspaper reporters and members of the unemployed testified today in defense of Frank Tannenbaum, the youthful leader of the Industrial Workers of the World, accused of taking part in an unlawful assemblage of the "army" of idle men who invaded St. Alphonsus' church on March 4.

The third day of Tannenbaum's trial was marked by the demonstration of the unemployed, some of their number, who are to be called as Tannenbaum's witnesses, shouting in the corridors outside the courtroom that the state must feed them if it expected them to testify, even though they were not called by the state.

Tannenbaum, instead of exhorting big followers to disorder, after shelter was refused them at St. Alphonsus, as testified by witnesses for the prosecution, tried to lead them peaceably from the edifice, according to witnesses today.

## KELLEY'S FOLLOWERS ARE GUESTS OF POLICE

**Denver Cops Feed Men Beef Stew and Escort Them on Eastward Journey.**

Denver, Colo., March 26.—One hundred and six unemployed men of "General" Kelley's army, enroute to Washington, D. C., reached the outskirts of Denver tonight. The police took them to a park in the suburbs, fed them with beef, stew, bread and coffee, and escorted them a mile out of town on their eastward journey.

**"Fed" Socialist Literature.**

Colorado Springs, Colo., March 26.—"Are you hungry?" asked someone in the crowd of spectators at the station as the unemployed army of "General" Kelley passed through here today, on the way from Pueblo to Denver.

"Yes," came the reply in a dozen or more voices. "Well, here's something for you to digest," said the questioner. He threw a bundle of Socialist newspapers into the car as the train pulled out.

**WORD'S FAIR FUND DESTINED TO GIVE AID TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN**

Chicago, March 26.—Mrs. George Bass, president of the Chicago Women's club, and Mrs. Charles Heurton and Mrs. W. P. Conger today were named by Mrs. Potter Palmer, of the committee, to advise with her in the disposition of funds, approximately \$100,000, gained from the sale of souvenirs at the city of Columbus exposition. It is likely the money will be used in some cause for the aid of women and children.

**ITS DAILY RECEIPTS ARE LESS THAN \$10**

Chicago, March 26.—Chicago's municipal store, where the needy were to purchase supplies at cost, has done a daily average business of \$9.11 since it opened on Feb. 19, according to a statement today by the city comptroller's office. Advocates of the enterprise admit it has not filled any long-felt needs.

The state does not make deliveries and a rigid investigation is made of each prospective customer. These are the reasons advanced by Joseph Meyer, county agent, for the lack of a more extensive patronage.

"Many persons would rather trade elsewhere than to be looked up by the county as though they were charitable patients," said Mr. Meyer. "Only persons out of work and not owners of any property are eligible as customers."

**SNOW COVERED AUTOMOBILE FOUND IN A COUNTRY ROAD GIVES MARYLAND A MYSTERY.**

Cumberland, Md., March 26.—Mystery surrounds the discovery yesterday on the national pike near Grantsville of an automobile covered with snow. Nothing is known here regarding the occupants of the car. In the machine were found a suitcase, containing a woman's garments, and a man's rubber coat and shoes and a field glass. The automobile was under a drift which had been in that locality for five weeks. The car was badly battered and the license plate missing.

**CHICAGO PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.**

Chicago, March 26.—Butter was called firm, in the Chicago market today, quotations at 23 1/2 cents. Eggs, higher, receipts, 33,818 cases; eggs at market, cases included, 17 1/8 cents; ordinary firsts, 17 1/8; firsts, 17 3/8; 18. Poultry, alive, unchanged; springs, 18 cents; fowl, 18.

## NEWS OF FIGHT NEAR TORREON IS CONFLICTING

**Advices from Mexican Federal Sources Claim Villa Defeated With Losses of More Than 2,000—Dynamite Mines Said to Have Done Great Execution.**

**Gomez Palacio, the Scene of the Battle, Is in Rebel Hands and the Huerta Stronghold Is Completely Surrounded, Say Constitutionalists—Combat Continues.**

BULLETIN.

Mexico City, March 26.—Confirmation of the reported defeat of General Villa's army at Torreon by the federal forces under General Velasco is given in a message announced as having been received at the Mexican war office at noon today. The rebel losses in killed are placed at seven hundred. The rebels are said to be retreating. At the war office, it was said that the message was sent from a town thirty-seven miles north-east of the battlefield and was filed by a federal officer.

BULLETIN.

Washington, March 26.—The Constitutional agency here tonight gave out the following telegram from its agent at El Paso: "Gomez Palacio and Lerdo are in our hands, and Torreon is completely surrounded. We are expecting victory at any hour."

BULLETIN.

Chihuahua, Mex., March 26.—An official report says that the rebels have established headquarters within a mile of Gomez Palacio and are trying to get closer to Torreon. The firing was heavy today, but the relative positions of the opposing armies with respect to Torreon are practically unchanged.

This from Federal Sources.

Eagle Pass, Tex., March 26.—Following the reported retreat of General Francisco Villa and his rebel army, fighting in the attack on Torreon has been resumed at Now, a few miles north of Gomez Palacio. This was the substance of a dispatch from the federal headquarters in Piedras Negras late today and said to have come direct from the battlefield.

The message was sent by General Maas, an earlier message, which, it was explained, related to events of last night, said: "Our army victorious at Gomez Palacio. More than two thousand killed, wounded and prisoners. Cavalry pursuing."

Federal officials at Piedras Negras interpreted the latter report from General Maas as meaning that Villa had been driven from Gomez Palacio toward the north, but whether the engagement at Now was a final stand by the rebels in retreat, or a renewal of the Torreon attack, no one could say.

The federal dispatches reached Piedras Negras over the government wire into Monterey. General Maas, military governor of the northern zone of Mexico, was reported in a Mexico City dispatch to have gone from Monterey with seven hundred men in a motor automobile to reinforce Velasco at Torreon.

**El Paso's Advices Confusing.**

El Paso, Tex., March 26.—Conflicting reports today left the situation at Gomez Palacio and Torreon a matter of conjecture. General Villa telegraphed to Manuel Chao, at Juarez, that he had been in possession of Gomez Palacio since morning and predicted that the rebels would have Torreon not later than Saturday. On the other hand, Miguel Diebold, of Huerta's consular service, exhibited telegrams declaring that the rebels had been repulsed at all points.

Consul Diebold alleged that when at first the rebels thought they had Gomez Palacio, they were the victims of a trap, as a result of which they lost heavily in dead and wounded, not to mention the loss of six hundred prisoners. The federal retreat, he said, was a feint to draw the rebels over 127 dynamite mines, which he said were exploded under the invaders, with the result mentioned.

**Juarez Holds a Celebration.**

Juarez, March 26.—General Villa's telegram, as given out by General Chao, stating that he took Gomez Palacio this morning, was made the basis of an informal celebration among the people here tonight. There was music by the military band, much throwing of confetti and a dozen impromptu parades. Only one press telegram came through—that of the Associated Press correspondent at Chihuahua—and this did not confirm the purported Villa report.

**DETROIT BOWLER IS STAR AT BUFFALO TOURNAMENT.**

Buffalo, N. Y., March 26.—The fourth annual bowling tournament of the American Bowling congress ended today. The winners of the three events, their scores and prizes are:

Five-men team—Monko club, New Haven, Conn., 2,944, \$500.  
Two-men team—T. N. Negly and D. H. Vaunes, Newark, 1,245; \$300.  
Individuals—William Miller, Detroit; \$200.

Miller also won the "all-events" feature, his total for the nine games being 1,807.

**FORMING NEW GUM COMPANY.**

New York, March 26.—Perival S. Hill, president American Tobacco company, and a few of his friends are organizing a new chewing gum corporation that will have a capitalization of perhaps \$5,000,000 to \$6,000,000.

## EXCITED BASEBALL FAN DROPS DEAD IN CHICAGO WHILE SHAVING A PATRON

Chicago, March 26.—August Anderson, a barber employed near the new Federal league ball park, got so excited today while arguing the merits of the new league with Thomas Leach that he dropped dead while shaving Leach. Leach is an admirer of the Chicago National league club. He was so displeased with Anderson's admiration of the new league that when the barber sank to the floor with having fallen, Leach went to another shop to finish his shaving.

**BAY STATE LEGISLATURE VOTES SUFFRAGE QUESTION SHALL GO TO THE PEOPLE.**

Boston, March 26.—By action of the house today, the legislature has voted for the first time in its history in favor of referring to the people the question of granting suffrage to women.

The vote in the house was 168 to 39, this on a resolution, which had already been favorably acted upon by the senate, providing for an amendment to the constitution by striking the word "male" from the qualifications for voters.

The measure must receive favorable action in the legislature next year before it may go to the people for decisive vote.

## MAKE COUNCIL HALL A SCENE OF BEDLAM

**English Militants Create Extraordinary Disturbance at a Borough Meeting.**

London, March 26.—An extraordinary suffrage disturbance occurred today at a meeting of the Poplar borough council, which had voted adversely to letting out council halls for suffrage meetings.

With shouts of "cowards" and other offensive epithets, a large number of women invaded that part of the hall reserved for the councillors. Bombs containing evil-smelling chemicals were exploded by the score, and bags of flour and stones were flung at the members.

**Budgeons Swung by Women.**

The councillors were soon struggling with the infuriated women, many of whom were armed with budgeons and bottles. Shrieks and shouts, the smashing of glass and the splintering of chairs completed one of the worst scenes of pandemonium in the history of the suffrage movement. The police were sent for, but for some reason refrained from interfering.

The mayor retained the chair in a vain endeavor to resume the council proceedings, but finally the council sat a retreat, leaving the women in possession of the hall with a few socialist members of the council, who remained to hear speeches delivered by Miss Zettie Emerson, of Jackson, Mich., and others.

**Town Clock Hurler to Floor.**

While Miss Emerson was speaking, the council ventured to return to the chamber and carried a resolution excluding the public from the chamber for three months.

George Lansbury, a member of the council and a strong supporter of the militant movement, fiercely protested against the proceeding as irregular.

Mr. Lansbury threw the town clock and books and papers to the floor, amid cheers from the suffragettes. The council meeting then adjourned.

## MADAME CAILLAUX WEEPS IN COURT

**Cross-Examination by Paris Magistrate Unnerves the Slayer of Editor Calmette.**

Paris, March 26.—With a cry of indignation during her cross-examination by Magistrate Boucard today at the preliminary inquiry into the killing of M. Calmette, Mme. Caillaux reminded the magistrate how the Figaro had baited her husband about the "Thy Joe" letter. She then began to weep.

"I regret profoundly the consequences of my act," said the witness. "I would prefer a thousand times that the campaign had continued rather than I should have killed M. Calmette. It is impossible to find in my act another cause than that which I have given."

M. Boucard sought an explanation of the discrepancies in Mme. Caillaux's recital before him and the story she told the police.

"In attacking your husband," said the magistrate, "M. Calmette was fighting the politician, not the private citizen. Moreover, the letter signed 'Thy Joe' concerned another woman."

"Yes," responded the witness, "but I was I who succeeded that woman as the wife of M. Caillaux. I will recall to you how M. Calmette in an article on March 16 hartered my husband regarding the intimate nature of this letter; and that is not politics."

Mme. Caillaux said that she had received on March 15 an anonymous letter, which she had since destroyed, informing her of the imminent publication of letters concerning her. She said they concerned the private life of her husband and herself.

**CELLS IN GOTHAM PRISON ARE DESCRIBED AS UNFIT FOR PIGS TO WALLOW IN.**

New York, March 26.—Conditions in the Blackwell's island penitentiary, a New York city institution, are described as "vile and inhuman" in a report which B. G. Lewis, deputy commissioner of corrections, has submitted to Mayor Mitchell. It was learned today: Mr. Lewis' report said that the cells in which transient insane prisoners and unruly prisoners are kept are "wet, dark and foul and unfit for pigs to wallow in."

## PREMIER PUTS OFF STATEMENT TO PARLIAMENT

**Mr. Asquith's Promised Pro-nouncement of Ulster Policy Is Deferred Till Today—This Considered Proof the Situation Still Is One of Extreme Delicacy.**

**Resignation of Two High Members of the Army Council Is a New Development—General Election Sure**

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## COMES OUT RATHER WELL.

The Liberal ministry has apparently come out of the Ulster flarup in much better order than there seemed reason a few days ago to expect it would. Its supporters assert that it has actually been strengthened. In any event, it apparently has not been materially weakened.

Wednesday, with the appearance of the official statement relating to the affair of the officers, cabinet ministers, notably Sir Edward Gray, made affirmation of the position of the ministry that was in effect notice that there has been no permanent surrender to the representations of the army men. "The government is prepared at any time to use force to whatever extent is required to make the will of the country prevail," Sir Edward said. "That is a contingency that cannot arise for a long time, and we will still labor to avoid it."

It appears fair to say that, despite all the heated rhetoric of the past few days, the misunderstandings and the statements and counter-statements, the status of the home rule measure and the relations of both the Liberals and the Unionists to the Ulster problem are not materially changed. With the Liberal ministry in its present position and frame of mind, it is clearly an absurdity to assert that the home rule bill is finally beaten.

