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BALKANS MAY GET IN THROES OF THIRD WAR

Greece Said to Consider Attitude of Bulgaria a Menace, and, It Is Said, Is Preparing for War—Bulgaria's Claim Is That Macedonia Should Be Hers.

Should the Bulgars Attack Serbia to Regain Lost Province, Greece, Under Treaty, Would Be Forced to Serbia's Aid, Involving the Entire Peninsula.

London, Jan. 3, 7:50 p. m.—The persevering steps which have been taken to bring about an understanding between the Christian Balkan states with the idea of securing the neutrality of Bulgaria, apparently have not met with success, according to dispatches received in London from the Near Eastern capitals, and Greece, Serbia and Roumania are preparing for eventualities.

During a discussion of the subject in the Greek chamber of deputies M. Theotokis is reported to have declared that the speech recently delivered by the Bulgarian premier regarding Macedonia, which Bulgaria considered should have been ceded to her after the last Balkan war, constituted a menace; while the Greek minister of finance said that Greece was making urgent military preparations to maintain her liberated territory.

Another dispatch from Athens says the Greek government has forbidden the exportation of cereals, flour, cattle, forage and arms.

Should Bulgaria, contrary to expectations, attack Serbia with the object of recovering Macedonia, Greece, by her treaty obligations, would, it is said in political circles here, come to the assistance of Serbia, and the Balkan peninsula would be in the throes of a third war.

Turkey apparently expects trouble, as the Ottoman government has expelled the subjects of all neutral countries from the Dardanelles.

In Albania a revolution is said to be spreading, and the Italians, who occupied the seaport of Avlona, have sent a battleship to Durazzo to protect Italian interests at the Albanian port.

BUY U. S. COTTON AND COPPER FOR 2 YEARS HIS RECOMMENDATION

London, Jan. 4, 3:15 a. m.—Arthur Kitson, inventor and author of various works on economics, writes to the Morning Post, suggesting that the simplest way out of the difficulties between Great Britain and the United States arising from the detention of American cargoes by British warships, is for the British government to contract to take the entire copper and cotton supplies of the United States for the next year or two. Kitson said it would be a profitable undertaking, as it would shorten the duration of the war by depriving Germany of these commodities, and England could supply neutral countries with such quantities of them as would satisfy their local demands.

WOUNDED PRISONERS MAY BE EXCHANGED, BY EFFORTS OF POPE

Rome, Jan. 3, 12:55 p. m.—In addition to the cordial replies of Emperor William and King George promising their assistance in arranging for an exchange of prisoners who are incapable of further fighting, Pope Benedict has received other satisfactory answers from belligerent powers to his request for such exchange. It is hoped, therefore, that during January arrangements will be made for the return to their homes of a large number of wounded prisoners.

EXPECT ANSWER DURING WEEK TO PROTEST BY U. S.

Washington Confident Great Britain Will See Justice of Stand Taken by This Country—England's Attitude Identical in Wars When She Was Neutral.

British Embassy Issues First Statement Since Publication of American Note—Turpentine and Resin Shipped Before They Were Made Contraband to Be Paid For

Washington, Jan. 3.—Officials of the Washington government expect the coming week to clear the air of much of the uncertainty prevalent over the seizure of American cargoes and ships by the allies. With the expected answer from Great Britain to the American note of protest of a week ago, the decision of scores of special cases probably will be expedited.

President Wilson and his advisors are confident that Great Britain will recognize that the position of the United States, as set forth in its note, does not differ from that which Great Britain herself has repeatedly maintained in previous wars in which England was a neutral.

The fact that almost the identical arguments used in the American note were vigorously proclaimed by Great Britain, not only during the Russo-Japanese war, but during previous conflicts, in which the neutral commerce of England was injured through the interference of belligerent fleets, has strengthened the belief among administration officials that concessions in conformity with previous practice will be forthcoming from the British government.

EMBASSY'S STATEMENT.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The British embassy tonight issued its first statement on the shipping situation since the publication of the American note. It cleared up one point on which the United States had asked for information by announcing that turpentine and resin shipped from this country before those articles were declared contraband would be paid for when seized. The statement says: "Turpentine and resin shipped before the publication of the order placing them on the contraband list will be paid for."

"All copper shipped before the date of the declaration that copper was contraband will be paid for or released. No cargoes for Italy have been held up at Gibraltar since Dec. 4. Italian ships carrying cargoes of commodities of which export from Italy is prohibited are not interfered with, unless there is clear evidence of fraudulent intentions on the part of shippers.

"Negotiations are proceeding in London with a view to the removal of the embargo on rubber with the provision of a pledge not to export, similar to that arranged with regard to German aniline dyes. The negotiations have been retarded by the discovery of shipments of rubber from the United States to Europe under disguise."

Reports of the finding of rubber manifested as "gum" in the cargo of the steamship Sandford are understood to have virtually halted negotiations in progress in London with the object of obtaining a modification of the embargo against the exportation of rubber from British possessions. The vessel carried a cargo from the United States to neutral ports. The British government has taken the position that the rubber probably was destined for Germany and the reported false manifesting is said to have shaken confidence in the effectiveness of proposed assurances by American merchants that no rubber would be permitted to fall into German hands if Great Britain allowed the product to come into the United States.

WAR IN EAST SAID TO BE TURNING IN FAVOR OF GERMANY

Berlin, by Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Jan. 3.—The official press bureau today gave out the following items:

"The situation in the East is considered by the military critics to be steadily improving. They believe the Russian counter offensive in Galicia has been shattered, for the time at least. Events in the East, however, have so frequently brought surprises that predictions as to the situation there cannot safely be made.

"The small amount of space given by all the newspapers to the western war theater apparently is indicative of a feeling that the central point of interest still is in Poland and that the struggle in the West has settled down into a monotonous endurance test."

CAPTAIN SMOKED ON BRIDGE WHILE THE FORMIDABLE SUNK

London, Jan. 4, 2:11 a. m.—Captain Arthur N. Loxley of the battleship Formidable stood on the bridge smoking a cigarette as his vessel went down in the English channel last Friday morning, after the ship either had struck a mine or been torpedoed, according to survivors of the disaster.

The captain's last words, they say, were a compliment to the officer who was superintending the launching of the boats on the seamanly manner in which the work was being done.

"Captain Loxley gave his orders as calmly as if his ship had been in harbor with her anchors down," one rescued sailor said. "The only sign he gave that anything was amiss was a brief speech in which he tried to cheer his crew with 'Steady men, everything is all right! Keep cool and be British! There's tons of life in the old ship yet!'"

NEW YORK LAWYER HELD IN CONNECTION WITH PASSPORT FRAUD

New York, Jan. 3.—Maurice Deches, the New York lawyer arrested last night in Philadelphia in connection with the alleged widespread conspiracy for obtaining American passports, under which German reservists might safely travel abroad, returned tonight to his home here after having furnished a \$25,000 bond in the Pennsylvania city for his appearance in the United States district court here on Tuesday.

Carl Ruroede and John Ancher, the other two men arrested here yesterday, apparently were considered of considerable importance by the government authorities, and remained in custody today. It was expected, however, that application would be made tomorrow for their release on the \$20,000 bail each demanded for them. Counsel engaged by Ruroede said he would ask for an immediate hearing for his client.

ALL LONDON PRAYS FOR SUCCESS OF THE ALLIES ON "INTERCESSION DAY"

London, Jan. 3, 3:37 p. m.—Large congregations crowded the London churches today for the observance of "Intercession Day" and offered a special prayer for the success of the allied arms, and in remembrance of those who have fallen on the battlefield.

Four services were held at St. Paul's cathedral, the first beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning and being conducted by the Rt. Rev. Arthur Ingram, the bishop of London. The great cathedral was thronged throughout the day. Westminster Abbey also had a large attendance, the sermon being preached by Archbishop Willberforce.

At all the Church of England's places of worship a special form of service sanctioned by the archbishops of Canterbury and York was used. At Westminster cathedral a large congregation assembled to take part in the special mass provided by the Missal to be used in time of war.

Similar services were held throughout the British isles and in the over-seas dominions.

Balkan States on Brink of Third War. Battle in France Confined to Artillery. Reply from England Expected This Week

FIGHTING WEST FOR MOST PART WITH BIG GUNS

HEAVY RAINS MAKE OPERATIONS WITH TROOPS DIFFICULT.

WEATHER WORST IN YEARS

INFANTRY ATTACKS A SUCCESS SOMETIMES, BUT ALWAYS COSTLY.

FRENCH GAINS ARE SLIGHT

SERVICES HELD IN ENGLISH CHURCHES FOR SUCCESS OF ALLIED ARMS.

London, Jan. 3, 10:30 p. m.—The extremely rainy winter, the worst Europe has experienced in years, causing floods in the river valleys of the continent, as well as those of England, has prevented any operations on a large scale on the western battle front.

There have been heavy artillery engagements from the sea to the Swiss border, and occasional attacks by the infantry of the opposing armies, which, when not repulsed, have added only a few yards to the territory in the possession of the attacking force. These attacks always have proved costly adventures.

The French have gained a little ground between Albert and Roye, just north of the point where the line turns eastward, and to the east of Rheims, and southwest of Verdun, where the attempts to make the German positions at St. Mihiel, on the Meuse, untenable, are proceeding slowly. They have also made some advance in Alsace, but have suffered a repulse to the northwest of St. Menchould.

Throughout the British empire and in the English churches in foreign countries intercession services were held today for the success of the allied arms. Many of the sermons embodied exhortations to the young men to join the army. King George attended services in the village church at Sandringham.

PRODUCTS FOR POWDER BOUGHT BY AGENTS SAID TO BE BRITISH

Cadillac, Mich., Jan. 3.—Agents said to represent the British government have signed contracts with two chemical manufacturing companies here and one of Jennings, Mich., for the purchase of their entire output of certain products used in making smokeless powder. The contracts run two years and call for the payment of double the usual price of the chemicals desired.

RUSSIA DENIES ANY PEACE PROPOSAL IS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Rome, Jan. 3, 12:55 p. m.—The Russian ambassador to Italy, M. Kroupenski, was authorized by the Petrograd government today categorically to deny reports attributing to Russia any intention to conclude peace.

"Russia does not think of discussing peace," the ambassador said, "until her enemies are obliged to accept conditions which her allies consider the only guarantee of a lasting peace."

SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS

No decisive engagements are noted in the latest official communications issued by the various governments. The situation in Belgium and northern France has not changed materially in several weeks, while in the East the reports are at variance.

From Petrograd it is announced that the Russians have successfully repulsed the German attacks on the Bura and Rawka rivers, while the Germans announce the capture, by their forces of Dorjimon, a strong Russian point of support, in which a thousand Russian prisoners were taken and that to the east of the Rawka river the German attack is proceeding steadily.

Newspaper dispatches forecast probable grave happenings in the Balkans. The revolutionary situation in Albania is said to have grown much worse, and it is declared that the efforts of the Christian Balkan states to secure the neutrality of Bulgaria apparently have not met with success and that Greece, Serbia and Roumania are preparing for eventualities.

Conscription may be enforced in Great Britain. This was intimated in a speech made by Thomas J. MacNamara, parliamentary secretary to the admiralty. Referring to men without dependants, who have not enlisted he said: "If they think they are going to enjoy a life of freedom at the other fellows' expense, they won't enjoy it much longer."

Pope Benedict is hopeful that during January many wounded soldiers, incapable of further fighting, will be returned to their home countries. Most of the belligerent nations have agreed to the pope's request for an exchange of such prisoners.

Switzerland, according to the retiring president of the republic, Dr. Hoffmann, who will hold the portfolio of foreign affairs, intends to remain absolutely neutral.

Emperor Francis Joseph has accepted the retirement applications of two more generals who were active in the disastrous Serbian campaign.

Great Britain has notified the United States government that seized cargoes of turpentine, resin and copper, seized before they were placed on the Contraband list, have been, or will be, paid for. No cargoes for Italy it is announced have been held up since Dec. 4. Negotiations are in progress with a view to removing the embargo on rubber.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT MAY RESORT TO CONSCRIPTION

Secretary to Admiralty Hints Unpatriotic Youths Might Have to Serve Colors.

London, Jan. 3, 6:45 p. m.—A hint that the British government contemplated the introduction of conscription for increasing the army and navy was dropped by Thomas J. MacNamara, parliamentary secretary to the admiralty, while speaking at the Browning Settlement this afternoon.