The restraint that characterized both Liberal and Union leaders in a time of great stress is the best indication that could be asked of their sincere desire to find some way out of their coil of difficulties that will avoid an open rupture. It is a restraint made all the more notable by the violent expressions given utterance in the partisan press.

Indeed, there is not lacking reason for a belief that the crisis had existence largely in the newspapers. In Ulster, and in Ireland generally, both Orange-men and Nationalists went quietly about their business through all the pother, and not a single head was broken. When all is so calm at the seat of the supposed trouble, there is surely ground for a belief that the extent and heat of the conflict are greatly exaggerated.

Those persons who not properly grasp the present situation with regard to the home rule struggle who do not see that it is being used by many Unionists as a pretext to carry on a masked fight in reality aimed at the social legislation sponsored by Lloyd-George and put forth under the official auspices of the Liberal party. Privilege, as personified in the Unionists, would just now like to break down, and throw back on the country under unfavorable conditions, the party in which Lloyd-George, the greatest foe of entrenched privilege in England, is one of the principal leaders. And privilege just now finds Irish home rule the most convenient handle to use in making its fight, for home rule is rich in possibilities of arousing racial and religious prejudices, to the end that purely party and class purposes may be effectually served.

## "SAFETY FIRST"

It has been charged that captains of great lakes freighters are made to understand, even if there is nothing to that effect in their formal orders, that those of their number will stand in the highest favor who make the most trips, and who "take a chance" that the greatest use of the vessels in their command may be had in the course of the brief season of navigation.

This assertion has been vigorously denied by the vessel owning interests, and with a show of indignation that ought to carry conviction, even if it does not. Whatever was the case before the storm of November last, its terrible consequences should have been enough to convince the fleet owners that the "safety first" principle should apply to the sailing of their vessels, as well as to the manual and mechanical work of operating them.

Certainly the fleet commanders and the other men who have addressed the spring meetings of the masters have sounded a conservative note. As far as exterior evidence goes, they are the carriers handled with caution. They want them brought safe into port, or kept in port if conditions are too unsettled to make venturing out a safe course.

President Couilly, of the Pittsburgh Steamship company, operating the greatest fleet on the lakes, gave his masters some pointed and unequivocal advice bearing on that point this week. "A de-

pend in large measure on the success met with under the new form of government in the cities that have essayed it. And this, in turn, will depend on the manner in which the voters use the power given them to place good men in office to apply a good system. For one reason Wisconsin should be a state in which commission government should find congenial soil. It is a liberal state, and the saloon question does not vex there, as in other states. Thus the introduction and administration of the new form of government is not hampered by an issue that is the source of misunderstanding and bitterness wherever it arises.

If the administration Democrat who figures that there will be 100 majority in the house in support of the President's tolls policy is correct, if the fight to be made on it is to be at all effective the split will, it appears, have to come in the senate. And in the senate administration Democrats profess almost equal confidence.

When Mexico City reported that Villa was in mad flight it was, of course, natural to reflect that Mexico City could not be regarded as an unprejudiced interpreter of the nature of Villa's movements.

The Cleveland Leader wants to know if Secretary of State Bryan will resign. He probably will—when President Wilson does.

## MUCH TO BE DONE.

The report of Director Holmes, of the U. S. Bureau of mines, for the year 1913 shows that while much has been done much remains to be done before mine fatalities are down to a rate that will spare us the necessity of seeking to explain a condition that reflects little credit on either congress or the country. The figures he cites enforce in telling manner his contention that in safeguarding life in the mining industry the government has lagged far behind and is not now doing as much as it should in an endeavor to catch up.

The 2,785 deaths reported by Director Holmes represent an increase over 1912 of 425 and give the deplorable rate of 3.82 for every thousand men employed, compared with 3.27 in 1912. For this had showing the coal mines are largely responsible, and in turn their bad showing is accounted for by the occurrence of a small number of explosions that resulted in heavy losses of lives. Segregate the metal mining industry, and the figures for fatalities are more favorable. Metal mining is shown to be a comparatively safe industry, and one in which the former hazard is being rapidly reduced by the general application of a well thought out safety movement.

The pleasing side of Director Holmes' report is its statement of the steps being taken to decrease the death rate in the mines. Here he outlines the "safety first" campaign with which the public of the upper peninsula is generally familiar, through its enlightened application in their own sphere of observation, and he gives statistics that show graphically the excellent progress that has been made.

During the three years of the bureau's activities 31,293 miners have been trained in rescue work, and during 1913 40,000 persons, nearly all of them miners, visited the bureau's mine-rescue schools and stations, 33,000 miners attended lectures and 5,500 were given instructions in rescue work or first aid training.

At the same time that the bureau is working directly with the men, it is conducting experiments designed to throw light on the cause of explosions in the coal mines. This latter work is regarded as of the greatest importance, and it is being presented, with the assistance of the operators, with all the energy that the resources of the bureau will permit.

Attorney General Fellows announces that he will be a candidate for re-nomination by the Republican convention this year. No person is surprised, nor is there any apparent reason why precedent should be violated to cut Mr. Fellows off in his political career. He has been devoted to duty to a degree. In fact, under no previous attorney general has such a stream of opinions flown from the state's legal department, and it is said that Mr. Fellows' percentage of bull's eyes is at least as high as those of his predecessors.

It is no importance," he said. "Never be in a hurry to get out if there is anything you want to do to get your boat in shape." And he was insistent that the masters should make no effort to present a pleasing exterior to the U. S. steamboat inspectors. "When the government inspectors come down to your boat I don't want anything doctored up to pass inspection. I forbid you to do it."

"The government employs inspectors to enforce the law, and I hope they will be as severe as the law allows."

This and other wholesome advice of the same nature from the president of their company surely should have had a salutary effect on the Pittsburgh fleet masters. It is made very clear to them that they are expected to apply the "safety first" principle to their trusts when it becomes a question of remaining in port, or seeking port, under threatening conditions.

## STATE PRESS

About the only way to do the new dances correctly is to do them differently from any one else.—Saginaw News.

The reactor of a Flint church will throw open its parlor for dancing parties after Lent. Why bother about Lent's—Lansing State Journal.

And now keep your eye peeled for the first robin, for if you don't see him some other fellow will.—Jackson Citizen-Press.

The Detroit school board is up against a stiff proposition. It wants to find out the age of the teachers in the city schools.—Adrian Times.

No British troops will have the hardihood to crush the rebellion in Albania. The Albanian soldiers dress so much like women that they will be taken for militant suffragettes.—Kalamazoo Telegraph-Press.

## TIMELY QUIPS

**Keeps a Record, Too.**  
Secretary McAdoo may look "no older than thirty," but old Father Time knows.—Omaha Bee.

**Dodges Again.**  
The Toronto Mail and Empire announces that some wealthy Americans have become British subjects to evade the new income tax. And what will they become to evade the British income tax?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Impossible.**  
Despite the rapidly increasing number of administration weddings the next federal income bill may not carry the picture of cupid and a pierced heart.—Chicago News.

**Plot!**  
The California state board of education has introduced a plan for the use of "movies" in the schools. They must be trying to make the "movies" unpopular out there.—Chicago Record Herald.

**Hardly.**  
The American engineer who directed the building of the dam across the Mississippi at Keokuk has been chosen as consulting engineer in the construction of a hydro-electric dam across the Nile. This is about as bad as going to America for railway managers. Can John Bull forgive us?—Pittsburg Dispatch.

## REACH'S BASEBALL GUIDE.

The 1914 Reach American League Guide—the official handbook of the major league presided over by Ban Johnson—has made its appearance, an appearance that is made each spring for thirty-two consecutive years. The publication stands alone in its chosen field, including the literary contents, official records, illustrations, quality of paper, serviceable binding and general typographical excellence. Aside from those of the big leagues, the records and averages of not less than thirty-five minor leagues are given in full, together with group pictures of champion teams of nearly all leagues. The world's championship series is once more made the great special feature. The guide contains the revised and correct new uniform playing rules code for 1914, together with the 1914 championship schedules of the American, National and various important minor leagues. The guide is for sale by all newsdealers.

The anti-saloon forces of the state are never happy unless they are cooking up new grief for their natural opponents. Now it is asserted, they will go to the next legislature and ask that provision be made for labeling all "bottled goods" with the skull and cross bones. Alcohol, they say, is a poison, and it should be subject to the same rules applied to other poisons when they are sold for purposes medicinal or otherwise. There may be no break in this logic, but it will at the same time invite the most violent opposition. What a terrifying spectacle shelves of "bottled goods," all labeled with the skull and cross bones, would present, to be sure!

Fond du Lac, Wis., has just adopted the commission form of government by a considerable majority. Wisconsin has lagged behind some of the other states in going in for modern municipal government, but now that the crust has been broken by Fond du Lac and a few other cities it is expected that progress will be rapid. This will, of course,

# BUILDING MATERIAL

From heavy timbers to finest factory work. Largest and most complete stocks of building material in Michigan.

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We would be pleased to have you call at our offices, and look over the stocks in our warehouses and yards. Hemlock, Pine and Fir Construction Material, such as Timbers and Joists, Studs, Etc., White Pine, Cypress, Red Cedar and Baywood Siding, White Pine, Yellow Pine, Fir and Cypress Flooring, All kinds of Maple, Birch, Beech and Oak Flooring, Wainscoting, Ceilings and Finishing Lumber, Nails, Hardware.

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**Men—I've Smashed the "CUS" out of Custom-Tailoring For You—Have Your Spring Suit Cut to Your Measure, Tailored to Your Order, for \$20, and Don't Pay Unless Pleased.**

Let me loose just one minute, men, while I tell you how I've taken the "cus" out of Custom Tailoring for you. It isn't because I want to boast, but I'm just bubbling over with the good news about the proposition I can make you on your Spring suit—cut to your measure by skillful cutters as ever put, shears into a piece of cloth, moulded individually to all the kinks and characteristics of your figure, designed to your own wishes and whims and tailored up to the very hilt of good style and the price is just \$20.

Think about it, men! Ponder over it, \$20. But that's not all. Before you pay the \$20 you've got to put the suit on—examine it fore and aft, up and down, inside and out, walk in it, talk in it, shake yourself in it, put it to every test you know of—and if you can't smile as you count me out the \$20, why you just count

the \$20 back into your own pocket, for you've got to like this suit in every detail or you can't take it.

Now, honest men, doesn't that proposition deserve a trial from you? I take your measure on the wonderful Form Chart of the Continental Tailoring Co., Chicago's most fashionable tailoring house. It goes to Chicago, and there in the Continental Tailoring Co.'s cutting and fitting room they can reproduce your figure with every angle and lump. The celebrated Continental Tailors then fit your suit, tailor it carefully and it has got to fit you and suit you when it comes back to me, or you keep your money.

Mr. Man, I've got my eye on you as I write. I'm just a plain man, with a plain proposition for you. Won't you let me have a suit tailored for you, to cost you \$20 if it turns out to be just what you want, nothing if it doesn't?

M. RUSTENHOVEN, JR. over Grand Theater.

## EDITORIAL OPINION

### First Results.

It is still too early to judge the new Democratic tariff law, but there is nothing in the taking into consideration the results of the first four months of its operation.

A dispatch to one of the leading newspapers of New York from its Washington correspondent says: "The total value of 'all manufactured materials' imported in the last four months under the new law was \$900,000,000, as against \$947,000,000 in the same months under the Payne law, a reduction of 13 per cent; manufactures ready for consumption \$152,000,000, against \$143,000,000, an increase of about 6 per cent; and foodstuffs \$161,000,000, against \$142,000,000, an increase of 20 per cent."

The importation of foodstuffs has increased notably, but has the cost of living been reduced? And what about the decreased importation of raw materials, including wool? Protection of the American sheep has been withdrawn, but less wool came into the country during the first four months under the new tariff law than during the last corresponding months under the Payne-Adriatic law.

There has not yet been time enough to test the Underwood law, but thus far it has caused a loss of revenue and has not done the things its supporters declared it would do.—Cleveland Leader.

### Michigan's Opportunity.

Michigan is peculiarly interested in the federal government's appeal for more power by only one state in its production of the scoulet tuber. If it is necessary for the United States to produce a great crop of this year than before because of the embargo on the foreign product Michigan ought to be pretty clear in its absolute interest, for the state that produces it in its favor a few years ago, but with proper encouragement it could take a large place in our industrial economy and could be at once a source of profit to the farmer and a valuable aid to the federal government would stimulate its production by removing some of the vexatious regulations that were imposed when the tax was lifted and would devise some way for farmers to make the article without waiting for inspectors and installing expensive equipment, a genuine stimulus would be provided for an industry that has been waiting for some years to develop its latent possibilities. It is not difficult to conceive of a thriving addition to the country's business by this method, and perhaps the dismantled best factories could find a use if the matter were properly taken up.

Nor is this only a dream. In spite of the discouragement over the best business, even with the example of an industry built up only to draw upon it the

## EDITORIAL OPINION

### Crystallizing Sentiment.

The Republican state central committee will this week undertake to lay out plans for a great "get-together" conference or convention—and more power to the state central committee if it shall succeed.

But the practical problem which Republicanism must settle is the nomination for governor; and the thing most keenly necessary is some sort of primary method of determining, if possible, what the honest opinions of Republican rank and file may be upon the subject.

As we have taken occasion to say before, Representative Bayliss, of the Soo, came nearest to a practical suggestion when he proposed that the state central committee should authorize an absolutely independent sub-committee to take a mail referendum on the subject.

If a preferential ballot—to be marked with first, second and third choices—were to be secured from each member of each of the Republican county committees in the state (which would bring them from every voting unit in the commonwealth) and from each Republican newspaper editor (who is presumed to know something about the temper of his people), and if each Republican state legislator (who has a practical interest in seeing the problem answered rightly), and from the officers of every Republican club in Michigan—the totals would give state Republicanism a thermometer reading which would be pretty clear in its absolute strength of this great military machine by 400,000 men, making a total of 1,700,000. Such an enormous body would almost seem to carry within itself the possibilities of its own destruction.

Supervision and direction of such an overgrown military force are naturally difficult, but the Russian soldier is the embodiment of discipline and obedience, and while he may lack both energy and intelligence, he is generally loyal and serviceable in war.

Of course in the conflict with Japan there were many instances in which both the loyalty and the courage of the Russian soldiers were questioned. But the men were fighting at a tremendous distance from their own country, and it was evident from the first that the little Jap was more than a match for his big competitor.

Against whom will the great Russian army be turned? Is the question now being asked. It is apparent now the northern empire will not again attempt hostilities with Japan. It is more than probable, therefore, that the next great

### Totaly Inadequate.

Evidently moved by the justice of the criticism of the government in its policy of paying the railroads by a system of weighing made before the coming of the parcel post, Second Assistant Postmaster General Stewart gives out a statement attempting to show that something has been done and will further be done to give the railroads a fair deal. The presentation is not convincing, however.

Mr. Stewart points out the known fact that the postmaster general was authorized by congress to add 5 per cent a year to the compensation of the railroads after July, 1913. The increase is ridiculous compared with the growth of mail carried due to the parcel post.

Further, says the official, the department has submitted to congress a recommendation for legislation authorizing the postmaster general to allow not exceeding one-half of 1 per cent additional to the compensation paid on railroad routes on Aug. 15, 1913. The allowances to become effective on that date. That, also, is totally inadequate.—Boston Post.

### With an Eye Toward Economy.

Mr. Perry had been out for a day's fishing. As he proudly displayed the contents of his basket to his wife, she explained: "Oh, Alva, aren't they beauties! But I've been so anxious for the past hour, dear."

"Foolish little one!" said Alva exclaimingly; "why, what could have happened to me?"

"Oh, I didn't worry about you, dear," said the woman; "but it grew so late I was afraid that before you got back to town the fish markets would be closed."

—National Monthly.

### Precisian.

A New York physician, who has recently transferred his activities to the Hubbs, tells of a Bostonian who, like most of his townsmen, is a precisian in the matter of English, and who had occasion not long ago to consult the aforesaid doctor.

After ascertainment of symptoms, the physician said: "What you need, more than anything else, is a tonic in the shape of fresh air."

Whereupon the Hubbitt waxed sarcastic and inquired: "Before we proceed further, would you mind telling me what is the shape of fresh air?"—Lippincott's Magazine.

### Problem of Support.

A prominent woman, who was very active in suffrage work, called upon several hardworking women to try and influence them in favor of suffrage for their sex.

"Madam," she said to one of the women, "are you a woman suffragist?"

"No, mum," was the reply. "I haven't time to be."

"Haven't time?" exclaimed the other. "Well, if you had the privilege of voting, whom would you support?"

"The same man I have supported for the last nine years," said the woman.

"And who is that?"

"My husband," said the woman.—National Monthly.

### Quite a Mistake.

At considerable expense a certain Scottish comrad had erected public swimming baths, and they were opened by one of the leading men of the neighborhood. Of the proudest there was Sandy, who had been appointed bath superintendent.

Sandy had two hobbies—dog breeding and swimming. For years prior to the opening ceremony one of the local councilors slipped and fell into the six-foot end of bath. "Come out of that!" roared Sandy, leaning over and catching the unfortunate one by the hair. "Come out of that! That bath'n't opened yet!"

When on firm foothold the councilor tried to laugh the matter away. "Anyhow, I have had the first swim," he said.

"Deed ye hadna!" responded Sandy calmly. "Me an' the dogs had a dip this morning."

### His Turn.

Mr. McCandle's untoward behavior during the evening out was serving as the topic of the customary curtain-lecture.

"I trust I have made myself plain," icily continued his better half, in the early stages of her preparations for retiring.

Her crushed, downtrodden victim, cast against a laggard eye in her direction, gave vent to a holly chuckle.

"Yes, my dear," he assented; "I cannot but acknowledge that you have." And during the period of scornful silence which ensued, McCandle dropped off to peaceful slumber.—Judge.

### Rascally Bill Jones.

George Newman, during the recent Baltimore convention of advertising men, told at a midnight banquet a number of amusing anecdotes.

"Then there was Bill Jones"—so one anecdote began—"the rascally Bill Jones, who put in all the papers an advertisement saying: 'Send thirty two-cent stamps for speedy, safe and certain rat extermination!'"

"A good many people, their properties being overrun with rats, sent for the rat exterminator. In return for their thirty stamps they got this recipe from Bill: 'Treat your rats with kindness—they'll die of surprise on the spot.'"

—Baltimore News.

### CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS FOR CONSTIPATION.

For constipation, Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent. Easy to take, mild and gentle in effect. Give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

## Classified Want Directory

### WANTED.

WANTED—A competent cook. Apply Mrs. Austin Farrell, 521 Arch street. 3-26-14

WANTED—Steward and stewardess, May 1st, at Marquette Town and County club. Mail applications to L. Garvin, Nester block. 3-25-14

WANTED—An experienced man to take charge of highway contract; can work two or three teams. Contract near Kenosha, Mich. Address, O. R. Conner, Kenosha, Mich. 3-21-2w

### FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Six-room cottage, 300 W. Park street. Key at 348 W. Park street. 3-24-1w

FOR RENT—Five rooms and good basement, 215 W. Hewitt. 3-14-1f

TO RENT—Very desirable corner store in the Cole block, corner Third and Blue streets. There is without doubt as much travel up Third street, as there is down. Also four-room flat in same building. Marquette County Savings Bank or Charles T. Geill. 3-4-1f

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, corner of High and Crescent street. Hot water heat, all modern conveniences. Apply to John Robertson. 2-9-1f

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Fisherman's outfit, house, nets, gasoline boat, 20 ft long, 8-foot beam, 4 horsepower engine. Inquire Andrew Sivonen, Liberty Hall. 3-25-6f

FOR SALE—A two-family house on a big lot, five rooms, down-stairs, four upstairs; all conveniences; cement block barn, 20x14; wood shed, 30x12, and my business, corner Fourth and Washington, consisting of meat market and groceries, known under the name of "Central Meat Market." Easy terms. For further particulars inquire at Central Meat Market, off 218 S. Seventh street. 3-24-1f

FOR SALE—House and lot. Enquire 135 Rock street. 3-21-1w

FOR SALE—House and lot, 223 W. Ridge street. Enquire on the premises. 3-19-1f

FOR SALE—House and two lots, 649 West Washington street. Ground sufficient for carrying on truck farming. Will sell cheap. W. A. Ross, 135 W. Ohio street. 12-9-1f

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that J. John D. Ross, as the legal owner of bounty land warrant No. 14475, for 100 acres, issued under Act of March 3, 1855, in favor of William Hall, and that said warrant having been lost, I have made application to the commissioner of pensions for a duplicate.

2-26-6w JOHN D. ROSS.

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT.

To Arthur H. Palmer, Arthur F. Baker, Henry J. Theriault, J. E. Lautner, J. M. Longyear, and to all other persons interested.

Take Notice, that the roll of the special assessment heretofore made of the City of Marquette, and assessed by the City of Marquette, for the purpose of defraying that part of the cost which the commission decided should be paid and borne by special assessment for the construction of twelve-inch water mains, from the corner of William Hall and Third streets, to the middle of Third street to the middle in Presque Isle avenue, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is also hereby given that the commission and assessed of the City of Marquette will meet at the City Hall in said City of Marquette, Michigan, on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1914, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., to hold a public hearing, at which time and place opportunity will be given all persons interested to be heard.

Dated, Marquette, Mich., March 19th, 1914. (3-20-4-3) DANIEL S. DUDOX, ASSESSOR, City Clerk.

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Marquette, Mich., March 24, 1914.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of Marquette, until 5 o'clock p. m., April 6th, 1914, for furnishing all labor, teaming and material required for the grading of Spring street, from Prospect street to the north line of Leggett's Addition, in accordance with the grade heretofore adopted therefor.

All bids must be made on blank forms, to be had at the office of this department, and must be accompanied by a bond in a sum at least twice the amount of the bid, with two good and solvent sureties; conditional for performance of contract, payment for labor, teaming, material, etc., in accordance with the specifications of the City Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. J. E. Anderson, Clerk. (3-25-27-30)

## There are Eggs and Eggs

Much depends on what the hen is fed. Roreroff Farm hens are fed corn, wheat, oats, alfalfa, bread and milk—lots of bread and milk. Roreroff Laid Yesterday Eggs cost you only about one penny each more than the other kind.

Copper Country

PROSECUTION SCORES AT TRIAL OF PLESE

Confession of Striker Accused of Pollack Murder Is Admitted as Evidence.

Judge O'Brien decided yesterday afternoon to admit the confession of Luka Plese in the trial of the man at L'Anse on the charge of murdering Deputy Sheriff Pollack of Houghton county.

The argument on the question of admitting the Plese confession occupied the greater portion of yesterday's sessions. Attorney Hilton, for the defense, presented arguments for an hour in the morning and Special Prosecutor Nichols argued for an hour in the afternoon.

The contention of the defense was that the confession was not admissible, because it was made under a promise.

The witnesses during Wednesday afternoon were Mrs. Barbara Merkle, of Hurontown, who saw a gang of men attacking a lone man that morning.

August Matson, a newsboy, who saw Pollack and the crowd of strikers approaching each other; Willy Bresnan, another newsboy, who first saw Pollack's body; Drs. Labine and Turner, who attended Pollack before his death.

Mike Kneec, who is indicted for perjury as a result of this case, was called to the stand, but stood on his constitutional rights. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Pintar, to whose house Minerich was taken, refused to admit anything, excepting that Minerich was conveyed to the house.

Strikers Make Overtures. August Bukkala, John Harrington and John Zaitiaz, a committee from the Amheon union of the Western Federation of Miners, yesterday afternoon visited General Manager Dengler of the Mohawk Mining company.

Copper Council U. C. T. Will Send Representatives to Meeting. The 1914 state convention of the United Commercial Travelers will take place in Saginaw Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 11, 12 and 13.

Knights of Kaleva Bazaar. A bazaar under the auspices of the Knights of Kaleva will be held in the Kaith hall at Hancock next Saturday evening.

Chronic Sufferers Find Relief After Few Doses Are Taken. If you are bothered with backache or rheumatism, have disagreeable, annoying bladder or urinary disorders to contend with—or suffer with any other of the many ills that come from weak kidneys, here is a guaranteed remedy you can depend upon, no matter what else may have failed to cure you.

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EASTER MONDAY BALL

Houghton Light Infantry to Conduct Big Event at Amphidrome Hall.

The Houghton Light Infantry announces that on Easter Monday night the custom of giving a grand military ball on the opening of the post- Lenten social season will be revived.

A committee consisting of O. J. Brunell, C. E. Wagner and E. J. Theriault is now working on the arrangements. Klinghammer's orchestra has been engaged to play the music and Director Klinghammer is working on a special program for the occasion.

The ball will be under the patronage of Messrs. and Mrs. James McNaughton of Calumet, Allen F. Ross and Homer A. Gnek of Houghton, F. W. Denton of Painesdale, Henry L. Baer of Hancock, James T. Fisher of Laurium, Edward A. Hamar of Chassel, A. M. Schulte of Dollar Bay and Charles McIntyre of Lakeland, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Moore of Atlantic.

The following present or former officers of the Houghton Light Infantry will constitute the reception committee: Major R. P. Dunstan, Captain George Millar, Captain L. J. Shields, Captain M. L. Foley, Captain W. J. Sanders and Lieutenants T. S. Smith, A. D. Anderson, A. M. MacDonald, J. C. Cundy, A. N. Baudin, J. P. Chappell.

Following the shock of yesterday morning, some excited correspondent wired the outside world that the copper country had suffered an earthquake and as a result inquiries came in from all parts in a large territory.

General Manager Lawton was asked as to the effect in his mine, and he says that the shock had caused some slight damage in effect and long were supposed to be explosions of imprisoned air, caused by the falling of old workings or the slipping of the formation underground.