Referring to the fact that there were many thousands of young men in the United Kingdom, without dependants, who had not answered the call to the colors, Mr. MacNamara said:

"If they think they are going to enjoy a life of freedom at the other fellows' expense, they won't enjoy it much longer."

The recruiting boom which commenced after the holidays continues. As the result of six open-air meetings at Cardiff, addressed by wounded soldiers, there was an extraordinary rush to the recruiting offices last evening, and the recruiting officers were kept busy until an early hour this morning. At one meeting 6,000 men bared their heads when the national airs of the allies were played.

TWO NEW MOVES ARE CREDITED TO GERMANS

London, Jan. 4, 2:52 a. m.—The Daily Mail's Petrograd correspondent says: "Two fresh developments have appeared in the German plan of campaign. They have sent Prussian and Bavarian troops to aid the Austrians, who have been ordered at all costs to hold the front protecting Cracow."

"They also are making efforts to cross to the north of the Vistula, hoping that with assistance from the East Prussian army General Francoise might threaten Warsaw from this direction. The threat of the Austrians to dynamite the city and cathedral of Cracow, if they are unable to hold the fortress, so disturbed the Poles that they have sent a deputation, headed by Count Tarnowski, to Rome to implore the pope to avert such a disaster."

WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, Jan. 3.—The following is the weather bureau's forecast for Upper Michigan: Local snows Monday; warmer east; Tuesday cloudy, probably snow west.

CZAR'S FORCES, AIDED BY RAIN, HOLD GERMANS

TEUTONS, HOWEVER, AFTER DESPERATE STRUGGLE, TAKE BORJIMOW.

MUD HINDERS MOVEMENTS

AUSTRIANS SAY THEY HAVE CHECKED RUSSIANS IN SOUTHERN GALICIA.

NICHOLAS' MEN OPEN NEW PASS THROUGH CARPATHIANS TO HUNGARY.

London, Jan. 3, 10:40 p. m.—In the East the Germans have captured the important Russian position at Borjimon, but elsewhere they have been unable to make headway against the Russians, who, as defenders of well-fortified positions, are aided by the wet weather and muddy roads, which hinder the Germans' movements.

The Austrians claim to have checked the Russian advance near Gorlice, on the South Galician railway, west of Jaslo, but apparently the battles here have not yet been concluded.

The Russians, on the other hand, have taken the Austrian position near Orszak Pass, which should open another entrance for them through the Carpathians into Hungary, while the Austrian retreat in Bukovina is described by the Russians as a rout.

The Turks have crossed the Russian border in the Caucasus and, according to their own account have defeated the Russian garrison at Ardahan. They are, however, displaying anxiety for their remaining possessions in Europe by feverishly fortifying the whole coast line. What they fear is not disclosed. It is considered hardly possible for the allies to land a sufficient force to prove a menace to them. It is possible that they anticipate an invasion from another source.

Indications point to the possibility of the Balkan states, which now are neutral, taking a hand in the war. The Greek minister of finance has declared that Greece is making preparations to maintain the new territory which she gained in the Balkan wars from Turkey and Bulgaria, but that she has more to fear from Bulgaria than Turkey. It is not thought that Roumania can look on calmly, while the Russians are advancing toward Transylvania, and it is expected that she will join with Russia and try to secure the much coveted eastern province of Austria-Hungary.

CHARGE GERMANS WITH WANTON MURDER AND PROPERTY DESTRUCTION

Washington, Jan. 3.—Recent findings of the Belgian commission investigating alleged violations of the rules of warfare by the German army have been presented to Secretary Bryan and were made public here tonight by Emmanuel Havenith, the Belgian minister.

The report asserts that "Belgian civilians have been wantonly shot and Belgian towns ruthlessly destroyed, systematically and by order of German commanding officers."

Proclamations issued by high officers of the German army are quoted in support of the findings.

The Story of the War the Last Two Days, as Reported Officially by Each Participant.

GERMAN.

Berlin, Jan. 3, by Wireless to London, Jan. 3, 2:20 p. m.—The official statement issued today by the German army headquarters says:

"Western theater: Some of the enemy's ships, accompanied by torpedo boats, appeared off Westende (Belgium) yesterday afternoon without firing.

"On the whole of the western front artillery fights took place. An infantry attack by the enemy followed to the north of St. Menchould (in the Argonne forest). It was beaten off with severe losses to the French.

"In East Prussia and in North Poland there is no change in the situation. "To the west of the Vistula river our

troops succeeded in taking an especially strengthened point of the Russians at Borjimon, after several days of very hard fighting, in which we captured 1,000 prisoners and six machine guns. In three night attacks the Russians attempted to retake Borjimon, but they were driven off with heavy losses in each case. "To the east of the Rawka river our attack is proceeding steadily.

"The Russians several times have reported successes in the vicinity of Inowoloz (on the Pilica river, seven miles east of Tomaszow). These are pure inventions. Prussian attacks in that district were repulsed with heavy losses to them, and yesterday they ceased to attack the positions. "On the east of the Pilica river the situation is unchanged."

FRENCH.

Paris, Jan. 3, 10:38 p. m.—The following official statement was issued tonight:

"According to the latest advices received here, there has been no alteration in the situation. "The weather continues to be very bad on almost the whole front."

RUSSIAN.

Petrograd, Jan. 3.—The following statement was issued today by the Russian army headquarters:

"In the Bura and Rawka rivers we are continuing the successful repulse of German attacks, in spite of the enemy's heavy artillery fire and bomb throwing.

"On the road to Wloszozowa, in the Kielce region, at the village of Loposnow, on Dec. 31, German troops, after a stubborn battle, took possession of a portion of our trenches, but a later counter attack forced the enemy to abandon all the trenches previously occupied. During this affair we captured several hundred prisoners and nine machine guns.

"In western Galicia fighting continues in the region of Gorlice. In the region of Orszak Pass we have occupied Austrian positions, where we took as many as a thousand prisoners. "The Austrian retreat in Bukovina before the drive of our troops, has taken the character of a great rout."

Petrograd, Jan. 3.—The following official communication from army headquarters in the Caucasus was issued tonight:

"Throughout the day of Jan. 2 and part of the night of Jan. 2-3 an engagement around Sari Kamyseh continued with extreme ferocity, the Turks suffering enormous losses. "There has been no important action in the other regions."

TURKISH.

Constantinople, via London, Jan. 3, 8:10 p. m.—The Turkish war office today gave out the following statement:

"Our troops took Ardahan (a Russian fortified town in Trans-Caucasia, forty-five miles northwest of Kars) on Jan. 1. Ardahan was defended by General Zachen with 3,000 infantry, 1,000 Cossacks, six field guns and two machine guns.

"The battle for the town, which commenced on Dec. 29, ended in the flight of the Russians, who lost heavily.

"Our troops, in conjunction with Persian tribesmen, have completely defeated 4,000 Russians, who had more than ten cannon, ten miles northwest of Saonbulak. Four hundred Russians were killed and they lost six cannon.

"According to reports from Erzerum, Turkish Armenia, great transports of Russian prisoners from the latest battles are on their way there."

AUSTRIAN.

Vienna, via London, Jan. 3.—The following official communication was issued here today:

"Repeated attempts by the enemy to break our front west and northwest of

Gorlice, Galicia, were unsuccessful. The enemy lost heavily. During the fighting, which lasted the whole of the day, our troops stormed and captured a height north of Gorlice.

"We annihilated a battalion, captured an officer of the general staff, four subalterns, 850 men and two machine guns. A hostile aeroplane was struck by bullets and brought down.

"Elsewhere there is nothing to report."

BRITISH.

London, Jan. 3, 10:15 p. m.—The following official statement was given out by the war office tonight:

"The situation in France and Belgium is unchanged. "The weather continues inclement."

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BANQUET TONIGHT.
Members of Royal Arcanum Have Arranged a Novel Entertainment.

McKinley council, Royal Arcanum, will hold a tango banquet this evening, following the close of the installation of its 1915 officers. The banquet will be served at the Baltimore cafe, where the members of the lodge will proceed in a body after the close of the formal meeting.

Bert Scholtus will be toastmaster. Victrola music will be furnished throughout the evening by Mr. and Mrs. McCann, the proprietors of the cafe. Any member of the order who may have no made reservation for tonight may do so before 5 o'clock this afternoon by notifying R. M. Terhune, chairman of the entertainment committee.

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City Brevities

Miss Gertrude Artz leaves today for Ferris institute to resume her studies.

Ora Mains left Saturday night for Ironwood on a several days' business trip.

Miss Jean Farrell left yesterday afternoon for Wellesley, Mass., where she is a student at Wellesley college.

Funeral services for the late Carl Roll were held Friday morning, with interment in Holy Cross cemetery.

Byron Murray leaves today for the Michigan Agricultural college, after having spent the holidays at his home.

Rex DeHaas left yesterday afternoon for East Lansing, where he is a student at the Michigan Agricultural college.

Mrs. Louis Fassbender and children left yesterday for Chicago, where they will visit with relatives for two weeks.

Commencing today, the street cars will run only as far as the Lake Superior & Isipeming depot, this side of Presque Isle.

Will Byrne and Carl Malmstrom leave this morning for Big Rapids, where they will continue their studies at Ferris institute.

Herman Schumacher and Clarence Windoff left yesterday for Kalamazoo, after visiting in the city for the last two weeks.

Mrs. M. P. Youngs leaves this morning for Florence, Wis., called there because of the death of George C. Youngs of that city.

Miss Emily Phelps, who has been spending the holidays in the city, left Saturday evening for New York to resume her studies.

The Misses Mayme Tonella and Katherine Spully leave today for Big Rapids, Mich., where they are students at Ferris institute.

Miss Elsie Kruger, of Escanaba, who has been visiting at the home of M. E. Asire, North Front street, left for her home Saturday night.

D. Fred Charlton attended the opening performance at the new Delft theater at Munising Saturday night. He made the plans for the house.

Bernie Roany leaves this morning for Ann Arbor, to resume his studies at the University of Michigan, after spending the Christmas holidays in Marquette.

C. S. Mellon has moved his grocery store from Presque Isle avenue to his residence at 1301 North Front street, where he is prepared to serve his customers.

Bartlett King, who has been visiting his parents during the holidays, left Saturday afternoon for Thompson, near Manistique, where he is teaching in the schools.

Miss Mabel D. Brown, who has been visiting with her father, George P. Brown, left Saturday night for Connorsville, Ind., where she is a teacher in the high school.

The Misses Jennie Anderson and Linda Lather, who has been visiting in Marquette during the holidays, have returned to the copper country to resume their teaching duties.

Filmore Stolpe left yesterday afternoon for Ann Arbor, after having spent the last two weeks in Marquette with relatives. He is a student of dentistry at the state university.

Richard Jopling has returned to Cambridge, Mass., where he is a student in Harvard university. He has been visiting during the holidays at the home of his father, J. E. Jopling, Cedar street.

Ed J. McCarthy left yesterday for Detroit, after a few days' visit with friends in Marquette. Mr. McCarthy has met with a large measure of success in the insurance business in that city, where he has made his home for the past three years.

Miss Mildred Kellan left yesterday afternoon for Ann Arbor, where she will continue her studies at the University of Michigan. She spent the holidays in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kellan.

Charles Pegole left Saturday afternoon for Bay City, where he will visit for a short time before going to Ann Arbor to resume his studies at the state university after the holidays.

Andred Sweet and Claire Drake left yesterday afternoon for Houghton. They will resume their studies at the Michigan College of Mines.

Shapiro lodge, Modern Brotherhood of America, has planned an entertainment for the meeting tonight. There will be a banquet followed by a dance. Officers for 1915 will be installed at the

business session. G. W. Moreau, of Marquette, state manager of the order, will be here for the affair.

Ellsworth A. Roberts, of Duluth, is in the city for a few days' visit with friends.

There will be a meeting of the Morse Hose company tonight at 8 o'clock in No. 1 hose house.

The Baraga school will reopen this morning at 9 o'clock, after having been closed for the holidays.

Ellsworth A. Roberts left last evening for his home in Duluth after a two days' visit with Marquette friends.

George Smeltzer leaves this morning for Ferris institute, after having spent the holidays at his home here.

Miss Jean McCombs arrived home yesterday morning from a week's visit with friends in Chicago and Deerfield, Ill.

Miss Florence Ward left Saturday afternoon for Manistique to resume her duties as teacher in the schools there.

Miss Agnes McCarthy left last evening for Duluth after spending a few days with relatives and friends in the city.

Miss Anna Lehnen spent Saturday and Sunday in Munising. She went to attend the opening of the new Delft theater.