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Under the direction of the Copper Country Commercial club there was a campaign to induce the officials of the Michigan State Telephone company to make several changes in their telephone directories.

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"IRON COUNTRY DAY"

Lshpeming Men Will Bowl at Calumet Tonight This Afternoon.

Today will be "iron country day" at the upper peninsula bowling tournament of the Calumet alleys at Calumet. The Lshpeming team, the Hard Ors, likely will start the afternoon's play for the visitors and probably will be followed by the Empire team, the quintet which represents "Pop" Geelan's alleys in the Hemetite City.

Considerable interest is being taken in the appearance of the Escanaba team. Escanaba sent three of her strongest bowlers to the tournament and they arrived yesterday morning.

Following are the tournament scores: Lshpeming, 153; Escanaba, 173; Empire, 183; Hemetite, 193; Escanaba, 203; Escanaba, 213; Escanaba, 223; Escanaba, 233; Escanaba, 243; Escanaba, 253; Escanaba, 263; Escanaba, 273; Escanaba, 283; Escanaba, 293; Escanaba, 303; Escanaba, 313; Escanaba, 323; Escanaba, 333; Escanaba, 343; Escanaba, 353; Escanaba, 363; Escanaba, 373; Escanaba, 383; Escanaba, 393; Escanaba, 403; Escanaba, 413; Escanaba, 423; Escanaba, 433; Escanaba, 443; Escanaba, 453; Escanaba, 463; Escanaba, 473; Escanaba, 483; Escanaba, 493; Escanaba, 503; Escanaba, 513; Escanaba, 523; Escanaba, 533; Escanaba, 543; Escanaba, 553; Escanaba, 563; Escanaba, 573; Escanaba, 583; Escanaba, 593; Escanaba, 603; Escanaba, 613; Escanaba, 623; Escanaba, 633; Escanaba, 643; Escanaba, 653; Escanaba, 663; Escanaba, 673; Escanaba, 683; Escanaba, 693; Escanaba, 703; Escanaba, 713; Escanaba, 723; Escanaba, 733; Escanaba, 743; Escanaba, 753; Escanaba, 763; Escanaba, 773; Escanaba, 783; Escanaba, 793; Escanaba, 803; 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### City Brevities

Today's weather: Probably snow; colder.  
Yesterday's temperatures: Seven a. m., 19 degrees; noon, 21; 7 p. m., 19; highest, 21; lowest, 17.

C. A. Bigelow, of Ishpeming, was a Marquette business visitor yesterday.

R. A. Tobin, of Shingleton, was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Monday a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Thoney, West Washington street.

C. C. Thurier, of Iron Mountain, spent yesterday in the city on a business mission.

Mayor F. H. Begole left yesterday afternoon for Detroit on a brief business trip.

A. T. Roberts is out of the city for several days on business in Chicago and other points.

John E. Fortune, of the Soo, was a Marquette business caller Wednesday and yesterday.

The clerks in the Marquette county courthouse were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner last evening.

Miss Alice Beckman, deputy county clerk, has been ill and was confined to her home for the past several days.

Mrs. Delia Taylor and daughter, Miss May, leave this week for Detroit, where they will make their home permanently.

W. F. Fitch arrived in the city yesterday morning from San Antonio, Texas, where he has spent the past six weeks.

The teachers of the grade schools met yesterday afternoon in the assembly room of the high school, and were addressed by Superintendent Gehrand.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will not meet this afternoon, owing to the noon prayer meeting that is to be held at the Presbyterian church.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the A. O. H. will meet at 8 o'clock this morning in the basement of St. Peter's church, preparatory to attending the funeral of Mrs. D. A. Delaney.

Miss Lael Hargrave left yesterday afternoon for Washington, D. C., where she will resume her studies. She was accompanied by her father and brother as far as Detroit.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will hold a meeting at 3:15 o'clock this afternoon in the church parlors. The hostesses will be Mesdames Madden and Roberts.

The Women's society of the Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. A. F. Sheldon, 112 West Arch street. The time has been changed because of the afternoon prayer meeting at the church.

Mrs. Nellie McGinnis and daughter, Marie, of Bayfield, Wis., are in the city to attend the funeral of the Mrs. D. A. Delaney. Mrs. M. Mandy, of Ashland, Wis., and Miss Mayme Tierney, of Menominee, Mich., are also in the city.

George Atkinson, advance agent for the "Peg o' My Heart" company, which plays at the Marquette Opera House next week, was in the city yesterday. The show will be one of the few large attractions to be offered at the Marquette house this season.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians will meet in the basement of St. Peter's cathedral this morning at 8 o'clock to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. D. A. Delaney, which will be held from the cathedral at 8:30 o'clock this morning with interment in Holy Cross cemetery.

At the Grand Theater—"Thor, Lord of the Jungle," a three-reel feature from the Selig company, will be shown at the Grand theater today. Miss Katherine Williams appears in the leading role. One other picture will also be included in the program.

Challenge Is Accepted—Cecil Charlton and H. H. Anderson, of the Peter White club, who recently issued a challenge to any two members of the club to a bowling match, will play Jack Denny and Clarence McKeegan, who have accepted the challenge. The match will be rolled this week.

Court Opens April 14—The United States district court will open here April 14 with Judge C. W. Sessions presiding. It is not expected that the term will be a long one. The calendar is not yet ready, as five or six days still remain in which cases may be filed with the clerk of the court.

Little Snow on Ground—The heavy thaw of Wednesday caused a decrease of more than five inches in the snow depth, according to the record of the Marquette weather bureau. A 1/2 inch of snow fell early yesterday morning, giving an average depth now of slightly more than six inches.

Will Play L'Anse Girls—Tonight the girls' basketball team of the Marquette High school will meet the L'Anse High school girls at L'Anse. The L'Anse team was defeated here several weeks ago. A delegation of the faculty and students will accompany the team, who will return to the city Saturday evening.

Child Fully Recovered—Marceline Lemire, an eight-year-old Chocoley girl, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Ann Arbor, where she has been treated at the university hospital. She was accompanied by Mrs. John Stewart, matron at the county poor farm. The child was a cripple when taken to the hospital, and has now fully recovered.

Robins Are Seen—A sure sign of the arrival of spring was seen yesterday in the arrival of several robins. While crows and various other things are considered to be omens of the arrival of spring weather, nevertheless the robins are considered to be the first sure sign. Crows have been in evidence for several weeks past.

Had an Enjoyable Time—The members of the Marquette lodge of the Knights of Pythias were surprised at their last meeting by the Pythian Sisters. Progressive pedro was played throughout the evening, and the winners of the prizes were Mrs. Dewart, Mrs. F. H. Bertal, W. A. Ross and Herman Schauer. About eighty persons were present.

City Team to Copper Country—Tomorrow morning the Marquette City team, the claimants of the basketball championship of the upper peninsula, leaves for the copper country, where it will meet the five of the Michigan College of Mines tomorrow evening. The college has the strongest quintet in that section

of the peninsula, but was defeated by the Marquette boys on the home floor.

Bounties Were Paid—Victor Mackala, of Ely township, was paid two wolf bounties at the office of the county treasurer yesterday. Peter Doll, of Michigamme township, brought in three wildcats for bounty.

INSURE WITH PETER WHITE & CO.

### CREOSOTE TASTE CAUSES COMPLAINT

Contamination of City Water Is Believed to Be Due to Passing Conditions.

Marquette has, the past week or so, been suffering from its former chronic trouble, and has been experiencing a rather aggravated case of "too much creosote."

And the doctors who are expected to concern themselves with the trouble yesterday confessed themselves stumped when it comes to fixing the cause.

"Yes, indeed, I have noticed the creosote, and judging from the complaints that have been received many other persons have noticed it, too," Superintendent Johnston, of the water department, said, answering a question. "But I can't tell you what is the cause of the trouble. It is possible, though, that it is due to the breaking away of the shore ice off the plant of the Pioneer Iron company. This ice is contaminated with the winter's accumulation of the furnace discharges and it has probably been carried by the winds to near the mouth of the intake, where the water that is pumped into the mains has been tainted."

Mr. Johnson has directed the attention of Dr. Main, the health officer, to the condition of the water, and he will conduct an investigation as to the cause.

Since the completion of the extension of the intake, which was expected to do away with all trouble with contaminated water, there has been little complaint about the creosote, though it has been at time noted in the water, in a small extent. But for the past week the creosote has been so strong as to remind of the conditions that were common—and taken as a matter of course—before the intake improvement was started.

It is believed, however, that the trouble is a passing one and that when the ice is out and the spring breakup has come to its close the creosote taste will disappear from the water.

Government Official Lauds the Educational Campaign for Prevention.

Citing with alarm the enormous amount of typhoid fever among the seamen of the Great Lakes on United States merchant vessels, a warning has been issued to managers and masters of lake vessels that also has an important bearing on the residents of towns along the lakes, which have also suffered from outbreaks of this disease that could be traced to carelessness in handling the shipping.

Special attention is directed to the campaign, conducted along educational lines, against the dread disease, and which promises to be one of the most potent factors for prevention. This campaign is to consist of special instruction to the ship companies, owners, agents, captains, and seamen's unions, urging them to adopt every sanitary measure within their means to prevent the infection and spread of the disease among the sailors on the vessels.

This, of course, will very likely, to a large extent, do away with the danger arising from the emptying of water ballast and refuse from the freighters into the lake within or near the proximity of the breakwaters. Marquette has frequently directed attention to the danger of this feature, and any discouragement of it would have a real significance for residents of this city.

The warning is in part as follows: "Your attention is directed to the fact that there were admitted to the United States marine hospitals during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, 392 cases of typhoid fever among the seamen. In addition to this number many other cases were treated in various other public hospitals, showing that typhoid in our merchant marine is high.

Economic Loss Great.

"Hospital experience has demonstrated that the average seaman who has an attack of typhoid, loses in actual work time from two to four months. Taking two and a half months, a fairly low average, as the individual loss in time and \$1.50 as the average daily wage, it is seen that the 392 cases represent a loss of eighty years working time and \$44,000 in wages.

"Every case of typhoid must be considered as a focus for the spread of the disease, either during the period of actual illness or subsequent to recovery as a possible carrier.

"The nature of a sailor's calling necessarily subjects him to many insanitary dangers over which he has practically no control. On account of his close association with shipmates the great variation in food and drinking water, and his roving life from port to port, he is exposed to many sources of infection than the average citizen surrounded by municipal sanitary safeguards.

"For these reasons there is no class of individuals to whom immunization by typhoid prophylactic is of more value as insurance against the disease than to sailors. There is no doubt that if the practice of typhoid immunization is encouraged there will be a marked reduction in the yearly typhoid rate among crews. That this movement has long since passed beyond the theoretical and experimental stages is evidenced by the remarkable results obtained in the armies and navies of the United States and Europe."

Pastelboard boxes with a sanitary insect-proof opening have been invented for containing sugar and other food products similar in form.

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# 'PHONE COMPANY IS GOING AHEAD

### Annual Report of Michigan State Shows Gratifying Increase in Gross and Net Earnings for 1913 as Compared With Figures for the Previous Year.

### Physical Plant Was Largely Increased—Marquette County Purchase Was Important and Much Work in Way of Betterments Was Done in the U. P.

Figures on the earnings and profits of the Michigan State Telephone company received by K. S. Baker, of Marquette, commercial manager for the upper peninsula district, make clear that the company showed a gratifying gain in business in 1913, compared with 1912, and that in 1914 its gross earnings will considerably exceed \$6,000,000.

The gross earnings for last year were \$5,825,961, compared with \$5,193,923 in the previous twelve months, and the net earnings, or profit, showed an increase of \$163,533, crossing the million mark and going up to \$1,133,081. The surplus after the payment of dividends and other expenditures charged against earnings was \$3,032, compared with \$404 in 1912.

While gross earnings went up in a gratifying manner, operating expenses almost kept pace with the increase, having mounted from \$2,084,188.32 in 1912 to \$2,574,418.14 last year. The company paid \$368,533.31 taxes, compared with \$294,884.94 in the previous twelve months. Interest charges, one of the biggest items of expenditure, were \$70,613.71, as against \$593,929.34.

Dividends on preferred stock at 6 per cent amounted to \$162,739.50, and at the same time on common stock to \$245,632.39, a total of \$408,372, against \$363,159.75 the preceding year.

The company's balance sheet lists assets and liabilities of \$26,230,834.55, a reduction of \$1,338,012.70 from the totals at the close of 1912. Under assets appear a new item, "intangible capital," which is entered at \$514,345.24. Real estate is appraised at \$1,242,820.68, compared with \$976,743.75 in 1912. Telephone plant at \$22,515,520.13, and furniture, tools and supplies at \$806,307.85, show increases, comparing with \$18,100,593.88 and \$688,921.27.

Under liabilities the entire authorized issue of \$4,000,000 preferred and \$6,000,000 common stock is shown outstanding. Mortgage obligations are \$9,715,000, first 5 per cent bonds due in 1924 and \$285,000 first 5 per cent bonds due in 1917, to which was added in 1913, \$52,600 of first 6 per cent bonds of the Detroit River Telephone company, due in 1930. Bills payable are listed at \$460,000 in contrast with \$3,359,948.90 the year before.

The figures on the extent of the com-

pany's service will probably be something of a revelation even to persons who believe that they have a pretty good idea of the manner in which the telephone has been introduced even in the byways. The company maintains 263,278 stations, an increase of 24,821 during 1913. It is using 583,738 miles of wire, maintains 290 central offices and has 6,355 employes on its payroll, an increase of 1,062 last year.

The scope of the company's operations was largely extended in 1913 by the taking over of several independent companies, one of the most important of which was the Marquette County Telephone company, which at the time of its sale had more telephones in the western end of the county than the Michigan State.

With the purchase of this company the Michigan State absorbed the last of the important independents north of the straits, and now it has all the business in the principal cities. There are remaining below the straits, however, several important independent concerns, some with heavy capitalizations.

The upper peninsula fared well last year in the appropriations for betterments, and important and expensive work was done in Iron Mountain, Ironwood, the Soo, Houghton, Ishpeming and Negaunee, and other cities. In addition, also, there were heavy expenditures to improve the long distance service, which is showing a satisfactory growth in business each year.

### UNIVERSITY EXTENSION LECTURE.

Professor William D. Henderson, of the University of Michigan faculty, will deliver one of the popular university extension lectures in the auditorium of the Marquette High school Wednesday, April 8. Announcement to this effect was received recently by G. W. Gehrand, superintendent of schools. His subject will be "Dollars and Sense in Education." The lecture will be free and residents of Marquette are invited to attend.

The announcement that Professor Henderson will visit Marquette will be received with interest. He is known to be an excellent public speaker, having appeared previously before audiences here. Several years ago he delivered the commencement address to a class of the Northern State Normal school. It is probable that Professor Henderson's lecture will be the last of the extension series this year.

### RED CROSS OFFICERS.

Red Cross legion, No. 209, elected the following officers at a meeting at the Owe's hall last evening:

Past President—Hannah Potter.  
President—Clara Brandon.  
Vice President—Mary Hummel.  
Secretary—Sarah Nelson.  
Treasurer—Anna Wilson.  
Chairman—Helen McCormick.  
Conductor—Mac Welsh.  
Guard—Charles Nelson.  
Sentinel—Paul Christianson.  
Pianist—Mae Wills.  
Trustees—Mae Wills, Ray O'Neil and Mae Smith.

### MOTOR VEHICLE LAW IN SUPREME COURT

#### Detroit Appeal from Judgment for Injury to Pedestrian Raises Important Question.

Washington, March 26.—Michigan's motor vehicle law, which was once upheld by the supreme court of the state and later declared unconstitutional by the same authority, is about to be tested in the supreme court of the United States. The point of law on which the case was carried to the supreme court is one of far-reaching importance, as it affects the liability of all owners of automobiles for damage or injuries inflicted when the machine is in charge of a chauffeur or other person.

The case is a suit for damages brought by John W. Parrott against the Metzger Motorcar company of Detroit. Parrott alleged that he was run down by an automobile owned by the company and driven by one of its chauffeurs. Parrott sued in the United States district court for the eastern district of Michigan and received a judgment.

Grounds for Appeal.

The company appealed the case, attacking the constitutionality of the law on the ground that it is in violation of the fourteenth amendment to the constitution. They claim that it deprives a man of property without due process of law, and deprives citizens of the equal protection of the laws.

As Michigan was the pioneer state in building automobiles, so it was the pioneer in passing a law to make the owner of a machine responsible for the acts of any one in charge of the machine, unless it shall have been taken without the owner's consent. There is no doubt that if the Michigan law is upheld in this respect many other states will copy it.

Judge Silas B. Spier of Mount Clemens, attorney for Parrott, claims there is no conceivable way of making the law effective in protecting the citizens in their lawful rights upon the streets and highways except through this law.

# WANTS WIRELESS TO LINK ALL U. S.

### Government Would See Its Possibilities Joined by Means of the Radio Stations.

Washington, March 26.—Secretary Daniels' letter to congress, asking an appropriation of \$400,000 for the next fiscal year to be used in the construction of high-power radio stations, calls attention to the ambitious program of the government, which looks to the construction of enough of these stations to bind together all possessions of the United States, from Porto Rico to the Philippines, including the canal zone and Hawaiian islands.

The total cost of this construction, it has been estimated, will be \$1,500,000,

and the stations are to be located in the canal zone, on the coast of California, in the Hawaiian islands, in American Samoa, in Guam and in the Philippines. Of course, the Arlington station, on the banks of the Potomac, opposite Washington, one of the most powerful in the world, will be a part of the system.

In that connection, it will be interesting to note that the Arlington station on several occasions has been in direct communication with a station now in operation at Honolulu, a distance of about 3,200 miles. It will be recalled, also, that it is in regular communication with Eiffel tower at Paris, a distance of about 3,000 miles.

"We are in regular communication with the Eiffel tower station," says Rear Admiral Robert S. Griffin, chief of the navy's bureau of steam engineering, "but our touch with Honolulu is more uncertain."

"The first time the Arlington station picked up Honolulu it was unable to read the message." A trolley car was passing near the Arlington station at the time. These trolley lines set up electric oscillations, and it must be said that this particular car got on the same wave

length with the tower, thus preventing the deciphering of the message.

"Such a thing probably would not happen once in a hundred years. But it happened on this occasion, just as it happened on this occasion, just as we caught Honolulu and had begun to decipher their message."

"It might say also that we are in daily communication at Arlington with San Francisco. Most of our experiments with San Francisco are made on Sunday, because there are fewer interruptions on that day."

Congress appropriated \$400,000 last winter for these high-power radio stations, to be used during the fiscal year ending next June 30, and Secretary Daniels' letter to congress asks for a like amount for the new fiscal year. The estimate had been overlooked by the department when it submitted its request for money at the beginning of the present session, wherefore the necessity for Secretary Daniels' letter.

There is no doubt but the appropriation will be made, since it is the purpose of the government to complete the proposed chain of radio-towers at the earliest possible time.

Of the six stations that are to be

built, not counting the Arlington station, work has been begun on the one that is located in the canal zone, now called the Darien station. It is expected this station will be completed and ready for service by the early fall of this year. The towers at Darien will be completed by July 1, barring interference by the wet season, and the buildings which are to go with it as a necessary part of the plant will be finished next month.

The California station will be located near San Diego and negotiations for the purchase of the necessary ground now are under way. Preliminary surveys and tests for sites in the Hawaiian islands and in the Philippines have been made and suitable locations have been tentatively decided upon.

Nothing has yet been done with regard to the proposed stations in American Samoa and in Guam and it is possible they will not be constructed, this depending on whether they will be essential to the carrying out of the government's program.

"To insure intercommunication between the Honolulu and the Philippine stations," says Admiral Griffin, "will re-

quire the installation of extremely powerful and expensive machinery. It can be assumed that the total cost of each station will not be less than \$350,000, which would represent a very economical outlay for a station of the size proposed."

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Because hundreds of persons were unable to enter our establishment and returned to their homes with only glimpses of the alluring spectacle staged within our doors, we are repeating, both for their benefit and for the benefit of hundreds who were unable to come out, the exhibit this evening.

To you and you friends we again extend a cordial invitation to be present this evening. It is truly

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Nearly two hundred articles of wearing apparel, not including many of the season's latest creations in women's headgear, furnished for the occasion by Mrs. Warner's Millinery Shop, Spring street, were shown last night. We have as many again, all new and different in style and material to show you tonight, in addition to the charming models already exhibited.

We have engaged several other young women to participate in the pageant this evening. This will enable us to show twice as many garments as we did last evening. The stage will be raised to enable all to see the full lines of the figures as they appear. Not anticipating last night's tremendous attendance our invitations brought out, we were really unprepared to entertain you to best advantage. TONIGHT WE ARE PREPARED!

On this page we try to show you a few of the season's best productions. Tonight at our first Style Show you will see several hundred charming effects. Music will again be furnished by Behan's Orchestra. The fine piano used in the entertainment is furnished us by A. S. Cameron, music dealer, Opera House Block.

### No Garments Sold or Offered for Sale During the Style Show

Get your ideas for your Spring clothes tonight, if you have not already done so. Try them on at your earliest convenience. Everything exhibited by us will be sold during the next few weeks. While fascinating in beauty of cut and workmanship, materials and ideas, our gowns, dresses, coats and suits are not expensive. We can please every taste. Come tonight and be convinced.

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The Style Show is now an established institution. The enthusiasm of the people of Marquette and their hearty support have made it the success we are proud of. Again we take pleasure in thanking our guests for all their presence has meant. Another season, and every season hereafter will see our Style Show in full swing, on a finer, grander scale than was possible this spring. This fall we will rent the largest hall in Marquette for the purpose and use treble the number of young women in the roles of living models. It will be exclusively a Paris Fashion feature for every season—a pageant of Dame Fashion's loveliest ideal.



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| RESOURCES:  |              |
|---|--------------|
| Loans, discounts and bonds.....                       | \$789,258.93 |
| Banking house .....                                   | 15,000.00    |
| Overdrafts .....                                      | None         |
| Cash resources .....                                  | 171,338.97   |
| \$975,597.90  |              |
| LIABILITIES:  |              |
| Capital stock .....                                   | \$ 50,000.00 |
| Surplus fund .....                                    | 50,000.00    |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid ..... | 29,379.76    |
| Dividends unpaid .....                                | 80.00        |
| Deposits .....  | 836,388.14   |
| Reserved for interest .....                           | 9,750.00     |
| \$975,597.90  |              |

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**Ishpeming Department**

(Additional Ishpeming on Page 7.)

**FATHER POULIN  
ON WAY HOME**

Former Ishpeming Clergyman Has Completed Interesting South American Trip.

Rev. A. Poulin, a former pastor of St. Joseph's church in this city, who for the past several months has been making a tour of Central and South America, is now homeward bound. Father Poulin has written a number of interesting articles, describing the countries he has passed through, for the Escanaba Press. For some years past he has been pastor of Sacred Heart church at Sheaffer. His latest letter, written on the 18th, from the Barbados Islands, is as follows: "I left Puntarenas in the evening of February 2 and on the 14th, in the morning, we were, after a happy sailing, in front of Montevideo, the charming capital of Uruguay. The city has a population of 350,000 inhabitants and is very pretty and clean. The parks, the zoological garden, the bathing places well deserve a visit. From the foot of the Cerro (Hill) a beautiful view is had over the city and the surroundings. "From Montevideo, I went to Buenos Ayres, the largest city of South America, having now a population of 1,400,000. Comfortable boats make every night trip between these two capitals. Buenos Ayres has been called the New York of the Paris of the Southern Hemisphere. To a certain extent it deserves both names. "From Buenos Ayres I went to Santos, the great coffee port of Southern Brazil and a nice city of 50,000 inhabitants. From there I went on a nice train to San Paulo, a city of 400,000 inhabitants and undoubtedly the most progressive of the world today. Last year contracts were given for the erecting of 6,000 houses. "All these cities cover an area much larger than our northern cities would with the same population. Because of the many parks and public or private gardens and also because of the many one-story buildings. As I was telling a Brazilian about our high buildings in the north, he replied: 'You, in the north are too poor, you have no land, here we have lots of it.' "Rio de Janeiro is a wonderfully beautiful city. The parks are wonderful, especially the central and the Acleamayo. The Paseo Publico is another well designed flowery open space. At the Botanical Garden is to be seen every possible combination of tropical and semi-tropical trees and flowers from the stately palm to the feathery fern, all growing luxuriantly in their native soil and bathed in the golden sunshine of the tropics. Amidst all the gorgeous plants, the most striking is the Victoria Regia, the queen of the Brazilian flora. This superb leaf measures in some instances twenty feet in circumference and will support a man sitting upon a chair. The lilies, which when first opened are of a delicate rose tint, grow half a foot above the water and measure four feet round. Their life, however, is a short one; too soon it is to be said: 'Rose, elle a vie, ce que vivent les roses, l'espace d'un matin.' "From Rio Janeiro I went to Bahia, the oldest city in Brazil, with a population of 300,000, inhabitants, two-thirds of whom are colored people. Seen from the sea, Bahia, with its big stone buildings, its many churches, (there are 365) rising their towers, steeples and domes in the midst of the tropical trees, appears proudly and magnificently, but very quickly the impression changes when the traveler penetrates in the city and looks at the narrow, badly paved and very unclean streets. He is at once reminded of the peacock, to whom his master said: 'Look at your feet and humble yourself.' "Let me say now in conclusion of all my travels in these Central and South American countries, where the governments are so shaky; administrations so defective and the true liberty so little understood and known, how happy one feels in returning to New York."

**BANK STRUCTURE  
TO BE FIREPROOF**

Work of Rebuilding Miners' National Building Will Be Undertaken at Once.