Installation of officers will be the business before the Knights of Pythias at the meeting tomorrow evening in Fraternity Hall.

Miss Caroline Siegel has returned to Houghton, where she is a teacher in the public schools, after a ten days' vacation at her home here.

Richard Matthews, of Isipeming, was in the city Saturday, attending a meeting of the committee on highways and bridges of the county board.

Miss Josie O'Leary has returned to Ontonagon after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Marquette. She is a teacher in the Ontonagon schools.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilcox, of Kalamazoo, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Wilcox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Matthews, have returned to their home.

R. F. Birchard, purchasing agent of the Lake Superior Iron & Chemical company, who returned Friday from the company's Manistique plant, will leave for there tomorrow.

Miss Angie Gallagher has left for Oklahoma City, Okla., after having visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gallagher, 215 Division street, for the last ten days. She is a teacher in the Oklahoma City schools.

The members of the German Aid society turned out in a body yesterday

THE TOLL OF THE YEAR

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afternoon to escort the body of the late H. J. Wolf, one of the lodge's members, to the South Shore station, from where it was taken to Milwaukee for burial.

George Durham and Ray Zerbel attended the opening of the new Delft theater at Munising Saturday night.

McNally-Jackson Wedding—Miss Edith McNally and Grover T. Jackson were married last Thursday evening by Rev. Platte T. Amstutz, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, at the parsonage. The ceremony was performed at 8:30 o'clock. Charles Zryd and Miss Helen Swanson were the attendants. Mr. Jackson is a clerk in the Washington shoe store. Mrs. Jackson is a daughter of Thomas McNally, of Munising, and has been a resident of Marquette for the last two years. They will make their home at 117 North Sixth street.

Leave for Lansing—A. T. Roberts, senator from the thirty-first district and W. S. Ewing, representative of the

first district of Marquette county, will leave this afternoon for Lansing to attend the session of the legislature, which opens this week.

Entertainment Tonight—The members of McKinley council, Royal Arcanum, will install officers at its meeting this evening. A tango banquet will be served at the Baltimore cafe following the meeting. The members will assemble at the lodge rooms at 8 o'clock. Music for the dance will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. McCann, proprietors of the cafe.

Mrs. Sharland Dead—Mrs. E. Bertrand received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of Mrs. J. Sharland, a former resident of Marquette, who has lived in Minneapolis. She passed away at 6:50 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. Sharland was a resident of Marquette for the last twenty years and was particularly well-known among the residents. Mr. Sharland was a carpenter here and made his home on West Hewitt avenue, moving to Minneapolis last summer.

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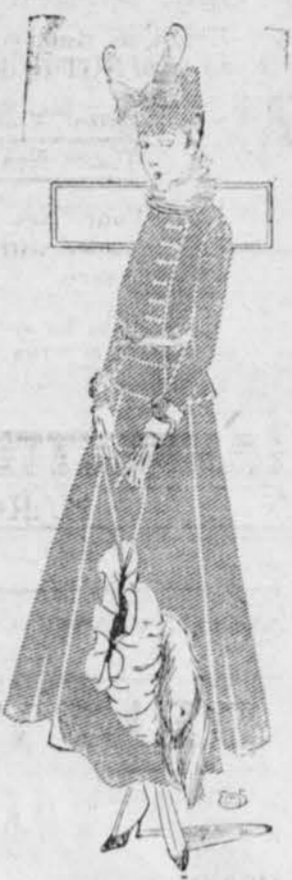
Suits that sold up to \$22.50

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Women's and Misses' Suits at \$13.75

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City Brevities

The Study club will meet this afternoon with Mrs. Farnham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Longyear, of Brookline, Mass., are in the city.

Esaki Johnson, who has been visiting in Marquette for the last two weeks, left last night for Minneapolis to continue his studies at the University of Minnesota.

A special meeting of Northern Queen Rebecca lodge, No. 216, will be held at Fraternity hall tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Business of special importance is up for disposal.

The Women's Relief corps will meet this afternoon in Keough's hall, when officers for 1915 will be installed. The members of the Grand Army of the Republic are invited to attend.

Public Schools to Open—The city schools will resume this morning after a two weeks' vacation through the holidays had been enjoyed by the children.

Students to Ann Arbor—Among those who left Marquette yesterday afternoon for Ann Arbor to resume their studies at the state university after having spent the holidays in the city were Lowell Youngquist, Bruno Primeau, Ernest Hill, Tom Redmond, Roy Mitchell, and Earl Ross.

TWO GENERALS QUIT AUSTRIAN ARMY; WERE ACTIVE IN SERBIA

Vienna, via London, Jan. 3, 9:12 p. m.—Emperor Francis Joseph has accepted the retirement applications of General Liborius von Frank, commander of the Fifth army corps, and Field Marshal Arthur Przbyorski. Both were active in Serbia. General von Frank, who occupied Belgrade on Dec. 2, retires, it is announced, owing to ill health.

PROTEST TO KITCHENER AGAINST EMPLOYMENT OF 'UNTRAINED NURSES.'

London, Dec. 18.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]—"Too sick to be nursed today," a placard, said to have been placed over the bedstead of a soldier wounded in the South African campaign, is much needed in British hospitals now, according to the national council of trained nurses, which has sent to Lord Kitchener a protest against the employment of incompetent nurses. In acknowledgment of the resolution, the secretary of war asked the council to submit evidence in support of its charges, and a report on the matter is expected shortly.

The professional trained nurses are complaining that young women of means and social influence, attracted by the sentimental side of nursing at the front, have stormed the hospitals and have in many cases obtained positions notwithstanding that they know nothing of the work. "If Lord Kitchener had asked for 500,000 nurses to enlist for service instead of for 500,000 men," said a trained nurse, "the world would have had the number the next morning."

Such being the case, according to the allegations of the nurses' council, the rush of amateurs has pushed aside the competent, greatly to the misfortune of the wounded "Tommy" who has to submit to "fussing" and petting at the

Don't you want a special fund for LIFE INSURANCE, TAXES, or a SPECIAL HOLIDAY TRIP next December? If so take a CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUB membership at the MARQUETTE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK. 12-29-14.

TURKISH WOMEN HELP BUY WARSHIPS

Through Their Efforts Over \$17,000,000 Has Been Turned Over to the Government.

Constantinople, Dec. 15.—[Mailed from Salonika to New York to avoid the Turkish censors.]—All Turkish women strongly favor the war and for a reason of their own. For the time being at least hatred of England pervades them that is only equalled in Germany.

The Turkish government called for public subscriptions to a fund to purchase two dreadnaughts. They were to give Turkey naval supremacy over all of the Balkan nations. The women of Turkey then saw their opportunity for emancipation. During two preceding Balkan wars they had made great strides forward. One woman had flown in an aeroplane over St. Sophia. Others had accepted dangerous and secret diplomatic missions. In many ways they had demonstrated that, if given opportunity, they could show courage, character and intelligence equal to that of any Turkish male.

The Young Turks had recognized this fact. They had brought influence on the Sheik-ul-Islam to moderate their condition. And when the government called for public subscriptions for the war the women of Turkey saw another golden opportunity of winning emancipation. So far as the male Turks were concerned, calling the movement a "popular subscription" was a misnomer.

Rather an "impromptu donation" would have been far more applicable. The officials in charge simplified the amount each man must contribute. It ranged from a week's to a month's salary. If the man paid well and good. If not, the local authorities collected.

Women Raise Money.

But so far as the women were concerned this was unnecessary. They gave benefits, teas and bazaars. In addition they pinched and scraped to make the greatest contribution possible. They cut down their household expenses; they ate less; they dressed more cheaply and they sold their jewels—some even sold their hair, the most sacred of a woman's natural adornment. In all a total of \$35,000,000 was raised. The Turkish women raised more than half.

The two dreadnaughts were being rushed to completion in British shipyards after Greece had bought two cruisers from the United States. The last installment was paid and the crews and officers selected. Then came the European war and England seized the two craft. British announcement that they will be paid for in full was of no avail.

Leading Turkish citizens tell me that the bitterness and resentment raised by this action are responsible for Turkey's present position.

"Perhaps the world at large will say that we are unreasonable in our hate against England and that we Turkish women are unwisely displaying our very weaknesses of character and sentiment which are supposed to unfit woman for a life of equality with man," said Mme. Suleiman, wife of Suleiman Pasha, a Turkish cavalry officer, but no one will realize how our whole future existence were found up in these vessels. With the victories of those two warships that were certain to have come the Turkish women would have been able to win from the Turkish government concessions for development and expansion that it will not take a whole century to gain. The seizure of these warships by England has clouded our lives. So you can hardly wonder that we are now making bandages and doing everything possible to aid our troops in the field against such an enemy.

Footnotes on Great Conflict

German Conditions.

The sum of the Germans' success must be measured by the warlike objects which they had in view when they began. It is known that their plan involved the crushing of the French and British armies, and the occupation of Paris, before the French, or the French and the British, could fully prepare to meet them. In this attempt they failed, and their army of occupation was hurled back upon a carefully prepared line, where they have been essentially on the defensive ever since.

A second great attempt was made by the Germans, after the capture of Antwerp, to advance to Calais, where they would be in a position to attack the English coast. That attempt also was defeated.

It now appears to be vain for the Germans to think of getting either to Paris or to Calais, and they are having difficulty in maintaining themselves along their entrenched defensive line. To this extent, therefore, the Allies have been "victorious." The most serious part of the situation for the Germans is that the kind of warfare that they are now waging must wear them out before many months are passed; and unless they succeed in breaking through somewhere, the merely negative "victories" of the allies must be transmitted to a positive success.

Told of War in "Pidgin."

A unique proclamation was read at Rabaul, New Britain, Sept. 13, when the Australian expeditionary force occupied the German possession, says the London Times. New Britain is the English name for New Pomerania, a large island in the Bismarck archipelago just east of Kaiser Wilhelm's land, the German part of New Guinea (Papua). It is a small island annexing the island. The proclamation was in pidgin, a language of the natives.

"All boys belongina all place, you savvy. Big feller master, he come now. He new feller master. He strong feller. All ship stop place. He small feller ship belongina him; plenty more big feller. He stop ship belongina him now. He come here. He take him all place. He look out good you feller. He like you feller. Look out good alonga him. Supposing other feller master, he see speak you, you no speak alonga new feller master. He gammon. Supposing you work good with this new feller master, he look out good alonga with you. He look out you get plenty good feller kaikai food. He no fighting black feller along no thing. You look him new feller dag. You savvy him, he belong British English. He more better than other feller. Supposing you been making paper before this new feller master

come, you finish time belongina him first. You like make him new feller paper. Long man belongina new feller master he look out good alonga with you. He give you more money, and more good feller kaikai. You no fight other feller black man other feller place. You no kaikai man. You no steal Mary belongina other feller man. He finish talk alonga with you now. By and by ship belongina new feller master he come and look out place alonga with you. Now you give three feller cheers belongina new feller master."

French in Alsace.

One of the questions of strategy which has been discussed ever since the beginning of the war, and about which there has been much disagreement, is the question why the French undertook an unprofitable offensive in Alsace early in August.

At the very outset of the war the French seemed to have it in mind to strike the Germans on the upper Rhine, in all seriousness. They invaded German Alsace, captured Thann, Altkirch and Muelhausen, and seemed to threaten Colmar and Neu Breisach. But the French were driven back from Altkirch and Muelhausen. They made no substantial progress. They remained, it is true, in possession of Thann and of a strip of German Alsatian territory at the foot of the Vosges mountains; but it was soon apparent that if this movement was to be regarded as a serious offensive, it had failed disastrously. The war soon began to rage in earnest not in Alsace, but in Belgium and northern France.

PARIS SURROUNDED BY NETWORK OF TRENCHES

Preparations for Siege, Started When City Was Threatened, Are Now Complete.

Paris, Dec. 18.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]—The army of occupation which early in September, began to dig Paris in when a German siege was threatened, have completed their work.

The General Confederation of Workers alone sent 5,000 volunteers who provided their own digging tools and were merely recompensed by a daily ration of food. Thousands of Belgian refugees, hunted from their own land have also assisted in the work.

The city now lies in the center of an entrenched camp whose diameter is about sixty miles, and whose circumference being only 200 miles. This is surrounded by row after row of trenches thoroughly covered in with logs and turf through which loopholes have been left for rifle fire. All of them communicate with each other and contain traverse banks and earth present them being attacked by infantry or machine gun fire. Out beyond them are rifle pits and barbed wire entanglements placed in all positions where an attack might originate.