The officers of the Miners' National bank, whose building was destroyed by fire at an early hour Wednesday morning, have decided to replace it with a fireproof building and to use the walls of the old structure, which will need but little repairing. J. S. Wahlman, who will rebuild the structure, already has several men engaged on preliminary work. A large force was also employed yesterday removing the debris from the interior of the building. The interior, with the exception of the floor and the marble around the floor base and counters, will have to be replaced. The marble was protected by the grill work, which withstood the weight of the debris that came through from the roof and second floor. Cashier C. H. Moss' desk and typewriter were practically the only fixtures that were not completely ruined. They were protected by the grill work from Assistant Cashier Aas' cage, which fell over and prevented the weight from crushing the desk. The bank did not conduct any business Wednesday, but it was reopened yesterday morning at the usual hour in the store room in the Vorkor block. The new quarters are large and will meet the requirements of the bank officials nicely until the remodeled structure is ready for occupancy. It is expected that the building can be completed in from three to four months, as Mr. Wahlman will put a large force to work. The iron beams supporting the second floor are the only parts of the interior of the structure that can be used again. Mr. Moss yesterday said that the fire, which was the third that the bank has suffered in a little over eight years, will not in any way affect the institution's business. The vaults and everything in them were found in perfect condition. The fixtures used in the temporary quarters were gotten together hurriedly, most of them being loaned by Ishpeming business concerns. New adding machines, typewriters, etc., which Mr. Moss telegraphed for Wednesday morning, were received yesterday. Mr. Moss is enthusiastic in his praise of the services given by the members of the fire department. Chief John Lacey, he says, deserves much credit for the manner in which he directed the fight. He was particularly impressed with Lacey's nerve in remaining in the building until all his men were out, while the floor was caving.

**Upper Peninsula**

**Soo's Water Is Found Safe.** Recent examinations made by the state bacteriological department at Lansing fail to show that the water used at the Soo is in any way contaminated, but, on the contrary, the report declares that the finding gave excellent results. The report bears out the opinion of Health Officer Griffin, who has always held that the city water is not polluted. **Will Have New Type of Street Car.** Esbanaba is to be introduced to the pay-as-you-enter street car. The Escanaba Traction company has ordered one of these vehicles for use on the Charlotte street line and to take place of an antiquated car that has been the butt of jesters throughout the city. The car will be constructed entirely of steel. It will be ready to place in commission in two months. The car will be of single truck design, but of nearly as great length as the cars on the other lines of the system. It will be well equipped. Traffic on the line is not sufficient to warrant installing one of the large cars and the pay-as-you-enter feature is

adopted to make it possible for a single employee to act in the double capacity of motorman and conductor. Passengers will both leave and enter from the front platform, thus being in plain view of the motorman until they are safely alighted, eliminating the danger offered in the use of the present car, where the motorman is unable to wholly observe patrons leaving the car.

**Co-Operative Store Flourishing.** To celebrate the first anniversary of the Soo Co-Operative store at the Soo, Manager Arthur G. Bailey has inaugurated a five-day sale. The corporation's first year of business closes April 1. The corporation has 115 stockholders. Stock is sold in blocks of not less than three shares at \$10 per share, and a membership fee of \$3 is charged. During its first year the concern will have transacted business to the amount of \$55,000. In conducting its business the corporation has followed the Rochdale plan closely. The concern transacts a general business in groceries and supplies and has a bakery and meat market in connection. Manager Bailey declares the company has been successful.

**Millie Mine Dry Is Burned.** Fire at Iron Mountain this week destroyed the Millie mine dry. Owing to the distance from the city and the fact that it is an inconvenient place for the department to reach, the structure was a mass of flames by the time the fire companies got there. To make matters worse no water could be gotten, as it was found that the hydrant was frozen. Even though water was available it would not have mattered much, as the dry was about ruined when the firemen arrived. There being other buildings and a pile of wood a short distance from the building, the fire fighters remained and kept close watch to see that no fur-

**The Miners' National Bank, Ishpeming, Mich**

**STATEMENT  
CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAR. 4, 1914.**  
(COMPTROLLER'S CALL)

| RESOURCES:  | LIABILITIES:   |
|---|----------------|
| Loans and discounts .....                               | \$1,040,855.60 |
| Overdrafts .....  | 1,158.98       |
| Banking house .....                                     | 21,872.00      |
| Other real estate .....                                 | 14,250.00      |
| U. S. and other bonds .....                             | 302,900.00     |
| Cash and exchange .....                                 | 320,076.48     |
| \$1,700,843.06  |                |
| Capital .....   | \$ 100,000.00  |
| Surplus .....   | 100,000.00     |
| Undivided profits .....                                 | 4,893.32       |
| Reserved for interest .....                             | 11,349.32      |
| Reserved for discount on U. S. bonds .....              | 4,500.00       |
| Reserved for subscription to Federal Reserve bank ..... | 6,000.00       |
| Circulation .....                                       | 99,900.00      |
| Deposits .....  | 1,375,999.82   |
| \$1,700,843.06  |                |

ther damage was done. How the fire started is unknown, but it is thought that it was caused by clothes which were hanging on the wall close to the stove becoming ignited.

**Upper Michigan Tubers for Travelers.** Upper peninsula potatoes for the dining-car service of the Canadian Pacific railroad—the greatest railroad system in the world—to appease the appetites of travelers bound for the Panama-Pacific exposition in 1915 at San Francisco. This is the desire of T. M. McKeowan, commissary agent, and W. R. Willard, superintendent of the dining car service of the Canadian Pacific, who were in Ishpeming this week to negotiate for the purchase of twenty carloads of choice potatoes for use on the Manitoba division of their lines. At the Menominee Hotel the two men, whose headquarters are at Winnipeg, stated that they had conferred with Colonel C. W. Mott of the Cleveland Development Bureau and also with C. J. Cook of the Carpenter Cook company in connection with obtaining the desired tubers. "Carefully sorted potatoes of uniform size are desired by all large concerns," said Mr. McKeowan, "and for such there is always a ready market."

**THE MOTHERS' FAVORITE.** A cough medicine for children should be harmless. It should be pleasant to take. It should be effective. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is all of this and is the mothers' favorite everywhere. For sale by All Dealers.

**THESE MARCH WINDS**

Are Dispelling a Good Many Winter Doubts. Likewise Bringing in the Spring which is here Officially Today.

**THE GATELY-WIGGINS STORE IS IN BUSINESS** to dispel doubts and uncertainties as to clothing for which you pay your good money.

It was begun in that spirit and the practical results have never been so good as they are today.

As surely as you cannot choose a really inferior garment where there is none, you cannot choose one in this store.

We are ready with a preliminary showing of garments for every member of the family. They have all the newest style features and are the pick of fashion's garden from the most severe to the most novel.

We invite you to this first showing of classy spring garments. Come whether you buy or not.



**Let Nothing Keep You From Our Spring Opening**

**The Big Fashion Show of 1914**

**MAKE** it a point to visit the store and look at our wonderful display of Ready-to-Wear.

If it doesn't inspire you with determination to select your Spring outfit, we are wrong in our estimate of your fashion judgment.

There is absolutely no good reason why you should not visit the store today --- no reason why we should not have your business this spring and many good reasons why you should start today, while the variety of selection is the best. If you buy we know you will be pleased with your purchase.

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SOUTH MAIN STREET, ISHPERING, MICHIGAN

**Millinery  
Announcement**



The ladies of Ishpeming and vicinity are invited to attend my exhibit of **Spring Millinery** on **SATURDAY and MONDAY, March 28 and 30.** **MRS. C. RILEY** Cleveland Ave.

**A PLEASING ACT.**

Elkins, Fay & Elkins, the vaudeville trio who opened a three days' engagement at Ishpeming theater last evening created a favorable impression. The trio sing well and are clever dancers. Tonight's picture program includes a strong Vitagraph drama in two reels, entitled "Hearts of Women." Other features are "Anna of the Golden Heart," a Vitagraph drama, and "The Husband's Experiment," a Biograph comedy.

Braastad's Spring Millinery Opening tomorrow. 3-27-14.

**ELECTION NOTICES OUT.**

City Recorder Olds has posted in the several wards, notices of the election April 6. Two aldermen will be elected in the Sixth ward, one succeeding A. G. Bergstrom, who resigned a few months ago to leave for the west, and the other to succeed Charles Trevern, whose term expires. There will also be two aldermen elected in the Eighth ward, one to succeed Andrew Nelson, resigned, who has taken a position in Milwaukee. Thomas Lucas, the retiring alderman will be a candidate for reelection.

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**SPRING BLOOD AND SYSTEM CLEANSER.**

During the winter months impurities accumulate, your blood becomes impure and thick, your kidneys, liver and bowels fail to work, causing co-called "Spring Fever." You feel tired, weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the spring tonic and system cleanser—is what you need; they stimulate the kidneys, liver and bowels to healthy action, expell blood impurities and restore your health, strength and ambition. Electric Bitters makes you feel like new. Start a four weeks' treatment—it will put you in fine shape for your spring work. Guaranteed. All Druggists, 50c and \$1.00 at The Stafford Drug Co.

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**THE CHINAMEN'S PROLIFIC HEN.**

The work of the United States consular service is not confined to sending word to American manufacturers of possible markets for their wares. In a good many cases the consul obtains valuable hints for the improvement of things in this country by noting the way in which they are done in some obscure quarter of the globe. The consul at Antung, China, has found out something about the Chinese hen. The industrious female lays eggs which weigh five to ten pounds. The American "biddy" does not do nearly as well. Some day in the near future a cargo of these wonderful hens may be brought over from China, and we find in the Boston Advertiser an in-

formation that if it is found possible to propagate the Chinese hen on this side of the water the family which raises chickens on the tenement house plan will be ready to snap its fingers at the egg trust. The Chinese hen may restore the American breakfast, which used to be a substantial affair but now is very little besides coffee and the by-products of the lumber yards

**WHEN SPEED BECOMES DANGEROUS**

Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, speaking at the first annual conference of the American Museum of Safety in New York, says that speed is the real problem of labor. It is not that machinery is so dangerous, she says, but what is called industrial inefficiency keys the workers up to a pitch that means in time mental and physical exhaustion. She says that up to a certain point a worker can increase speed, and that after that it begins to decline. Business compels the attitude of the owners of factories, she says, and they do not realize how they grind down the girls in their seeking for efficiency.

**Colds Cause Headache and Grip** LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets remove the cause. There is Only One "BROMO QUININE". Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE on each box. Price 25 cents.

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## Ishpeming Department

### ANOTHER TOURNAMENT.

Checker Players Are Arranging Third Series of Contests.

The members of the Y. M. C. A. who participated in the recent checker tournament, held a social session Wednesday evening at the "Y." Refreshments were served and several of the members gave short talks. Team No. 1, captained by Alfred Johnson, won the tournament by seven points. It was decided to conduct another tournament, to start some evening next week. Each team will have not less than fifteen members, and possibly twenty. Those who desire to take part are requested to enter their names with Secretary R. J. Wise on or before the first of the month. The losers in the next tournament will serve a chicken pie supper for the winners.

### FIRSIDES CLUB MEETING.

Boys Who Attended Conference Will Make Report Sunday.

The meeting of the Fireside club of the Young Men's Christian association Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the "Y" building promises to be one of the most interesting. The organization has held this winter, as several of the boys who attended the conference in Escanaba last week will speak. The program will be as follows: Piano solo—Miss Carn. Vocal solo—Miss Rose. Vocal solo—Wm. J. Reid. Conference echoes—High school banquet—Robert Potter. Y. M. C. A. banquet—Holburn Bryden. Sunday school banquet—Hugo Swanson. General phases of the conference—Thos. Williams. Friday night, including banquet—E. Holmgren. Best speech and speaker—John Shand.

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### ISHPEMING IN BRIEF.

S. P. Shattuck, representative of the Kimberly-Clark Paper company, was a business visitor in Ishpeming yesterday.

The Fashion Suit company is holding its spring opening this week. Yesterday there were many callers at the store.

F. Braastad & Co. have started to tear down the buildings on the site where the new postoffice will be erected.

Mrs. P. J. Holland of Laurium, who visited Mrs. P. J. Sullivan here for a week or so, returned to her home Wednesday.

An adjourned regular meeting of the city council will be held Wednesday evening, when the finance committee will submit its report for the past year.

D. Fred Charlton, of Marquette, was here yesterday conferring with the directors of the Miners' National bank relative to the rebuilding of the bank block.

The members of the Young Men's Christian association who are to take part in the minstrel show to be given at the Ishpeming theater the latter part of April held a rehearsal last evening.

Miss Helen Lidberg, the milliner, conducted her spring opening Wednesday and yesterday. She is showing an exquisite line of the latest hats and her parlors were visited by hundreds of ladies.

The sophomore basketball team of the Ishpeming high school defeated the Freshmen five yesterday afternoon by a score of 37 to 7. The Seniors forfeited to the Juniors the game scheduled for yesterday.