Still other precautions have been taken in front of the advanced line of trenches by digging deep ditches whose existence is hidden by a light covering of branches and turf, making them invisible to approaching cavalry, infantry or artillery, and forming veritable traps into which an attacking force might fall a prey to the defenders' machine guns and rifles.

The approaches to the trenches from the rear consist of subterranean galleries which permit the reliefs to be made without any exposure of the men.

All along this front posts of observation have been established, each of which is manned by a detachment of men provided with powerful field glasses and in direct telephonic communication with headquarters and with the artillery batteries in the immediate vicinity. The emplacements of these batteries are known only to the headquarters and are camouflaged by the service guns, all of which are buried in the earth, only their muzzles protruding. For the benefit of the gunners the ranges of all prominent objects in the front have been measured.

Behind the lines of trenches runs a light railway, the purpose of which is bringing up ammunition and food and, if necessary, reinforcements of men to any point which might be menaced. Further provision for the conveyance of reinforcements is at hand in the large numbers of automobiles of all kinds which can make the service, speeding from any one point to another, carrying groups of armed men.

The existing forts also have been strengthened but now only serve as supporting points and deposits for large bodies of troops resting from their trench duty.

The Parisian delights in making Sunday trips to observe the works intended for his defense and although he is not permitted to learn many of the secrets of the arrangements, he has been able to see sufficient to inspire him with confidence.

SAYS BELGIUM, IN HANDS OF GERMANY, WOULD BE TRUCULENT AS FINLAND.

London, Dec. 18.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]—"If Belgium be permanently annexed to Germany, she will prove a new Lorraine, another and more truculent Finland," said M. Emile Vandervelde, the Belgian socialist and labor leader, in an address here under the auspices of the Wounded Allies Relief committee. M. Vandervelde, who accepted a cabinet minister at King Albert's request at the outbreak of the war, gave the views of his party as follows:

"Speaking as a socialist, an anti-nationalist and a pacifist, I consider this war must be fought to a finish, precisely because I am a socialist, an anti-nationalist and a pacifist.

"Why? Because socialism has always recognized that a nation, when attacked, possesses the right of legitimate defense; because internationalism makes the autonomy of nations a preliminary condition; because the present war is a war against war, and we are not among the pacifists who are for peace at any price."

DOWNY COUCH.

"Couldn't you sell me a felling theater seat like that?" "Yes, but why?" "Well, you see, I suffer from insomnia, and I've never slept as well anywhere as here," Berlin Man-Lacht.

CAVE-DWELLING IS AGAIN MADE OF LIFE

Men in Europe, On and Off Firing Line, Burrow for Shelter from Bullets and Shells.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]—Not since the Pleistocene age has cave-dwelling been so universal a mode of life in Europe as today. Altogether there are hundreds of thousands of men, on and off the firing line, who burrow for shelter from the enemy's fire and the weather's inclemency this winter. Vast underground cities have been built.

In Galicia the Associated Press correspondent saw a hill which had five tiers of caves, in rows of forty each. The entire establishment sheltered 2,000 men. And life in the earth dwellings is agreeable, according to all accounts. The men in their letters, at least, speak of their caves with as much feeling as they do of home. Though snow and rain beat down without the wind howl, and great guns boom, the cave is always snug and warm, especially if it has been possible to gather enough straw for the floor and bed, and usually safe.

So agreeable is life in the cave, in fact, that the little humor contained in letters from soldiers at the front is nearly all well-connected with it.

"I have been in this bombproof turnout for ten days," says the letter of a German army surgeon. "Toward the front not a house or barn is standing. There is not a place in which we might stable our horses and since our ambulances would be a fine target for the enemy's artillery, we have established our first aid station in a rocky cave, about 120 feet from the firing line. Two passages, cut deep in the earth, give access to the cave, in which there is room for about six wounded in addition to several persons of the sanitary service. Close to our cave lie the underground villages under the earth. The hospital command and the battalion command, which has been named the Thirsty Cavedweller.

"The inn is a pearl of an institution, suited alike for summer and winter suffering from nerves, count, super-culture and sickly esthetics. It is also an excellent refuge for alcoholism. A physician is constantly in attendance. Prices are reasonable, and living in the club costs nothing except possibly your life. The interior equipment and decorations are charming. You wriggle through the narrow passage into the restaurant, and then fall down two steps, to discover afterwards that you can stand upright in the dining room, which has a floor area of about sixty square meters. A homemade table and two rough benches are the furniture of the restaurant. On the table stand two candles in artistic holders fashioned from beets. The walls are covered with 'expensive' hangings, and the ceiling has an old-fashioned, wainscoting, both out-breaks of luxury having been made necessary by the efforts of moles and worms to taste our soup, drink our beer and wine, and make excursions down our backs between skin and cloth. I will say that these creatures are greatly interested in the splendour we have established in their midst."

The letter then mentions the closets in the cave restaurant in which the supplies are kept, refers to the carpet of straw on the floor, and speaks of a "Kelin" (oriental rug) hanging which separates the restaurant from the corridor.

In another letter from the front, a captain who is laconic and terse, says of cave life:

"We are as wet as young dogs, as dirty as swine, hairy as monkeys, and keep singing with the enemy 320 feet away. We live in caves which are now and then destroyed by shells of the enemy. When that happens we crawl out to live on pigs, steers, hens, goulash and rice. We eat our hair stair-fashion, write by light of candles upon which we do the cooking at the same time. We are now our own antediluvian ancestors, and gladly to tolerate a bayonet attack for the relief it gives us through a change of air. Make a specialty of fighting English, Belgians, French, Indians and what not. Have earned the iron cross and live for king and fatherland."

WAR STORIES

BERNE—Details of an unusual family complication comes from St. Gall. A naturalized Swiss citizen, German by birth, is married to a Hungarian. One brother-in-law is fighting against the Serbians, and another against the Austrians. Of the man's two brothers, one is in a Prussian regiment and the other is serving France under General Gallieni.

TOKIO—"We deeply regret that we were forced to go to war with Germany," says Count Okuma, in an order to the local authorities throughout Japan. "We harbor not the least hostile feelings against German subjects. Germans who live in this country may remain here in peace, while those who wish to leave may go unimpeded, nor will those who desire to enter this country be refused admission, so long as they pursue their occupations peacefully and according to law."

VIENNA—A scandal has just been unearthed in Austrian commercial circles that for the moment is threatening to result in prosecutions for high treason. Practically since the beginning of the war, it has developed, Austrian business houses have been indirectly but certainly consciously supplying Serbia with many of the necessities which has enabled her to put up the war she has against the dual monarchy.

Austria's sudden declaration of war against Serbia found the latter, especially after her two previous Balkan wars, utterly unprepared, both as to provisions and as to equipment for her troops. Entirely cut off from all commercial connection with the rest of the world, except through the port of Salonika, which she won through her last war with Bulgaria, Serbia at once placed immense orders with all of the importing houses in that city.

Some of the largest commercial houses of Austria are involved.

The "Iron ring" of Austria is becoming rapidly more diffused through-out the dual monarchy and is coming rapidly to be more highly prized and coveted than the famous "Iron cross" of the Kaiser. Already the little iron band is to be seen, to the exclusion of all other jewelry, on the hands of people in every walk of Vienna life. It is as common on the finger of the washer woman as it is on the dainty hands of the members of the highest aristocracy, nobility and even of the royal household. There is not an archduke nor an archduchess of the house of Hapsburg who has not already won one and is proud to wear it.

The "Iron ring of Austria" was established by the Society of the Silver Cross organized for the purpose of raising funds for the care of families whose fathers, brothers and husbands have been killed in the war. Up to the present time over one million and a half of crowns has already been raised. Of this amount only a small part was given in ready money, the great bulk being contributed by those, even from the usually wealthiest circles, who were obliged to give, instead, their rings, royal decorations, diamonds, watches, chains and jewelry of every description. It is to those who contributed in this manner that the Society of the Silver Cross gives its "ring of iron."

On the little iron band, which the contributors never fail to wear, are inscribed the six words:

"I have given gold for iron."

On an average, 2,000 rings are finding wearers daily.

GERMANS FAILED IN 'FOUR RIVERS' BATTLE IS RUSSIANS' CLAIM

London, Jan. 4, 1:05 a. m.—A Petrograd dispatch to Reuter's Telegram company says:

"In the opinion of experts here the battle of the four rivers, as the long series of engagements on the banks of the Bzura, Rawka, Pilica and Nida are popularly known, may be considered ended, for not only have the Germans and Austrians failed to advance on the Russian north and south lines, roughly lying from the Vistula to Warsaw, Kielce and Pinczow, but everywhere they have been repulsed with heavy losses, and the attacks now proceeding may be construed as an effort to gain time, pending new operations."

"By the occupation of Kremenetz, Zeten, Sereth and Radautz, in Bukovina on the Roumanian frontier, Russia not only holds the strategic railway line connecting Bukovina with Galicia and Hungary, but is within a hundred miles of Hungary, over easy passes of the wooded Carpathians.

"The Bourse Gazette's Moscow correspondent asserts that the Austrians are evacuating Bukovina, and that more than 30,000 panic-stricken inhabitants of Bukovina and Transylvania have fled into Roumania.

"Three Austrian aeroplanes have dropped ten bombs on Kielce. The damage is not known."

WOMAN PRINTER, POISONED BY LEAD, GETS \$10,000 VERDICT

Chicago, Jan. 1.—Miss Mary Sheets, a printer, who alleged she contracted lead poisoning at the cases, today was awarded a verdict of \$10,000 in her suit against the International Harvester company. The case is said to be the first in which lead poisoning in printing shops has been proven.

Miss Sheets testified that after two years as a type distributor in the Harvester company's printing plant, she became ill of lead poisoning. The evidence showed she now is a partial paralytic. More than fifty printers testified, a larger number of them saying they never heard of lead poisoning resulting from work in a printing plant.

GERMANY HAD MORE THAN A HALF MILLION PRISONERS AT END 1914

Berlin, by Wireless to London, Jan. 1.—The total number of prisoners of war held in Germany at the end of the year amounts to 8,138 officers and 377,875 men.

This is shown in a summary issued from headquarters today, which points out that the list does not include civilians interned in Germany, nor the prisoners taken during the pursuit in Russian Poland, nor those in transport.

TO ABOLISH SALOONS DON'T DRINK, SAYS W. J. B.

When Majority of States Act Favorably Nation Will Be "Dry" He Declares.

Topka, Kas, Jan. 1.—Total abstinence as the surest way of overthrowing the liquor traffic was advocated by William J. Bryan, secretary of state, in a letter to E. G. Burton, national secretary of the Intercollegiate Prohibition association, read at the closing session of the convention of that organization here tonight. Mr. Bryan further asserted that those "who want to abolish saloons will not allow them to hide behind the pretext of local self-government, when enough states act favorably to make it likely that a national amendment will be ratified."

In his letter Mr. Bryan said: "In the matter of prohibition, I think that, at present, the emphasis should be laid on the contests in the states. In some states the time is ripe for action, and I think it is better to concentrate the forces on those than to spread them over the entire nation."

Norway buys apples and prunes from the United States.

THINKS SHRAPNEL, NOT DUM-DUM BULLETS, WAS CAUSE OF BAD WOUNDS

New York, Jan. 3.—Shrapnel wounds have probably been erroneously attributed to use of dum-dum bullets and led to charges that the prohibited missile was being used in the European war, according to Dr. P. Walker, of Stockton, Cal., who served in the Harjes ambulance corps in France. Dr. Walker, who arrived here on the steamer Arabic from Liverpool today, said he had failed to find any evidence of the use of dum-dum bullets during his service.

"Shrapnel appears to have been used in nearly every battle," Dr. Walker said, "and pieces of steel, which, entering the flesh would make a small hole, would come through on the other side, causing a gaping wound, leading to the impression that soft-nosed or split bullets had struck the victims."

Passengers on the Arabic reported a rough and somewhat exciting voyage. For twenty-four hours after leaving Liverpool the ship made her way under slow speed with every precaution taken to avoid floating mines that recent storms are said to have torn from their moorings.

Among the 267 passengers on board were people of fifteen nationalities, and of the entire number fifty-four were babies who did their share toward furnishing excitement on the trip by developing a mild epidemic of chicken-pox.

VON MOLTKE TO HAVE CHANGE OF INTERNAL MILITARY AFFAIRS

Berlin, Jan. 3, via London, Jan. 4, 1:59 a. m.—Lieutenant General Count von Moltke has been appointed chief of the supplementary general staff, which comprises that section of the general staff remaining in Berlin to attend to the various functions of interior military affairs.