The delegates chosen by Hematite camp, Modern Woodmen of America, to attend the county convention to be held Wednesday, April 1, in Gwinn, will meet Sunday afternoon at the home of August Carlson, clerk of the camp.

Mrs. Rosina Stark celebrated the seventy-seventh anniversary of her birth Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Kyrne, on Euclid street. A number of Mrs. Stark's friends were present and the afternoon was spent enjoyably.

Miss Anna Hennessey, leader of the Ishpeming theater orchestra, left yesterday morning for Menominee, where she will remain for ten days. She will take charge of the musical work at the

Menominee theater until a piano player who Manager Butler has engaged arrives there.

### WILL NOT OPPOSE GOV. FERRIS.

Frensdorf Says He Is Interested Only in Keeping Up the Fight For Progressive Democracy.

Washington, March 21.—"Absolutely nothing to it," was the comment of Edward Frensdorf when asked about the possibility of his becoming the candidate of the progressive Democracy of Michigan against Governor Ferris. Mr. Frensdorf was in Washington to oppose the Boomer bill for the regulation of the sale of goods made by convict labor. "Gov. Ferris is entitled to another nomination and he wants it. I am interested only in keeping up the fight within the Democratic party to make the leaders more responsible to the will of the people. Governor Ferris was with us in that fight at one time. I heard him denounce the reactionary state organization the night before the Bay City convention. He gave a more scathing denunciation than I can because he has a more extensive vocabulary. Michigan is overwhelmingly progressive in sentiment and the Michigan Democracy wants to be progressive. Michigan progressive Democrats want to see the state give more than 25 per cent of its vote for the Democratic ticket at the next election. That was all they gave to Wilson. The Democratic ticket ran third in the state in 1912 because the reactionary Democrats were in the saddle. Michigan was the only state in the union with one exception where Wilson ran third. One reason for that was that of the twenty-six members of the Democratic state central committee only one was an original Wilson man."

### YALE ADOPTS ENGLISH IDEA.

Will Grant Special Privileges to Students of the Honor Rank.

New Haven, Conn., March 26.—Yale has adopted the system of giving special work and allowing special privileges to students of honor rank in scholarship. Beginning with the junior year, students of an average stand of 75 per cent will be allowed to take special courses and to be enrolled in a special honor division. About half of their studies during the remainder of the college course will include their work in the special honor division and half with the other members of their class. Their studies in the honor division will deal with research works and with reasons rather than facts. The system is closely modeled after that in vogue at the English universities. It will go into effect at Yale next year.

### CHRONIC STOMACH TROUBLE CURED.

There is nothing more discouraging than a chronic disorder of the stomach. Is it not surprising that many suffer for years with such an ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and may be had for a trifle? "About one year ago," says P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I bought a package of Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using them I have felt perfectly well. I had previously used any number of different medicines, but none of them were of any lasting benefit." For sale by All Dealers.

More than thirty-five thousand Irishmen left the old sod last year.



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- 6 lbs XC Sugar for.....25c
- Domino Sugar, 2 lb. pkg.....22c
- Chocolate, Baking.....16c
- Currants, Batavia, cleaned.....15c
- Currants, Plum Pudding, cleaned.....10c
- Raisins, Batavia, 2 pkgs.....25c
- Raisins, Emperor, 3 pkgs.....25c
- Gillett's Saffron, 2 boxes.....25c
- Calumet Baking Powder, per lb.....19c
- Butter, Creamery, per lb.....30c
- Eggs, fresh per dozen.....22c
- Lard, pure, 2 lbs.....25c
- Roll'd Oats, 4 lb. pkg.....17c
- Pillsbury Breakfast Food.....10c
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### Mining News

#### ISLE ROYALE.

The report of the Isle Royale Copper company for 1913 shows that it fell \$128,313 short of earning its mining expenses, while with the payment of interest, notes and \$1.50 per share dividend a year ago a total deficit of \$382,301 is shown. Of course this was largely due to the strike inaugurated just after mid-year. The mining results show a reduced output in comparison with previous years, a falling off in copper con-

tents and a much larger cost of the product. The company's copper cost was 18.81 cents per pound during 1913, while the average price received was 15.29 cents. The report calls attention to the fact that for the first six months of the year the openings made were 11,972 feet, and it is planned to re-establish this rate to maintain the mine in proper working shape for increased production.

#### CALUMET & ARIZONA.

The feature of Calumet & Arizona's 1913 report, as in the previous year, was the increasing importance of the Superior & Pittsburg department. Of the 1913 production of 52,987,000 pounds of copper, Superior & Pittsburg's contribution was 75 per cent; of the \$4,000,000 of net earnings the proportion was 80 per cent. Again it is emphasized that the Superior & Pittsburg was acquired most opportunely in order to offset the various serious declines in the Calumet & Arizona's previously spectacular showing.

Superior & Pittsburg itself has in the past two years failed to produce ore of as high grade as in 1911, although this was to be expected in view of the material increase in tonnage treated. In tabular form the cross-movement of the grade of ore of the two properties during the past eight years has been as follows (pounds of copper per ton):

|      | C. & A. | S. & P. |
|------|---------|---------|
| 1913 | 92.3    | 115.6   |
| 1912 | 92.1    | 127.2   |
| 1911 | 97.6    | 138.3   |
| 1910 | 92.2    | 115.2   |
| 1909 | 94.1    | 109.8   |
| 1908 | 105.    | 102.    |
| 1907 | 131.    | 94.4    |
| 1906 | 179.    | 94.4    |

The practice has been discontinued of reporting cost of production of the two individual properties, although it is evident from the decline in Superior & Pittsburg's average grade of ore that the low record of 6.33 cents per pound for that property in 1912 was not equalled in 1913. Costs for the combined properties increased slightly from 7.92 cents to 7.65 cents for reasons explained in the report—taxes and interruptions caused by changing to the new smelter. Barring a marked decrease in grade of ore treated this year, there would, however, appear to be good chance of improving the 1913 costs. The net earnings of \$4,074,000 were nearly \$1,000,000 in excess of dividends, although the heavy expenditures for new smelter and new properties more than absorbed this balance. Result was that working capital declined to about \$2,300,000 from \$2,500,000 in the previous year.

A highly significant feature of the company's present operations is the comprehensive manner in which the future is being safeguarded through the acquisition of new properties. The New Cornelia, the purchase of which is nearly completed, has developed over 40,000,000 tons of 15 per cent copper ore and the management believes that even with this rather lean grade of ore the property will be an important source of revenue in the future, as a large part of the tonnage is available for the low cost steam shovel operations.

#### NOTES OF MINING NEWS.

The report of the Quincy Mining company for the 1913 year shows net profit of \$76,160, compared with \$960,779 in 1912. From a production of 18,161,575 pounds of mineral there were recovered 12,184,128 pounds of refined copper. The sales of copper totaled \$1,900,366, while the profit on silver was \$29,383, against \$30,228 in 1912.

Hancock is hoisting between 150 and 175 tons of rock daily, nearly all of this from development work, though some stoping is in progress. The operations are being conducted on as large a scale as is desirable at this time. The force numbers 150, compared with 160 before the strike. One hundred men are underground. Twelve drills are in operation. All the drifts are pronounced satisfac-

tory, with those on the thirteenth and eighteenth levels making a particularly good showing. The progress of the development work indicates that the doubling of the present production in six months is a reasonable expectation.

Isle Royale's report for 1913, showing an operating loss of \$132,000, was even worse than was forecasted by the report for first six months—published last August—in which a profit of \$1,000 was made. In the last half of the year, the strike period, \$32,000 pounds of copper and 4,000 tons daily, the proportion of one-half from Champion and one-quarter each from Trimountain and Baltic being maintained. No more laborers are being imported, the management being content with the gradual increase of its force by deserters from the Western Federation and a steady stream of newcomers. The company expresses entire satisfaction with the progress it is making in solving the labor situation.

#### MORE WIDOWS THAN WIDOWERS.

Why are there twice as many widows as widowers in the United States? asks the New York Times. It is because widows are more reluctant than widowers to re-enter the married state, or does it indicate that the wife will outlive the husband? These questions were raised in a statement dealing with national mortality issued by the conservation department of the Equitable Life Assurance society, which continued: "In 1910 there were 3,176,228 widows and but 1,471,390 widowers in the United States. The census shows the astonishing fact that there were 10,261 widows below the age of twenty and but 1,110 widowers.

"To what extent does the fact that the average age of the husband is a little higher than that of the wife account for this? "From the age of twenty to twenty-four there were 55,354 widows and but 18,815 widowers, and the difference continues in a marked degree throughout the older age periods.

"To every 100 widowers there were 264 widows in 1890, 231 in 1900, and 215 in 1910.

"Such statistics as are available show that the death rate of husbands is higher than that of wives, and it is still higher among the widowed males."

#### A STUMPER.

A club of eccentric young men had for one of their rules that on Tuesday evenings any man who asked a question in the club rooms which he was unable to answer himself, should pay a fine of ten dollars.

One evening, according to Everybody's, McLoughlin asked the following: "Why doesn't a ground squirrel leave any dirt around the top of his hole when he digs it?"

After some deliberation McLoughlin was called upon to answer his own question. "That's easy," said he; "the squirrel starts at the bottom and digs up."

"All very nice," suggested a member, "but how does he get to the bottom?" "Well," answered McLoughlin, "that's your question."

#### A GOOD EXAMPLE.

W. L. Bullard, of Danielson, Conn., according to reports, presented to each of the 162 children in the primary grades of the public schools of his town a toothbrush and a can of tooth powder.

#### THE FORTY YEAR TEST.

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty years, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. From a small beginning it has grown in favor and popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. If not only gives relief—it cures. For sale by All Dealers.

### DON'T TRUST CALOMEL

Thousands Experience Bad After Effects from This Dangerous Drug.

A Safe Vegetable Substitute Is Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets for the Liver.

Dr. E. M. Edwards, a prominent physician of Ohio, has discovered a laxative and liver toner in a combination of vegetable materials mixed with olive oil, which is in effect almost exactly like calomel, except that there are none of the bad after effects.

Dr. Edwards has long been a foe of calomel, though he recognized its value along with its dangers.

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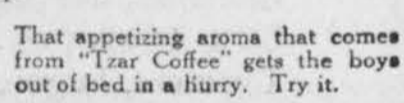
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**CARNEGIE WORKS HARD TO FIND HIS LOST DIME.**

New York, March 26.—Andrew Carnegie, the ironmaster, lost a dime in the Hotel Astor. He was attending a luncheon given by the National Civic federation and when he pulled a handkerchief out of his pocket to take an inventory a 10-cent piece rolled under the speaker's table. When the speaker adjourned Mr. Carnegie got down on his knees and searched for the elusive dime until he found it. "Yes, Mr. Carnegie found the dime," said one of the guests. "As a matter of fact, I believe he had the good fortune to also find an extra nickel."

**FRECKLES**  
February and March Bring Out Unpleasant Spots. How to Remove Easily.

The woman with tender skin dreads February and March because they are likely to cover her face with ugly freckles. No matter how thick her veil, the sun and winds have a strong tendency to make her freckle.

Fortunately for her peace of mind the recent discovery of a new prescription, of fine—double strength, makes it possible for even the most susceptible to freckles to keep their skin clear and white. No matter how stubborn a case of freckles you have, the double strength of this should remove them.

Get an ounce from your druggist and banish the freckles. Money back if it fails.

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Being the second speak on the program, Mr. Carnegie slumbered peacefully for forty-five minutes. He was awakened by the applause which greeted the remarks of Dr. Albert Shaw and it was then that he counted his change and lost the dime.

The storage of oil for fuel purposes is a new feature in the trade of the port of Manchester. Hitherto the bulk of the oil stored on the banks of the Manchester ship canal has been for illuminating and lubricating purposes.

The discovery of a bathing establishment of the time of Hadrian by archeologists in Asia Minor has made it plain that there was very little difference between such establishments then and now.

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Some one less experienced in the ways of thieves might have placed the money beneath his pillow, or perhaps have inserted it in a vase or looked it in a pocket. However, Elias George, deputy sheriff, did not feel that it was adequately guarded unless it was on his person.

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When the deputy sheriff awakened to the morning, \$1,100 of the whole amount was gone, nine \$100 and four \$50 bills having been taken.

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Mr. Foote was among the attaches of the department of justice whose relations with Sol Lewinson, a fugitive professional bondsman, recently were investigated by a United States grand jury.

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Proposal That Federal League Castoffs Be Engaged Is Seriously Proposed.

Negaunee and other towns in the upper peninsula may yet have league baseball this season, if a suggestion recently made by a copper country baseball fan can be worked out. His plan resembles the one proposed by a Negaunee man here a month ago, and proposes the hiring of the players who are now trying out for places on the Federal league teams.

The Houghton Mining Gazette says: "Federal league baseball in the upper peninsula, with two different circuits is a suggestion made by an ardent fan in discussing the remote possibilities of a league being organized in the copper country this season. Two circuits, one in the iron and one in the copper district, are proposed.

And there is plenty of logic to this fan's plan. Just now the new league is fighting for a place in the baseball world. It must resort to every form of strategy to prevent the older organizations putting it out of business. To get the crowds in big cities the new league must have players that are ripe for major league ball, and to secure this material a lot of young birds must be developed.

But there is another and very important point. The new league must prevent organized ball snatching promising material that the young organization has strings on. These young players must be given some assurance they will be taken care of or they will jump to some minor or professional league. The teams will not want to carry more than twenty players at high salaries, and these high salaries are drawn whether the player be in action every day or sitting on the bench.

"Neither the copper nor iron country has shown a disposition to support professional ball in numbers large enough to meet expenses, and the end of each season has found the promoters going down in their pockets and putting up a few hundred dollars each to cover the deficit.

"If the Federal league would place a league in each section of the northern peninsula, take all the receipts and add the difference to make up the players' salaries, the league would not be out so much if the game was not self-supporting and the fans would be furnished good baseball with no fear of a certain few being called upon for assessments.

"The fan whose brain gave birth to this idea sees another advantage of the new league grabbing northern Michigan as a farm for its young and undeveloped players. It would give home boys a chance to show their worth and might result in some of them getting a chance later with teams higher up. The iron and copper country towns had players two years ago that were superior to the imported professionals and several of these men are still available.

"An emissary for the new league was in northern Wisconsin a short time ago looking over a half dozen towns with a view of organizing a league for this very reason. 'If it can be done in other places, why not here?' asked the fan. 'I am sure the plan would work out successfully, and we would not be worrying that our national pastime was a thing of the past in the copper country. Corner lot baseball does very well when there is nothing better, but here is a chance to see some good baseball if it is gone after in the right manner.'

### "KATHLYN" PICTURES TONIGHT.

The fourth run of pictures of "The Adventures of Kathlyn" series will be shown at the Star theater tonight, the first show to commence at 7 o'clock. Other pictures on the program will be "Her Husband's Friend," a Vitagraph drama, and "Andy Gets a Job," an Edison comedy. Two matinees will be given tomorrow, at 1:30 and 3:30 o'clock. Ten reels will be shown at each show.

Thomas Pascoe, president of the board of public works of Norway, and George Larson, superintendent, spent yesterday in the city looking over the city electric light plant and the municipal lighting service.

Braastad's Spring Millinery Opening tomorrow. 3-27-14.

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### MRS. STRANBERG DIES.

Passed Away Here Yesterday Afternoon at Age of Fifty-Six.

Mrs. Fred Stranberg, aged fifty-six years, died at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Heart trouble was the cause. Mrs. Stranberg had been ill only since last Sunday noon. Her home was at the Jackson location.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Stranberg is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Olof, of Ishpeming. Two brothers are Olaf Hojd, of Negaunee, and Eric Hojd, of Chatham.

The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon from the Swedish Lutheran church in this city.

Mrs. Stranberg had lived in Negaunee for nearly forty years, and was exceptionally well known among the Swedish people. She was a member of the women's auxiliary to the S. H. & E. F. society.

### ANOTHER FORGERY.

Woodsmen at Wells Attempts to Pass Raised Time Order.

Numerous forgeries have been reported by the lumbermen this year. Almost every jobber who has paid off his men during the past month has had trouble of this kind. A Polish laborer, who worked two days for the Stephenson company at Wells, is the latest to try the swindling game. He raised his time check from two to twenty days, but was arrested and will appear at the next term of circuit court in Delta county.

The Escanaba Press says:

"After raising a time order of the I. Stephenson company from two days to twenty days, Stanislaw Zaleski, a Polish laborer who says Chicago is his home, was arrested at the company's office at Wells. Zaleski was recently brought to the district from Chicago and worked but two days at the I. Stephenson company's camp No. 3. He received his time order and came to Wells on Sunday night. He appeared at the office with an order for twenty days' work. The forger was at once detected and he was informed that he would have to return at 3 o'clock to receive his money. When the unsuspecting forger returned to the office the foreman that issued the order for two days and Deputy Sheriff George Curran, were waiting to receive him. He made no effort to deny his guilt, and was taken to the county jail."

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| Sultanna Raisins, Monsoon, 1 lb. pkg. ....      | 11c    | Fancy Currants, bulk, per lb.                         | 11c    |
| Raisins, Quail, 1 lb. pkg. ....                 | 11c    | Fancy Rice, per lb. ....                              | 6c     |
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| Calumet Baking Powder, lb.                      | 20c    | Catsup, Oriole, pints. ....                           | 20c    |
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| Dates, Anchor, 3 lbs. for. ....                 | 25c    | Dutch Cleanser, each 9c, 3 for                        | 25c    |
| Dried Peaches, per lb. ....                     | 10c    | Bon-Ami, " " " " " "                                  | 25c    |
| Can Tomatoes, large, per can                    | 11c    | Sopolio " " " " " "                                   | 25c    |
| Can Tomatoes, medium, 3 for                     | 25c    | Pork and Beans, Morning Dew, medium size, 3 for. .... | 25c    |
|   |        | Coffee, Sabyn, fine quality, per lb. ....             | 25c    |

# ISHHEMING CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY

SOUTH MAIN STREET

# WELFARE CLUB HEARS ADVICE

### Professor Lautner Gave Information of Interest at the First General Meeting Yesterday—Organization Will Join Michigan State Suffrage Association.

### Special Committees and Vice Presidents Are Appointed—Smoke Nuisance and Municipal Government Library Are Among the Many Matters Brought Up.

Preliminary action on important municipal and civic projects, the appointment of committees to guide the work of the organization, and an inspiring address by Professor J. E. Lautner were features of the first general meeting of the Women's Welfare League since its formation two weeks ago, held yesterday afternoon in the city hall. Much interest in the ventures which are to be undertaken by the club was evidenced and the meeting was attended by an unusually representative gathering keenly concerned with the work in hand.

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## PRaise FOR MISS KING.

Houghton Superintendent Endorses Work of Marquette Young Lady.

In expressing his high esteem of Miss Doris King, of Marquette, who has been in charge of the history department of the Houghton High school for the past three years, and who comes to join the faculty of the Marquette Normal school in the capacity of instructor in the English department, Superintendent Doelle, of the Houghton institution, said: "Miss King has been a most efficient and popular teacher, and we are exceedingly sorry to lose her, but we are all very glad of her advancement, which she certainly deserves."

Similar expressions of regard for Miss King are forthcoming from the students of the high school.

## SPRING STYLE SHOW ATTRACTS HUNDREDS

### Novel Display of Gowns at Paris Fashion Will Be Repeated This Evening.

Attracted by an elaborate display of more than two hundred gowns, many of which were worn by living models, hundreds of women visited the Paris Fashion last evening. So large was the attendance that many who called at the store could not be accommodated. For that reason, the exhibition will be repeated this evening. There will be shown many gowns that were not displayed last night.

This means of showing the latest styles to Marquette women was the idea of S. D. Cohen, proprietor of the Paris Fashion, and its great success last evening shows that it is a popular method. Tonight's display will begin at 7:30 o'clock and will continue until about 9:30. As was the case last evening, Behan's orchestra will furnish music.

Owing to the large number of persons that crowded into the store last evening, some of the gowns could not be seen by the spectators to the best effect. However, the platform on which the models will parade will today be enlarged and raised somewhat, which will permit of showing the gowns to better advantage. Last night the rear entrance of the store was utilized for the exit of the visitors, owing to the large throng gathered in the street, awaiting admittance.

In order that more gowns may be displayed tonight, the number of models will be increased to eight. The five who appeared last evening were the Misses Belle Jacques, Hannah Peterson, Louise Williams, Elva Rivers and Pearl Witting. The hats worn were furnished from the millinery shop of Mrs. Warner Brown.

## ELKS' TEMPLE WILL BE ERECTED THIS YEAR

### Resolution Passed by Lodge Last Night Authorizes the Raising of Funds.

The erection of the Elks' temple on Washington street, which has been contemplated for some time, is now assured, a resolution having been passed at a meeting of the Marquette lodge last evening providing for raising the necessary funds.

The subject of the building of the temple is one of great interest to the members, and practically the full membership of the lodge turned out last evening. The plans for the structure, prepared by J. M. Byrnes, architect, were accepted, some changes having been effected since the first sketches were drawn.

It appeared from information presented at the meeting that no difficulty will be experienced in obtaining the necessary funds. Assurance was given that the erection of the structure will commence as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

The temple will be constructed along the most improved lines. The plans provide for two store rooms on the first floor, a feature of which will be an arcade front, of which there are few in this part of the country. Already the lodge has several applicants for the store rooms, the location of which will afford exceptionally good business stands.

On the second and third floors will be the lodge rooms. The topmost story will be known as the social floor, and will provide the lodge rooms, in which there will be an old English fireplace, a billiard room, equipped with four tables, six card rooms, grill room, locker room, cloak rooms, and women's parlors.

On the mezzanine floor will be placed a women's grill room for the use of the wives and families of the members of the lodge. It may also be used as a luncheon room.

There will be four bowling alleys in the basement, and these will be open for the use of the public. Shower baths for the members of the lodge will also be in the basement. For heating purposes, a sub-basement will be built at the rear of the building. A second floor balcony will be built at both the front and rear of the building.

one of the largest companies that has ever been seen in Marquette. It is playing only a few one night stands, en route to Canada, and Marquette is one of the few upper peninsula cities where it has been booked. The company is going to Montreal and Toronto to fill return dates.

The original cast, headed by Victor Morley, will be seen here. Mr. Morley will be remembered in Marquette, he having made a favorable impression in the original "Three Twins" company. Four other members of the company have been stars in various other shows seen here. "The Quaker Girl" travels in a special train of five cars, three being required to transport the scenery and baggage, and the other two are used by the members of the company. It is the only musical show now booked for the Marquette Opera House, and will be the biggest offering of the season.

**CONCERT WAS A TREAT.**

Taneli Hurri, Tenor, Heard by Small Assemblage, However.

Before a small assemblage in Liberty Hall last evening, Taneli Hurri, a noted Finnish opera tenor, presented an excellent program. Rarely has a singer of equal merit been heard in this region. Mr. Hurri possesses a powerful, rich tenor voice of great range, which he uses with admirable effect. He has had fine and extended training. A peculiarity is that although he is unable to speak English, Mr. Hurri readily sings English songs, and his enunciation is remarkably good. The program last evening follows:

"Tasso op. Paillard".....Leonevallo  
"Tylot Ruusulehdossa".....Ekman  
"Ma Elan".....Merikanto  
"I Love You Dear".....Grieg  
"Kovot".....Sibelius  
"O Primavera".....Tirindelli  
"But My Bird Is Long in Homing".....Sibelius  
"Die Heiden Granadiere".....Schumann  
Mr. Hurri's first number was an unusually dramatic rendition. It showed the remarkable timbre of his well-entrained voice, as well as a true portrayal of pathos. In the closing number of the program it seemed unbelievable that such a volume of song could be produced by a single voice. Marquette people not present last night missed a musical treat.

Educated in Viborg, Finland, Mr. Hurri later became a student in a conservatory of music in Helsinki. He studied opera in Berlin for a period of two years, after which the Finnish government advanced him money with which to continue his studies. He later went to Rome. In that city he was a student under Professor Senatore Sarapini.

Mrs. Ernest Paananen, of this city, accompanied Mr. Hurri at the piano last evening, and played the most difficult numbers in a highly effective manner.

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**Handling the Immigrant.**

The immigrant question was touched upon, and in this respect Mr. Lautner said: "We criticize the immigrant for his apparent disregard and misinterpretation of the laws and customs, and yet we fail to advance some method which will enable him to become acquainted with the proper modes of living and being treated. In some places a school of instruction is provided for the immigrant, and he is required to be familiar with the curriculum therein provided before he is given his citizenship papers." Mr. Lautner advocated the establishment of such a system in this city, and urged the club to give the matter special attention. He also suggested that there be established a library, the books of which would deal with municipal problems.

In addition to his lengthy discussion of various welfare projects, Mr. Lautner gave a clear description of the workings of the commission form of government, bringing out his meaning by the use of a unique demonstration in which he used the hand and the five fingers, drawing his comparison between the hand proper and the five fingers and the mayor and the four commissioners. This demonstration was supplemented by others showing the operations of the old form of city government.

Mayor Begole to Talk.

The third Wednesday in the month was decided upon as the permanent meeting date of the league. The next meeting falling on April 15, Mayor Begole will at that time give the principal address speaking on "The Working of the Commission."

Mrs. August Mellin was appointed chairman of the committee to confer with the visiting nurses; Mrs. Dan Keough, chairman of the committee for Mother's Day; Mrs. Charles H. Schaffer, chairman of the committee to take charge of the afterworks park project.

The following women, who previously had been nominated at precinct meetings, were appointed vice presidents in the five precincts of the city to study the conditions in each and report to the main body: Mrs. Robert Blomhuber, First; Mrs. James Moloney, Second; Mrs. H. M. Cunningham, Third; Mrs. H. O. Bell, Fourth, and Mrs. A. M. Deadman, Fifth.

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