The health of the former chief of the general staff has not been sufficiently restored to permit of his returning to field service, but his physicians said that he must have work of some kind because he was worrying himself ill through inaction. General von Moltke has been weakened by an attack of influenza.

Infantry General Baron Manteuffel has been appointed deputy of the commanding general of the Fourteenth army corps.

RETIRING PRESIDENT SAYS SWITZERLAND WILL STAY NEUTRAL

Paris, Jan. 3.—Dr. Arthur Hoffmann, the retiring Swiss president, who remains minister of foreign affairs, says that Switzerland intends to remain absolutely neutral, according to the Berne correspondent of the Petit Parisien.

Dr. Hoffmann states, the correspondent says, that to favor one belligerent nation to the detriment of others would be to risk independence, autonomy and national honor, which the country has placed above all friendships and preferences.

VILLA SENDS MAN TO TAKE MAYTORENA'S PLACE AT SONORA

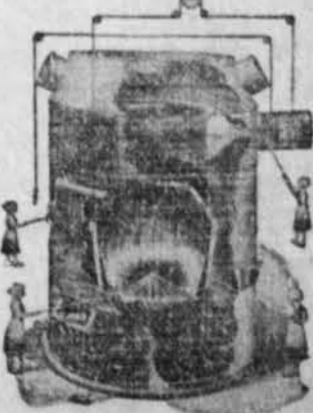
Washington, Jan. 3.—General Villa, as commander-in-chief of the forces of the Gutierrez government, has ordered General Juan Gabriel, with 8,000 men, to take charge of the general situation in Sonora, superseding General Maytorena at Naco.

This order is said to have been decided upon by the Gutierrez government as the best way to prevent continuance of hostilities at Naco and Agua Prieta, where there are comparatively small Carranza forces.

FIRE CAUSES DAMAGE IN PHILADELPHIA AND CAMDEN OF \$1,000,000

Philadelphia, Jan. 3.—Firemen of this city were kept busy today fighting two fires which caused more than a million dollars damage in Philadelphia and Camden. Trains of the New York division of the Pennsylvania railroad were held up for several hours by the flames, which destroyed a large lumber yard and seventeen dwellings in North Philadelphia, while traffic on the Philadelphia & Reading railway from Camden, N. J., was discontinued by a fire which destroyed its station there and damaged a big lumber yard and a shipbuilding plant.

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LIGHT UNDERWEAR BEST.

The proper underwear for the cold and snowy days is the ordinary light summer underwear, according to Dr. Louis Weizmiller, physical director of the West Side Young Men's Christian association, who has issued a circular embodying his advice.

"The office worker who swatches his body in great quantities of heavy clothing is playing tag with the doctor," he says, "with the possibility that the doctor will catch up with him and say, 'Tag, you're it!' before the winter is over."

"You are no doubt planning at this time to dig down in your trunk for your winter underwear to be ready for the cold weather. There is a wide range of opinion as to what is the best and most serviceable clothing to protect one from the weather in a city like New York, where a range may be expected from almost summer heat to zero cold in one day.

"Office workers are liable to consider the cold weather as something they must fight against by piling on an enormous amount of clothing. The average individual spends but little time out in the cold, such as when going to and from business and social engagements. The time occupies but a very small proportion of the total day, and for this short period of time out of doors he wears clothing all day long to meet this situation. The result is that the body is overclothed during the daytime, and, through distaste, the heat-producing function of the body dies.

"Light underwear and overcoats of several weights are the proper attire for the man who works in a warm office. Then when you go out of doors put on an overcoat of suitable weight. Changing the weight of your overcoat will help you to meet all sorts of weather conditions.

"Cold, pneumonia and tuberculosis germs dog the footsteps of every man, and their special delight is the office worker who sits all day bound up in heavy underwear. Don't hug the radiator all the time. Get out into the zero weather when it comes. Put on a heavy overcoat and brave the cold for a while every day and it will surprise you how good it will make you feel. By so doing you will bring gloom to the camp of the germs and add years to your life."—Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin.

THE TRUTH ABOUT THE WAR.

No one even attempts to find in it any romance. No one pretends there is any chivalry. Personal courage and endurance, indeed, are required and are forthcoming to a degree almost incredible. But it is the courage to lie still and be torn to pieces by shrapnel, or to wait in hourly expectation of being blown into fragments by a mine or a submarine. Men are fighting not against men, but against machines. And the full horror as well as the madness of this must needs, one thinks, come home at any rate to the combatants. Outside England, the combatants are the nation. Never before have so many men, women, and children experienced the horror and brutality of war. Never before, in fact, has war been so horrible and so brutal. Even the idealists of war—whom one feels to be of all idealists the most pernicious and the most contemptuous of all—must see what this thing that they have been glorifying really is. It will be difficult henceforth to pretend that war is anything but the greatest of follies and the greatest of crimes.—G. Lowes Dickinson, in the January Atlantic.



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Ishpeeming Department

CAPTAIN THOMAS WALTERS HONORED

Associates of Retiring Mining Man Presented Him With Massive Loving Cup.

Captain Thomas Walters, who the first of the year retired from the management of the Jones & Laughlin company's property in the Lake Superior iron fields, after serving the corporation for more than thirty years, was on New Year's eve given a most happy surprise by a number of his old associates in the city. The affair was one of the most enjoyable that has ever occurred at the Walters home, and the captain was presented with a massive loving cup, on which was inscribed the names of all the friends who called to extend their well wishes.

Dr. T. A. Felch, who is one of the captain's oldest associates in Ishpeeming, presented the cup, in behalf of the members of the party. His remarks were of a humorous nature, dealing principally with the captain's social life. He related a number of incidents that occurred in years gone by, so long ago that most of those in the room had forgotten all about them. He said at the outset that he would refrain from speaking of the captain's achievements in the mining and business world, but would call to mind some of the happy hours that they had spent together. At the same time, the speaker assured Captain Walters that his friends were not unmindful of the important part that he had played in the community during the years of his busy career, and assured him that the citizens of Ishpeeming and of Marquette county appreciate the efforts that he has put forth in their behalf during the many years that he has been a resident of this city.

Concluding, Dr. Felch said: "Your friends and neighbors present this loving cup in appreciation of your successful career, usefulness to the community and unflinching loyalty to friends."

The party was made up of Mayor George G. Barnett, William P. Belden, James Clancy, Charles D. Cole, Edward C. Cooley, P. H. Devine, M. M. Duncan, Dr. T. A. Felch, Herman F. Hey, Timothy Hughes, Manville Jenks, W. H. Johnston, Frank E. Kiese, Charles T. Kruse, Frank P. Needham, Waldo T. Potter, E. E. Scribner, George B. Sedgwick, Fred Tomnesson, Dr. V. H. Vandeventer and H. Olin Young.

Dr. Felch's remarks touched a tender spot in the veteran captain's heart who, for the time, was quite overcome. He finally responded in a few words, in which he thanked his friends for their visit and their beautiful token. The evening was most happily spent.

WAHLMAN SECURES MICHIGAMME JOB

Ishpeeming Contractor Will Erect New School Building, Beginning in March.

The board of education of Michigamme township has awarded J. S. Wahlman of this city the contract for the erection of the school building that will be built on the site of the former school, which was destroyed by fire last August. Treblelock Bros. of this city will do the concrete work.

The members of the board held several sessions before awarding the contract. Seventeen bids were received, several of them from contractors in states outside of Michigan. The building will cost in the neighborhood of \$35,000. All things considered, Mr. Wahlman's bid was the most favorable the board received. His figures were low and his bid complied in every respect with the requirements. He will, it is understood, employ Michigamme labor, as far as practicable, on the job. He plans to begin work about the first of March, and he is under contract to have the building completed by October 1. The board will award separate contracts for the heating and plumbing, but the decorating is included in Mr. Wahlman's contract.

The building will be a great improvement over the one it will replace, which was a wooden structure. The walls will be of brick and interlocking tile. It will be three stories in height with an assembly room, sixty-two by twenty-six feet in size, on the third floor.

There will be sixteen rooms, including a manual training department, and the boiler house, which is included in the contract, will be a separate structure, and will be located at the rear of the school building. The foundation, constructed of concrete, was put in during the fall by Mr. Wahlman and Treblelock Bros. There will be no basement, and the building will be connected with the boiler house by an enclosed passage way.

Mr. Wahlman returned from Michigamme Saturday, after having signed the contract. He also conferred with members of the board relative to the construction work. Although he has kept a good sized crew busy all fall, Mr. Wahlman does not anticipate that many building jobs will be contracted for in this end of the county before next summer. The mining companies are not erecting any new buildings, as their properties are pretty well supplied with fine structures. Just before Christmas Mr. Wahlman completed the erection of a shaft house at the Volunteer mine on the Cascade range.

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DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT.

Mrs. Abba Lafave, who resided at the Barnum location, died suddenly Saturday night from heart disease. She had been in poor health for some time, though she was able to be about the house. August Lafave, husband of the deceased, also died suddenly three years ago, while visiting his son on his farm at Greenwood. The Lafave family has lived in Ishpeeming and at Greenwood for the past forty-five years. Mrs. Lafave was sixty-two years of age and is survived by six sons, William and Bert Lafave of Munising; Peter, Alfred, Edward and Arthur, of Ishpeeming; and a daughter Mrs. Wilfred Rock of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's church.

TO SEEK NOMINATION.

Simon R. Anderson Will Be Candidate for County School Commissioner.

Simon R. Anderson, for the past five years principal of the Hulst school at Iron Mountain, announced before his departure for Iron Mountain last night, that he will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for county school commissioner in the spring primaries. During his visit in Ishpeeming Mr. Anderson made a preliminary survey of the field which led him to enter the contest, and later he will return to the county to make a six weeks' campaign. He has arranged to have nominating petitions circulated.

Mr. Anderson, who was born and brought up in Ishpeeming and is a graduate of the Ishpeeming High school and the Northern State Normal, has in addition to his work in Iron Mountain had two years experience in rural school teaching. He is a young man of capacity, has been earnestly interested in educational work. He has received much encouragement to seek the nomination.

"THE GIRL OF MY DREAMS."

Musical Play to Be Seen Here Thursday Is Typically American.

"The Girl of My Dreams," which comes to the Ishpeeming theatre Thursday evening, tells the story of an interesting courtship of delightfully human people. A bachelor, who is much of a clubman and has the cynical attitude of his class toward the feminine sex, has a habit of breaking village social ordinances, which lands him into a bad motor accident. He is carried, much injured, into a Quaker household, where he is nursed back to health by the girl. By the time his health is regained his ideals of bachelorhood have been shattered. The girl and her father later go to the city to visit the bachelor, and the young woman is much shocked by her prospective husband's friends. She doesn't know whether she loves him or not, but the skies clear in time for a happy ending before the drop of the final curtain.

There are a score or more of musical numbers, written by Karl Hoeselma who wrote the music for "Three Twins," "Bright Eyes," "Madame Sherry" and "Doctor De Luxe." All of them are characterized by marked strain of originality, the most popular and catchy being "I'm Ready to Quit and Be Good," "Quaker Talk," "The Letter You Shouldn't Have Sent," "The Story of a Marionette," "Dear Little Games of Guessing," "O-o-h (Maybe It's) Robber," "Girl of My Dreams" and "Doctor Tinker."

HAS GOOD POSITION.

Dolan Harrington, son of James Harrington of Butte, Mont., formerly of this city, has been appointed deputy county treasurer at Butte, by J. J. Harrington, who was elected to the office in the fall. The young man, who is but twenty-five years of age, is well known in Ishpeeming, as he spent some time here three years ago, visiting his uncle, Jerry Harrington, and other relatives. His salary is \$2,000 a year. Young Harrington has been prominent in Butte politics for some time, and he is popular in the city.

The winter term of the day and night school at the Ishpeeming Business College will open Monday, January 4. Special inducement will be offered to students who enroll that week. 1-2-24.

M. J. LOWNEY DEAD.

Former Resident of Ishpeeming Passes, After Extended Illness.

Jerry Harrington, the cigar manufacturer, Saturday received word of the passing of his brother-in-law, Michael J. Lowney, at Blackfoot, Idaho. Tuberculosis was the cause of his demise. Mr. Lowney resided in Ishpeeming for a number of years, prior to about twenty-eight years ago, when he and other members of his family moved to Butte, Mont., where he was united in marriage to Miss Mary Harrington of this city. During most of the time that he resided in Ishpeeming he worked at the Lake Superior mine.

Of Mr. Lowney's passing a Butte paper said: "News of the death of M. J. Lowney, a resident of Blackfoot, Idaho, formerly of Butte, in San Diego, Calif., was received in Butte yesterday. Surviving are his wife two brothers, T. V. and John, both of Butte; five sisters, Miss Mary Lowney, Mrs. P. J. Burns, Mrs. Julia Foley and Mrs. M. J. Dunn, all of Butte, and Mrs. Daniel McDonald of North Bend, Ore. The body will arrive in Butte today."

BOWLING LEAGUE HAS BEEN ORGANIZED

First of Series of Games Will Be Rolled This Evening at the Empire Alleys.

Ishpeeming bowlers New Year's afternoon organized a three-men league, with ten teams. Teams Nos. 3 and 4 will play tonight; Nos. 5 and 6 tomorrow night; Nos. 9 and 10 Wednesday; Nos. 7 and 8 Thursday and Nos. 1 and 2 Friday.

Mr. Zinn, the new manager, has the alleys in first-class condition. He is now planning on organizing a woman's bowling league.

A. C. Braastad, secretary of the Upper Peninsula Bowlers' association, will endeavor to get ten teams together in Ishpeeming to enter the annual Upper Peninsula tournament, to be held here in March. It is expected that the copper country will be represented by several teams, and the leading bowlers of Marquette and Dorrville will also be here. An effort will also be made to secure entries for one or more Negaunee teams.

The teams that will participate in the league organized Friday are as follows: No. 1—McCallister, Lettine, Geelan. No. 2—Thompson, Larkin, Campbell. No. 3—Schilling, Baudin, Newett. No. 4—Grunmett, Quayle, Gleason. No. 5—Gray, Burke, Fowlecamp. No. 6—Braastad, Lindberg, Decaire. No. 7—Peterson, Sullivan, Johnson. No. 8—Erickson, Blaney, Risinger. No. 9—Hayden, Stevenson, J. M. Olson. No. 10—Dyer, Dean, Heindel.

STRONG PICTURE TODAY.

World's Best Known Minstrel Comedian Will Be Seen in Stirring Military Play.

Lew Dockstader, the famous minstrel man, will be seen at the Ishpeeming theatre this afternoon and evening in "Dan," stirring military play of slavery days and the Civil war, produced by the All Star Feature corporation. The afternoon show will start at 2:30 o'clock, and the prices will be five and ten cents. The evening prices will be five, ten and fifteen cents.

"Dan" is abound with soul-stirring situations, breath shortening moments, pathos and comedy in which Dockstader is given ample opportunities. It depicts the awful struggle of the Civil war with pitched battles and skirmishes. For its accurate detail, and for its correct production and reproduction of battle scenes, many hundred soldiers were employed.

In support of Mr. Dockstader, the All Star Feature corporation presents a remarkable cast of Broadway stars, Gail Kane, late star of "Seven Keys to Baldpate," whose appearance in the roles of "Bonita," in "Arizona," and "Oma," in "The Jungle," the blind girl, Beatrice (Cleveland, a prominent stock star, is seen as Elsie Hammond; W. D. Fisher plays John Hammond; George Cowd, Raoul Dabney; William Conklin, the All Star heavy, plays Jonas Watts, and John H. Pratt gives a phenomenal portrayal of the lovable character of "Stonewall Jackson."

ISHPEMING IN BRIEF

Richard Quayle, a former resident, was up from Gwin Saturday on business.

Gordan Thoney left Saturday for Menomonie, Wis., to resume his studies at Stout institute.

Miss Edna Steinbracher left Saturday for Sault Ste. Marie, to resume her work as a teacher.

Miss Edna Persons left Saturday evening for Battle Creek, Mich., where she teaches school.

Ed Nolan has departed for Madison, Wis., to resume his studies at the University of Wisconsin.

H. L. Scholter, of Iron River, visited in Ishpeeming over New Year's. He returned to the range last night.

Miss Lillian Schroder entertained a number of her young girl friends with a party Saturday afternoon at her home on Vine street.

D. A. Kahn, who spent the holidays in the city visiting his brother, M. A. Kahn, and family, will leave today for his home in Woodruff, Wis.

Miss Charlotte Kahn left Saturday night for Madison, Wis., to resume her studies, after a two week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Kahn.

Miss Ella Johnson, who is supervisor of music in the public schools in Minot, N. D., has departed for there, after spending the holidays with relatives in the city.

John Collins, fifteen-year-old son of Deputy Marshal Patrick Collins, broke the record of the Y. M. C. A. bowling alleys for this season Saturday, when he put down 254 pins. In a game played in the morning his score was 238. These scores are remarkable for a boy of young age.

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MINING OPEN SEAS.

Great Britain could not close the channels and ports of neutral countries such as Sweden, Norway, Holland and Denmark, when trying to bottle up the German navy. Both sides sowed mines in the North sea, but Great Britain at least, had to give sailing directions to neutral shipping so as to minimize the dangers of navigation as far as possible. The great mine field laid out in the North sea therefore had a clear lane running from the Skagerak, the channel between Norway and Denmark, and the coast of Scotland. Joining this on the west was the route for coastwise shipping running all the way down to the Straits of Dover. Eastward from the Straits of Dover was smaller, narrow passage to Rotterdam, so German warships could escape mines by following either of these well defined routes.

In this season of heavy fog it is practically impossible to patrol any open water effectively. The German fleet that raided the English coast might easily have come out from the Baltic through the Skagerak and thence due west to the Scotch coast below which the sailing directions of the British admiralty. That such a dash through the fog was predicted three months ago, and it came according to schedule. What is worrying the English and American shippers as well, is the possibility that some German cruisers may now be out on the Atlantic ready to take prizes in the steamship lane.—New York Commercial.

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Upper Peninsula

Progress at Munising.

In a material way Munising's progress the past year has been marked. Among the buildings erected are the following: Stone office building on Elm avenue, by Drs. Trueman & Teaman; Delft theatre, by the Delft Theatre Co., Inc., on east Superior street; two-story stone Y. M. C. A. building and club house, a gift to the city, by President Wm. G. Mathier of the Cleveland-Cliffs Iron company, on West Michigan avenue; electric light plant, on East Munising avenue, by the Electric Light & Power company; fireproof eight-room school building, now under construction on West Munising avenue; addition, costing upwards of a quarter of a million dollars, to the plant of the Munising Paper company.

Killed by Sparrow Hunter.

John Kohloff was almost instantly killed by being shot with a 22-caliber rifle in the hands of Fred Ladrie, a young lad who was hunting sparrows. The boy was shooting at sparrows in the back yard of his home, at Newberry, and Kohloff was walking in the South Shore railroad yards, more than fifty rods away. The bullet struck him just above the heart and he lived only a few minutes. Kohloff was a young man, aged twenty-three years, and was practically the only support of his mother. He was employed in Beaudin's cigar store and was of steady and industrious habits. The accident is mourned to be deplored and should cause parents and others to realize the danger of allowing children to handle fire arms.

Too Much Fire Water.

A crowd of Austrians from a nearby camp went into Mandlock's saloon, at Limestone corner, Alger county, and tried to make a "rough house" out of it. They were promptly ejected and then, with beer bottles and clubs, proceeded to break all the window lights in the building. On their way to camp they encountered peace-loving Tom Corrigan, foreman at Swan Anderson's

camp, and tried to put him to sleep. They next met Homer Roy, and when he confessed to being a farmer, knocked him out with a club or a bottle. Sheriff Joe Pelissier gathered in three of the chief offenders, together with their leader, Joe Korolis. It appears Joe has established somewhat of a reputation as a bruiser. The four men had a hearing before Justice Axel Bunberg, of Limestone, and were held for trial at the coming term of the Alger county circuit court on a charge of malicious destruction of property. The proprietor of the saloon has replaced his broken window lights at a cost for glass of \$21.55.

Miners Given Prizes.

Prizes for having the best safety record on the Menominee range of any of the mines operated by Peckand-Mather & Co. were distributed among the miners of the Caspian mine at a smoker held in the Caspian club house, which was attended by about 250 employees of the Verona Mining company. Special knives were given to employees who had worked in the mine for more than one year, and the count totalled 229. The knives were of fine quality of steel, engraved in German silver handles. The name of each employee was engraved on a plate on one side of the handle, which also bore the name "Caspian Mine." On the other side was the significant "Safety First" and the monogram which stands for it.

May Lose Arm.

Matt Puzylowski is lying in Stambaugh hospital with a dangerous wound in his left arm, the result of trying to poke a rabbit out of a hole with the butt end of his shot gun. The gun was discharged and the muscles of the left arm were stripped to the bone. It may be necessary to amputate the arm. While the man was hunting, a rabbit jumped up and he chased him into a hole in the ground instead of shooting. In his excitement, the hunter turned his gun and commenced jabbing the butt end of it down the hole to drive the rabbit out. The trigger caught as he gave a sharp jab and there was an explosion. The full charge of shot, wads

and powder barely missed his body and tore away most of the left arm between the elbow and shoulder. On account of danger of lockjaw, Dr. Kofmehl telegraphed to Chicago for serum to prevent inoculation, and is now fighting to protect his patient from that disease and at the same time save his arm.

Drowned in Tahquamenaw.

Emile Holm, aged eight years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Holm was drowned when he broke through the ice on the Tahquamenaw river, near Newberry. The little fellow, in company with Eddie Johnson, six years of age, wandered down to the river and started to play on the ice, near the wagon bridge, where the ice is always thin and treacherous because of the stream of warm water from the furnace and chemical plant. Where the Holm boy broke through the river is quite deep and as the rotten ice gave away all around him he was unable to extricate himself. The Johnson lad broke through the ice at the same time, but being a little further upstream where the ice was slightly firmer he managed to clamber out. Too young to realize what had happened to his playmate, and possibly fearing punishment, he ran home and said nothing of the occurrence. It was several hours later when inquiries had begun to be made that the accident was learned of. The body was recovered several rods below the scene of the accident.

December Tonnage Light.

December tonnage passing through St. Mary's River Ship canal was unusually light, as compared with the same period in preceding years. But 6,726 tons of copper passed through the American locks eastbound, and none through the Canadian locks. Through the American locks 2,621,653 bushels of grain passed eastbound, and 1,394,500 bushels through the Canadian locks. A small amount of flour and lumber was reported down bound. The heaviest tonnage of any commodity downbound was wheat, there having been 4,148,799 bushels reported through the American locks and 4,911,130 through the Canadian locks. But 6,213 tons of general merchandise was reported through both canals down bound and a total of but fifty-nine passengers. There were 61,659 tons of hard coal and 55,000 tons of soft coal reported through the American locks and 12,500 tons of hard coal through the Canadian locks bound up. A total of 11,299 tons of general merchandise passed up through the American locks and 11,063 tons through the Canadian locks. The number of passengers reported upbound was thirteen. Two hundred and twenty-nine vessels passed through the American locks in December and sixty-eight through the Canadian locks.

NOTICE.

I have been employed to act as the attorney for the trustees of the Military Road lands belonging to the J. C. Ayer estate, to protect said lands against trespass and pillage. The game wardens have been busy during the past two weeks attending courts where the cases of violators are being tried. Most of the men that were arrested during the past deer season have been given their hearings and in most cases they have pleaded guilty.

A. E. MILLER
Marquette, Mich.

Negaunee Department

ESCANABA MAY HAVE LEAGUE TEAM

Is Considering Plan of Hooking Up With Michigan-Wisconsin League Next Year.

Escanaba baseball enthusiasts will meet Thursday evening next with President Frank H. Weeks and Vice President Charles F. Moll, of the Wisconsin-Illinois league to consider a plan by which Escanaba may have a team in the league, which is now being reorganized. Mr. Moll visited Escanaba Saturday and conferred with Isaac Schram and other prominent baseball fans concerning the possibility of Escanaba entering a team in the league. Owing to an unsuccessful season last year, the league has been divided into two leagues the Michigan-Wisconsin and the Southern Wisconsin-Illinois. Towns that have already secured franchises in the latter league are Escanaba, Marinette, Menominee, Green Bay, Appleton, Oshkosh and Wausau.

Negaunee baseball fans and players do not favor a league baseball for next summer. Last year the Negaunee club did not pay expenses, and at the close of the season there was a deficit of over \$200. Ishpeming and Gladstone also lost money last season. Although it is understood that Negaunee will not play league ball next season, the city will be represented by a fast team made up entirely of home players. Those who are still in the city and who will try out for a team next season are Jess Pele, Valmer Heimonen, Will Davey, Sam Ford, Will Pelto, James McLaughlin, Adolph Fredrickson, "Red" Heidenson, Dave Scanlon, Charles Polala, "Red" Collins, "Perty" Hawke, John Doty, Ruke, August Munro, Charles Tall, Joe Holman, "Milk" Sterling, Leslie Gaffney and Charles Vincent. Hilmer Leaf, star pitcher last year for the Negaunee team, who is now attending Ferris institute at Big Rapids, will, it is expected, pitch for the locals, if a nine is organized here.

YOUNG PEOPLE ELECT OFFICERS.

At the meeting of the Young People's Society of the Swedish Lutheran Bethany church held New Year's night officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President—Rev. C. E. Lindquist. Vice President—Robert Kronberg. Treasurer—Miss Esther Tullberg. Secretary—Tina Thoren. Program Committee—Rev. C. E. Lindquist, Miss Hilda Sjoelund and Miss Hilda Tullberg. Refreshment Committee—Alfred Olson, Miss Florence Carlson, Mrs. C. E. Lindquist and Miss Hilda Tullberg. Janitor—Arthur Olson.

VIOLATORS PAID FINES.

Two prominent Menominee business men, who were arrested by Deputy Game Warden John Rough and Herman Leisner Nov. 11, in West Branch township, for headlighting deer, paid fines of \$25 and \$13 last week at Iron Mountain. Both men pleaded guilty. The game wardens have been busy during the past two weeks attending courts where the cases of violators are being tried. Most of the men that were arrested during the past deer season have been given their hearings and in most cases they have pleaded guilty.

INDOOR BASEBALL TONIGHT.

Negaunee Has Series of Games With Ishpeming and Marquette.

A practice indoor baseball game will be played this evening at the Adelphi rink between the All Stars and the City teams. The contest will commence at 7:30. The manager of the city team is endeavoring to arrange a game, to be played here some evening this week, with the Ishpeming City nine.

Next week the team will meet the Marquette city team at Marquette. This nine defeated Ishpeming last week by the score of 11 to 5 and Ishpeming won from Negaunee by an 8 to 6 score.

The teams will line up as follows: All Stars—Hawks, catcher; Bodin, pitcher; Carroll, first base; Dan Cushing, second base; Stewart Johnson, third base; George and Will Flory, short stops; Muck and King, fielders. City Team—Heidenson or Polala, catchers; Kirkpatrick or Ford, pitchers; Scanlon, first base; Heimonen, second base; Pelto, third base; Davey, Beaudin, Butler and Peel, short stops; Gaffney, Davey or Cushing, fielders.

LOCAL LACONICS

Will C. Yates is spending a few days on business at Calumet. A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Arehbold. The public and parochial schools will open today for the winter term. C. K. Quinn departed yesterday morning on a business trip to St. Paul, Minn. Oscar Swanson has returned from a few days' visit with friends at Marquette. Miss Norine Reidy has returned to Hibbing, Minn., to resume her duties as teacher.

Scholtz & Lehman, the contractors, are erecting a four room house on Lincoln street for Fred Haupt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williamson have returned from a week's visit with friends at Oshkosh, Wis.

Miss Ella Dowd will leave today for Ypsilanti, where she will take a course at the Ypsilanti Normal.

Delore Chaput, who spent a few days here visiting with friends, has returned to his home at Houghton.

Miss Annie Erickson, of Munising, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. August Heikka, for a few days.

Arthur Moll left Saturday evening for Madison, Wis., to resume his studies at the University of Wisconsin.

Henry Levine has returned to Republic, after a few days' visit in the city with relatives and friends.

"Pekkie" Dahlstrom departed Saturday evening for Rochester, Minn., where he will undergo an operation at Mayo Bros. hospital.

Miss Elizabeth Dowd, principal of the Sheldrake schools, has returned, after spending the holidays here, visiting with her folks.

John Gaffney and Walter Willman will leave this evening for Lansing, where they are students at the Michigan Agricultural college.

Rodney Wasmuth, Harry Riggs and Francis Edwards entertained a party of friends New Year's night with a straw tie party to Palmor.

Al Rough, who spent the past ten days in the city visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rough, has returned to Virginia, Minn.

Miss Huldah Rokkela, who has been the guest of Miss Lampi Parkkinen during the holidays, has returned to Alston, to resume her duties as school teacher.

Mrs. John Mitchell and daughter, Lydia, who have been the guests of Mrs. John Parala for the past week, have returned to their home at Three Lakes.

Mrs. F. Bending, of Marquette, is in the city on a visit with relatives. She was accompanied by her grandchildren, Donald, Carl and Charlotte Levine, who spent the past two weeks visiting with her. Mrs. Levine and daughter, Dorothy, who have been the guests of rela-

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tives at Milwaukee, for the past two weeks are expected to return home during the latter part of this week.

Joseph E. Murphy, superintendent of schools at Hurley, Wis., left for there last evening, after spending the holidays here, visiting with his mother and sisters.

Paul Bell, who is a student at the University of Michigan, has returned to Ann Arbor, after spending the past two weeks in the city on a visit with his folks.

The Misses Agnes McLaughlin and Elizabeth Reidy, teachers at Minneapolis, Minn., who spent the holidays here visiting with their folks, have returned to Waukegan, to resume their work as teachers.

The Misses Ethel Neely and Olga Holstad, who spent the holidays here visiting with their folks, have returned to Wakefield, to resume their work as teachers.

L. E. Meyers, of Chicago, general manager of the corporation which owns the Marquette County Gas & Electric company, was a business visitor in Negaunee Saturday.

Irving Field, who has been in the city for the past two weeks on a visit with his parents, will return today to Houghton to resume his studies at the Michigan College of Mines.

F. G. Fulkerson, former physical director at the Negaunee High school, who spent the past two weeks in the city visiting with friends, departed last evening for his home at Chicago.

Eugene Houle, who spent the Christmas holidays here visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Houle, departed yesterday for Ann Arbor, to resume his studies at the University of Michigan.

Joseph Verecillino, of Chicago, who has been in the city for the past week on a visit with his parents, is spending a few days at Gwin, visiting with his brother, Frank Verecillino and family.

Harry Lee, head of the commercial department in the Gilbert, Minn., schools has returned to resume his work, after spending two weeks here, visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee.

Walter Sterling, John Rough Jr., and William Jewell, who spent the holiday vacation in the city visiting with their folks, left yesterday for Ann Arbor, where they are students at the university of Michigan.

The members of the Knights of Kaleva and their families held an enjoyable party Friday evening at their hall in the William's block. A turkey supper was served at 6:15, after which there was a musical program and dancing.

Howard Connors, Alfred Ware, Jay Stanaway, Hilmer Leaf, George Lacroix, Edwin Lindstrom, Emil Johnson, Alfred Rytönen and the Misses Carmen and Albinna Chausse will leave today to resume their studies at the Ferris Institute at Big Rapids.

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CHAIRMAN SHIELDS FOR PRIMARY LAW

Democratic Leader Is Opposed to Pre-convention Plan of the Republicans.

Lansing, Jan. 3.—"The criticism that may be advanced against the present effort on the part of some party factions to change the primary law is that in their hearts they really believe in no primary," says Edmond C. Shields, chairman of the Democratic state central committee.

Chairman Shields, in giving his views regarding the proposed changes in the primary law, is the first prominent Democrat to be heard from regarding the matter.

"The fundamental reason for a primary is that every qualified elector shall have, he says, 'an opportunity, free from coercion from any group of men, free from the well-known methods and psychology that invariably controls a caucus or convention, to express his individual preference as to the nominees of his party. Crowds always have been and always will be controlled and led by a few individuals of strong character and quick, forceful action.'

"The timid, the slow acting, the slow speaking and unselfish, can never hope to get results from a caucus or convention when in the very nature of things action must be hurried. In a primary the elector has all day in which to vote. He can choose the hour most convenient to him. He can read most nearly qualify, in his judgment, for the various offices.

"In a majority of elections the primary may be unwieldy, clumsy and an unnecessary mass of detail. This is particularly true of a minority party, where candidates know that election means defeat to them, and therefore men do not wish to make the effort necessary to secure the petitions, file them and comply with the preliminaries. Yet no better way has been suggested than now exists under our present primary law. While such machinery may not be used to the full extent in every election, it is very essential that it be kept in existence so that the people can use it whenever they desire to feel the need of such machinery.

Believes Basic Theory Correct.

"I believe the basic theory of the primary is correct; then all that is necessary is to make the preliminary less cumbersome. Instead of making it more difficult to become a candidate, as a preliminary convention may do, make it easier. Experience seems to teach me that the more formal the procedure, the less number of candidates and the less we are able to convince good men that they should become candidates."

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Great State Savings Bank will be held at its banking rooms in the town of Ithaca, Michigan, on Tuesday, the twelfth day of January, 1915, between the hours of ten a. m. and twelve a. m. for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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EMPLOYEES MAY PURCHASE STOCK

Michigan State Telephone Company Announces Its 160,000 Workers May Buy Company's Certificates on Easy Payments, Creating a Profit Sharing Plan.

Stock May Be Owned by November, 1918, With Deposits of \$2 a Month Being Made—Corporation Arranges for a Refund in the Case of Death or Removal.

The 160,000 employees of the Michigan State Telephone company, which is a part of the Bell system, owned and operated by the American Telephone & Telegraph company, have a New Year's present in the form of an offer from the company to sell them stock on easy payments.

It has been arranged to allow the employees to buy shares at the rate of \$2 a month a share, starting March 1, 1915. Dividends will go to the purchasers, and interest on the unpaid balances will be charged for only at the rate of 4 per cent. No employee can purchase more than one share for each \$300 in salary he receives and he may not purchase more than ten shares, no matter what his salary. The shares are to be sold at \$10, or a little less than the price quoted on the stock on the exchange. The dividends the past seven years have averaged about 8 per cent.

At the monthly payment of \$2 a share, and with dividends at the present rate, the stock will be owned by the employees taking up the offer by November, 1918. Arrange Special Payment.

The stock offer is open to all who have been in the employ of the company for at least two years. Provision is made for paying back the money paid in in cases where the employee leaves the company, or dies before the stock is paid for. The company agrees to pay back the money which has been paid in plus the accumulated dividends, less 4 per cent interest.

The American Telephone & Telegraph company is the parent company of the Bell Telephone system, which operates or connects with \$200,000,000 telephones stations throughout the United States. It has about 60,000 stockholders and 100,000 employees. Its issued capital stock is nearly \$300,000,000, and it is now quoted at \$118 per share.

The company makes it plain that no employee is under any obligation to buy stock, but it is believed that a considerable number of employees will take advantage of the opportunity offered.

DIORITE BOWLERS WIN OUT IN MATCH

Contest at Elks' Alleys Saturday Night Drew Out Several Hundred Spectators.

The first match game between the Diorite and Marquette bowlers at the Elks' alleys Saturday night was won by the Diorite men by a margin of ninety-nine pins. The contest, which was also the first match game to be rolled on the new alleys, was watched by a crowd of enthusiastic fans. At the conclusion of the first match between two five-men teams was rolled, this also resulting in a victory for the Diorite men, who led by eighty-two pins. The detailed scores of the two matches follow:

—Five-Men Teams—

Diorite—					
McCulloch	172	180	193	545	
Cornell	141	156	139	436	
Talo	184	137	177	518	
Thompson	157	185	188	530	
Saline	162	194	186	542	
Totals	816	872	883	2571	
Marquette—					
Mances	138	191	146	475	
Love	164	154	183	491	
Eldredge	148	155	180	483	
Cooklin	170	169	132	471	
Levine	183	170	192	545	
Totals	823	816	833	2473	

—Three-Men Teams—

Diorite—					
Talo	197	188	147	532	
Saline	188	183	179	550	
McCulloch	172	178	180	530	
Totals	557	549	506	1612	
Marquette—					
Mances	137	184	181	502	
Love	170	196	195	561	
Levine	146	138	163	447	
Totals	453	518	539	1510	

BASKETBALL TOMORROW

Ishpeming Knights Will Contest With Marquette Hibernians.

A return basketball game between the Ishpeming Knights of Columbus and the Marquette Hibernians will be played tomorrow night at Fraternity hall. The Knights won handily last week in a game played at Ishpeming, and have been victorious in each game they have played this season. There will be dancing following the game, which will start at 8:15 o'clock.

The two teams will lineup as follows: Knights of Columbus—Forwards, Stealing and Cousineau, center, Manning; and guards, Sullivan and Ryan.

Hibernians—Forwards, Vaughan and Donahue, center, Ring; and guards, Hurley and O'Neill.

The game will be refereed by Joe Ring and Mr. Norman, of Ishpeming.

There are 432,000 acres of forest in Corsica.

Don't you want a special fund for LIFE INSURANCE TAXES, or a SPECIAL HOLIDAY TRIP next December? If so take a CHRISTMAS MONEY CLUB membership at the MARQUETTE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK. 12-29-14.

DEATH OF GEORGE C. YOUNGS.

Father of M. P. Youngs, of Marquette, Passes at Florence, Wis.

George C. Youngs, editor and publisher of the Mining News at Florence, Wis., passed away in that town yesterday after a long illness. Mr. Youngs was father of M. P. Youngs, of this city, telegraph editor of The Mining Journal, who has been at Florence the past several days, and also of M. W. Youngs, editor of the Calumet News, Wilson, G. Youngs, of Milwaukee, a clerk in the railway mail service, and Chase O. Youngs, of Florence, who has been assisting in the publishing of the Mining News. His wife also survives him.

Mr. Youngs went to Florence in 1887 from Milwaukee, having gone there to take the Mining News over after it had been conducted by Chase S. Osborn, his lifelong friend, and had been continuously a resident of the town since that time. He was a newspaper man of ability, and a man of the most personal characteristics. He was well known to the newspaper fraternity of the upper peninsula, as for many years he was a member of the Lake Superior Press association, and was a regular attendant at its annual meetings. Mr. Youngs had many friends in Marquette, where he had been a frequent visitor, who will regret to learn of his death.

The body will be taken to Milwaukee, and will be accompanied there by members of the family who have been at Florence for several days past.

PAROLED CONVICT GOES WRONG AGAIN

Frank Carr, Recently Released, Will Be Returned to Prison When Located.

Frank Carr, who was released on parole from the Marquette prison at the last meeting of the board the early part of December, has failed to make good in the estimation of every person with whom he has come in contact during his few weeks of probation, and as the result the officers are now searching for him to bring about his return to prison. Carr has got into no end of trouble by misrepresentation on different occasions, and before disappearing from Marquette Saturday night stole an amount of money and other valuables from the Salvation Army hall. It is alleged, and is believed to have taken a fur overcoat, valued at \$85, from the ante-room to the Elks' temple. By the prison officials he is looked upon as a habitual criminal.

Carr was sent to the Marquette prison on Nov. 6, 1912, from Muskegon to serve a term of from two to five years for larceny. His conduct at the prison during the last two years was such that he was paroled at the expiration of his minimum term.

Capt. Shaw, of the Marquette Salvation Army, took a kindly interest in Carr, and furnished him food and clothing during the time he was in the city. Captain Shaw related last evening that Carr had been with him but three days when he learned that he had formed the acquaintance of persons who were not leaving a proper life. He took Carr to task for his actions on this occasion. One day Carr asked for a suit of clothes, and Capt. Shaw arranged that he could obtain a suit from a Marquette dealer. Somehow he got into heated discussion with the merchant, and the affair was settled only by Carr making an apology later.

A few days later Carr told Capt. Shaw that he could obtain work at the Soo, and he was given the money for his transportation there. The day following he went to a Marquette drugstore, told the pharmacist that he was married, his wife was sick, and he wanted some brandy. He obtained the brandy with the money which was to have gone towards the purchase of his railway ticket, and he was seen by Capt. Shaw, without a cent in his pocket. "There his case came to the attention of Capt. and Mrs. Redgrove, in charge of the Soo Salvationists, formerly of this city. He told his story to them, and protested himself to be repentant. Mrs. Redgrove pitied the man and wrote as follows to Capt. and Mrs. Shaw:

"We received captain's letter today and note all he says regarding Frank Carr. We are both so sorry he has treated you unkindly. I think you have been too good to him and he could not appreciate it until too late.

"Captain decided it would be best for Frank to return to Marquette and make good there, as he appears to be truly repentant. Will you give him one more chance? I do trust that he will do better and prove worthy of all your kindness."

Carr's unusual nature is shown in a letter he wrote to Captain and Mrs. Shaw but a short time after he reached the Soo, and was unable to obtain work. It follows:

"I am not working and badly up against it. Kind friends, when I was in my lonely cell I made you promises which I failed to make good. I was wild and wild. Now I have lost my happy home and your confidence. I am, oh so unhappy, but I still have a spark of manhood left in me, and I will show you how truly repentant I am for my past errors. If you will forgive and trust me as of old, I have asked God to forgive me, which He has, so if God can forgive me, I feel that you can. I am so discouraged I hardly know what to do. Dear father and mother, after all you have been to me, I know you would like to see me apply my life to better things, and now if you will let me return to my happy home, I promise you to put my whole heart and soul in the service of God and I will never be seen on the streets after 9:20 p. m., unless I is with you. I have promised Jesus that I will never smoke and I will never stay away from one meeting. In short, I have given and consecrated my whole life to God and I will be everything you wanted me to be.

"If you could know how I have suffered repentance, you will never see me out with bad company again, but I will be a true and faithful soldier of Jesus Christ."

The workmen cleaning out the Paris Assize court after the last day of Mme. Caillan's trial found among other articles 2 men's hats, 2 lawyers' gowns, 53 empty bottles, 21 bananas and 15 peaches.



And Now the Dance Is On

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Saturday Captain Shaw placed \$12.55 in a tin container and laid it in a drawer at the army canteen. When he went to the meeting Saturday evening the money was in the drawer, but he missed it, also a guitar that Carr had borrowed from his son, when he returned an hour later.

Carr will doubtless be located by the officers within the course of the next few days, and will be promptly returned to his place behind the prison bars.

Theatrical

Tonight the Marquette Opera House will offer "The Girl of My Dreams," one of the brightest musical comedies of the day. The show was put on at the new Delft theater at Munising Saturday night, where it was received with enthusiasm by a capacity filled house. "The Girl of My Dreams" is sprightly, full of fun and furnishes a great diversity of entertainment. The stage settings, costumes and effects are new, and the music is tuneful. One of the most prominent features of the piece is the tableau of Toiyton.

"Lola" Tomorrow. Tomorrow the Delft theater will present "Lola," perhaps the most pretentious production ever sent out by the World Film corporation with Clara Kimball Young, one of the company's stars, in the leading role. The picture is presented by the World Film corporation, and shown in five reels. Miss Young is one of the foremost actresses of the day, and has made a name for herself on the moving picture stage. She was born in Chicago, and after entering the theatrical profession played with stock companies for a short time, later joining the forces of the Vitaphone company. She has appeared in many Vitaphone features, among them "The Little Minister," "Love's Sunset," "Poet and Peasant" and "Goodness Gracious." In addition to being a capable actress Miss Young is a writer of no mean ability. She has written for the Authors syndicate a story of her tour around the world. It is now being published by the leading papers of the country.

At the Delft. The Hearst-Selig news pictorial, No. 78, showing the latest views of the European battlefields, will be part of today's program at the Delft theater. Other pictures today will be "Through Eyes of Love," an Essanay drama, with Richard Travers, Beverly Bayne and Rapley Holmes; "The Fatal Note," a Selig comedy-drama, and the fable of "The People's Choice" who Answered the Call of Duty and Took Selzer," an Essanay comedy, by George Ade.

The children of the training school will report tomorrow morning. Many members of the school faculty returned to the city yesterday.

MRS. SILAS PAPIN DIES. Mrs. Silas Papin, aged seventy years, passed away at an early hour Saturday morning at her home, 130 Baraga avenue. Her husband and four sons survive. The sons, all of whom reside in Virginia, Minn., are Albert, John, Archie and Fred. The funeral will be held at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning from St. John's church. Interment will be made in Holy Cross cemetery.

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NEW DELFT THEATER AT MUNISING OPENED

"The Girl of My Dreams," Musical Comedy, Presented as Initial Performance.

The new Delft theater at Munising, one of the three houses leased and managed by the Delft Theaters, Inc., was opened Saturday evening with a presentation of the musical comedy, "The Girl of My Dreams," which will be shown at the Marquette Opera House this evening. The company gave a snappy performance of the bright piece to an audience that was highly enthusiastic and that showed its appreciation of the enterprise of the men who have given Munising a modern playhouse by taking up all the seating capacity.

The house was formerly opened by remarks by H. B. Freeman, who spoke appropriately before the curtain went up on the first act. Following the performance, Andy Symon, who built the house for the Delft Theaters, Inc., entertained a party of thirty-five prominent Munising men and the officials of the company at a supper at the Beach Inn hotel. Herman Holden was the toastmaster, and a number of responses were listened to. A feature of the occasion was the presentation to M. Jopping, of Marquette, the moving spirit in the Delft Theaters, Inc., of a silver key emblematic of the honorary citizenship of the town conferred on him by the gathering.

The new Delft has a seating capacity of five hundred. The equipment is of the latest design and conformed to the general plan of the other Delft theaters, in Marquette and Escanaba. The seats have been arranged that each commands a full view of the stage. The decoration of the house was completed the latter part of last week by a delicate scheme of the decorative violet, lavender and a deep purple, these delicate shades now being much in vogue in theater decoration. Indirect light of a special design has been provided.

The stage is large and well equipped, and the illumination of the stage is one of the features of the house. Eight large dressing rooms and a commodious room for the chorus have been provided beneath the stage.

The heating of the building is accomplished by the vacuum system. The ventilation is said to be as near perfect as can be obtained. The moving picture booth is of concrete construction, with automatic fire doors.

The theater has been so constructed that with the growth of the city the seating capacity may be increased. One hundred additional seats may be placed on the main floor, and provision has been made for the addition of a balcony.

LEASES THEATER.

J. C. Woodworth Takes Over Ontonagon House. J. C. Woodworth, who was the proprietor of the Grand theater here for several years, has leased the Rex theater at Ontonagon and will personally conduct the business. The theater he has leased is modern and has a large seating capacity. The business was formerly run by W. A. Jamison, of Ontonagon.

Since selling the Grand theater here Mr. Woodworth has presented the Miller Bros. 101 Ranch pictures in practically all of the cities of the upper peninsula. For a time he also was the proprietor of a roller rink at Ishpeming.

INSPECTED BRIDGES.

Supervisors' Committee Visited Powell Township Highways. The committee on highways and bridges of the county board of supervisors Saturday made an inspection of the bridge work in progress on the Big Bay road, as it is commonly known, which extends from Marquette to the Powell township towns. Four steel and concrete bridges have been in course of construction for the last several weeks by the Continental Bridge & Iron company, and the work is nearing completion. The bridge across the yellow Dog river has been practically finished, with the exception of the approaches. Other bridges being built by the same firm are over the Little Garrie river, Alder and Wilson's creek.

The supervisors expressed themselves as pleased with the progress that has been made by the company.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our thanks to the Marquette and all who so kindly remembered us, in our bereavement, by their kindness and floral offerings. MARTIN WINBERG and family.

FIRE DAMAGE WAS \$187,471

Of This Amount in the Upper Peninsula Marquette County Suffered \$11,500 in 1914.

Forest fire damage in the upper peninsula last year amounted to \$187,471.99, and the loss for the entire state was \$404,296, according to State Warden Oates' report, which has just been printed. The damage in Marquette county during the year was \$11,500. Twenty-nine fires occurred in the county, the report shows, of which nineteen occurred in May, six in June and four in October. Nearly six thousand acres of hardwood, pine, slash, swamp, meadow and plains was burned over.

Fires in the Peninsula.

No. of Fires.	Damage.
Alger	23 \$ 26,550.00
Baraga	21 11,500.00
Chippewa	32 50,000.00
Delta	7 3,540.00
Dickinson	6 8,247.50
Gogebic	12 11,005.00
Houghton	15 1,995.00
Iron	9 12,850.00
Keweenaw	3 200.00
Luce	4 1,800.00
MacKinae	15 15,450.00
Marquette	29 11,500.00
Menominee	6 3,000.00
Ontonagon	10 7,550.00
Schoolcraft	10 12,150.00
Total	215 \$187,471.99

162 Fires in May. May was the month in which most of the fires in the upper peninsula occurred, 162 of the total, 215, having occurred during that month. The damage was \$116,812.

Of the fires in the upper peninsula eighty-five were of unknown origin, fifty were caused in the clearing of land, thirty-one by locomotives, thirteen by fishermen, eleven by the burning of brush, ten by logging engines and seven by carelessness.

The fires of unknown origin, which burned over 68,389 acres, caused damage amounting to \$67,876.50.

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